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# MEMORIAL COLLEGE

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With Christ as our Leader

Educating boys with God's help since 1959

(Conducted by the De La Salle Brothers)





# LEO WALSH - A DEDICATION



Respect for others, dedication to the job in hand, an ability to listen, an understanding attitude, and unswerving loyalty are some of the attributes I would ascribe to Leo Walsh.

I've known the bloke for forty years, having first played rugby against him in 1955 - a bit slow around the field, as I remember, but a very accurate goal kicker.

Leo has proven himself to be an excellent sports administrator, with an uncanny ability to select the right person for a position - both on and off the playing field. When he coached the Hawke Cup - winning Taranaki cricket team, for example, he was working with a pretty average team, but his appointment of an outstanding captain just made the difference. The Hawke Cup, by the way, is cricket's equivalent to rugby's Ranfurly Shield.



*Mrs E O'Neill and Leo at the Thirty-Five Year Reunion Dinner.*

Leo has always been extremely proud of his association with F.D.M.C. He is a strong admirer of the De La Salle Brothers, and through his years at the College he always had time to listen carefully to any problems presented to him by students or by staff, and after some reflection, to offer good advice.

His public life has revolved around sport - mainly in administration and coaching. He was 1st XV coach here at the College for many years, with excellent results. Then he coached the Taranaki A team for several years, until hanging up his boots and taking over the Chair for the TRFU. From there he has progressed up the ladder to where he is now as a Councilor with the NZRFU.

Leo has always exhibited dedication to his faith and Catholic beliefs - a great role model - and now as he faces retirement I'm sure he'll continue to contribute to the well-being of others. There will be plenty of time to play some bowls, cut those lawns, and even possibly paint the house!

*Brendon O'Neill*

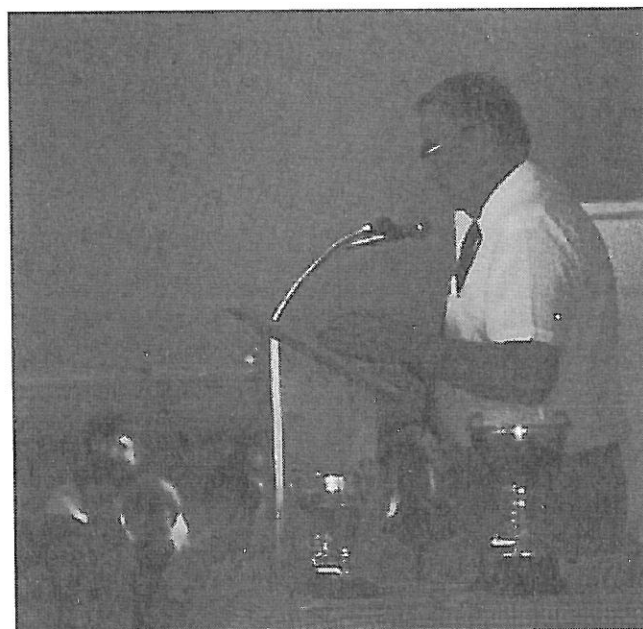


We honour at this reunion Mr Leo Walsh who retires after 35 years association with the College. In the decade before the opening, as a young man, Leo worked tirelessly to bring the idea of a Taranaki Catholic College for boys to a reality.

In the first five years of college life Leo became a full time member of the staff, teaching commerce and P.E. and of course coached the 1st XV and 1st XI with great success. He soon became the Principal's deputy and discipline master, a position he held under five successive principals.

Leo is firstly a man of faith. He is an inspiration to people and a most loyal Francis Douglas man. We wish him God's blessing for the future.

*Peter McDonald, Parent and Old Boy*







# OVER THE YEARS



## SCHOOL CAPTAINS

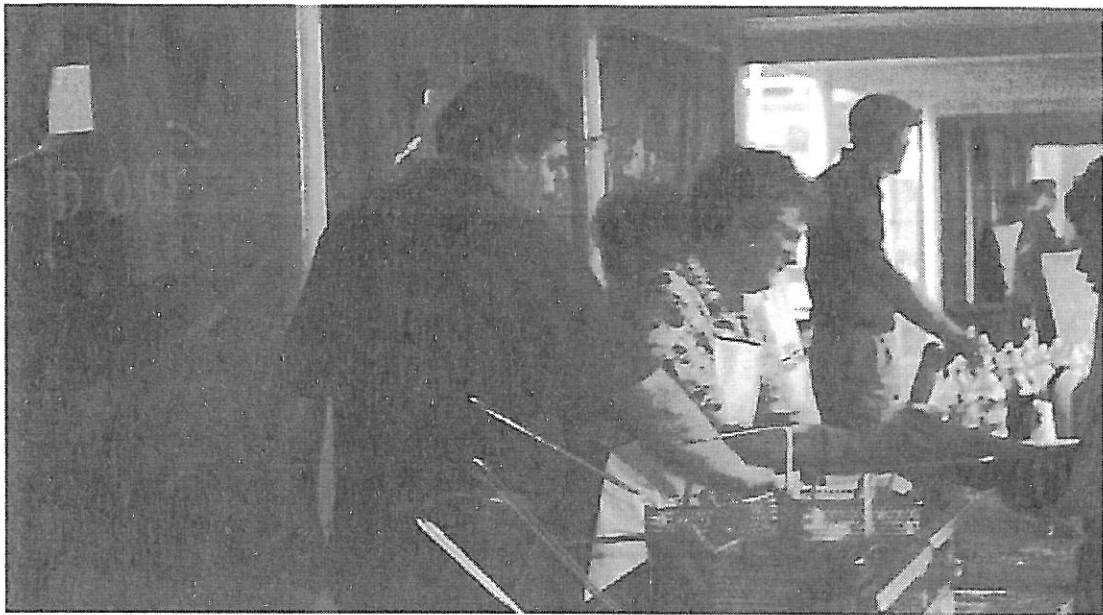
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1964	J. Karalus
1965	J. Bourke
1966	D. Moynihan
1967	M. Parsons
1968	F. Roebuck
1969	J. Reilly
1970	C. Pearce
1971	B. Nicholas
1972	J. Luoni
1973	K. Reilly
1974	R. Richards
1975	K. Walsh
1976	K. Brophy
1977	M. Karalus
1978	G. Eager
1979	S. Hogan
1980	M. McColl
1981	A. Dowd
1982	W. Han
1983	P. Crotty
1984	B. Christmas
1985	S. Ford
1986	R. Fabish
1987	N. Kusalic
1988	A. Murray
1989	P. McNicholas
1990	C. Sullivan
1991	D. Douglas
1992	M. Hargreaves
1993	L. Butler
1994	N. Smith
1995	M. Butterworth

## DUCES

1963	D. Fitzgerald
1964	J. Karalus
1965	S. Mochnacki
1966	M. Kelly
1967	J. Ballantyne
1968	R. Cruickshank
1969	N. Karalus
1970	P. Luoni
1971	A. Wratisslav
1972	J. Luoni
1973	M. Rhodes
1974	L. Reeve
1975	S. Bunting
1976	D. Bunting
1977	S. Reeve
1978	L. Schumacher
1979	M. Bell
1980	J. Naus
1981	G. Quinn
1982	S. Finnigan
1983	P. Crotty
1984	M. Hollewand
1985	P. Key
1986	C. Lloyd
1987	N. Kusalic
1988	J. Murphy
1989	B. Rae
1990	A. Gilliland
1991	J. Mace
1992	B. Taylor
1993	G. Ewing
1994	T. Sullivan
1995	H. Smith

## HOUSE CAPTAINS

BENILDUS	LA SALLE	LORETO	SOLOMON
1962	J. Julian	A. Baker	F. Finnigan
1963	J. Castelli	D. Ogier	L. Schumacher
1964	B. Hannan	D. Ogier	V. Mardon
1965	N. Fitzgerald	D. Moynihan	B. Walsh
1966	G. Dwyer	P. Karalus	P. Roebuck
1967	G. Watt	J. Martin	F. Roebuck
1968	J. Hickey	K. King	M. Wackrow
1969	C. Pearce	N. Karalus	T. Dwyer
1970	R. Burnside	N. Coyne	C. Hopkirk
1971	J. Stone	K. Crofskey	M. Smith
1972	P. Yarrow	S. Gifford	A. Kissick
1973	K. Lawrence	C. McKenna	K. Walsh
1974	M. Riordan	H. Slaats	K. Walsh
1975	G. Shearer	P. Walsh	J. Carter
1976	J. Radich	D. Bunting	C. Sole
1977	D. Shearer	S. Melody	A. Fitzgibbons
1978	D. Novak	C. Goddard	M. McGill
1979	M. Bell	P. Mellow	A. Crawford
1980	D. Harris	A. Karalus	R. Pirikahu
1981	G. Reumers	S. Slattery	M. Newman
1982	B. Novak	K. Russell	M. Finnerty
1983	S. Keig	J. Kelly	P. Rice
1984	J. Ellis	S. Crow	M. Hollewand
1985	G. Schumacher	P. Secker	S. Rapley
1986	J. Battersby	G. Kennedy	P. Blackwell
1987	K. O'Donnell	T. Davidson	C. Butler
1988	K. George	D. Zimmerman	T. Cole
1989	A. Beet	C. Vince	B. Rae
1990	M. Dowd	S. Iremonger	G. Loader
1991	D. Ratahi	A. Bailey	C. Norgate
1992	B. Back	D. Cowley	W. Christiansen
1993	J. Marinovich	S. Death	D. Kukec
1994	P. Gower	S. Ball	M. Keegan
1995	M. Smith	K. Ryan	D. Hancock



# *ENERGY SOURCE*







# BROTHER TIM-PRINCIPAL



All of us need to know:

that we are **good** and we need to be affirmed  
we need to know **who we are**  
we need to have a place **where we belong**  
we need to know **what we can achieve**

Our challenge at Francis Douglas is to try and fulfil those needs.

As a Catholic College, we are committed to the objective of being attuned to the teachings of Christ in the Gospels. Our **goodness** as staff, yours as parents, and our students' needs, should always be acknowledged and affirmed if we are to grow as people and become responsible.

The task of teachers and parents is to work with our young people to find out **who they are**, to walk with them and as the "Footprints" prayer says, sometimes carry them.

Young people need a place **where they belong** - they need adult models in the home, at school, and in the wider community who live their ideals, and in this area they can be de-

manding. I believe Francis Douglas College is a place where they can belong. Our students have models, our students are challenged to work out their faith, are challenged to work at their self-discipline, are challenged to study to their potential and are challenged to become part of the college in some way.

In finding out who they are and a place where they belong, mistakes will be made as they test themselves out against adult society - if this happens they need a strong sense of compassion and forgiveness from those close to them and those they trust. Young people need to know what they can achieve - all students are encouraged to do their personal best, and this calls for a realistic responsibility on their part with the guidance of parents, caregivers and teachers.

If we as parents, caregivers and teachers set high expectations and ideals for ourselves, it is far more likely that we shall assist young people entrusted to us to grasp the real values in life. The good news is that you really don't know how great you can be, how much you can love, what you can accomplish - what your potential is. How can you top good news like that?"

## JASON KAY 1980-1995

God has revealed to little ones the mysteries of the Kingdom - what a fine person and witness Jason has been of one of God's little ones ...

Jason in his life showed us the good qualities we all need to make this a better world to live in - the qualities of kindness, generosity, humility, helpfulness, responsibility, genuineness, a person you can rely on, the ability to treat others as you would like them to treat you - these I believe are some of the mysteries of the Kingdom that our gospel today speaks about - and as Jason touched each one of us so too the qualities he possessed were made known to us - we came away better people.

When Jason first approached me about leaving school in Form 4, I questioned him because of his age but after some discussion I understood that this was a young guy who knew what he would like to be. He was genuine, honest and responsible in all that he did. Jason accomplished much in his life and his

message and example to me are invaluable - Jason was to hear God's call early in his life ... "Come to Me ... and I will give you rest."

The Gospel today also tells us to "shoulder my yoke and learn from me for I am gentle and humble in heart" - Jason did shoulder responsibilities and hardships and he did learn from Christ to be compassionate, loving, respectful, committed and sincere. Jason in some way has had an influence on each of us ... and the memories we have will be cherished, remembering that some people come into our lives, make footprints on our hearts and we are never the same.

Jason was a good and loving son, a caring and sharing brother, and relation to his sisters and brother, aunts, uncles, cousins and extended family and a loyal generous and understanding friend to us all - "Of all the gifts that a wise God grants us to make life full and happy, friendship is the most beautiful".



# COLLEGE CALENDAR 1995



## Term One:

Jan 26	<b>Term I Begins</b>
Jan 27	Staff 9.00 am/Seniors 1.30 pm
Jan 30	Forms 1 - 3, Seniors 1.30 pm
Jan 31	Forms 1 - 5, 9.00 am
Feb 1	All students, 8.50 am
Feb 6	Waitangi Day
Feb 7	Form 7 Orientation
Feb 14	Investiture Mass 11.45 am
Feb 17	Swimming Sports
Feb 27	Form 3 Retreats Begin
Feb 27	Surfing - NPBHS
Feb 28	Swimming - Stratford
Mar 01	Ash Wednesday
Mar 10	Athletic sports
Mar 13	Taranaki Anniversary
Mar 17	Four Leaf Clover Appeal
Mar 18	Athletics - Inglewood HS
Mar 20	Topec Form 4
Mar 24	Interim Reports Distributed
Mar 27	P/T Interviews
April 1/2	O'Shea Shield
April 4	P/T Interviews
April 8	Gala Day
April 11	Volleyball - NPGHS (Snrs)
April 14	Good Friday
April 21	Golf - Hawera
April 25	Anzac Day
May 1 - 5	First XV/Basketball S. Island
May 3	Cross Country
May 5	<b>Term I Ends</b>

## Term Two:

May 22	<b>Term II Begins</b>
May 31	Cross Country
June 5	Queens Birthday
June 13	Forms 5/7 Exams
June 17	1st XV v St John's
June 25	Basketball - FDMC (Snrs)
June 30	Reports Distributed
June 30	Skiing - Spotswood/NPBHS
July 1	Basketball Regionals

July 3	Mid-Term Break
July 10	Classes Recommence
July 11	P/T Interviews
July 12	1st XV v St Augustine's
	1st XI v Wanganui HS
July 12	F5 Retreat
July 13	F6 Retreat
July 14	F7 Retreat
July 16	Mr Walsh's Farewell
July 19	1st XV v Western Heights
July 21	Founders Day
July 22	College Ball
July 31	Special Character Appraisal
Aug	Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival
Aug 1	Basketball - Inglewood HS
Aug 2	1st XV v Kelston BHS
Aug 12	1st & 2nd XV's v De La Salle
Aug 18	<b>Term II Ends</b>
Aug 20 - 25	1st XI Soccer Nationals- Napier

## Term Three

Sep 11	<b>Term III Begins</b>
Sep 13	Correspondence School Exams
Sep 18	TOPEC Form Four
Sep 30	Rugby League - Tara R.L.
Oct 12	Forms 5/7 Exams
Oct 19	Volleyball NPBHS/Spots (Jnr)
Oct 20	Francis Douglas Day
Oct 23	Labour Day
Oct 29	Touch - Hawera
Nov 6 onwards	Alternate Scholarship & Public Exams
Nov 8	Form 6 Exams
Nov 10	Leavers Dinner Dance
Nov 14	Relays - St Mary's
Nov 15	Senior Prizegiving 1.30 pm
Nov 17	6FC Last Day
Nov 20	SC/UE/Scholarship Exams Begin
Nov 22	Softball/Tennis - Waitara
Nov 24	Forms 1-3 Orientation 1.30 pm
Dec 6	Junior Prizegiving 11.30 am
Dec 8	<b>Term III Ends</b>







## BOARD OF TRUSTEES



Chairman: Mr M Finnigan  
Deputy Chairman: Mr C Comber  
Secretary: Br T Peter  
Proprietor's Appointees: Br D Hawke  
Br P Lynch  
Fr D Bell

Parents Representatives: Mr P Butterworth  
Mr A Melody  
Mrs L O'Sullivan  
Mrs D Wheatley

Teachers Representative: Mr K Murphy



*Michael Normanton-Student Representative*

### STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE BOARD REPORT

Tena Koutou Kua hui hui mai nei

My appointment to the Board of Trustees as student representative for 1995 certainly provided me with a new and exciting challenge. This opportunity allowed me to take a 'behind the scenes' look at the people that maintain the smooth and efficient way in which FDMC is run. The work that each board member does and the dedication and commitment with which it is done is often overlooked by much of the school community. For this dedication and commitment, I would like to extend a vote of thanks both personally and on behalf of the students. Being a member of the board is no easy task, especially when one takes into account that many of the decisions they are compelled to make are those that affect your education, college life and its surroundings.

As Student Representative to the board I have experienced many issues and matters to do with the general running of the school. Although I have not made any astounding changes within the college, I have as my title suggests represented the students to the best of my ability, putting before the board, views of the students on certain issues and ensuring they were heard before decisions were made. This I hope, has been of benefit to the students of FDMC. I also learnt, from the mammoth piles of background material needed to be read, before each meeting, just how much ground work goes into each and every board decision ensuring that it will be a sound one. This reflects in the schools fine image and only strengthens the integrity of the spirit of Fr Francis Douglas.

1995 saw the end of term for our old board and the appointment of the members who will continue to guide and uphold the well being of the college for the next three years. My

term saw the decision for a shift to a four term year finalised. Also the addition of an alarm system to the music room, which hopefully next year will extend to cover the entire college. A review of the Strategic Plan and several other college policies along with the most contentious issue to date, whether or not the Board will opt for Directly Resourced Salaries for staff (Bulk Funding).

I would at this stage like to thank the board for their hospitality in welcoming me to my position. Special thanks must be passed on to Br Tim for his leadership and effectiveness in running the college from day to day, also for his help and guidance in my role as Student Representative. The experience has been both enriching and rewarding. It has given me an understanding about the way in which a board can be run effectively and efficiently. With this in mind I am adamant that under the current Board of Trustees and chairperson, Mr Michael Finnigan, Francis Douglas Memorial College will continue to grow and flourish within the wider Taranaki Community.

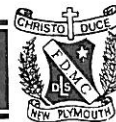
Finally I would like to thank you guys for allowing me the privilege to serve you on the Board of Trustees and I wish you all well for the future. My best wishes to the board in their future decision making and to next years representative, I hope you will gain as much from your experience as I have mine.

Ma te Atuaia koutou e tiaki e manaaki i nga wa katoa

*Michael Normanton*



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Francis Douglas Memorial College is a place where the Good News is being shared by students, staff, parents and the college community.

The College has a positive feel about it and values learnt in the home are being fostered in the school. Challenges are put before all students as to their responsibilities as Christians and Catholics and their role as students.

The staff are being challenged by the introduction of new syllabuses and the New Zealand Qualifications Framework. FDC staff are facing these challenges professionally and enthusiastically.

In accordance with the Strategic Plan 1995 has seen the introduction of Japanese as a language in the college across all Forms 1 & 2. The intention is to build the subject by degrees with a Japanese option available at Form 3 in 1996.

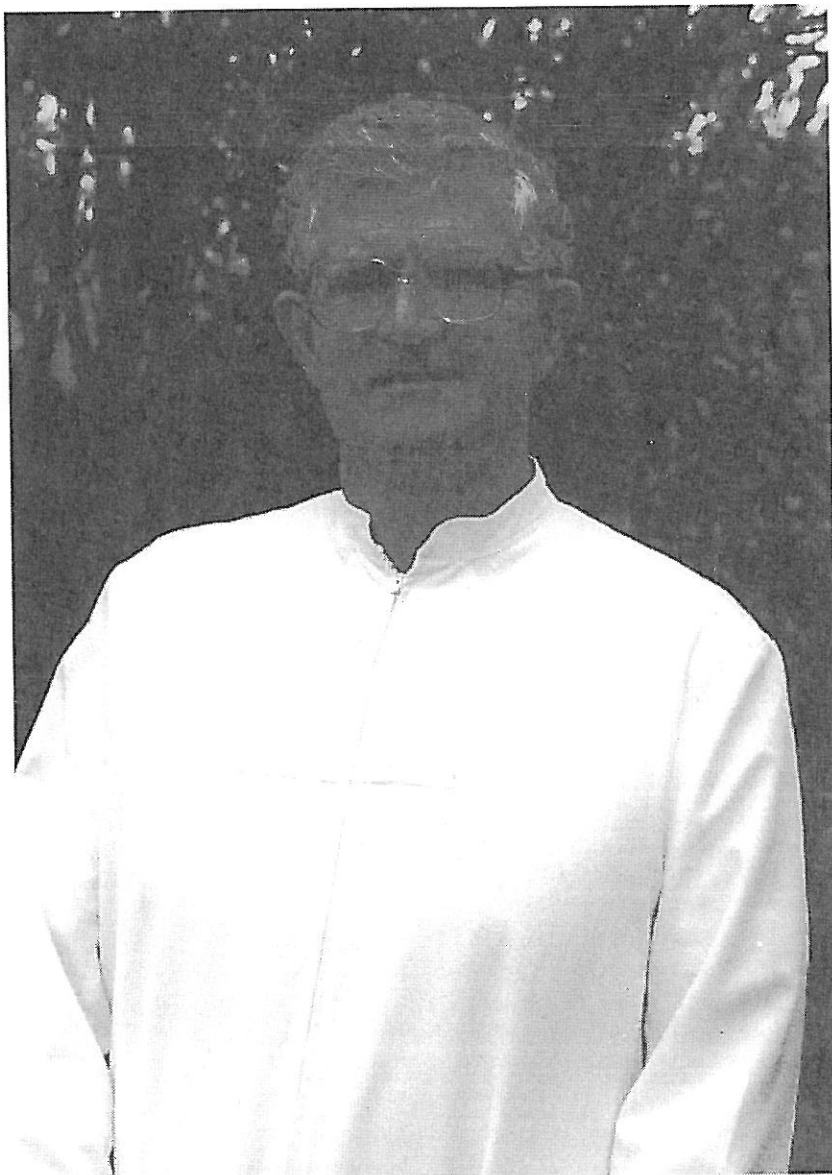
A major development thrust at senior level has been the introduction of more subjects as alternatives to the standard external exam subjects. Both English and Maths have classes at Form 7 which are for Higher School Certificate but not Bursary.

Three new subjects to be introduced at senior level have been School Certificate Performance Music, Form 5 Horticulture and Form 7 Graphics.

The College roll on March 1 figures was 512. This is an increase of 30 on the past couple of years. There are 27 full time teachers and 8 part-time teachers currently on staff. Ancillary staff number 10.

With the retirement of Mr Leo Walsh in May more staff ad-

justments were made. Mr John Whyte (Administration) and Mr Martin Dravitzki (Curriculum) were appointed the new Deputy-Principals.



Brother Anthony and Margaret Fleming are running a fine hostel. There is a very good atmosphere in the boarding hostel and the boys are happy. Staff are always looking to make the hostel feel more like home. The boys respond positively to hostel life and make it an enjoyable and vibrant place to be part of. Term Hostel Management Board meetings are held and area meetings with boarding parents are held annually.

All staff and students are encouraged to be part of the promotion of the College. Open Days are held a couple of times a year. Visits by myself and various teachers were made to local pri-

mary schools. The College is open for visits and enrolments all year.

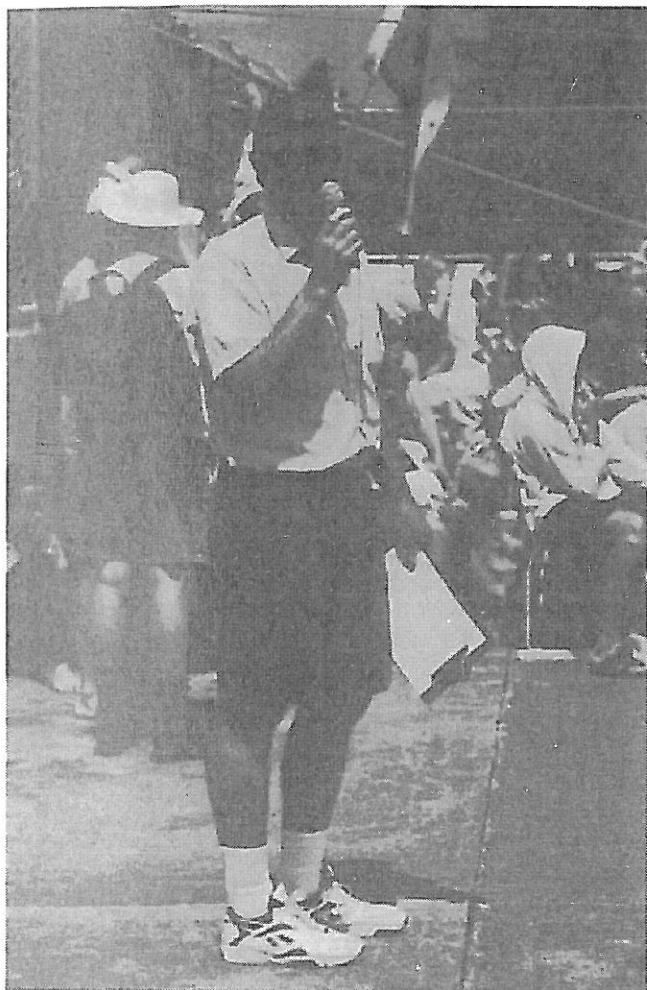
Liz O'Sullivan (Board Member) has been active in organising for Bernadette Devonport and myself to visit all Taranaki parishes. This has been a very good PR exercise and will hopefully lead to more students. Many parents have been involved in the promotion of the College as well.

At present there are six brothers in the Brothers' Community - Mark, William, Tim, Anthony, Oliver and Gregory. We all acknowledge the contribution made to the beautification of the College by Brother Oliver and Brother Gregory.





## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



The school speech finals held annually are proving to be a great success. The talent and standard have been excellent. The annual O'Shea Shield competition is proving to be a popular event as well. The College was well represented by students and the results were very encouraging.

The College cultural review in October is now three years old. The two evenings attracted large audiences. The individual items music, speaking, theatre sports, song and dance proved an entertaining and rewarding evening for all.

There are three bands in the College - concert, jazz and pop. Many students learn private music at the College. Students provide musical backing for College successes and also entertainment at the College Gala Day and other functions.

During this year nearly all staff have taken part in professional development. A number of staff are completing courses extra-murally. New syllabuses in Maths, English and Science have meant the staff in these subject areas have attended meetings on a regular basis. Three staff members have completed training courses as Support Teachers. Two staff members have trained to be consultants in technology.

Last year's examination results saw the recent standards of the College maintained. The percentage gaining a 'C' or better in School Certificate (61%) remained above the national average. (57%). Of the 12 School Certificate subjects nine recorded improved performances relative to the national mean.

The Bursary results were pleasing in that five Scholarships were achieved in the 9 'A' Bursaries - our highest for some time. There were 8 'B' Bursaries.

In sport, one of the encouraging signs in the school is the large number of students who participate in sport and the support that comes from staff and parents. College teams and individuals do extremely well in competitions winning our share and more.

The Strategic Plan Committee has put together a draft plan for the next 5 years. This document enables the College to set realistic goals and will be a valuable working document for all concerned with the College.

Francis Douglas together with Sacred Heart combine to be ministers at a monthly Mass in St Joseph's Parish. This has proved to be a worthwhile exercise and enables the colleges to be part of the parish in a formal way.

I believe all staff are responsible for the positiveness of Francis Douglas College. Staff sensitivity and professionalism are vital for good things to happen and I wish to thank staff for their support and encouragement.

Thanks to students for their willingness to do their best for themselves, their families and the College.

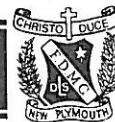
The College parent support is encouraging and loyal and I thank parents for their contribution. I thank the PTA for their tremendous enthusiasm and energy in backing the College.

Special thanks to the Board of Trustees for their guidance and support and for their willingness to see the College adapt to changes positively. I believe the College is in good heart, there is a good feeling among staff and students and parents and I am sure the challenges which face us will be met positively.

Finally I would like to pay special tribute to Mr Leo Walsh, DP, who retired in May. Leo has been associated with the College in some way since the College began 36 years ago. Over that time as coach, teacher and administrator he has always given much of himself. He has been loyal and I am sure those who have come in contact with him have always been impressed by him as a person and I'm sure his advice and guidance to many of us will always be remembered.



# STAFF



## SENIOR ADMINISTRATION

Br Tim Peter FSC	BA, B Ed, Dip Law, TTC	Principal
Mr Leo Walsh JP, CFM	TTC	Retired May
Mr John Whyte	Dip Guid/Couns, TTC	Deputy Principal
Mr Martin Dravitzki	B.Sc	Deputy Principal

## HEADS OF DEPARTMENT

Mr Richard Marris	MA (Hons), LTCL, AIRMT, Dip Teach	HOD English
Mr Kevin Murphy	BSc (Hons), Nat. Teach Dip	HOD Science
Mr Graeme Mustchin	M Ed Admin (Hons), BA, Dip Arts (Rel St), Dip Pub Speak, CFLE	HOD Mathematics
Mr Lindsay McMorran	BA, Dip Teach.	HOD Social Sciences
Br Mark McKeon	BEd, Grad.Dip. RE, Dip.Teach	DRS Form 4 Dean
Mr Richard Doherty	MEd (Hons), Dip Ed	HOD Intermediate
Mr Alastair Wells	ATC, HTC, Dip Teach, Dip DEAFED	HOD Technology

## SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Mr Peter Costello	Dip Guid/Couns, CFLE, TTC	Guidance Counsellor
Mr Graham Blanks	BA, Dip Teach	Careers Advisor Form 7 Dean
Mr John George	TTC	Sports Coordinator Form 3 Dean
Mr Peter Smith	Dip. Phys Ed, Dip Teach	Form 5 Dean Trans. Coordinator
Mrs Deborah Keenan	B Sc, Dip Teach	Junior Mx Coordinator
Fr David Monaghan		Form 6 Dean
Mrs Margaret Milne	Dip Teach	College Chaplain
Mrs Elyne Semenoff	TTC	Junior English Coordinator
		Junior Science Coordinator

## TEACHING STAFF

Mr Phil D'Ath	Adv. T.C. (Carp), Dip Teach, CFLE	Technology
Mrs Freda Dowd	TTC	Special Needs
Mrs Alex Edwards	Dip Media St. TTC	English Media
Mr David Hardyment	Dip Teach, ATC (Boilermaking)	Art/Craft
Br William Harnett	Dip Teach	Agriculture
Br Anthony Hawkins	B.Ed, Dip Teach	Boarding Master, English
Mr Wayne Kibby	BA, Dip Ed Stud, Dip Teach	English
Mr Poobalan Maistry	B Com, Dip Pr. Ed.	Economics/Accounting
Mr Andrew Murray	BA Dip Teach	Intermediate H Room, English
Mr Brendan O'Neill	TC (Joinery)	Link/Technology
Mrs Tessa Parke	BA Dip Teach	Japanese
Mrs Vijaya Paul	M.Sc, B.Ed.	Science
Mrs Margaret Ryan	ATCL, LTCL, TTC	Intermediate H Room, English
Mrs Colleen Severinsen	B.Sc (Hons), Dip Teach	Science
Mr Andrew Sorensen	BA, B.Soc Sc (Hons), Dip Teach	Intermediate H Room
Mrs Heather Smith	BA, Dip Soc Sc, Dip Teach	French
Mrs Yvone Van Lent	TTC	Music
Mrs Jacqui Whibley	NZCS	Lab Technician





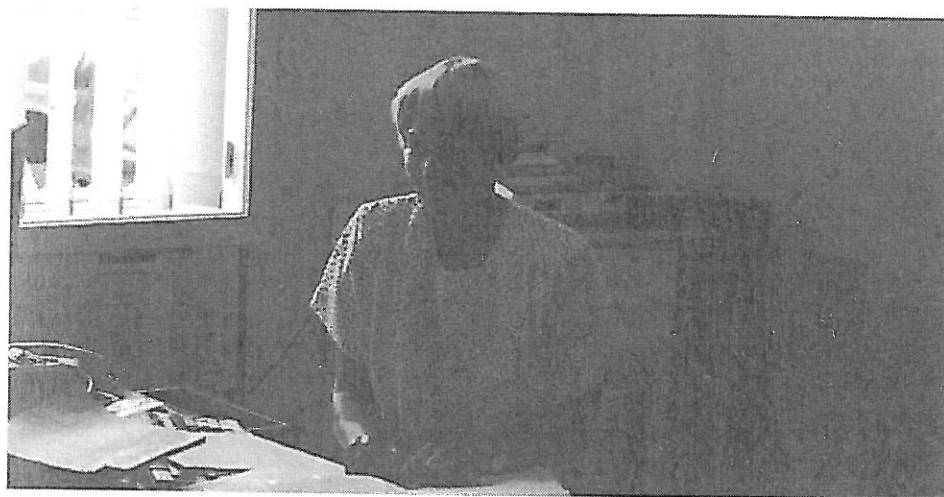
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Mrs Tess Gaffney  
Mrs Ketha Haase  
Mrs Margaret Hobson  
Mrs Jean Keegan  
Mrs Karen Maclean            TCB  
Mrs Jean Reed

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Administration Manager  
Secretary  
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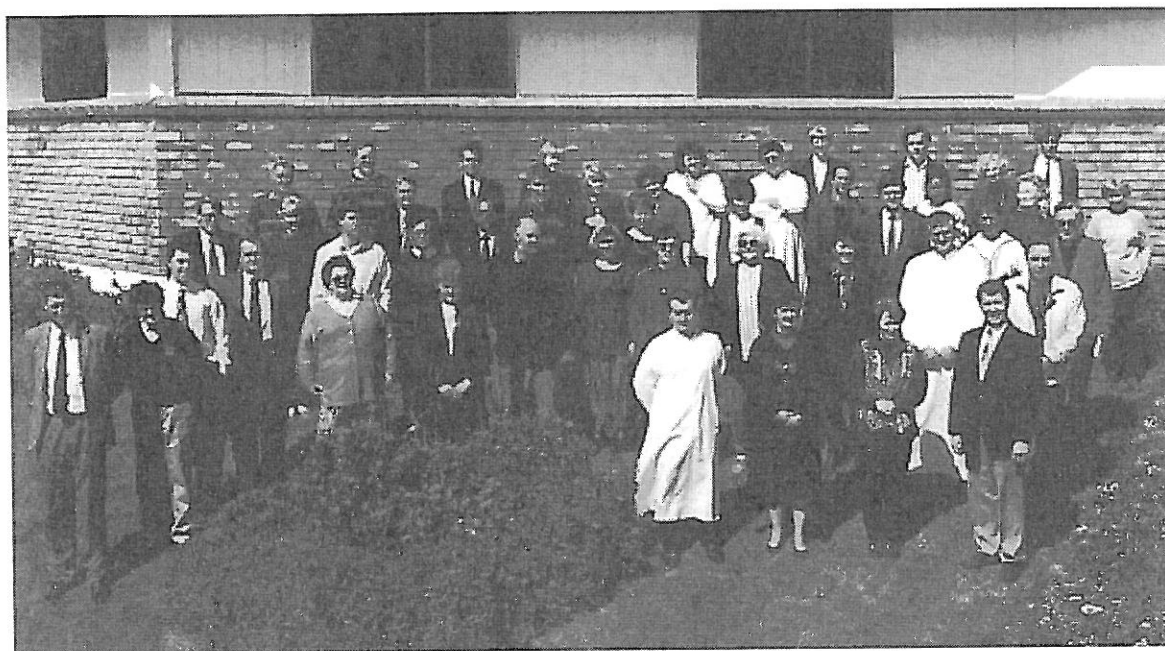
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Mr Fred Fenwick

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Caretaker  
Maintenance





# STAFF



As the staff assembled in the January heat 1995 promised to be a great year and it has certainly turned out that way.

We welcomed on board the team David Hardyment, to play in the paint pots, Leona Mazengarb, to "parlez francais" with the linguistically minded, and Tessa Parke to "konnichiwa" in a different tongue. Unfortunately Leona had later to leave us and we brought on board Heather "Alliance" Smith who infiltrated the stirring belligerence of The Marseillaise into the hallowed halls of Francis Douglas College.

From last year we knew that changes were to take place in the downstairs powerhouse and sure enough after many, many years of valiant service and interminable farewells, which went on long after he left, Leo Walsh departed Francis Douglas College to enjoy a well deserved retirement. This necessitated some swapping around in the powerhouses with John Whyte moving to powerhouse 2 and Martin Dravitzki to powerhouse 3, offices into which they appear to have fitted with relative ease.

Peter Hill has had a year on leave to do multifarious things in the art world. We hear on the grapevine some of this may have been achieved on the mountain. The rest of the staff working in their warm classrooms repent for the times that they have sent Ces to the mountains with ski teams and the burden this has been. In 1995 we imposed this on Peter Smith who notably achieved it with body intact.

Talking of body intact it seems that Jacqui "I can highland fling" Whibley was seen to practise her dance skills on the way to the Irish night recently. Apparently leg parts are still

being put back together and the proceeds of this year's social fund are likely to be used to provide further dancing lessons to enhance Jacqui's entry into next year's event.

Congratulations this year go to Graham Blanks, and wife Lee, the only ones on staff to have done anything towards the future survival of our school, in the birth of their son. Graham also laid claim to fame as he led an intrepid band of teachers on an Internet familiarisation course at Taranaki Polytechnic. Shock, horror! The pictures he was able to bring up on screen had a very distinctive blue tinge!

Many staff during the year have sojourned in foreign lands. Some staff have even crossed from our island neighbour to come and broaden their horizons and enhance their learning here. Most of them we are still working on before we return them to their place of origin. Richard Marris and Lindsay McMorran enjoyed a stay at Narooma in New South Wales - such an "arduous" course made them realise how great it was to be teaching in New Zealand. Lindsay has now spent two consecutive years on staff - surely a dangerous precedent for one so used to being on leave. Brother Tim and Margaret Hobson spent time recently in Australia. While they were away the office ladies staged a coup. An intercepted fax shows they had everything under control and informed Brother Tim they'd run out of cheques, they were closing school early and the wine was flowing. Just shows how quickly the place can go to rack and ruin when our leader is away.

Other staff who have travelled over the past year include Kevin Murphy to South Africa, Andrew Murray to Australia and Peter Smith to the United States. Poobalan Maistry is off to Lon-



## STAFF



don for Christmas forsaking our wonderful Taranaki summer.

At the end of this year we say farewell to our car park attendant, Brendan O'Neill. Lots of people will miss the many things Brendan has done around the place over the last 24 years. We wish him a long and happy retirement. We also farewell Elyne Semenoff after many years on the staff. She will be greatly missed in the Science Department and the loss of her dulcet tones around the basketball courts will be hard to replace. Alastair Wells goes networking away from FDC next year as he goes on line with Massey University helping schools with moves into the technological age. Obviously someone forgot to tell him that 2 years in one school was not enough.

Special staff awards this year go to :

1) Karen "just watch me run" McLean who hot sprinted around the half marathon course in near record time.

2) Alex "I've lost my car" Edwards who left her car in Patea for three weeks and forgot where it was. If you ever see a fawn Toyota, Registration number ...

3) Alastair "techno whizz" Wells for gaining so much national publicity that a local MP had to come and check him out. Hopefully he's now learnt his lesson that teachers must not compete with MP's for publicity.

4) Margaret "I'm getting married" Ryan as she gets married in the school chapel on December 16th. All the best Margaret.

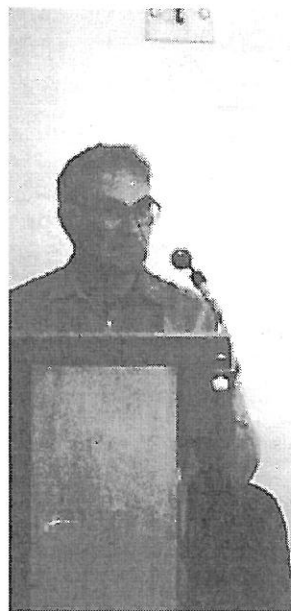
Well this was the year that was and these are some of our people. To some we say farewell, to others next year 1996 is a year that promises new students, some new teachers, a four term year and no doubt other delights which as yet we know not of.



### FAREWELL BRENDAN O'NEILL

This community acknowledges Brendan O'Neill's very dedicated service and contribution to Francis Douglas Memorial College. Brendan retires after twenty three years as a most

valuable staff member. He joined this community in 1972 and quickly established himself as a talented and devoted educator. Brendan has, at all times, enthused and encouraged students to reach their full potential in all their College academic and associated activities and endeavours.



Brendan will be recalled with fondness by all closely associated with him in his capacity as the woodwork teacher. He has not always enjoyed the luxury of the present technology suite. Great numbers will recall the frustrations of working in the basement under the noisy gymnasium floor.

Brendan suffered this major problem for very many years but because of his gentle manner, was able to still encourage students to learn from his vast practical expertise.

His total understanding of the need to support students in their recreational activities was always evident. He readily offered his coaching expertise to all age levels. His dedicated expertise will be fondly recalled by his First Fifteens and other rugby and cricket teams.

Brendan has a great pride in this College and certainly has made a very substantial contribution to the community growth. All members of the College wish Brendan a happy retirement with his wife, Patsy, and family. It is well deserved and we hope it is thoroughly enjoyable.







# STUDENT



For those of us in the 7th form an era at Francis Douglas Memorial College is about to close. This era is the end of the illustrious class of '95. Some started in '88 whilst the rest, me included, joined and completed the team as the 1990 3rd Form.

This year started for Tim and I with an unforgettably memorable experience - the trip with 26 others to Narooma, NSW, Australia, for the De La Salle leadership training seminar. The friends we made and experience we gained I believe have helped us in our respective roles right through the year.

One of the challenges of the year has been the setting up of the school council. This is beginning to achieve what I hoped it would, and with continued input from those concerned will be a valuable avenue to promote the thoughts, ideas and concerns of the school through an organised forum. I would thank Mr Marris for helping us to set up and run the council.

In the sports scene it has been another successful year for the college. 6 rugby teams made it through to the finals day including the 1st, 2nd and 3rd XV's. The 1st, 3rd, C1 D1 and E1 teams won their respective competitions. The 1st XV had a particularly successful season losing only one college game and making it through to the semi final of the northern regions 1st XV's knockout competition against Kelston Boy's High from Auckland. Kelston went on to win the overall NZ tournament.

The basketball teams also had a successful year with the senior A side doing particularly well, winning the Taranaki champs, the northern zone tournament and premier reserve grade final. A big thanks to Mrs Plumb for her efforts in organising the basketball.

During the May holidays the senior A and 1st XV travelled to the South Island. Both teams did very well with the 1st XV beating St Andrews, St Kevins and Ashburton College. The Senior A too beat Christchurch Boy's High, St Andrews, St Kevins, losing only one game.

The first X1 cricket team this year finished 2nd in its competition and showed skill and flare in the games they played. Thanks to Mr Murray for the time he puts in to running the cricket in the school.

The first X1 soccer team finished 3rd in their Taranaki com-

petition and in the August holidays travelled to Napier for the national tournament.

Thanks to Mr Mustchin for the time he spends organising soccer in the school.

The hockey, ski and wrestling teams competed with success and determination in their respective competitions and events. The wrestling team had a particularly successful year finishing 2nd in Taranaki and 6th in New Zealand.

A considerable amount of the success we have achieved can be attributed to the input of staff members giving their time to coach and support the various teams. Their time and effort is appreciated by all participating.

During the year the college swimming, athletic and crosscountry competitions were held and once again proved to be highlights of the college calendar. A big thanks to Mr George for his input and organisation of these events.

On the cultural side we experienced a successful O'Shea Shield, Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival, music debating and speech competitions. A very special thanks to Ms Van Lent, Mrs Gaffney, Mr Mustchin, Mr Marris, Mr McMorran and Mrs Ryan for their input into this important aspect of the college.

The year also saw the reintroduction of school retreats. These proved to be worthwhile and an interesting experience for those who took part. A big thanks to Br Mark for co-ordinating these.

We again experienced a most enjoyable and full social calendar. The ball was tremendous due largely to the unstinting input of Michael Normanton and the social committee.

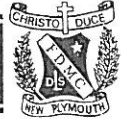
And so to the big thankyou's. First and foremost to Brother Tim for his advice and support in what was to be a rewarding and fulfilling year. His wisdom and foresight as leader of the college serves it well. To Mr Blanks as 7th form Dean thank you for your help and support.

This report would not be complete without mentioning the input and camaraderie of house captains Sean, Daniel, Kelly and Marcus and the deputies, Joe, Tim, Mathew and Heath respectively. Without their efforts many of the sporting events would not have been the success that they were. A special





# LEADERS



mention and thanks to the support I had from Tim.

And so to a final reflection of our time at Francis Douglas Memorial College. The last five years bring back memories and highlights that will stay with us for many years. We as a group started with 86 in the 3rd form. We are now down to 52 die hards. As we go our separate ways and make new friends, in years to come, I know that the special friendships

that we've built up will always be there and I am sure through the years to come we will meet and remember with affection the time we spent at Francis Douglas Memorial College.

I wish everyone, all the best in whatever the future holds for them as we the 7th form walk out the gates for the last time  
*Mark Butterworth.*

As the 1995 school year draws to a close, it is time for me to reflect on my last year at Francis Douglas Memorial College and my year as College Vice Captain.

At this stage I should thank my parents for sending me to this reputable school - my Dad is an old boy and is still proud to be associated with Francis Douglas.

I feel humble to have been selected as College Vice Captain and hope that I have led my fellow students by example.

I consider myself fortunate in being able to travel to Narooma NSW in February together with College Captain and good friend Mark Butterworth, to attend the Lasallian Leadership Course. I would like to acknowledge my grateful thanks to Brother Tim Peter for ensuring Mark and I were able to avail ourselves of this 'trip of a lifetime'.

I must stress to the younger students at College that not all of us can be academics, musicians or artists. God gave each of us a talent to use - use it wisely. Rugby has played a very important part in my college life and I hope that what I have achieved on and off the field no matter how insignificant in

my 7 years at school, has helped in increasing awareness in the community of our school as a true sporting College.



I would like to take this opportunity of thanking my past rugby coaches, especially Brother Lawrence King, Mr John George and Mr Martin Dravitzki for the faith they placed in me. Francis Douglas has instilled certain qualities in each and everyone of us. For me personally to love, care and share, to be humble in triumph and gracious in defeat are the qualities I now carry with me.

To my fellow 7th formers, thank you for the good times together and for your support.

Special thanks to Mark Butterworth for making my role as College Vice Captain an easier task. I wish you all success in your chosen careers.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity of thanking the Francis Douglas Memorial College community for their support. Also thanks to my Mum and Dad for their valuable support throughout the year. I wish the College well for the future and one day look forward to returning to you.

*Tim Stuck.*



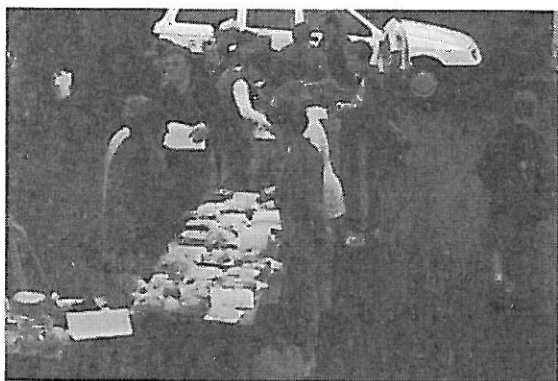


## P.T.A.



The P.T.A.'s Autumn Gala Festival held on 8 April was a very successful and enjoyable day raising approximately \$10500.

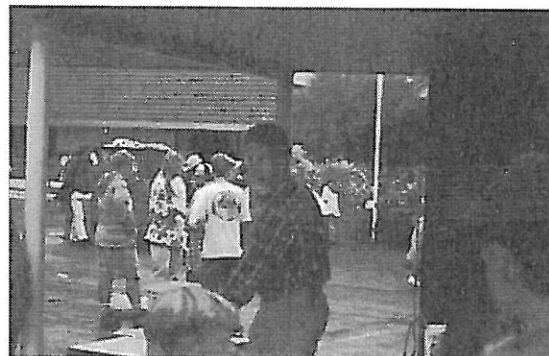
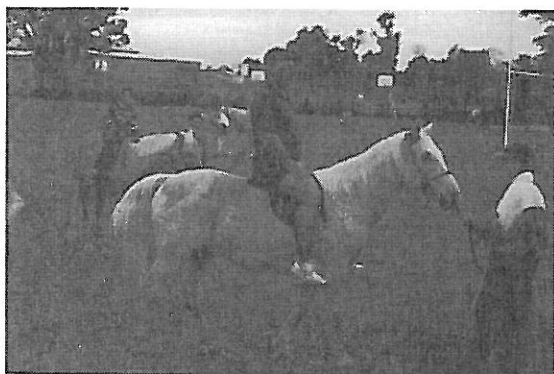
Leen Bolyn has been our convenor for the past two Autumn Festivals. He has put many hours and a terrific amount of hard work into making the festivals enjoyable and successful. Leen's idea when taking over as convenor was to expand on the Gala Day as a fundraiser only. He wanted to make the Gala into an enjoyable event for the families of not only the college but the wider community as well. By providing entertainment and further stalls and activities, he hoped we had something for everyone to come along and enjoy.



To ensure a successful day, planning and organising begin months beforehand. The P.T.A. Committee canvas for as much sponsorship as we can get by approaching business, families of the College and friends. We are very grateful for the constant support and generosity of people willing to help by either donation and/or time.

The couple of weeks before the Festival are really hectic with the donations coming into school thick and fast. Br. Tim, School Staff, Students and Caretakers are a great help with getting all the donations sorted out.

By the time the Committee arrives at school on the Festival morning, Lonnie Ward and his band of helpers already have the hangi down for lunch.



It is still raining (even though Liz O'Sullivan had left her St. Joseph statue outside the night before, which was supposed to guarantee a fine day!!) There was an anxious hour of jiggling stalls from under the gym to inside the gym, many thanks to the boarders who helped. St Joseph must have worked because at 10 o'clock the sun came out. There were some busy moments, but eventually the stalls were all shifted outside.

We had a wonderful day, the wheel sellers sold heaps, there were lots of stalls and food and the entertainment and music created a marvellous atmosphere.



The P.T.A. would like to thank everyone who helped toward the festival. Without your support it would not be possible. My thanks to the Committee for the many hours of hard work you have contributed.

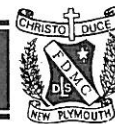
We all look forward to seeing you next year.

*Margaret Bowling.*





# NAROOMA



Since taking over as principal, Br Tim has sought to enhance the links between Francis Douglas College and the other colleges in Australia and New Zealand. One successful way in which this is being done is through the conference centre and retreat facility situated at Narooma, on the south coast of New South Wales.

The facility is based at a motel on the Pacific Highway owned by the de la Salle brothers and operated commercially but used for several weeks of the year for conferences and retreats for the brothers and the lay staff in the schools. In recent times a key emphasis of the brothers has been on the concept of "partnership" with lay associates of the order as a means of furthering the ideals of the founder, St Jean Baptiste de la Salle, a French priest who began a network of schools for poor children in France in the seventeenth century.

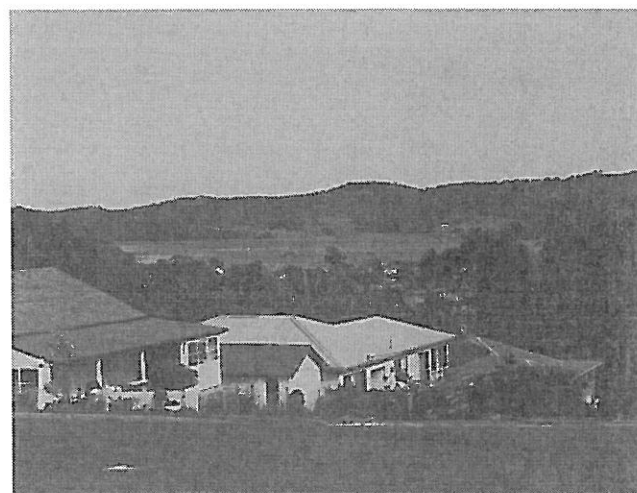
The Narooma centre was established as a means of developing the partnership between the brothers and the lay staff in the schools. Every year retreats and conferences are conducted among groups of staff and students to help increase awareness in the schools of the links between the colleges.

This year Richard Marris and Lindsay McMorran attended a 5-day management seminar for departmental heads. Other staff to have attended similar seminars in previous years are John Whyte, Martin Dravitzki, Graeme Mustchin and Kevin Murphy.

A seminar was held this year for office staff in the colleges. This was attended by Jean Keegan.

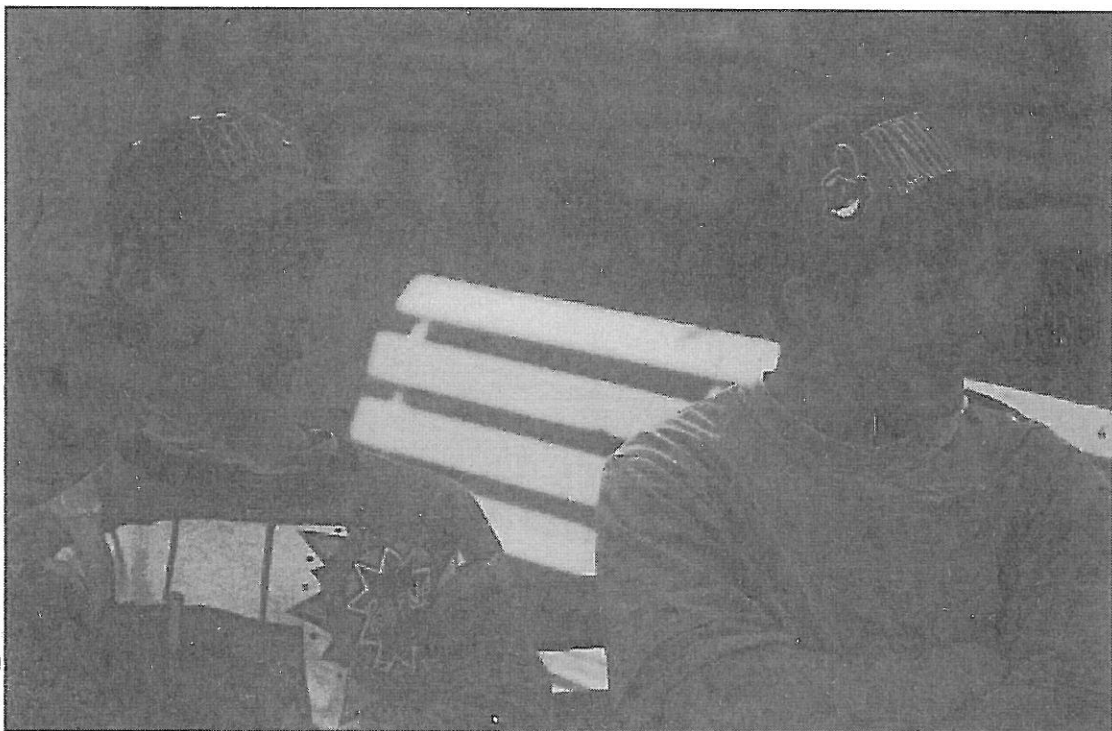
In addition there is an annual retreat for the head pupils of the de la Salle colleges throughout the region. This year, Mark Butterworth and Tim Stuck were our representatives.

Other staff have also had opportunity to undertake professional development in Australia. Brother Tim and Margaret Hobson attended a Principals' and Bursars' Conference in Surfers Paradise in October for Lasallian institutions. The conference topics included the Lasallian tradition and Shared Mission., Development and Marketing, Programme Maintenance, Insurance Issues and Risk Management, Lease Financing, Boards and Incorporation, Policies and Debt Collection. They also had the opportunity to visit several Lasallian Colleges to observe their organisation and systems, and to visit the "Kids Help Line" and "Link-up" programmes which are run by Boystown in Queensland.



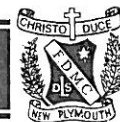


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# HOUSE REPORTS



## BENILDUS HOUSE REPORT

1995 once again saw the grit and determination of a unified Benildus House, bent on putting up a challenge for every sporting contest. Although sadly we lost a long hold on the swimming trophy to a valiant Loreto House, credit must be given to our boys who fought to the bitter end and went down honourably. Still determined to do well, the green machine battled boldly for some recognition in the athletic arena - and did so, but had to give respect to the impressive 'flying reds'.

Many individual performances were also the highlight of our year with Ben Gillum displaying his skill in organising the athletics and cross country aspects while also providing a great example by winning every long-distance event the school put up to challenge him. A mention must also go to Marcus Smith, our valiant captain who led by example in all competitions and has the respect of all the Benildus House who tried to copy his success. Brad Coogan must also be noted as he epitomised the true Benildus spirit and almost led a dedicated House rugby team into virtual stardom.

Thanks to Mr Blanks for his support and co-ordination in maintaining a well-oiled Green Machine. Thanks to all the fellow Benildus Seniors for their aid in running this unit, and congratulations to the whole Benildus House on a fine year, especially those who gained recognition for their sporting achievements. Good luck to you all in the future.

*Heath Smith*

*Benildus Vice Captain*



## "SWING LOW, SWEET LA SALLE COMING FORTH TO WIN THE SWIMMING SPORTS"

What a sound when a range of harmonies from falsetto to tenor scream this in the sweltering heat of the swimming sports. La Salle was undoubtedly the most vocal and buoyant house there, who enjoyed themselves regardless of the result!! Nobody really cares who wins - it's all about who enjoys themselves the most, that was my motto and we stuck to it.

At the start of the year I had tactics worked out on how La Salle would become the top house. In the swimming I told the boys to give the other houses a head start, then we'll slaughter them. But La Salle being the kind and giving house that it is forgot to stop being the nice guys and took out a close fought 4th, but very close to 3rd.

Next up, the athletics - La Salle prides itself on their Athleticism. Early on in the week leading up to the athletics, I walked out of the 7th form common room and the sky opened up, a beam shone on me and a deep voice said "Sean my son, I'm calling you to come forth!" He obviously didn't have much faith in La Salle, because we came a commendable 3rd. Another great effort by the boys, but once again lady luck wasn't on our side. However, we did take out the two most prestigious events on the sports days, the Senior 4 x 100m relay in a blistering pool in the 40's and also the 4 x 50 freestyle.

A short hibernation in the second term meant that La Salle would come out with all cylinders firing for the House Rugby. The one chance of the year for La Salle to bask in its true glory. After getting to the final with relative ease we were up against pretty tough opponents. The mighty "Reds" had 7 1st XV players, with practically the 1st XV backline, whereas we were left with a winger and myself, a lock with an identity crisis!! It was a hard fought game but we took out a respectable 2nd.

So far my report has been dominated by sporting achievements, but La Salle is very cultural and has a lot of Academics right through the ranks. A huge thanks must go to Joe "Moose" Crawford who was my deputy, who left in the 3rd term for greener pastures and greener bank notes!! To the other captains Dan, Kelly, Marcus and Heath I hope you guys enjoyed your chance as house leaders as much as I did.

Mr Phil D'Ath played a huge role in the running of the house, so an extended thankyou goes out to him as well as Mr George. Organising sports days are by no means easy, so thankyou!! But the biggest thankyou goes to my La Salle house, whose constant support has been great throughout the year. You're a great bunch of guys and I wish you luck for the future years. Hopefully you'll keep the La Sallian spirit going. Cheers!

*Sean Spurdle*





# HOUSE REPORTS



## LORETO

Losing has come somewhat a house tradition for Loreto House in the seven years I have been at school. That is until this year, the year of the Blues - 1995.

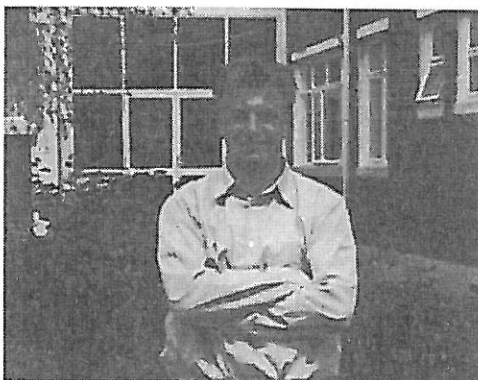
Obviously, after years of watching the sinister, evil and malicious reds, greens and yellows beat us in almost every event, we had had enough. And we fought!

The "Mighty Blues" began the year with a triumphant, well-deserved win over the somewhat pathetic Benildus in the swimming sports, but I have to admit it was fairly close. This victory can be accredited to the students and their attitudes. Participation was excellent and we worked as a team, brought together well by the senior students. Particular mention can be made of some stars, including Simon and Luke McDonald and also to some hopeful future heroes such as Jim Gollan, Simon Deaken and Peter Coppen.

Next up was Athletics, which I knew was definitely a weak point. But my pessimistic viewpoint turned out to be wrong. After a day out in the sun, we ended up being placed second, to Solomon House. I am sure that we will win in the next few years with the likes of John Whittington, Josh Shanley, Nathan Mouat, Kyle Kettle and Michael Melody, who all put in gallant efforts in their events. But again, our placing must be accredited to our participation which never fails to be brilliant!

The cross country was yet again taken out by "The Blues". Although we were up against tough competition with the likes of Ben Gillum from Benildus, our participation again drew us through, to destroy the lesser competition. House rugby was not as successful. Although we had the strongest forward pack in the competition, with the likes of Graeme Keinzley, Mark Butterworth and Greg Gibbons, we somewhat lacked the needed skills in the backs (although we did have brilliant wingers). Unfortunately we lost both games, but the pride and faith in the Loreto house was ever present! Overall, we had a year to remember. As for my job, it couldn't have been easier, especially with the help I got from Simon MacDonald, Simon Foley, Michael Normanton and Ian Utiger. Also a big thank you must go to Mr George who organised everything so well and also thanks to the absent Loreto Vice Captain Mathew Phillips, who was a big help. I will look back on the task I was given of captaining Loreto fondly and wish them the best of luck for the future.

*Kelly Ryan*



## SOLOMON

Solomon had yet another successful year in all aspects of the College life. The entire house joined together and showed the grit, determination, flare, pride and enthusiasm that all Solomon Houses have possessed in the past.

Like every year our weakest event arrived first - the swimming sports. In many cases our swimmers hit the water first, but that was about as far as it went. But being the battlers we are, giving up was never an issue and a respectable third was

achieved with fine performances from the junior contingent of the house, especially the likes of James Saville, Eric Menefy and the Fraser brothers. I think Solomon will be a force to be reckoned with, in years to come.

The exceptional Athletic record was once again maintained. Athletics is the interhouse competition which continues to be our strong point, where all our participants excel themselves. Through my absence the House Vice Captain, Tim Stuck, did most of the organisation, and by the sounds, the entire house should be commended on the way they participated and competed.

The cross country was disappointing this year, with not nearly enough competitors from the senior levels. The students that did compete though, showed the Solomon "never give up" spirit, and should be applauded for their efforts.

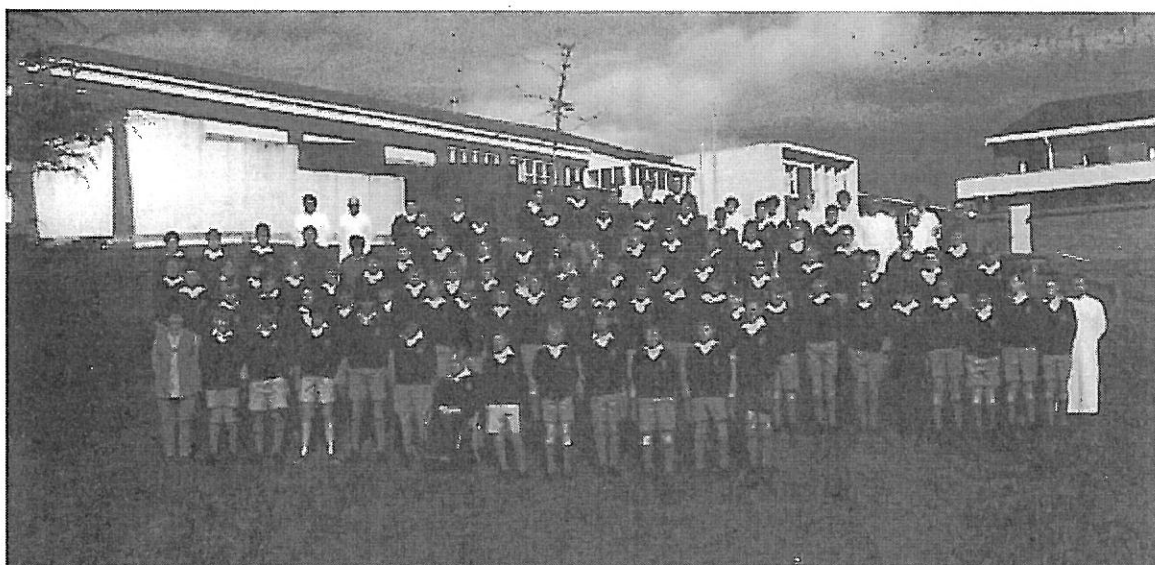
The next interhouse event was the house Rugby competition. This was a chance for the old crusaders of the house to show the younger school members, the Solomon spirit. A victory was the only result that would do justice to the calibre of the team. Success was gained and the outstanding record of recent years was left intact. All four houses competed valiantly, but the Solomon talent withstood and absorbed the pressure admirably.

I would now like to thank the entire house for their support they have given me throughout the year, and congratulate them in their efforts in every school activity that they have contributed, whether it was cultural, sporting or academic. I would also like to thank the five vertical form teachers, Mr McMorran, Mr Wells, Mr Murphy, Mrs Ryan and Br Mark, for their assistance. Finally, I'd like to thank the other house leaders, Sean Spurdle, Kelly Ryan and Marcus and Heath Smith for the tough competition they put forward in all events.

*Daniel Hancock*



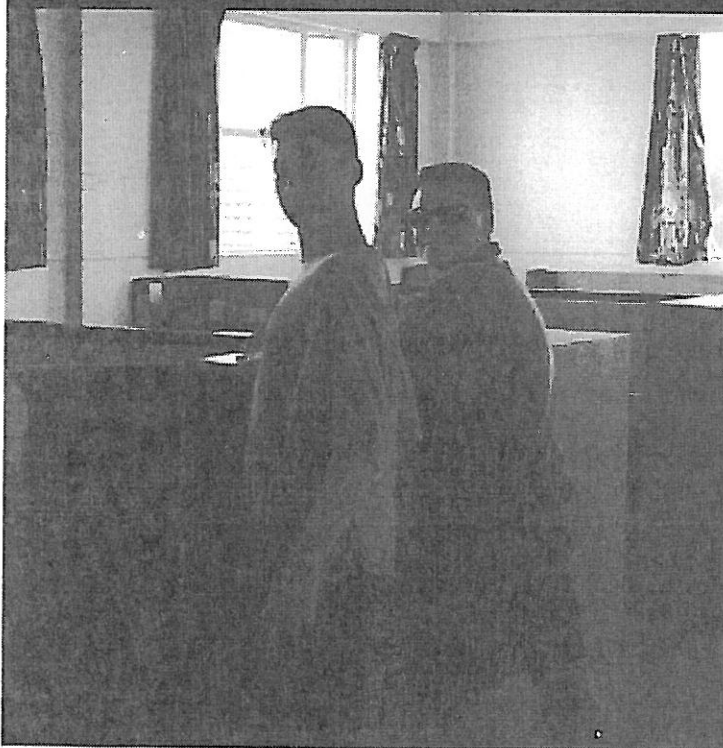
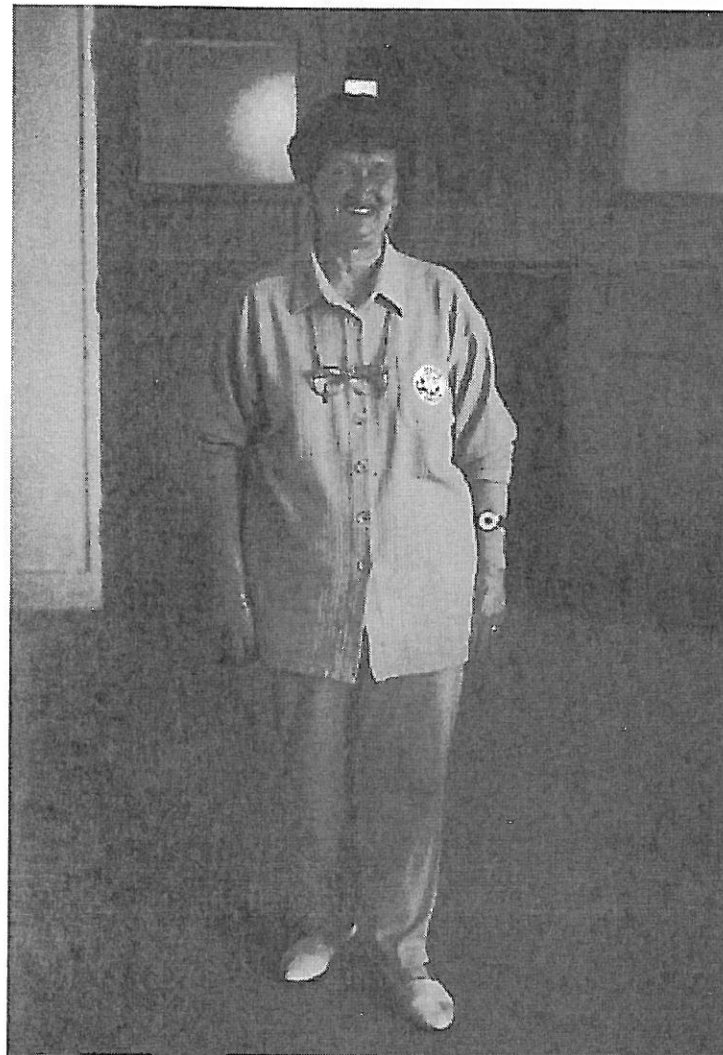
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Another school year is drawing to a close and with it another group of 7th Formers are about to leave. We started as a large group of apprehensive 3rd Formers in 1991 and finished as a close knit group of 7th Formers. Over this period we have developed friendships that will last a lifetime. The experiences that we have had will stand us in good stead for the future.

During the course of the year we have enjoyed some very pleasurable social exchanges with Sacred Heart College and St Marys. Thanks to Brother Anthony for his input in arranging these events and for the never ceasing care and attention he has for the hostel and the boys in it. His guidance and leadership have made the hostel a home away from home.

The hostel has again shown how important it is to the school, providing numerous leadership roles to the College community. Members of our group were seen in the O'Shea Shield Team, 1st and 2nd XV's, Senior A Basketball, 1st XI Cricket and 1st XI Soccer. We have had so many involved in so many different sporting, cultural and extra-curricular activities it would take too long to list everybody individually. Suffice to

say that all are to be congratulated for their performances during the year.

During the course of the year the hostel has seen the upgrading of the computers available for our use. We have seen refurbishment in many areas with the carpet being placed on the walls of the stairwells and new curtains in the 7th Form area.

This report would not be complete without expressing a very deep and warm thank you to our Matron, Mrs Fleming. Her dedication and unstinting concern for the well-being of us all is one of the big pluses of hostel life. Thanks also must go to the kitchen staff, cleaners, laundry ladies, the supervisors and also the brothers. Without them we would have many difficulties. They do so much for us yet get so little in return.

The experience of boarding has given me and the others in the 7th Form five unforgettable years. I am sure we will always look back on these years with fondness and also with a deep sense of pride.

*By Mark Butterworth*



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Front Row: M. Butterworth (Boarder's Captain),  
G. Brennan, J. Faull, J. Kaiser.

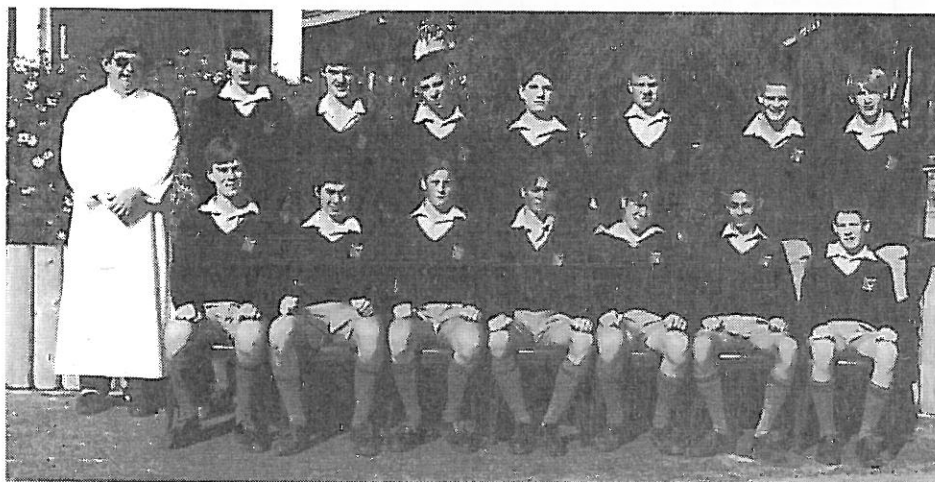
Hostel Form 6:

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M. Stronge, I. Tolja,  
B. Iremonger, N. Hocken.  
Front Row: J. Plunkett, P. Lawn,  
M. Lawn, J. Gollan, R. Carr.





# HOSTEL



Hostel Form 5:

Back Row: Br. Anthony, N. Death,  
C. Morresey, A. Roberts,  
S. Kalin, C. Walker,  
S. Drought, H. Butler.

Front Row: B. Luscombe,  
J. Sinclair, K. Carey,  
S. Crawford, M. Reid,  
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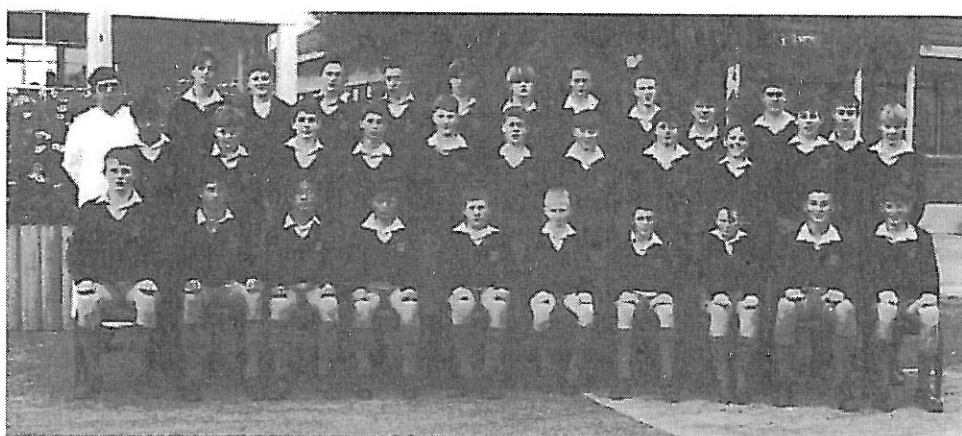
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Back Row: D. Beatson,

J. Stevenson, J. Glasgow,  
K. Fife, B. Bourke,  
M. Lawn, J. Mahoney,  
R. Watt,

Center Row: M. Reck, Q. Werder,  
S. O'Sullivan, E. Meneffy,  
A. Dudley, A. Rowlands,  
J. H. Quin, R. McDonald,  
M. Drought, J. Hurley,

Front Row: Br. Anthony,  
S. Lynskey, B. Thomson,  
M. Geater, V. Bhana,  
N. Carter, C. Snook,  
G. Collins.



Hostel Form 3:

Back Row: Br. Anthony, O Harvey, I. Daly, B. Wood, J. Isaac, J. Parsons, D. Gollan, D. Mullan, R. Brophy, H. Coombe,  
J. Iremonger, D. Hawkins,

Centre Row: J. Bhana, N. Orchard, A. Kalin, M. Gopperth, H. Gopperth, S. McCullum, R. Williams, D. Murphy, M. McDavitt,  
N. Hurley, P. Anderson,

Front Row: J. Whittington, P. Pattison, M. Soonthorswad, S. Gregory-Hunt, T. Carr, H. Murray, G. Clegg, D. Goodwell,  
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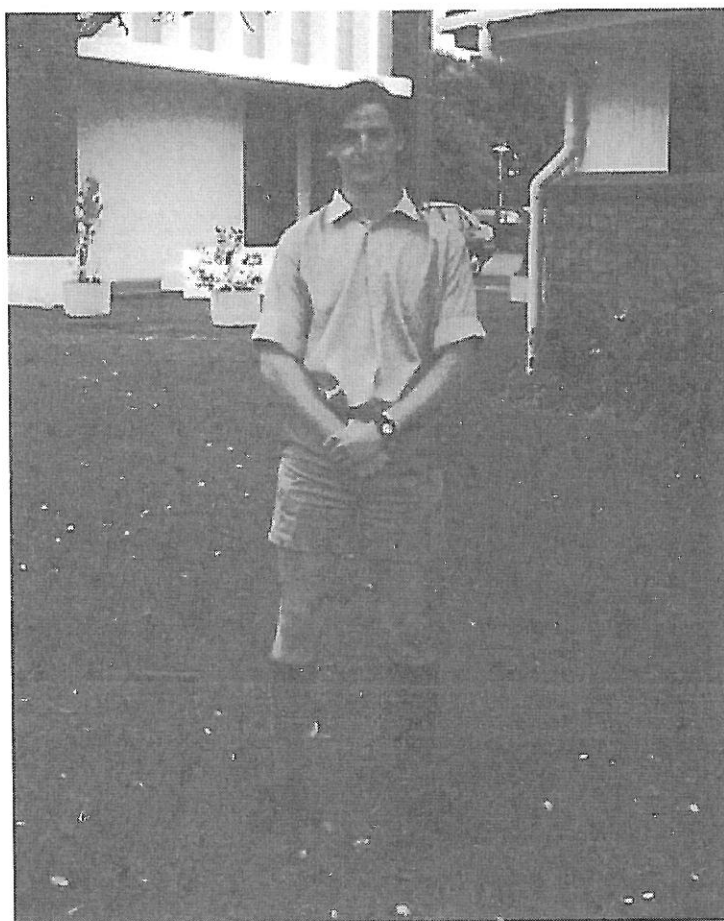
# EXCHANGE

# STUDENTS



Simon Hancox attended our school from May to September of this year. He was an Australian from a small town of only 6000 people so he found New Plymouth a "big city". Simon enjoyed meeting new people and taking part in new experiences. He arrived as a soccer player but left as a rugby player - only took a short time to convert him. Simon had never skied before but loved the mountain. He loved every minute in the snow. Simon came from a town on the coast so surfing had been his main pastime. He made friends easily and has very fond memories of his time at FDMC even if he did find the all boys environment rather strange to begin with.

I'm an AFS exchange student from Argentina. I'm 17 years old. I've been in New Zealand during 1995. I came to Francis Douglas College and did the 7th Form. I chose to do 5 subjects. They were Geography, History, Graphics, Computers and HSC English. I changed to Bursary English in the middle of the year. New Zealand is quite different compared to Argentina. The first things that surprised me was how hilly it is here, but the main difference is the time you do things. In Argentina we have dinner at 9.00 pm or 9.30 pm. I didn't understand, when I first arrived, how did you eat so early - I always have dinner at night not during the evening. The parties here are also different - people don't usually dance and the par-



ties finish too early in weekends. In Argentina you go out to dance about 1.00 am and come back 6.00 or 6.30 am.

Though there are many differences between New Zealand and Argentina, I really like this country. I've been in many different places during this year - Auckland, Tauranga, Rotorua, Hamilton, Taupo, Wellington, Christchurch, Dunedin and many other places and I think that New Zealand is a beautiful country and have wonderful people. I really enjoyed this year at Francis Douglas and I hope I can come back to New Plymouth some day.

*Martin Kitzroser*





## OVERSEAS



### ROBBIE MALIN IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY

I never thought I'd be writing for the FDMC school magazine two years after graduating but stranger things have happened I guess, and a lot of water has passed under the bridge since that golden day, or perhaps under the hull of a US Navy warship would be a more appropriate analogy.

Since leaving FDMC in 1993 and subsequently leaving the country altogether in February 1994 I travelled to the United States of America with one goal in mind - to join the Fighting Blue Jackets. Being an American citizen through my father (who some might know as an occasional reliever at FDC) gave me the opportunity to join this vast fighting force which promised me adventure, travel and a firm start in a harsh world. Thirty thousand dollars was thrown in to sweeten the deal and I signed on the dotted line. The adventure began.

The first three months of my navy



career was spent at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Illinois. Here I was taught the meaning of discipline, respect and team work.

After graduating I received orders to my first command, the USS Detroit Aoe04, an Emory class Fast Attack Replenishment ship stationed at Earle Weapons Station, Earle New Jersey.

Two months after reporting aboard, we left on a 6 month Mediterranean deployment which was extended to the Arabian Gulf. We visited such interesting countries as Israel, Turkey, Greece, Italy, Spain and selected parts of the United Arab Emirates. We transited the Suez Canal in 32 hours and steamed past the Rock of Gibraltar, and spent many weeks in the Adriatic Sea while detached with NATO off the Bosnian Coast.

We arrived back in American waters around March this year and underwent an extensive shipyard period in Chester, Philadelphia. It was here that I left ship on new orders.

Over the last two years I have been trying to become a navy draughtsman, which I recently achieved, and I received new orders to a Submarine Tender, home ported in the Island of Guam.

I am currently on transfer leave and eagerly anticipating my new role on the USS Frank Cable, but for now I'll settle for the comforts of home; a real bed, home cooking and dry land.

For anyone who is thinking of joining the military, go ahead and do it. The places you'll visit, the people you'll meet and the experiences you'll have will be totally worthwhile and treasured for years to come.





# SCHOOL COUNCIL



Student Council: Back Row: Mr. R Marris, M. Sullivan, D. Manu, J. Gollan.

Centre Row: P. Crackroft-Wilson, O. Kirk, H Butler, S. Kirk, A. Roberts, J. Stevenson, C. Smith.

Front Row: D. Waite, L. Mustchin, S. Ball, M. Normanton, C. Holdswich, J. Tamarapa.

In the latter part of this year it was decided to set up a student council with the aim of giving the students an opportunity to bring forward ideas on the ways in which the school functions and what they would like to see happening. It would also provide an opportunity for the student representative on the Board of Trustees to feedback information on the Board and also to receive ideas to take to the Board in the future.

Michael Normanton, this year's student representative on the Board of Trustees, gave much of the impetus to getting the council up and running.

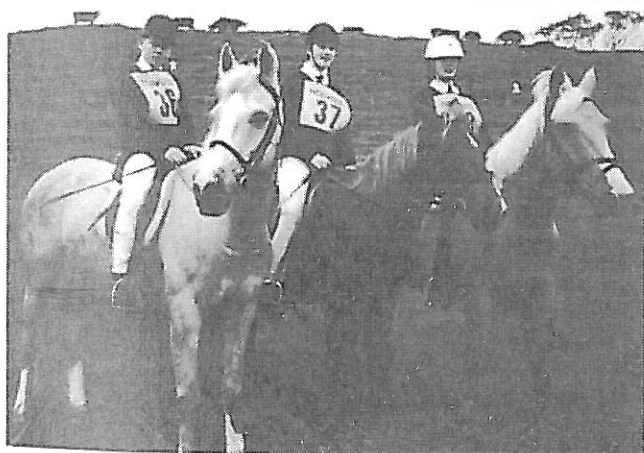
Each student level from Form 1 through to Form 7 elected representatives and we met as a group several times over

lunchtime. Mark Butterworth was elected as chairperson and Kelly Ryan as secretary.

Although we didn't achieve much this year a start has been made. The council has begun looking at issues like representative badges for students representing the school in sporting and cultural activities, mufti-days for charity and contacts with our sister school, Sacred Heart.

Hopefully next year's group will be able to continue on and build the student council into a strong body for airing student views.

*R. Marris.*



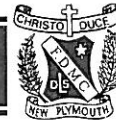
## EQUESTRIAN TEAM

Ryan McDonald and his FDMC Equestrian Team photographed at the Taranaki Secondary Schools Championships held on Ryan's family farm.

The horses have been bred and trained at the College by Br William.



# COLLEGE BALL



The annual combined Francis Douglas, Sacred Heart College Senior Ball has been a tradition for many years. This traditional formal occasion is one of great importance to students, as for many it is the first opportunity to experience a formal gathering, the type of which we attend more regularly in later life. It was decided that this years theme would be based around the Hollywood stars that have adorned our movie screens over time. In the past our College Balls have been a complete success and this years was no exception!

As for the guys all we have to worry about is everything else. We have to pay for all the tickets, the corsages, the meal (most times partners pay for themselves), the tuxedos and getting our dates from point A to Point B, especially if its raining outside and one's date gets wet and really rather agitated.

A select few were chosen at the beginning of the year to form the Social Committee. These were the people who organised our Ball this year and for those that helped we are grateful. Also we would like to make special mention and pass on our



The Ball is a time of the year that many Sixth and Seventh Formers get really stressed out. It is a time of Tuxedos and Ball gowns, Limo's and Corsages, where parents are proud to see their children taking a step towards the real world. It almost seems in some cases, that the parents get more enlightenment with all the fuss going on than we do.

For most of the Sixth Form and Seventh form this is a new experience, and can be a frightening one. Most of us don't exactly know what to do. Some don't know how to dance or even sometimes how to act at a formal function such as this.

The girls have the pleasure of worrying about getting the ball gown ready in time. This can sometimes cause friction between the couple as they bicker about colour matching and so on.

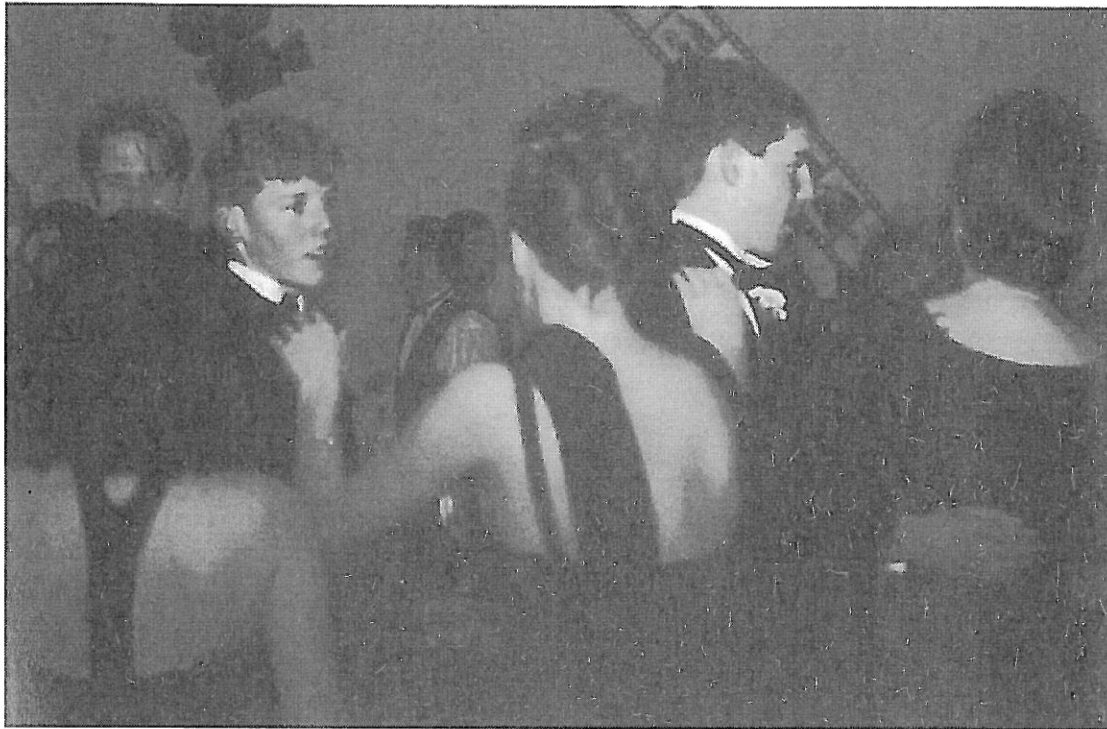
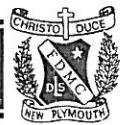
thanks to those who weren't even obliged to help out but did. We were working to a very tight schedule. It was so tight that some decorations were completed merely hours before the main event.







# COLLEGE BALL



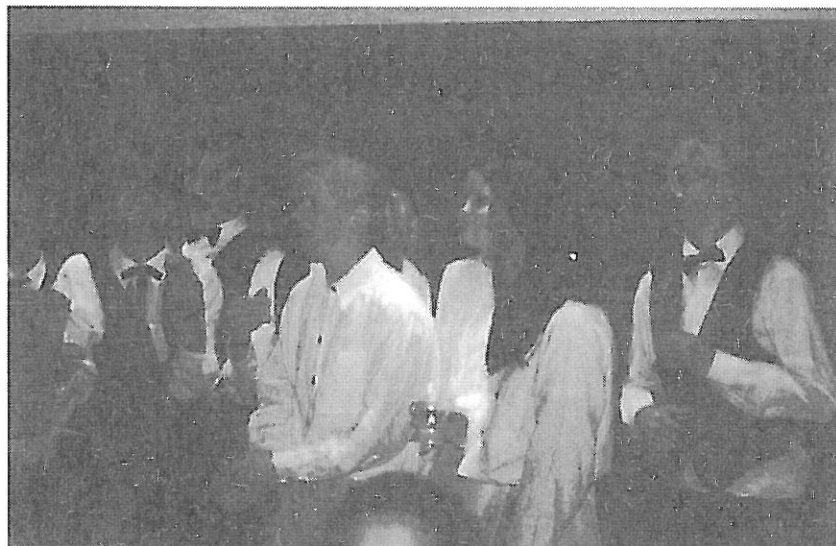
Dancing posed a problem for those who didn't know how to. The dance lessons were organised by someone on the Social Committee. There was a rather large turn out to these, which posed another problem because space was a limiting factor.

The main event approached and everyone was in a fuss ensuring that all the small details were taken care of. Meanwhile a fuss and a meal later, there seemed to be an extremely large crowd of dressed up youths waiting at the Westpoint Complex as the doors to the Francis Douglas and Sacred Heart Ball opened and the contents of a highly decorated Regency Room were unveiled. Limo's were arriving and people looked mighty glamorous, truly Hollywood stars.

The guys went in and found their seats, while the girls went off to cluck about their dresses. The MC for the night, Mr Mustchin, welcomed us all and announced the dances. Photos of all the lovely boys and girls were taken in a separate room from the main hall. The backdrop for the photos

was a large painting of the Hollywood Hills with a large stretched limousine parked in front, as the people being photographed acted out the scenario of turning out to a premiere. This all fitted in well with the 'Hollywood' theme. People danced, people mingled and all present seemed to have the time of their lives.

Overall the 1995 Senior Ball was a roaring success and a tribute to all those who spent numerous hours of their own time organising different aspects of the event. Thanks once again.





# THE CULTURAL LIFE





# SPEECH

# FINALS



The month of March sees Francis Douglas students take on a very large change in behaviour. Students who normally have normal personalities all of a sudden become sombre - their happy faces are replaced by looks of desperation as they try to come to terms with the whole idea of speech making!

The 1995 finals night held in the drama room saw 16 victims stand and deliver their speeches ranging in subject from the qualities of a politician to political correctness. Mrs Margaret Crawford and Mrs Sushila Pancha adjudicated and judged the 16 speeches and at the end of the night were faced with the extremely difficult task of choosing the winner in each of the three categories. The results were as follows:

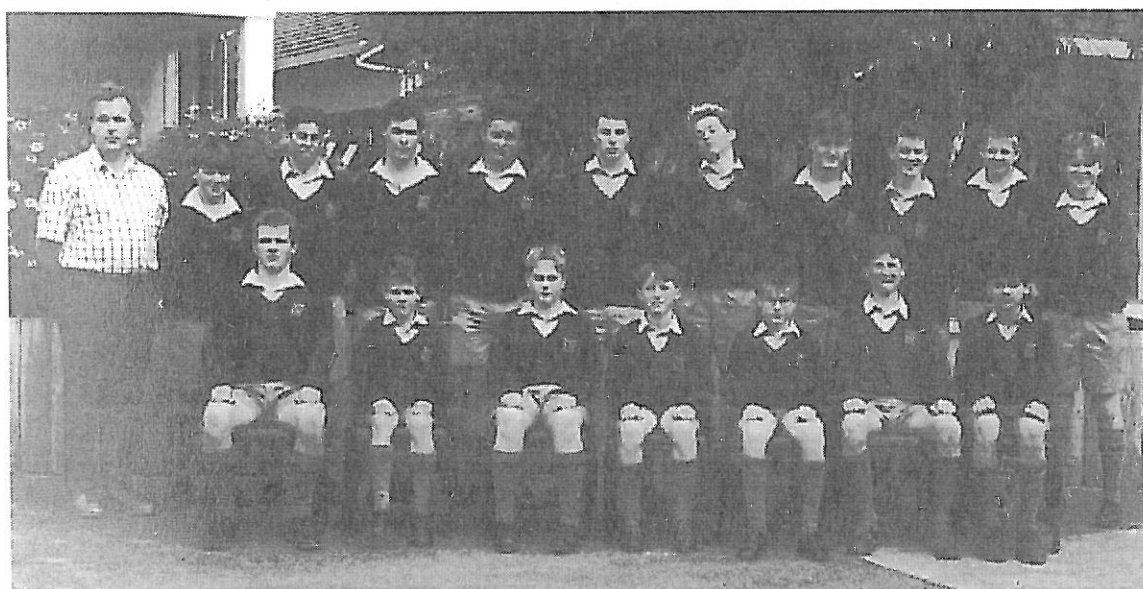
Form 1 & 2	Mark White-Robinson
Junior Section Form 3 & 4	Philip Shaw
Senior Section Forms 5-7	Mark Butterworth

The experiences and confidence gained from this part of the English curriculum will be of great benefit to students in the future. I would thank Mr Richard Marris and the other teachers in the English department for all the time spent organising and arranging not only the students but also an extremely successful and enjoyable finals night.

*Mark Butterworth*

#### Speech Winners:

Back Row: Form 3 & 4: P. Shaw,  
Forms 5, 6 & 7: M. Butterworth  
Seated: Form 1 & 2: M. White-Robinson.



Speech Finalists: Back Row: Mr. R. Marris, R. Williams, M. Butterworth, D. Gibson, M. Normanton, S. Prestney, J. Burn, N. Hessel, P. Shaw, R. McDonald, O. Kirk.  
Front Row: J. Gollan, L. Butler, A. Cleary, S. Moselen, M. White-Robinson, S. Ireland, C. Holswich.





## O'SHEA SHIELD



In the middle of the first term a group of raw, talented, young men from FDMC travelled down to Palmerston North for the annual O'Shea Shield speech and drama competition.

Spirits were high as we entered the city confident in taking out the cup, and also in Mr McMorran's driving skills, though the trip back would soon eliminate that feeling.

With the debating team consisting of Tim Stuck, Michael Normanton and myself performing outstandingly, we were off to a flyer, leading the competition after one event.

Junior prepared speaker Ryan McDonald continued in this same vein, speaking on the topic 'Am I my brother's keeper?', while the religious questions team of Heath Smith, Kelly Ryan and Josef Kaiser fended off the most difficult questions with relative ease. However, by this stage we had slipped down the leaderboard while our greatest foe, Sacred Heart, was climbing up through the rankings.

Determined to resurrect our stuttering campaign was Mark Butterworth competing in the senior oratory. A dubious decision by the judges robbed 'Butters' of a first placing but he kept the FDMC juggernaut rolling in the right direction and inspired our Drama team consisting of Sean Spurdle, William Eagar, Nick Bouterey, Joe Crawford and Jeremy Burn to great heights, dazzling the audience with their witty humour and Jerry's affro, in effect bringing the house down.

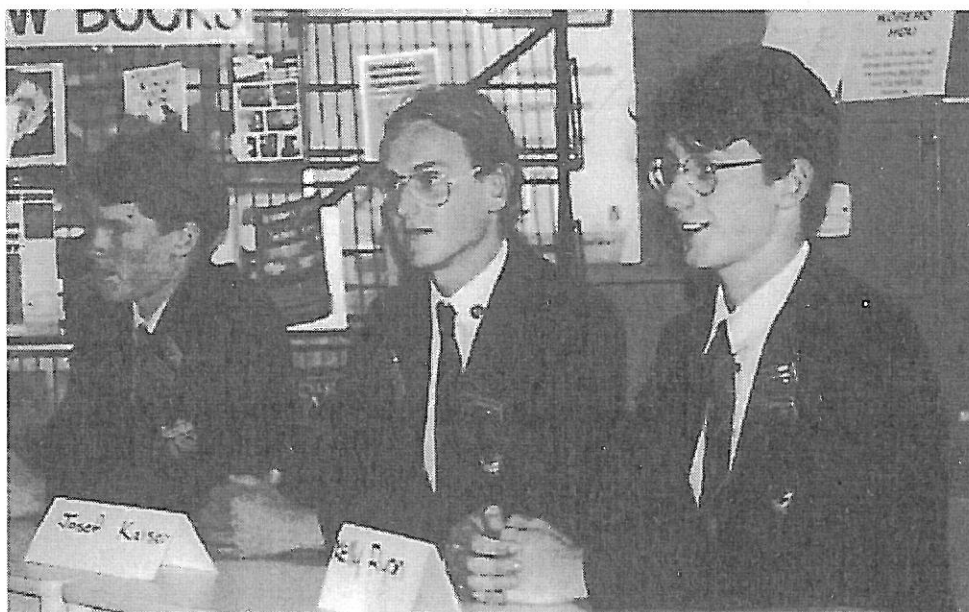
Saturday night saw us in a good position in the rankings so we teamed up with the Silverstream guys and decided to do some balcony testing at a party in the suburbs. The balcony failed.



Sunday morning began with Daniel Woodd in the scripture readings. He performed admirably but we still found ourselves behind the leaders. Enter Jono O'Sullivan competing in the impromptu speeches. A top effort was required and that's exactly what we got, as he talked and talked, astounding us with his never ending array of jokes and quotes, the only problem being he didn't say a lot about the topic, but hey, that's Jono - his topic 'My mother's a man'.

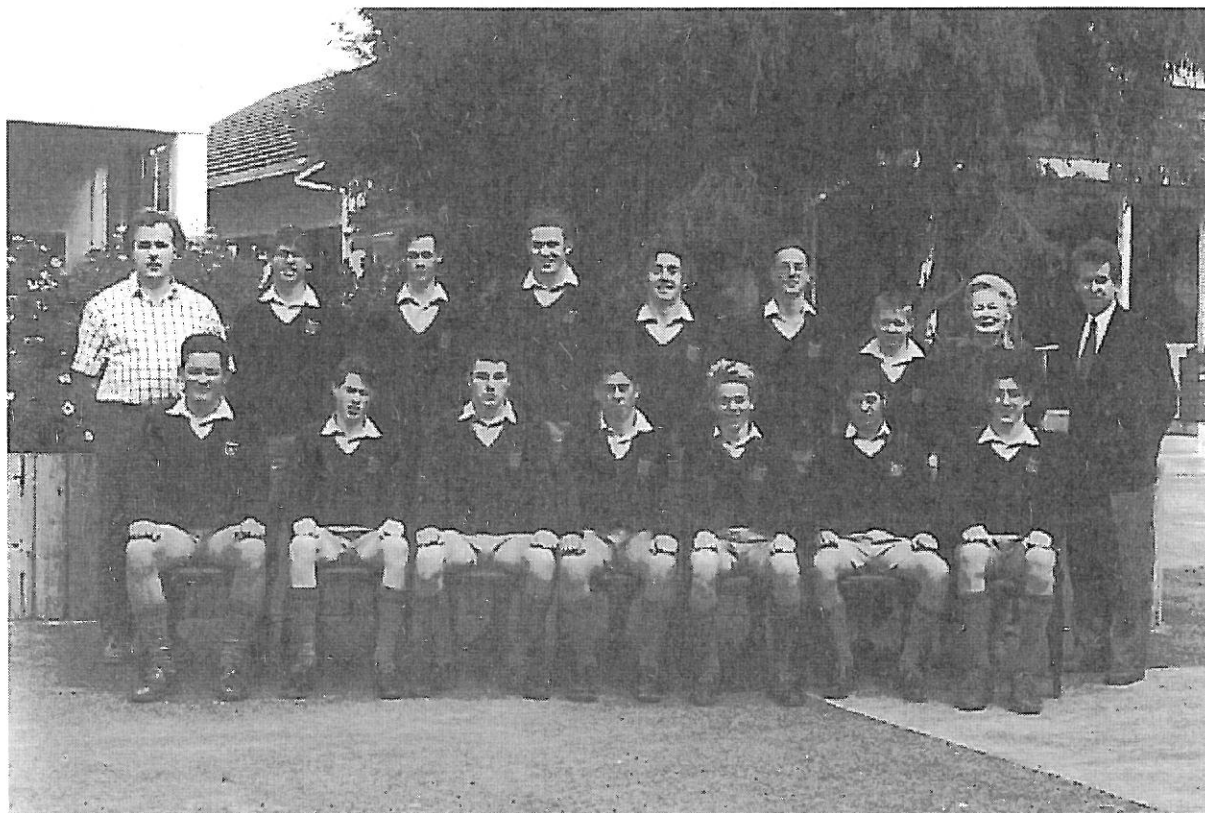
Thousands of words were spoken during the weekend with many friendships being made. All in all a great time was experienced by everyone, and even though the big prize eluded us this year, I have great faith in the team next time backed up by Mr Marris, Mr Mustchin, Mrs Gaffney, Mrs Ryan and of course Mr McMorran. With that kind of support crew behind them the boys can't go wrong, though I would advise those going next year to keep an eye on the van driver. I still can't believe we survived the trip home!

*Stephen Prestney*

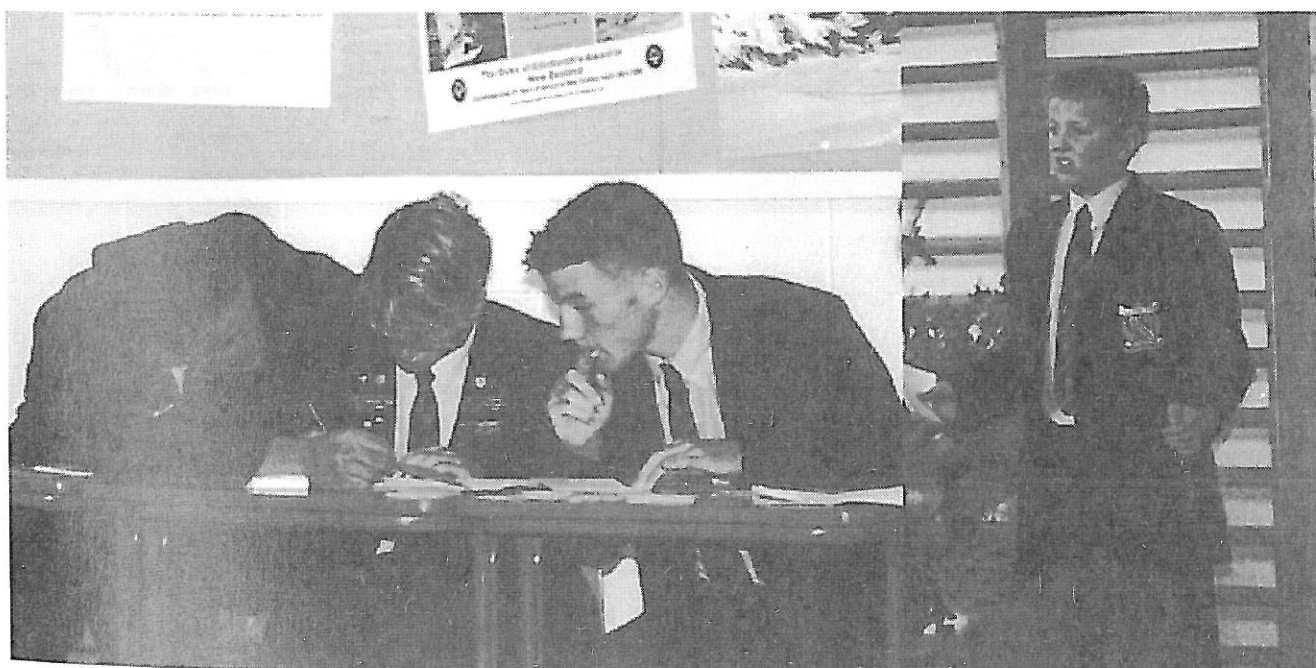




## O'SHEA SHIELD



O'Shea Shield: Back Row: Mr. R. Marris, T. Stuck, D. Woodd, S. Spurdle, J. O'Sullivan, J. Kaiser, R. McDonald, Mrs. T. Gaffney, Mr. L. McMorran.  
Front Row: M. Normanton, H. Smith, S. Prestney, M. Butterworth, J. Burn, N. Bouterey, K. Ryan.





## SPEECH & DRAMA



The Taranaki speech and drama festival was held at Spotswood college this year. We were welcomed with a powhiri performed by the Spotswood Maori Culture group.

This year proved to be most successful with a first place to the junior drama team who totally blitzed the opposition with their great rendition of "The Terrible Fate Of Humpty Dumpty".

The junior debaters performed well but were just not good enough and were beaten by St. Mary's Stratford by a mere two points.

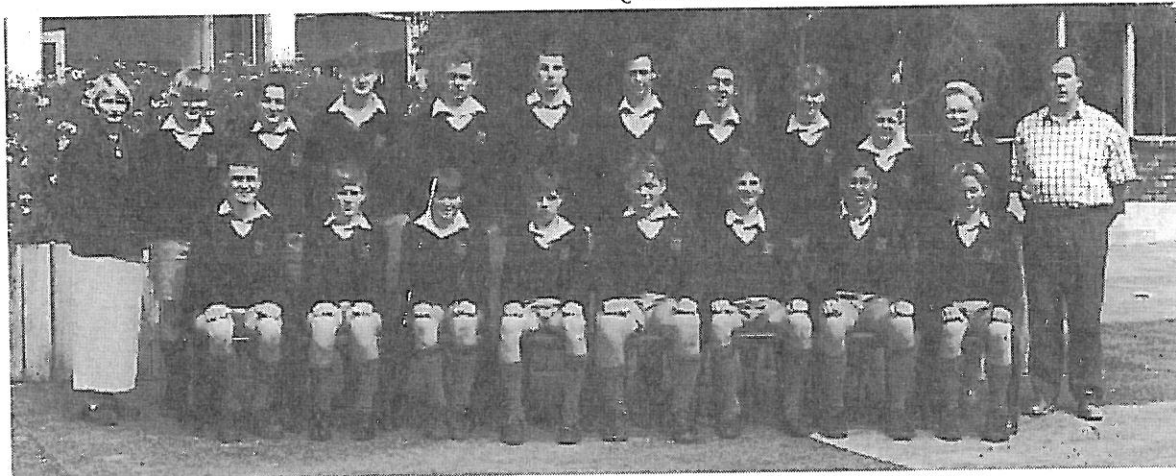
Philip Shaw put in another notable performance with his speech "War Never Solves Anything". Philip came a creditable third in the junior section. Mark Butterworth was an illustrious performer with his speech on bullying. Mark's way with words wove him into second place, narrowly beaten by some young unknown from Hawera.

The senior debaters were also victorious after almost not performing at all. In the last minute, Spotswood, being the good sports that they are, kindly lent us their senior debating team after Stratford pulled out. Wrong move. Our debaters were just too knowledgeable in their way of words for Spotswood to handle.

Junior impromptu speaker David Gollan was another who performed well after being given the topic "age". Unfortunately, the judges didn't seem to agree with my point of view, and did not even place him. And last, but certainly not least was the hard case Jono O'Sullivan (senior impromptu speaker) who as well, performed creditably after being given the strange topic "sheep".

Special thanks must be given to Mr. Mustchin who worked tirelessly with the junior drama team until they managed to get it right, and to Mrs. Milne who, somehow, actually managed to get everyone at the right place on the day.

*Nathan Hessel*



Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival:

Back Row: Mrs. Milne, D. Gollan, J. Marinovich, N. Hessel, J. Gollan, S. Prestney, D. Woodd, J. O'Sullivan, O. Kirk, R. McDonald, Mrs. T. Gaffaney, Mr. R. Marris.

Front Row: P. Shaw, P. Hodson, R. Williams, C. Smith, J. Harold, S. Ireland, M. Butterworth, S. Wilson.

### THEATRESPORTS - WHOSE LINE WAS IT ANYHOW ?

Earlier this year three students from the college participated in a theatresports season at New Plymouth's Repertory Theatre. They were Clem Mustchin, Richard Smiley and Tim Rush, and the three together with Shane made up "The Famous Five", one of the four teams presenting the show "Whose line was it anyhow?", a show based along the same lines as T.V's "Whose line is it anyway?"

The unusual thing about theatresports is that the entire act is improvised. i.e. made up on the spot, so quick-thinking is required to make the 'game' a success.

With the house being booked out on the Friday night by the College 1st XI Soccer Squad for the team's fundraising, Smiley, Mustchin and Rush delivered, proving to be most popular, and the judges scored accordingly, with the team

winning that particular evening. Everyone who saw the show enjoyed it immensely and the actors themselves also had an excellent time throughout - not only on stage but at the many rehearsals that preceded the week-long season.

*Tim Rush*







## PUBLIC

## SPEAKERS



These three students have throughout their time at school made a major contribution to Public Speaking through involvement in Speech Contests, O'Shea Shield, Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival and in many inter - school debates.



### Michael Normanton

Speech Finalist Forms 2, 4, 5, 6 & 7  
Winner of Speech Contest Forms 4 & 6  
O'Shea Shield Form 4 Junior Prepared Speech  
Form 7 Senior Debate Winner and best speaker  
Taranaki Speech & Drama Festival  
Form 4 Junior Prepared Speech - 2nd place  
Form 6 Senior Prepared Speech  
Inter-school Debating Forms 3 & 5  
Variety Show Form 6 Speech Presentation  
Special School Award for Speech & Drama Form 4



### Mark Butterworth

Speech Finalist Forms 3, 4, 6 & 7 Runner-up Forms 3, 4 & 6  
Winner of Speech Contest Form 7  
O'Shea Shield Form 3 Junior Prepared Speech  
Form 5 Debate  
Forms 6 & 7 Oratory - Placed 2nd in Form 7  
Taranaki Speech & Drama Festival  
Form 4 Junior Debate  
Form 7 Senior Prepared Speech  
Inter-school Debating Forms 3 & 7



### Stephen Prestney

Speech Finalist Forms 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7  
Winner of Speech Contest Form 2  
O'Shea Shield Forms 5, 6 & 7 Debating Winner Form 7  
Taranaki Speech & Drama Festival Forms 4 - 7 Debating  
Inter-school Debating Forms 1 - 7  
Taranaki Toastmasters Speech Contestant Forms 1 & 2

### A PASSION OF MINE

Debating focuses the mind, rivets the heart and drives people to make decisions on certain issues. That is why it is such a strong passion of mine.

As a debater for seven years, I feel I have a good background in the art of debating. However, I am still learning, still trying to understand, and will continue to do so for as long as I debate. Because some things take time, time and practice, and I would be the first to admit that I am not immune to the traps that debaters can fall into. Arguing against the opposition rather than against their argument has been my downfall on many occasions.

For many, debating is recognised as being solely based on talk, but this is far from the truth. Through my experience I know that debating is much more complex, much more difficult. It requires skills that other speech-making activities fail to use. An ability to think off the top of one's head, and then to channel

those thoughts into a logical progression of sentences, can strain the mind to new heights - heights that continually grow as one competes in more and more debates. Thoughts have to be totally focused and sometimes - I am no exception - a debater can lose his/her way and stray off the topic. That is why concentration has to be at an optimum. If a hole in the opposition's argument can be found, then it has to be ruthlessly drilled. I particularly like this area of debating as it can be very fast paced and action packed. There can be no doubt that adrenalin runs high during this point in a debate. No quarter is asked, no quarter is given.

Debating is an activity that I find irresistible. The amazing rush that I get out of a debate is indescribable. One has to feel it to believe it. To argue a certain issue or point is an extremely healthy process, and there is certainly no doubt in my mind that debating is a necessary and important part in a person understanding and realising that there are always two, and sometimes more, sides to every story.

*Stephen Prestney*

## Senior Debaters

This year a small but formidable group of students at senior level have involved themselves in inter-school debates. The first debate was at O'Shea Shield time in Palmerston North and the team of Stephen Prestney (Leader), Tim Stuck and Michael Normanton was successful in winning this debate, with Michael Normanton being judged best speaker.

The second senior debate was against Spotswood College who nobly stood in to replace a defaulting Stratford High School team. This time our team consisted of Stephen Prestney (Leader), Daniel Woodd and Jim Gollan. In affirming that cooperation is better than competition our team was victorious. Stephen Prestney was judged best speaker.

The final senior debate for the year between Sacred Heart and Francis Douglas was to resurrect the challenge that used to be run annually between the two schools but had not been held for some years. Our team consisted of Stephen Prestney, Mark Butterworth and Jeremy Burn and they debated with great feeling the motion "That the heat of passion is better than the light of reason". On this occasion the light of reason won out and the Sacred Heart girls were declared the victors by the team of adjudicators. Hopefully this challenge will become an annual event again between the two schools.

*R. Marris*



Senior Debaters:

Back row: Mr. R. Marris (Coach), M. Normanton, M. Butterworth, D. Woodd.

Front Row: T. Stuck, S. Prestney, J. Burn, J. Gollan.

## SPECIAL FORM 3 DEBATING SQUAD

This group of unsung heroes gathered for four weeks in Term 2 to prepare themselves as a group which more experienced college championship teams could debate against.

These twelve boys were schooled from scratch by Mr Kibby and were particularly keen to learn. During the time they met they improved most markedly.

While not winning their internal debates at FDMC they proved to be most worthy opposition for the championship teams from Forms 2 & 3. It is worth noting that both teams went on to achieve high honours in Secondary and Primary School Debating.

Well done special Form 3 Debating Squad!

The squad included : Scott McGregor, Joshua Honeyfield, Jason McDowall, David Gollan, Benet Hitchcock and Matthew Dimmock.

*W. Kibby*



Debating Form 3:

Back Row: D. Gollan, M. Dimmock, B. Hithcock, Mr. W. Kibby.

Front Row: J. Honeyfield, S. McGregor, J. McDowall.



# DEBATING



## FORM TWO DEBATING

The 1995 Form 2 Debating Team consisted of Mark White-Robinson as 1st speaker, Christian Holswich 2nd speaker, Luke Mustchin 3rd speaker and Louis Fernando as the reserve.

The team travelled to Okato to debate against Okato College with the topic 'That Sport is an Overrated Activity'. Winning this debate meant a month later hosting Stratford Intermediate for another debate, this time with the topic 'That Saying it is More Important than Writing it'. Another win meant debating 'That Charm and Personality are More Important than Intelligence', against Highlands Intermediate. The team lost but it was a very close finish.

Even though debating takes lots of practice, the team worked well together and enjoyed the year.

We wish to thank Mrs Ryan and Mrs Gaffney for giving up so much time to help us.

*Mark White-Robinson*



Debating Form 2:

Back Row: Mrs. T. Gaffney (Coach), L. Fernando, Mrs. M. Ryan.

Front Row: M. White-Robinson, C. Holswich, I. Mustchin.



Junior Debating: Back Row: R. McDonald, Mrs. T. Gaffney  
Front Row: O. Kirk, S. Ireland.



Debating Form 1: Back Row: B. Wackrow, Mrs. Ryan.  
Front Row: L. Butler, S. Moselen, C. Parkes.





## MUSIC



Musicians at the college have really made their mark again with some particularly fine performances throughout the year.

The rock group "Heaviside" who first got together last year have gone from strength to strength. In August the group, consisting of Rohan Hancock, Sam Kirk, Haedon Smith and Glen Ryan represented the college in Hamilton at the Smokefree Rockquest Regionals. In September they competed in the Battle of the Bands Competition in Palmerston North. The group performs its own originals and plans to record its first album this summer.

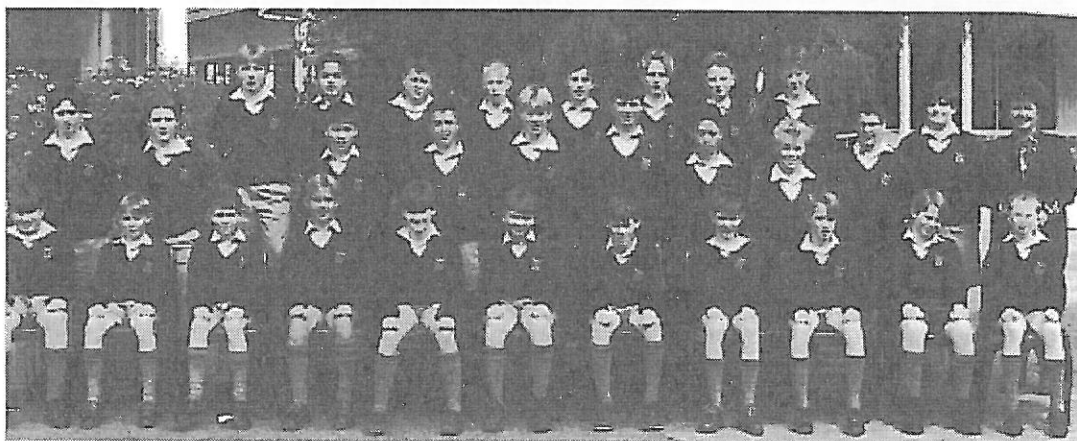
A highlight for the year occurred on the evening of the 26th. October at New Plymouth Boys high School when the band won its section of a Talent Quest against some very strong opposition. The band played an original composition "Oblivion".

The Jazz Band began the year with a brief performance at the Gala Day. Since then they have increased their repertoire and are now impressing their audiences with a very polished performance by a talented group of young men.

And as usual the music department made a strong contribution to the annual Review Concert which is reported on separately.

This has been a very busy year for music groups within the college and with so much talent evident it promises to see 1996 bursting at the seams with more music, music, music of all styles.

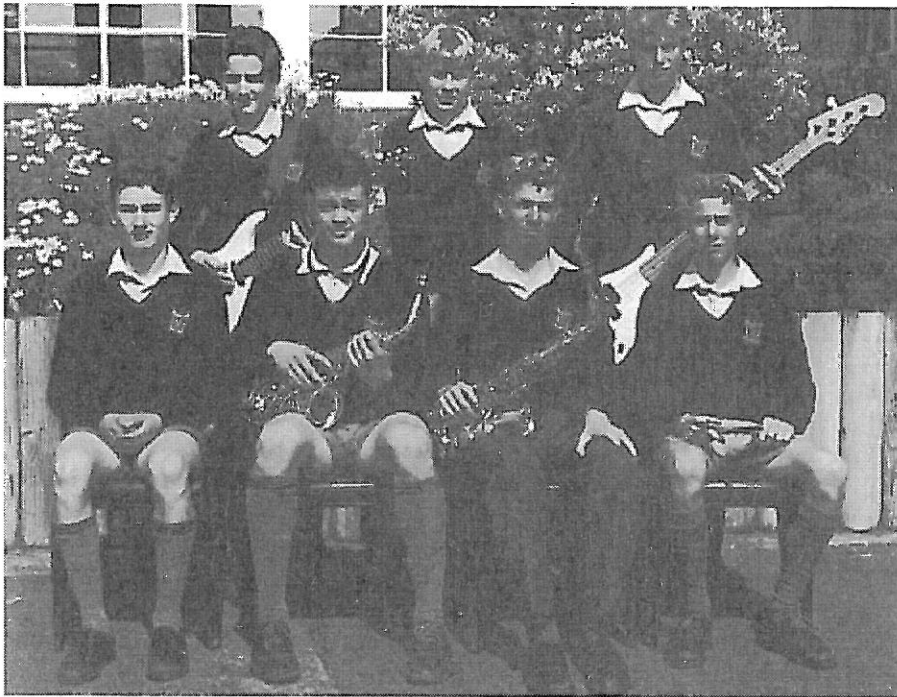
*Ms Yvonne Van Lent*



Junior Choir: Back Row: C. Jordan, J. Tamarapa, L. Maindonald, K. Cowie, C. Parkes, J. Hullah, J. Gardner, R. Klahn.  
Centre Row: S. Conaglen, D. Parr, T. Susianto, G. Farmer, K. Fraser, M. Bocock, H. deBrouwer, K. Merewether, P. Bushell, L. Mustchin, Mrs. Van Lent.  
Front Row: A. Lee, A. Blundell, L. Butler, t. Hunter, G. Williams, B. Willan, B. Rice, D. Wells, D. Waite, G. Taylor, W. Lehrke.

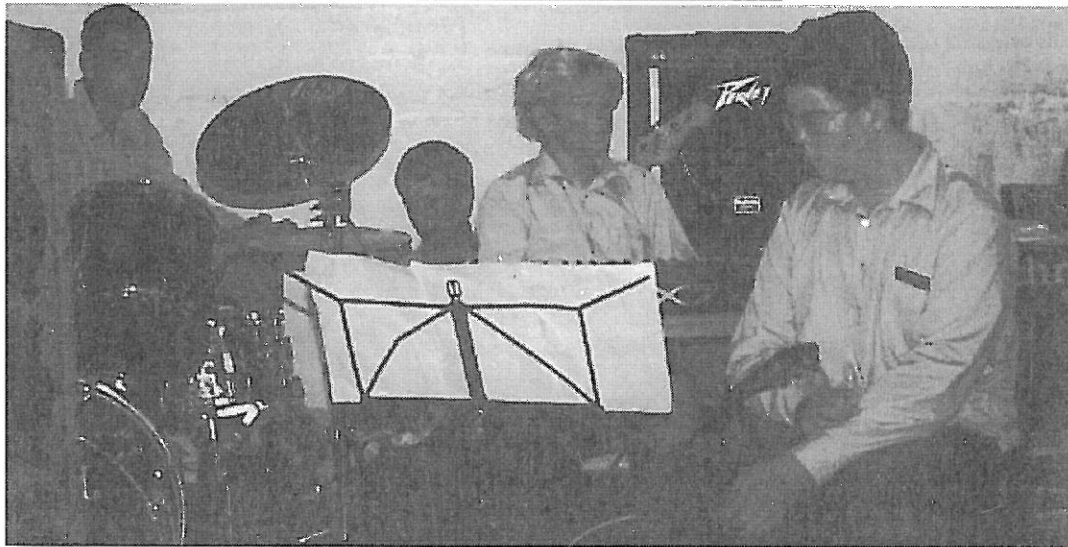


# MUSIC



Jazz Band:

Back Row: J. Marinowich,  
M. Kuriger, K. South.  
Front Row: R. Hancock,  
C. Van Lent,  
R. Smiley, P. Smiley.



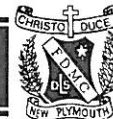
Concert Band:

Back Row: P. Bushell,  
J. Marinovich,  
M. Chamberlain, P. Smiley,  
M. Kuriger, K. South,  
K. Fraser.

Front Row: J. Gardner,  
L. Fernando, A. Sherwood,  
M. Collier, N. Shepherd,  
G. Sevicke-Jones, D. Jenkins.

Absent: R. Begg.





From the moment the spotlight hit the stage the night was one of wit, erudite speeches, dramatic performances and music.

At the beginning of October a review was presented, over two nights, to show the range of cultural, musical and dramatic talent at the school. And talented it certainly was.

Mark Butterworth's speech on bullying caused a few to stop and consider their behaviour and/or attitudes. A well thought out speech with many thought provoking ideas. We all appreciated Mark White-Robinson's guidelines on how best to be a perfect parent. Philip Shaw convinced us that war, in its widest definition, never solves anything. It's always worthwhile listening to those who make us think.

Nathan Hessel portrayed the bully in the dramatic presentation of the death of poor Humpty Dumpty, in this case Philip Hodson. He was well supported by Jonathan Marinovich and Shane Wilson, the archetypal bully's mate. Mr. Plod came to life in the form of John Harold, as the policeman trying to solve the mystery of Humpty's death. Conrad Smith reminded the audience that everyone has some responsibility to protect the innocent. A lively presentation, with the pitiful figure of the mother well portrayed by Ross Williams.

We have been lucky in the college to have a talent such as Jeremy Burn's. He not only made us laugh but could bring the piano keys to life.

Heavyside have represented the college this year with their brand of music. It's loud and everyone seemed to enjoy the atmosphere created by the music and the personalities of Haedon Smith, Rohan Hancock, Sam Kirk and Glen Ryan. A very talented group.



Louis Fernando gave us something new in the form of the steel pan from the West Indies. The tune, the sound was something amazing from what seems such a basic instrument.

Theatresports is something relatively new to the college but hopefully an area to be enlarged. Ryan O'Byrne, Richard Smiley, Clem Mustchin and Tim Rush amused everyone with their strange little skits. It certainly requires a quick wit and a wide vocabulary.

Matthew Kuriger was versatile and not only performed a piano solo but supported the junior choir. Another young talent in the college to be watched. The junior choir was impressive and enjoyed by all.

Raoul Beg is another young pianist whom we are lucky enough to have in our pool of musicians. A great performance.

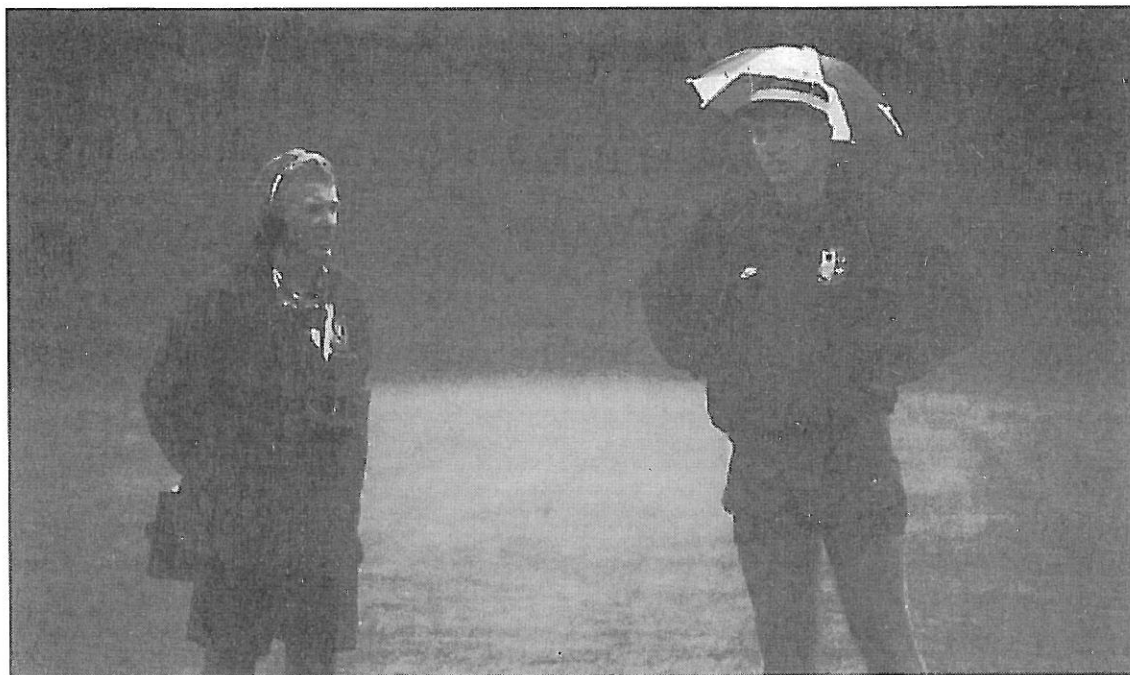
Empathy was another rock band enjoyed by the audience, especially the students. A younger group with plenty of potential for the future.

The college are lucky to have the strong voice of John Plunkett on these occasions. His voice we have known about for some time so it was interesting to hear that he had written his own composition.

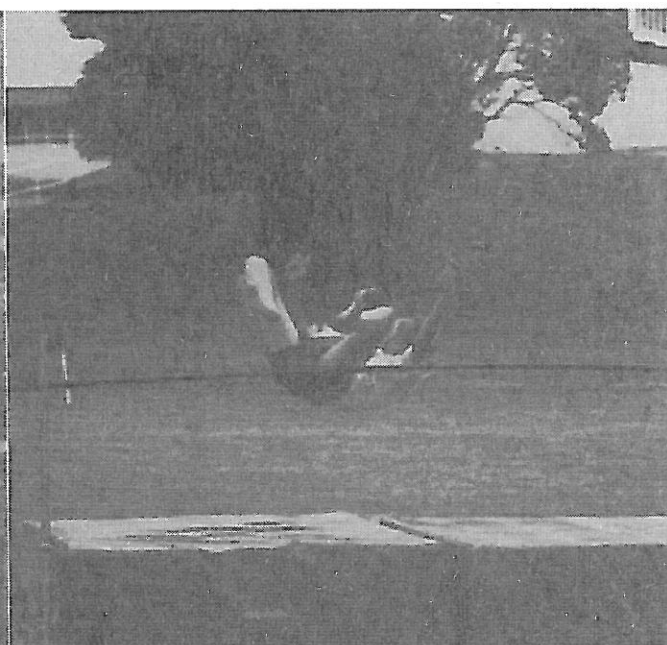
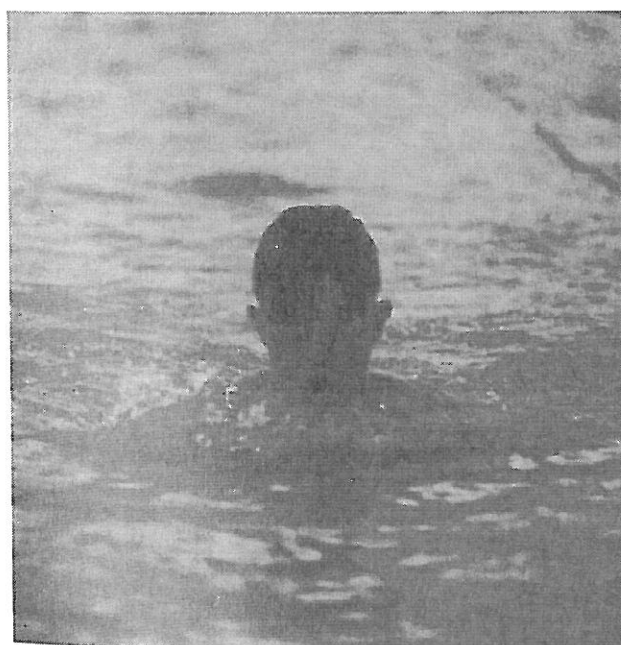
The grand finale of the college jazz band could not be beaten. Rohan Hancock enchanted everyone, singing, and on the drums. However jazz would not be jazz without the saxophone and we are lucky to have two superb players in Richard Smiley and Carl Van Lent.

Altogether, two evenings which showcased the talent which we have in the college.  
*M. Milne*





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## OPEN

### 100m Breaststroke

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
1.25.65
- 2 William Eagar (B)
- 3 Haedon Smith (B)
- 4 Hayden Morrese (S)

### 200m Freestyle

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
2.15.75
- 2 Marcus Smith (B)
- 3 Hayden Morrese (S)
- 4 James Faull (LS)

### 8x50 All Age Relay

- 1 Loreto 4.37.15
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Solomon
- 4 La Salle

## SENIOR

### 200m Individual Medley

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
2.35.78 (Record)
- 2 Marcus Smith (B)
- 3 Haydeon Morrese (S)

### 50m Freestyle

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
26.88 (Record)
- 2 Marcus Smith (B)
- 3 Hayden Morrese (S)
- 4 Richard Uhlenberg (LS)

### 100m Freestyle

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
0.59.12 (Record)
- 2 Marcus Smith (B)
- 3 Hayden Morrese (S)
- 4 James Faull (LS)

### 50m Backstroke

- 1 Marcus Smith (B)  
37.70
- 2 Hayden Morrese (S)
- 3 Kieren O'Neill (B)
- 4 Karl Gilmour (S)

### 50m Breaststroke

- 1 Scott Wheeler (LS)  
35.48
- 2 William Eagar (B)
- 3 Mathew Phillips (L)
- 4 Kieren O'Neill (B)

### 50m Butterfly

- 1 Simon McDonald (L)  
30.72
- 2 Marcus Smith (B)
- 3 William Eagar (B)
- 4 James Faull (LS)

### 4x50 Freestyle Relay

- 1 La Salle (2.12.15)
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Loreto
- 4 Solomon

### 4x50 Medley Relay

- 1 Benildus (2.28.20)
- 2 Loreto
- 3 Solomon
- 4 LaSalle

## INTERMEDIATE A

### 200m Individual Medley

- 1 Jim Gollan (L)  
3.25.25

### 50m Freestyle

- 1 Jim Gollan (L)  
32.50
- 2 Aaron O'Neill (B)
- 3 Haedon Smith (B)
- 4 Shamus Crawford (LS)

### 100m Freestyle

- 1 Haedon Smith (B)  
1.16.37
- 2 Jim Gollan (L)
- 3 Leon Jones (L)
- 4 Graeme Keinzley (L)

### 50m Backstroke

- 1 Jim Gollan (L)  
38.50
- 2 Haedon Smith (B)
- 3 Karl Carey (B)
- 4 Craig Morrese (S)

### 50m Breaststroke

- 1 Haedon Smith (B)  
39.84
- 2 Leon Jones (L)
- 3 Aaron O'Neill (B)

### 50m Butterfly

- 1 Jim Gollan (L)  
37.81

### 4x50 Freestyle Relay

- 1 Benildus (2.13.58)
- 2 Loreto
- 3 La Salle
- 4 Solomon

### 4x50 Medley Relay

- 1 Benildus (2.46.96)
- 2 Loreto
- 3 Solomon
- 4 La Salle

## INTERMEDIATE B

### 200m Individual Medley

- 1 Luke McDonald (L)  
3.07.31
- 2 Adam Fraser (S)

### 50m Freestyle

- 1 Jarrod Smith (B)  
30.72
- 2 Luke McDonald (L)
- 3 Simon O'Sullivan (B)
- 4 Jarad Mason ((L)

### 100m Freestyle

- 1 Luke McDonald (L)  
1.10.00
- 2 Jarrod Smith (B)
- 3 Brad Thomson (LS)
- 4 Adam Fraser (S)

### 50m Backstroke

- 1 Jarod Smith (B)  
38.44
- 2 Luke McDonald (L)
- 3 Gareth Collins (LS)
- 4 Simon O'Sullivan (B)

### 50m Breaststroke

- 1 Jarrod Smith (B)  
40.31
- 2 Jarad Mason (L)
- 3 Gareth Collins (LS)
- 4 Greg Hermann (S)

### 50m Butterfly

- 1 Luke McDonald (L)  
36.88
- 2 Simon O'Sullivan (B)
- 3 Adam Fraser (S)

### 4x50 Freestyle Relay

- 1 Benildus (2.21.14)
- 2 Loreto
- 3 Solomon
- 4 La Salle

### 4x50 Medley Relay

- 1 Benildus (2.50.10)
- 2 Solomon
- 3 Loreto
- 4 La Salle

## JUNIOR

### 50m Freestyle

- 1 Hayden Meads (B)  
35.10
- 2 John Whittington (L)
- 3 Jason Chandler (L)
- 4 Brendan Bourke (B)

### 100m Freestyle

- 1 Hayden Meads (B)  
1.20.80
- 2 David Gollan (L)



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3 Jason Chandler (L)

4 Scott Matuku (B)

## 50m Backstroke

1 Kenneth Murphy (B)  
43.90

2 Glenn Gadsby (LS)

3 Jared Coster (L)

4 Geoffrey Sevicke-Jones (S)

## 50m Breaststroke

1 Haydon Meads (B)  
47.30

2 David Gollan (L)

3 Hans-Peter Anderson (LS)

4 Jon-Henri Quin (L)

## 25m Butterfly

1 David Gollan (L)  
17.69

2 Scott Matuku (B)

3 Shaun Johnson (LS)

4 Isaac Daly (S)

## 4x50 Freestyle Relay

1 Benildus (2.27.06)

2 Loreto

3 Solomon

4 La Salle

## 4x50 Medley Relay

1 Benildus (3.04.62)

2 Loreto

3 La Salle

4 Solomon

## FORM 2

### 200m Individual Medley

1 Kent Fraser (S)  
3.47.69

2 Michael Melody (L)

### 50m Freestyle

1 Kent Fraser (S)  
43.25

2 Michael Melody (L)

3 Gareth Farmer (S)

Michael Kettle (L)

### 100m Freestyle

1 Kent Fraser (S)  
1.26.35

2 Michael Melody (L)

3 Rawiri Johnston (B)

### 50m Backstroke

1 Kent Fraser (S)  
44.95

2 Michael Melody (L)

3 Michael Bocock (S)

4 Michael Kettle (L)

### 50m Breaststroke

1 Kent Fraser (S)  
54.54

2 Louis Fernando (L)

3 Michael Bocock (S)

4 Rawiri Johnston (B)

## 25m Butterfly

1 Michael Melody (L)  
23.69

2 James Matuku (B)

3 Rawiri Johnston (B)

4 Louis Fernando (L)

## 4x50m Freestyle Relay

1 Solomon (2.45.28)

2 Benildus

3 Loreto

4 La Salle

## 4x25m Medley Relay

1 Solomon (1.33.68)

2 Benildus

3 Loreto

4 La Salle

## FORM 1

### 50m Freestyle

1 James Tamarapa (LS)  
35.84

2 James Saville (S)

3 Caide Patten (LS)

4 Peter Coppen (L)

### 100m Freestyle

1 James Tamarapa (LS) 1.20.85

2 Peter Coppen (L)

3 Caide Patten (LS)

4 Kyle Merewether (B)

### 50m Backstroke

1 James Tamarapa (LS)  
42.30

2 Peter Coppen (L)

3 Geoffrey Cronin (L)

4 James Saville (S)

### 50m Breaststroke

1 Caide Patten (LS)  
48.59

2 James Saville (S)

3 James Tamarapa (LS)

4 Peter Coppen (L)

### 25m Butterfly

1 James Saville (S)  
20.13

2 Jason Couper (B)

3 Gregory Taylor (S)

### 4x50m Freestyle Relay

1 Solomon (2.58.72)

2 Loreto

3 Benildus

4 La Salle

## 4x25m Medley Relay

1 La Salle (1.33.60)

2 Loreto

3 Solomon

4 Benildus

## CHAMPIONSHIP

### Senior

1 Simon McDonald (L)

2 Marcus Smith (B)

3 Hayden Morresey (S)

4 Willian Eagar (B)

### Intermediate A

1 Jim Gollan (L)

2 Haedon Smith (B)

3 Aaron O'Neill (B)

Leon Jones (L)

### Intermediate B

1 Luke McDonald (L)

2 Jarad Smith (B)

3 Simon O'Sullivan (B)

Adam Fraser (S)

### Junior

1 Hayden Meads (B)

2 David Gollan (L)

3 Kenneth Murphy (B)

4 Scott Matuku (B)

## Form 2

1 Kent Fraser (S)

2 Michael Melody (L)

3 Rawiri Johnston (B)

Louis Fernando (L)

## Form 1

1 James Tamarapa (LS)

2 James Saville (S)

3 Caide Patten (LS)

4 Peter Coppen (L)

## VERTICAL FORM

1 Loreto 5

2 Solomon 4

3 Loreto 3

4 Loreto 4

5 Benildus 3

6 Benildus 4

7 Solomon 5

8 Benildus 5

## HOUSE POINTS

1 Loreto 1002

2 Benildus 996

3 Solomon 692

4 La Salle 500





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## COLLEGE SWIMMING RECORDS

### Open

100m Breaststroke	1.20.56	S.McDonald (L)	1994
200m Freestyle	2.11.27	S.McDonald (L)	1994
8x50m All age Relay	4.37.15	Loreto	1995

### Senior

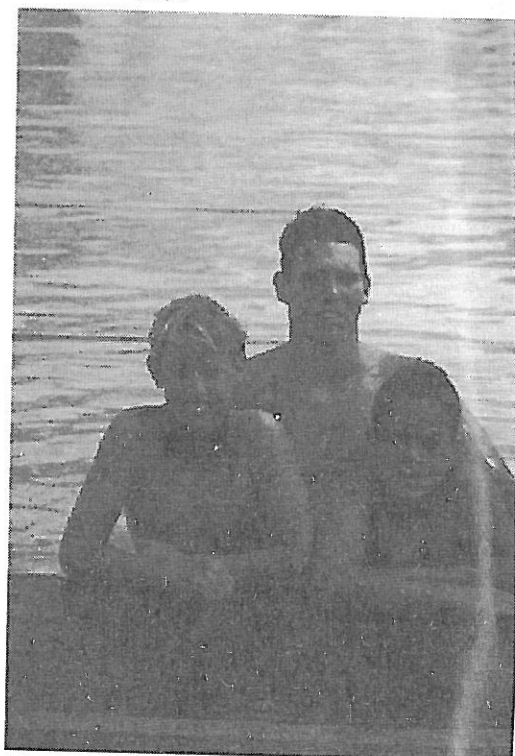
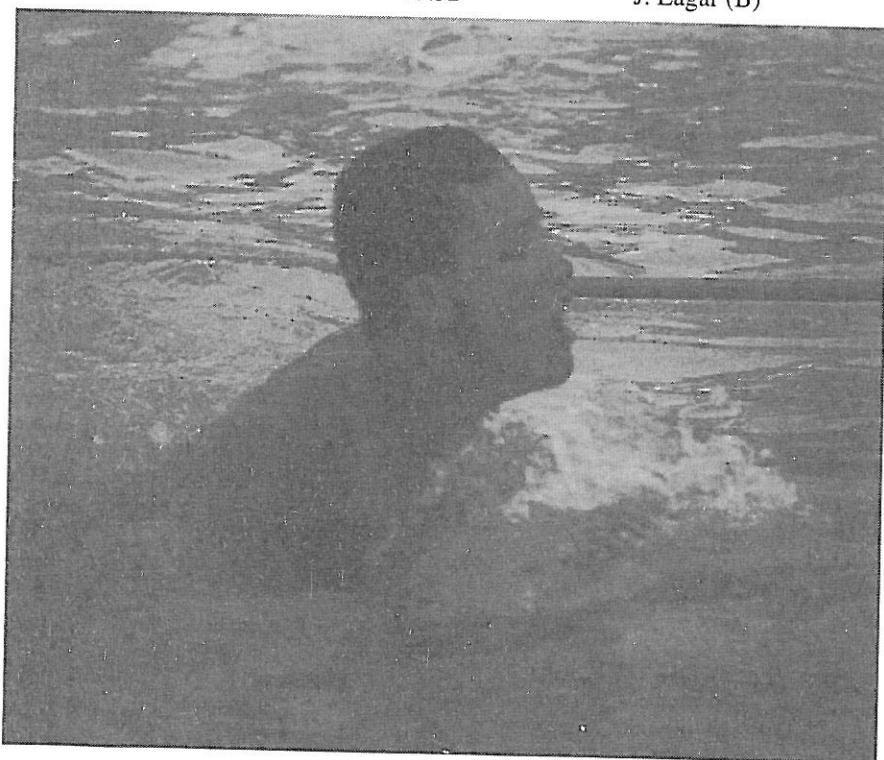
50m Freestyle	26.88	S.McDonald (L)	1995
100m Freestyle	59.12	S.McDonald (L)	1995
50m Breaststroke	37.45	S.McDonald (L)	1994
50m Backstroke	33.94	S. Mori (LS)	1986
50m Butterfly	29.59	B.Gilmour (S)	1994
200 Individual Medley	2.35.78	S.McDonald (L)	1995
4 x 50 Freestyle Relay	2.04.20	Solomon	1976
4 x 50 Medley Relay	2.23.73	Loreto	1987

### Intermediate

50m Freestyle	28.16	K. O'Reilly (L)	1984
100m Freestyle	1.01.03	K. O'Reilly (L)	1984
50m Breaststroke	39.19	J.Eagar (B)	1992
50m Backstroke	33.66	J.Eagar (B)	1992
50m Butterfly	32.52	B. Gilmour (S)	1992
200 Individual Medley	2.45.03	J.Eagar (B)	1992
4 x 50 Freestyle Relay	2.13.00	Solomon	1977
4 x 50 Medley Relay	2.39.70	La Salle	1978

### Junior

50m Freestyle	28.90	N. Pennington (L)	1991
100m Freestyle	1.04.29	N. Pennington (L)	1991
50m Breaststroke	38.78	S. McDonald (L)	1991
50m Backstroke	33.32	J. Eagar (B)	1991





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### SENIOR

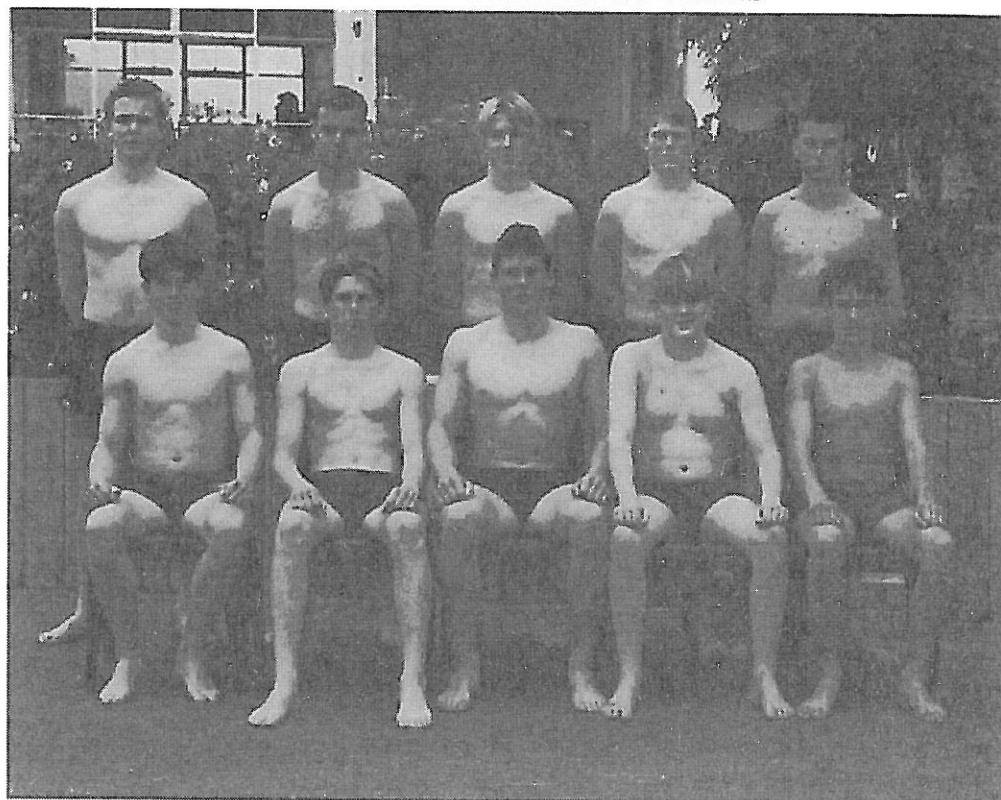
100m Freestyle  
Simon McDonald 3rd  
50m Breaststroke  
Simon McDonald 3rd  
4 x 50m Freestyle Relay  
2nd Place  
4 x 50m Medley Relay  
2nd Place

### INTERMEDIATE

50m Breaststroke  
Haedon Smith 2nd  
4 x 50m Freestyle Relay  
2nd Place  
4 x 50m Medley Relay  
2nd Place

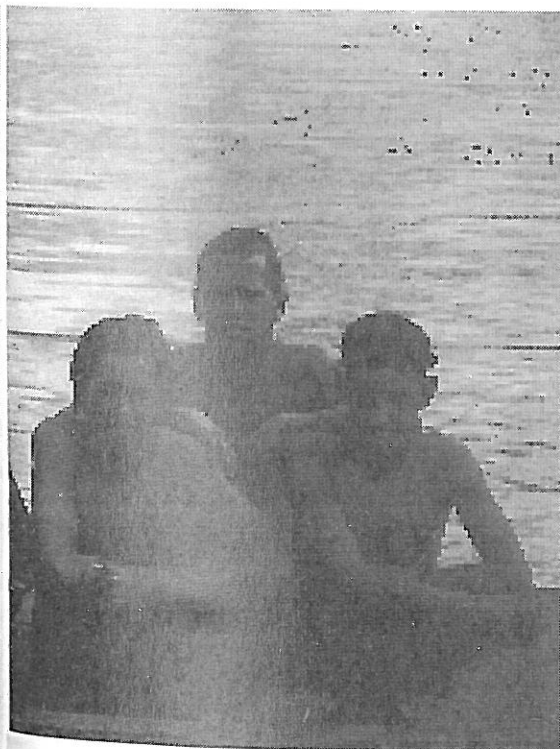
### JUNIOR

50m Butterfly  
David Gollan 3rd  
4 x 50m Freestyle Relay  
2nd Place  
4 x 50m Medley Relay  
2nd Place



Swimming College Teams:

Back Row: J. Gollan, H. Morresey, H. Smith, J. Whittington, K. Murphy.  
Front Row: J. Smith, L. McDonald, S. McDonald, D. Gollan, H. Meads.





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## ATHLETIC RESULTS 1995

### 8 x 100 All Age Relay

- 1 Solomon
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Loreto
- 4 La Salle

### SENIOR

#### 100 metres

- 1 M. Smith (B)  
12.32
- 2 J. O'Sullivan (LS)
- 3 J. Kaiser (LS)
- 4 S. Prestney (S)

#### 200 metres

- 1 W. Johnson (LS)  
24.69 sec
- 2 M. Smith (B)
- 3 J. O'Sullivan (LS)
- 4 K. Ryan (L)

#### 400 metres

- 1 W. Johnson (LS)  
54.18
- 2 M. Smith (B)
- 3 T. Rush (B)
- 4 J. Kaiser (LS)

#### 800 metres

- 1 W. Johnson (LS)  
2.14.09
- 2 M. Smith (B)
- 3 N. Mouat (L)
- 4 S. Little (S)

#### 1500 metres

- 1 Wayne Johnson (LS)  
4.38.26
- 2 K. Dravitzki (S)
- 3 N. Mouat (L)
- 4 T. Rush (B)

#### 3000 metres

- 1 B. Gillum (B)  
9.35.28
- 2 D. Hancock (S)
- 3 K. Dravitzki (S)
- 4 T. Rush (B)

#### High Jump

- 1 C. Yandle (B)  
1.70m
- 2 M. Robinson (S)
- 3 M. Phillips (L)
- 4 S. Spurdle (LS)

### Long Jump

- 1 M. Smith (B)  
5.25m
- 2 S. Spurdle (LS)
- 3 W. Johnson (LS)
- 4 C. Yandle (B)

### Triple Jump

- 1 J. O'Sullivan (LS)  
12.11m
- 2 W. Johnson (LS)
- 3 M. Smith (B)
- 4 I. Utiger (L)

### Discus

- 1 T. McAlister (L)  
34.08m
- 2 J. O'Sullivan (LS)
- 3 K. O'Neill (B)
- 4 S. Spurdle (LS)

### Shot Put

- 1 J. O'Sullivan (LS)  
10.90m
- 2 S. Spurdle (LS)
- 3 G. Bishop (B)
- 4 N. Keegan (S)

### Javelin

- 1 J. O'Sullivan (LS)  
43.60m
- 2 M. Butterworth (L)
- 3 N. Keegan (S)
- 4 K. O'Neill (B)

### 4x100 metres

- 1 La Salle  
49.71
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Solomon
- 4 Loreto

### INTERMEDIATE A

#### 100 metres

- 1 K. Lee (LS)  
12.25
- 2 S. Hart (S)
- 3 M. Gray (LS)
- 4 C. Morresey (S)

#### 200 metres

- 1 K. Lee (LS)  
25.36
- 2 S. Hart (S)
- 3 C. Morrissey (S)
- 4 M. Gray (LS)

#### 400 metres

- 1 C. Morresey (S)  
58.60
- 2 K. Lee (LS)
- 3 C. Van Lent (B)
- 4 C. Bennett (L)

### 800 metres

- 1 C. Van Lent (B)  
2.17.42
- 2 P. Kowalewski (L)
- 3 C. Morresey (S)
- 4 C. Bennett (L)

### 1500 metres

- 1 Carl Van Lent (B)  
4.42.00
- 2 Patrick Kowalewski (L)
- 3 Vaughan Maclean (B)
- 4 Simon Brown (LS)

### 3000 metres

- 1 P. Kowalewski (L)  
10.19
- 2 C. Van Lent (B)
- 3 S. Dettling (L)

### High Jump

- 1 M. Strong (S)  
1.56m
- 2 C. Van Lent (B)
- 3 D. Francis (LS)
- 4 R. Smiley (L)  
C. Bennett (L)  
S. Hart (S)

### Long Jump

- 1 S. Hart (S)  
5.34m
- 2 K. Lee (LS)
- 3 M. Gray (LS)
- 4 H. Smith (B)

### Triple Jump

- 1 P. Kowalewski (L)  
10.70m
- 2 A. Roberts (S)
- 3 R. O'Byrne (LS)
- 4 H. Smith (B)

### Discus

- 1 S. Hart (S)  
29.04m
- 2 D. Manu (LS)
- 3 N. Death (L)
- 4 A. O'Neill (B)

### Shot Put

- 1 G. Keinzley (L)  
10.95m
- 2 D. Manu (LS)
- 3 C. Van Lent (B)
- 4 T. Mulligan (S)

### Javelin

- 1 A. Roberts (S)  
31.80m
- 2 L. Jones (L)
- 3 S. Hart (S)
- 4 D. Manu (LS)





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## 4x100 metres

- 1 La Salle  
50.56
- 2 Solomon
- 3 Benildus
- 4 Loreto

## INTERMEDIATE B

### 100 metres

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
12.54
- 2 P. O'Byrne (LS)
- 3 P. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 4 K. Kalders (LS)

### 200 metres

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
26.07
- 2 R. Williams (S)
- 3 P.O'Byrne (LS)
- 4 J. Mason (L)

### 400 metres

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
1.01.00
- 2 J. Mason (L)
- 3 P. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 4 G. Collins (LS)

### 800 metres

- 1 J. Mason (L)  
2.20.62
- 2 G Collins (LS)
- 3 P. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 4 A. Turner (S)

### 1500 metres

- 1 Paul O'Byrne (LS)  
4.54.94
- 2 A. Turner (S)
- 3 G. Collins (LS)
- 4 R. Watt (LS)

### 3000 metres

- 1 A. Turner (S)  
11.21
- 2 P. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 3 R. Williams (S)
- 4 B. Anderson

### High Jump

- 1 G. Collins (LS)  
1.50m
- 2 M. Reck (L)
- 3 A. Turner (S)
- 4 P. Smiley (L)

### Long Jump

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
5.11m
- 2 J. Mason (L)
- 3 K. Kalders (LS)
- 4 R. Williams (S)

## Triple Jump

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
10.10m
- 2 P. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 3 J. Mason (L)

## Discus

- 1 C. Laing (S)  
22.0m
- 2 M. Reck (L)
- 3 M. Drought (B)
- 4 R. Blackburn (B)

## Shot Put

- 1 P. Quicke (B)  
8.74m
- 2 M. Drought (B)
- 3 C. Laing (S)
- 4 G. Collins (LS)

## Javelin

- 1 M. Reck (L)  
24.70m
- 2 G. Collins (LS)
- 3 P. Quicke (B)
- 4 R. Williams (S)

## 4x100 metres

- 1 Solomon  
52.91
- 2 La Salle
- 3 Loreto
- 4 Benildus

## JUNIOR

### 100 metres

- 1 J. Whittington (L)  
14.03
- 2 J. Ewing (S)
- 3 M. Beckett (B)
- 4 J. Moore (LS)

### 200 metres

- 1 J. Whittington (L)  
27.42
- 2 J. Ewing (S)
- 3 S. Johnson (LS)
- 4 J. Moore (LS)

### 400 metres

- 1 J. Whittington (L)  
1.03.18
- 2 N. Betteridge (L)
- 3 C. Smith (B)
- 4 J. Moore (LS)

### 800 metres

- 1 C. Smith (B)  
2.33.10
- 2 S. McGregor (L)
- 3 N. Kowalewski (L)
- 4 J. Bhana (LS)

## 1500 metres

- 1 Conrad Smith (B)  
5.09.70
- 2 Shane Wilson (LS)
- 3 Nicholas Kowalewski (L)
- 4 Rory Brophy (B)

## 3000 metres

- 1 C. Smith (B)  
11.14
- 2 B. Bourke (B)
- 3 G. Gadsby (LS)
- 4 S. McGregor (L)

## High Jump

- 1 C. Waretini (LS)  
1.47m
- 2 J. Whittington (L)
- 3 R. Bishop (B)
- 4 J. Ewing (S)

## Long Jump

- 1 J. Whittington (L)  
J. Ewing (S)  
4.40m
- 3 C. Waretini (LS)  
D. Gilmour (S)

## Triple Jump

- 1 R. Bishop (B)  
9.30m
- 2 S. Johnson (LS)
- 3 J. Chandler (L)
- 4 S. Ireland (S)

## Discus

- 1 D. Beatson (B)  
26.90m
- 2 J. Whittington (L)
- 3 J. McDonald (L)
- 4 C. Waretini (LS)

## Shot Put

- 1 R. Te Moana (S)  
6.80m
- 2 S. Matuku (B)
- 3 J. Shanley (L)
- 4 C. Waretini (LS)

## Javelin

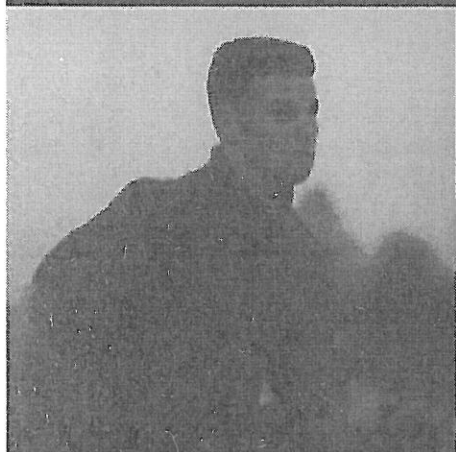
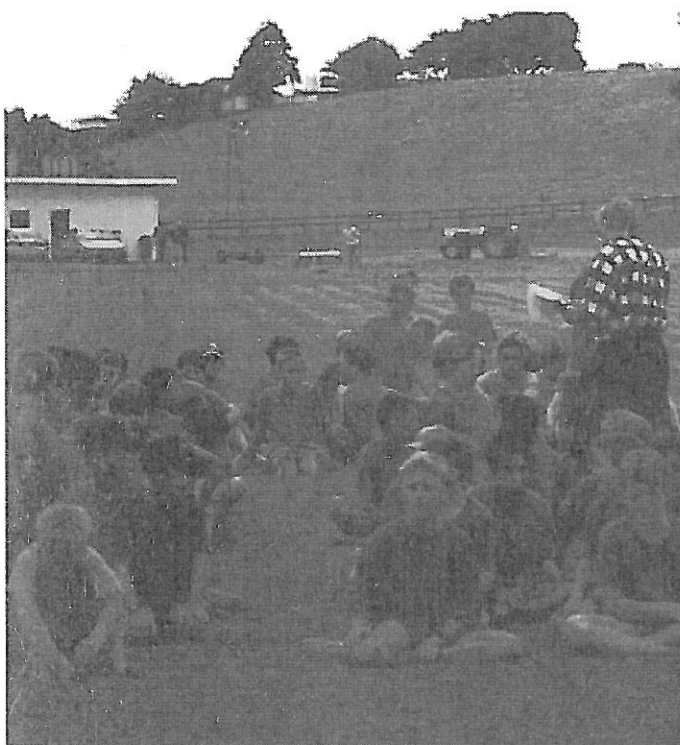
- 1 K. Murphy (B)  
25.55m
- 2 N. Kowalewski (L)
- 3 H. Gopperth (L)

## 4x100 metres

- 1 Solomon  
56.89
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Loreto
- 4 La Salle



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## FORM 2

### 100 metres

- 1 A. Sherwood (S)  
14.72
- 2 B. Hart (S)
- 3 N. Shepherd (LS)
- 4 N. Rush (B)

### 200 metres

- 1 A. Sherwood (S)  
30.12
- 2 G. Farmer (S)
- 3 N. Shepherd (LS)
- 4 J. Matuku (B)

### 400 metres

- 1 G. Farmer (S)  
1.09.21
- 2 R. Johnston (B)
- 3 D. Hall (S)
- 4 J. Matuku (B)

### 800 metres

- 1 G. Farmer (S)  
2.46.57
- 2 D. Hall (S)
- 3 J. Matuku (B)
- 4 R. Johnston (B)

### High Jump

- 1 D. Hall (S)  
1.32m
- 2 N. Shepherd (LS)
- 3 R. Johnston (B)  
M. Kettle (L)  
M. Forrest (S)

### Long Jump

- 1 M. Bocock (S)  
3.962m
- 2 H. Murray (LS)  
M. Forrest (S)
- 3 H. Hyland (L)

### Discus

- 1 R. Johnston (B)  
20.05m
- 2 K. Fraser (S)
- 3 B. Hart (S)
- 4 M. Forrest (S)

### Shot Put

- 1 M. Forrest (S)  
8.98m
- 2 R. Johnston (B)
- 3 M. Kettle (L)
- 4 B. Clarke (S)

### 4x100 metres

- 1 Solomon  
59.83
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Loreto
- 4 La Salle

## FORM 1

### 100 metres

- 1 J. Saville (S)  
15.08
- 2 J. Hullah (L)
- 3 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)
- 4 K. Merewether (B)

### 200 metres

- 1 J. Saville (S)  
31.44
- 2 J. Hullah (L)
- 3 S. Cracroft - Wilson (S)
- 4 T. Peters (B)

### 400 metres

- 1 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)  
1.13.75
- 2 J. Hullah (L)
- 3 J. Saville (S)
- 4 D. Waite (B)

### 800 metres

- 1 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)  
2.46.02
- 2 J. Hullah (L)
- 3 K. Merewether (B)
- 4 A. Blundell (S)

### High Jump

- 1 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)  
1.20m
- 2 K. Merewether (B)
- 3 J. Saville (S)
- 4 R. Klahn (L)  
P. Gadsby (LS)

### Long Jump

- 1 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)  
3.76m
- 2 G. Cronin (L)
- 3 K. Merewether (B)  
M. Malli (LS)

### 4x100 metres

- 1 Loreto  
1.03.90
- 2 Benildus
- 3 Solomon
- 4 La Salle

## CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Form 1

- 1 S. Cracroft-Wilson (S)  
46 Points
- 2 J. Saville (S) 26
- 3 J. Hullah (L) 24
- 4 K. Merewether (B) 12

## Form 2

- 1 R. Johnston (B)  
25 Points
- 2 G. Farmer (S) 22
- 3 A. Sherwood (S) 20
- 4 M. Forrest (S) 18

### Junior

- 1 J. Whittington (L)  
47 Points
- 2 C. Smith (B) 33
- 3 J. Ewing (S) 21
- 4 C. Waretini (LS) 14

### Intermediate B

- 1 H. Butler (S)  
50 Points
- 2 G. Collins (LS) 27
- 3 J. Mason (L) 26
- 4 M. Reck (L) 22

### Intermediate A

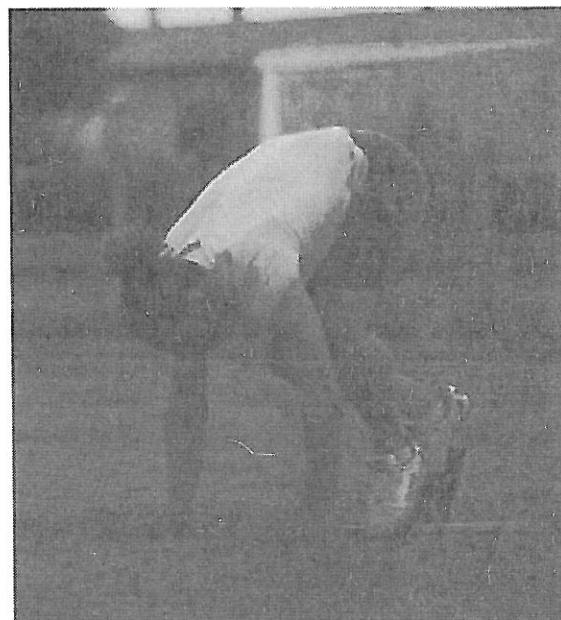
- 1 C. Van Lent (B)  
41 Points
- 2 S. Hart (S) 36
- 3 P. Kowalewski (L) 32  
K. Lee (LS) 32

### Senior

- 1 W. Johnson (LS)  
49 Points
- 2 J. O'Sullivan (LS) 45
- 3 M. Smith (B) 41
- 4 S. Spurdle (LS) 14

## HOUSE POINTS

1. Solomon 1,509
2. La Salle 1,006
3. Benildus 966
4. Loreto 924







# ATHLETICS



## COLLEGE ATHLETIC RECORDS

### Senior

100metres	11.10	C. Zawodny (S)	1978
200metres	23.65	L. Butler (S)	1993
400metres	51.10	R. Vavasour (S)	1969
800metres	1.52.50	J. Radich (B)	1975
1500metres	4.01.00	M. Roycroft (LS)	1993
3000metres	8.42.60	M. Roycroft (LS)	1993
5000metres	14.53.00	M. Roycroft (LS)	1993
110m hurdles	15.0	A. Kissick (S)	1972
2000m steeple	5.51.00	M. Dravitzki (S)	1993
High jump	1.79	K. Brophy (S)	1976
		C. Yandle (B)	1994
Long jump	6.69	S. McManaway (S)	1976
Triple jump	12.95	M. Walsh (B)	1979
Discus	40.08	T. Bartle (B)	1973
Shot put	12.00	P. Fife (L)	1976
Javelin	46.45	R. Bolton (LS)	1990
Relays			
4 x 100metres	47.70	Benildus	1973
4 x 200metres	1.39.90	Solomon	1977
4 x 400metres	3.46.50	Loreto	1971

### Intermediate

100metres	11.60	P. Tracey (L)	1967
200metres	23.8	C. Zawodny (S)	1977
400metres	52.00	S. Keig (B)	1979
800metres	2.04.10	D. Fabish (L)	1974
1500metres	4.13.00	M. Karalus (L)	1974
3000metres	9.29.00	J. Chapman (S)	1988
4000metres	13.25.40	B. Hogan (L)	1980
100m hurdles	15.40	D. Bendall (L)	1971
High jump	1.67	M. Newman (LS)	1992
Long jump	6.00	J. Coleman (B)	1970
Triple jump	13.95	M. Walsh (B)	1978
Discus	41.80	E. Fleming (LS)	1967
Shot put	13.60	S. Poole (LS)	1981
Javelin	43.30	R. Bolton (LS)	1988
Relays			
4 x 100metres	50.00	La Salle	1966
4 x 200metres	1.42.00	Solomon	1977
4 x 400metres	4.00.17	Solomon	1991

### Junior

100metres	11.80	C. Zawodny (S)	1976
200metres	25.20	L. Lawrence (B)	1970
400metres	56.60	S. Keig (B)	1979
800metres	2.01.90	D. Fabish (L)	1974
1500metres	4.29.80	M. Karalus (L)	1974
3000metres	9.24.00	M. Karalus (L)	1974
100m hurdles	15.50	N. Eliadis (B)	1984
High jump	1.62	J. Omelvena (LS)	1992
Long jump	5.36	P. Brennan (LS)	1966
Triple jump	11.43	M. Walsh (B)	1977
Discus	33.20	J. O'Sullivan (LS)	1991
Shot put	12.30	R. Toss (LS)	1978
Javelin	36.73	R. Bolton (LS)	1986
Relays			
4 x 100metres	53.7	Loreto	1978
4 x 200metres	1.50.10	Loreto	1978
4 x 400metres	4.16.53	La Salle	1988

### Form 1/2

100metres	13.69	B. Hart (S)	1994
200metres	28.05	J. Tennant (L)	1985
400metres	61.10	T. Burton (S)	1985
800metres	2.22.00	S. Rapley (S)	1982
1500metres	5.02.10	M. Dravitzki (S)	1988
3000metres	10.48.37	M. Dravitzki (S)	1988
High jump	1.43	S. Deken (L)	1994
Long jump	4.24	D. Kukec (S)	1988
Discus	28.80	S. Toss (LS)	1977
Shot put	10.20	M. Myers (B)	1989
Relays			
4 x 100metres	56.70	Loreto	1977
4 x 200metres	2.02.20	Loreto	1977
4 x 400metres	4.41.77	Solomon	1988





# ATHLETICS



## TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETICS 1995 FRANCIS DOUGLAS MEMORIAL COLLEGE RESULTS

### SENIOR

400m  
1st Wayne Johnson  
2nd Daniel Hancock

### 800m

1st Wayne Johnson  
2nd Daniel Hancock

### 1500m

1st Ben Gillum  
2nd Daniel Hancock

### 3000m

1st Ben Gillum  
3rd Nathan Mouat

### 2000m Steeple Chase

1st Ben Gillum  
3rd Nathan Mouat

### Discus

1st Sean Spurdle

### Shot Put

1st Sean Spurdle

### Javelin

1st Mark Butterworth

### 4 x 100m Relay

2nd Place

### INTERMEDIATE

#### 100m

2nd Simon Hart  
3rd Keiran Lee

#### 200m

2nd Keiran Lee

#### 400m

1st Craig Morresey

#### 3000m

1st Pat Kowalewski  
2nd Vaughan Mclean  
3rd Andrew Turner

#### 1500m Steeple Chase

1st Pat Kowalewski  
3rd Andrew Turner

### Long Jump

2nd Simon Hart  
3rd Harley Butler

### Triple Jump

3rd Harley Butler

### Shot Put

2nd Graeme Keinzley

### 4 x 100m Relay

1st Place

### JUNIOR

#### 800m

2nd Conrad Smith

#### 1500m

1st Conrad Smith

#### 1000m Steeple Chase

1st Scott McGregor  
2nd Nick Kowalewski

#### High Jump

3rd Chris Waretini

### Triple Jump

3rd Rhys Bishop

### Javelin

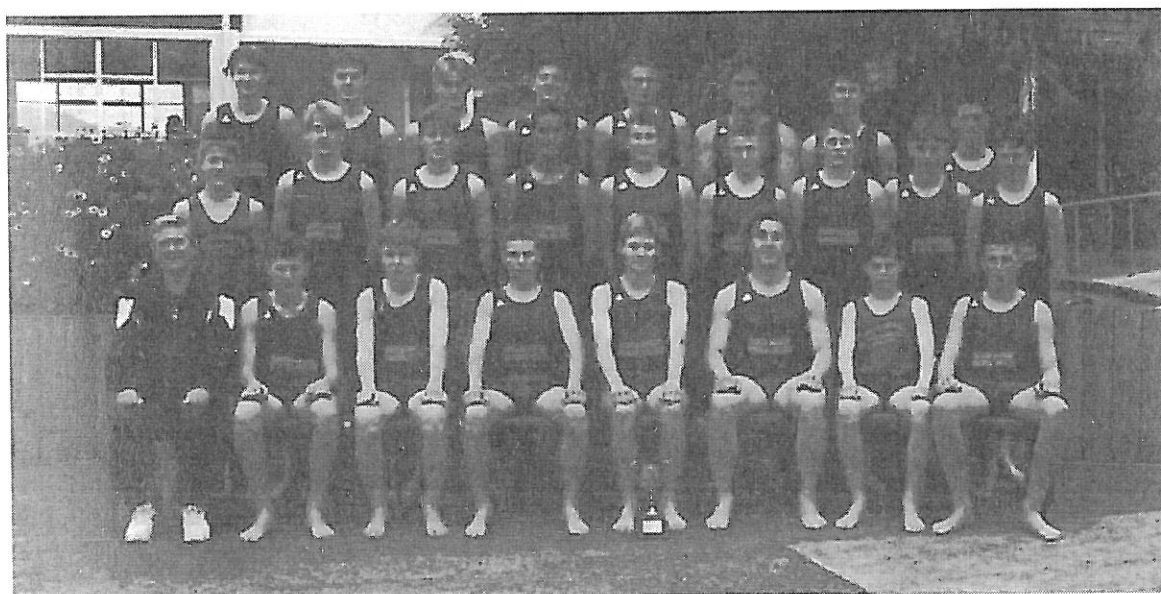
1st Manu Hay-Vega  
3rd Kenneth Murphy

### 4 x 100m Relay

3rd Place

## NORTH ISLAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETICS RESULTS

Ben Gillum  
3rd 2000m Steeplechase  
Nathan Mouat  
6th 2000m Steeplechase  
Wayne Johnson  
7th 800m  
Daniel Hancock  
8th 800m



### Athletics:

Back Row: M. Stronge, C. Morresey, G. Collins, T. Rush, S. Hart, D. Manu, K. Lee, W. Johnson.

Centre Row: P. Cracroft-Wilson, H. Butler, P. Kowalewski, C. Waretini.

Front Row: Mr. J. George (Coach), J. Ewing, R. Bishop, V. Maclean, B. Gillum, J. O'Sullivan, C. Smith, K. Murphy



# CROSS COUNTRY



## SENIOR

1. Ben Gillum (B)
2. Daniel Hancock (S)
3. Karl Dravitzki (S)
4. Nathan Mouat (L)
5. Wayne Johnson (LS)
6. Tony Penn (L)
7. Jamie Boyd (B)
8. Tim Rush (B)
9. Scott Little (S)
10. Mathew Phillips (L)

## INTERMEDIATE B

1. Gareth Collins (LS)
2. Paul O'Byrne (LS)
3. Andrew Turner (S)
4. John Mahony (LS)
5. Matthew Lawn (S)
6. Paul Cracroft-Wilson (S)
7. Reece Williams (S)
8. Joseph Hurley (L)
9. Brendon Anderson (LS)
10. Matthew Eaton (L)

## FORM 2

1. James Matuku (B)
2. Dylan Hall (S)
3. Nick Shepherd (LS)
4. Kent Fraser (S)
5. Michael Hyland (L)
6. Mark Kennard (B)
7. Gareth Clegg (B)
8. Rawiri Johnston (B)
9. Michael Melody (L)
10. Brendan Clark (S)

## INTERMEDIATE A

1. Vaughan Mclean (B)
2. Carl Van Lent (B)
3. Pat Kowalewski (L)
4. Chris Hullah (L)
5. Jim Gollan (L)
6. Thomas Mulligan (LS)

## JUNIOR

1. Shane Wilson (LS)
2. Rory Brophy (B)
3. Conrad Smith (B)
4. Nicholas Betteridge (L)
5. Nick Kowalewski (L)
6. John Whittington (L)
7. Scott McGregor (L)
8. Duane Phillips (B)
9. Nick Winger (LS)
10. Jeram Bhana (LS)

## FORM 1

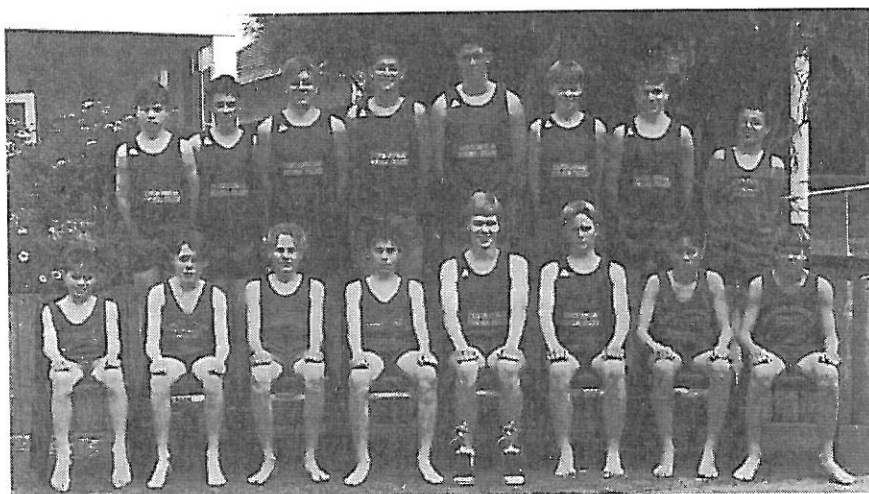
1. Geoffrey Cronin (L)
2. Joshua Hullah (L)
3. Paul Gadsby (LS)
4. Sam Cracroft-Wilson (S)
5. Aaron Blundell (S)
6. Kyle Merewether (B)
7. Clinton Parkes (S)
8. Peter Coppen (L)
9. Ben Schumacher (LS)
10. Scott Moselen (B)

## TSS ROAD RELAY

Once again at this event Francis Douglas dominated. It was a very good performance by all FDC teams. In the junior race a fierce battle took place between the form one and form two teams. The form two's just retained their pride by pulling away in the last lap.

The Intermediates encountered a strong Stratford team which pulled away from them. They finished strongly coming second ahead of old rivals New Plymouth Boys' High School. The senior team went in as favourites and proved

that they deserved the title by leading from the start to the finish to win comfortably.



### Teams : Juniors

#### Form One

Josh Hullah  
Paul Gadsby  
Clinton Parkes  
Sam Cracroft-Wilson

#### Form Two

Simon Gillum  
Gareth Farmer  
Anthony Sherwood  
James Mataka

### Intermediates

Conrad Smith  
Scott McGregor  
Shane Wilson  
Glenn Gadsby

### Seniors

Ben Gillum  
Nathan Mouat  
Tim Rush  
Wayne Johnson

### Road Relay Teams:

Back Row: C. Smith, G. Gadsby, D. Hancock, T. Rush, W. Johnson,  
S. McGregor, N. Mouat, G. Farmer.

Front Row: S. Cracroft-Wilson, P. Gadsby, J. Hullah, C. Parkes, B. Gillum,  
S. Wilson, J. Mataka, A. Sherwood.





# CROSS COUNTRY



## NZ SECONDARY SCHOOLS CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPS

A team of 7 athletes travelled to Masterton on 17-6-95 to compete in the above championships.

The boys ran over a 6 km course around the Solway Showgrounds. The course was undulating and conditions were wet and muddy. The weather conditions were not pleasant and in fact were very cold and wet at times.

All of the boys performed well over trying conditions and were extremely unlucky not to finish 3rd in the Teams event. We must have been close. In the team results we came 5th in the 3 man teams and 4th in the 6 man teams.

The behaviour and discipline of the boys was commendable. A full result booklet is to follow which will show that our school runners all finished within the top 95 out of 392. A

very good effort.

On behalf of the team, I would like to thank the school for their assistance and I look forward to being able to take future teams away to Athletic events.

The team and results are :

Ben Gillum	24th
Karl Dravitzki	37th
Nathan Mouat	63rd
Tim Rush	64th
Vaughan Maclean	79th
Patrick Kowalewski	84th
Carl Van Lent	94th

*Wally Gillum*



College Cross-Country Team:

Back Row: P. Kowalewski, D. Hancock, S. Little, W. Johnson, C. Van Lent, T. Rush, G. Collins.  
Centre Row: A. Turner, N. Mouat, V. Maclean, N. Kowalewski, P. O'Byrne, J. Whittington, C. Hullah.  
Front Row: N. Betteridge, V. Bhana, R. Brophy, C. Smith, B. Gillum, N. Winger, S. McGregor, P. Cracroft-Wilson.



Round the Lake Road Race Teams:

Back Row: N. Mouat, P. Kowalewski, A. Taylor, W. Johnson, T. Rush, G. Collins, M. Bocock.  
Front Row: R. Brophy, C. Smith, S. McGregor, B. Gillum, C. Hullah, V. Maclean, N. Kowalewski.

## WANGANUI ROUND THE LAKES

Francis Douglas sent 1 Junior, 1 Intermediate and 2 Senior teams to this event.

The Junior team performed very well with only 3 team members. Conrad Smith ran twice and on both occasions ran faster than his team mates. The Intermediates ran well to finish in the middle of the field. The Seniors had 2 teams - one in the A Grade and one in the B Grade. In the A Grade the team performed above expectations to take second place. The B Grade team also ran impressively to take 2nd place in the B Grade. Ben Gillum's time was the third fastest out of all the senior boys.

Teams :

Junior Conrad Smith  
Scott McGregor  
Rory Brophy

Seniors

A Grade  
Ben Gillum  
Wayne Johnson  
Karl Dravitzki  
Alan Taylor

Intermediates

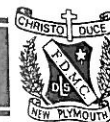
Nich Kowalewski  
Chris Hullah  
Gareth Collins  
Matthew Bocock

B Grade

Nathan Mouat  
Vaughan Maclean  
Tim Rush  
Patrick Kowalewski



# CRICKET



The 1995 calendar year had many highs and lows. Overall, the final report of Francis Douglas College Cricket would read B plus, with still the potential to do better. Overall, numbers were up which created a great deal of difficulty with gear and playing space.

I thank all those parents who contributed to cricket amongst the grades during the year. Without these individuals there is no way we could operate. We also had the benefit of Glen Sulzberger's coaching this year which helped the development of many of our top cricketers.

The Form One and Two side held their own in the competitions. They turned in some top performances. Brendon Hart and Aaron Blundell were individuals who impressed me. The Third Form had an abundance of talent this year. We had 3 teams. We finished first in Division One with other teams placed. The other side was pipped at the post in Division Two. This grade is one with plenty of depth and shows FDC cricket is secure.

Scott Ireland, Oliver Kirk, John Whittington and Conrad Smith were the stand-out performers, but I could list another 10 players who were not far behind them.

The 4th Grade sides played solidly. They produced the odd upset and provided some players for the afternoon teams later on. Darryl Taylor and Reece Williams were stand-out performers.

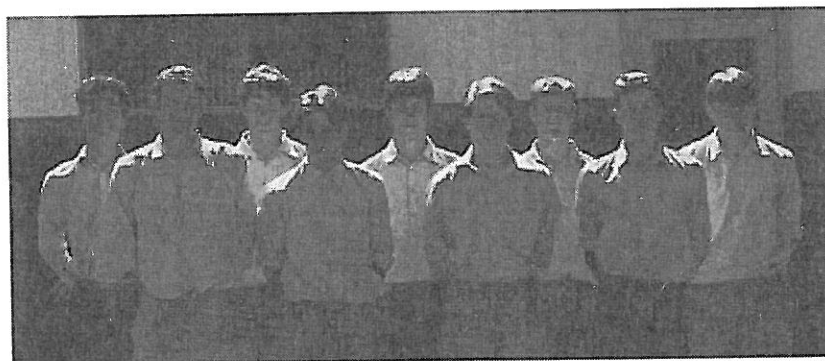
The Second Eleven made the top group in 4th Grade afternoon cricket. Ably led by Alec Kirk they developed a number of fine players who were unlucky not to be selected for the firsts. Sam Kirk, Heath Smith and Michael Sullivan all contributed to this side's success. I hope they continue their form through to the first eleven.

The first eleven promoted to the Second Grade was most successful finishing second in the competition. This side contained many fine players some of whom have the ability to go on to play senior cricket. There were a number of hundreds scored, backed up with some tight bowling. Wayne Johnson, Jonathan Kale and Simon Hart were outstanding at times. Kieran Lee in his limited opportunities showed he could also be a player of the future.

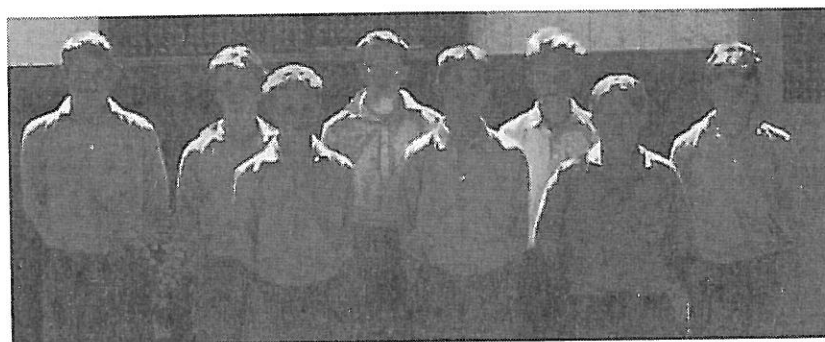
In college games our record was not as good. We were beaten in the first round of the Gillette Cup in a poor display. We were also beaten by St Bernards Wellington in a strong performance against a top Wellington team. The season was finished well as we beat St Peters, Palmerston North for the second year running.

For the first time we sent a Form 3/4 Colts team to Palmerston North. Despite being beaten this side illustrated that FDC Cricket will be strong for at least another 4 years.

*Andrew Murray*

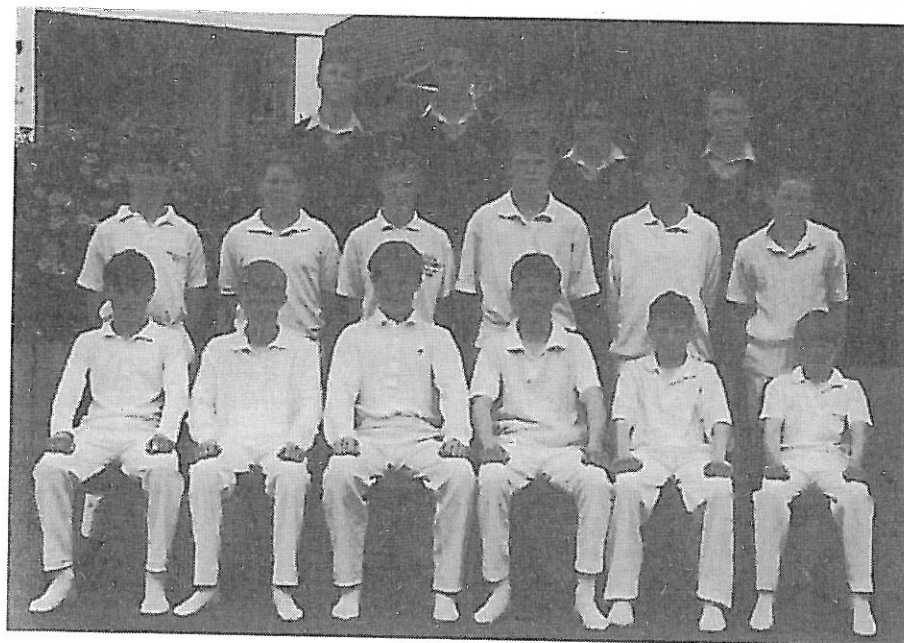


**MEMBERS OF THE FIRST AND SECOND CRICKET ELEVENS**





# CRICKET



Cricket Taranaki Reps:

Back Row: S. Kirk, W. Johnson,  
M. Wiig, S. Heal.

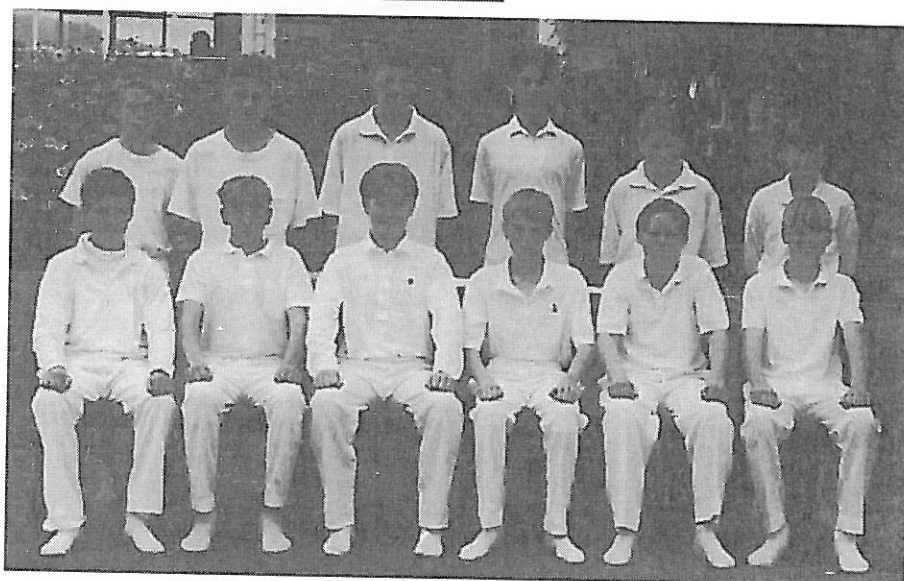
Centre Row: M. Kennard, L. Reed,  
R. Brophy, J. Whittington,  
D. Bence, B. Hart.

Front Row: C. Smith, R. Crowe,  
O. Kirk, S. Ireland,  
A. Cronin, A. Blundell.

Cricket Forms 3 & 4 1994/95  
Season:

Back Row: D. Stark, D. Henderson,  
J. Ewing, H. Meads,  
B. Dobson, J. Barrett.

Front Row: P. Gadsby, D. Bence,  
O. Kirk, R. Crowe,  
L. Reed, S. Brbich.



Cricket 4th Grade:

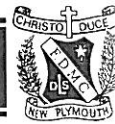
Back Row: T. Baraclough, S. Smith,  
D. Clark, B. Luscombe,  
M. Reese, D. Francis.

Front Row: K. Johnson,  
P. O'Donnell, M. Bevins,  
M. Drinkwater, L. Clifford,  
T. Mulligan.





# CRICKET



Cricket 4th Grade Borders:

Back Row: G. Jones, N. Hessel,  
S. Costello, K. South,  
M. Matthews.

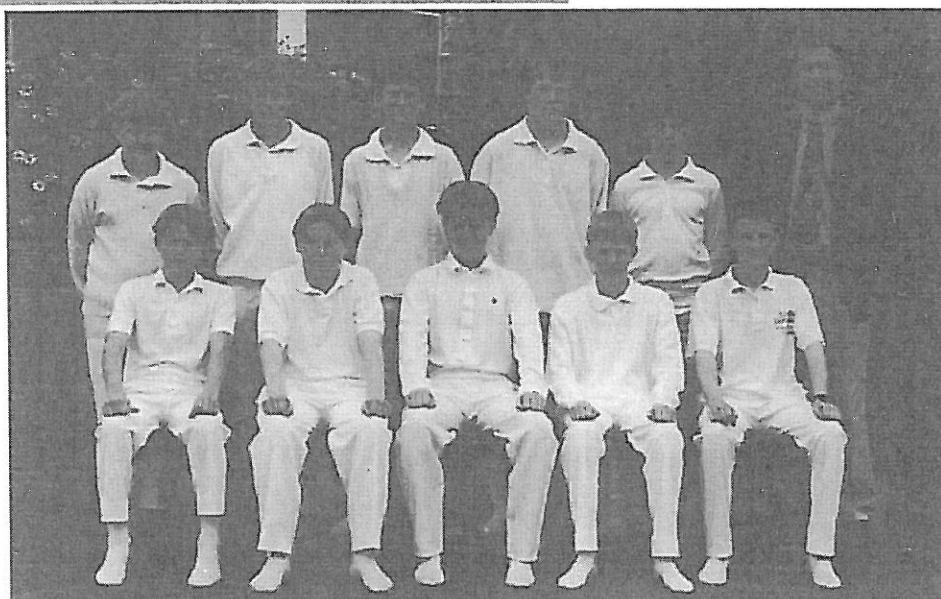
Front Row: K. Johnson,  
P. Smiley,  
J. Marinovich,  
R. Williams, R. Craig,  
Mr. Costello (Coach).

Cricket 5th Grade:

Back Row: N. Orchard,  
D. Bence, S. Ireland,  
J. Whittington,  
C. Smith, A. Murray.

Front Row: S. Johnson, L. Reed,  
O. Kirk, R. Crowe,  
R. Brophy.

Absent: T. Lazarus.



Cricket 5th Grade:

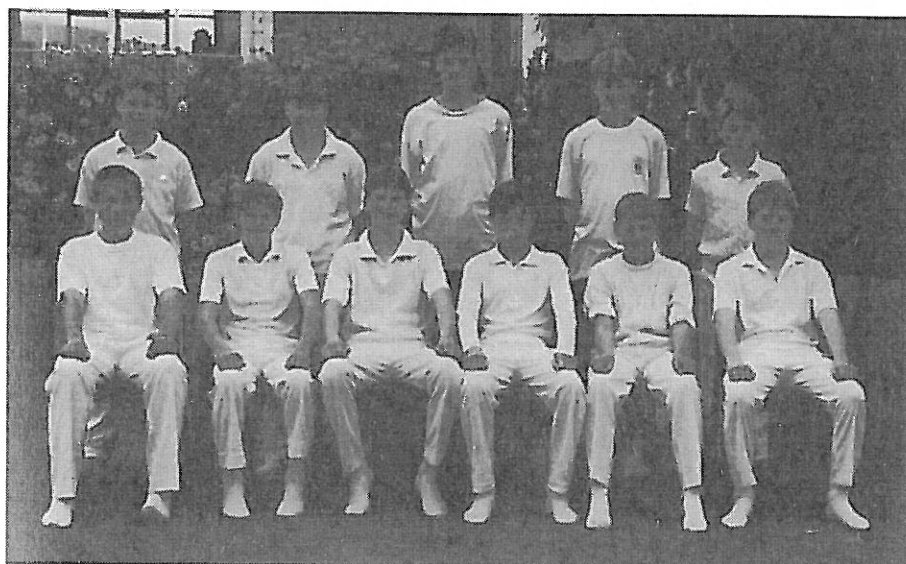
Back Row: Mr. McMorran  
(Coach), N. Orchard,  
M. Brown, C. Waretini,  
J. Shandley, P. Te Moana,  
R. Doyle.

Front Row: K. Murphy, B. Kemp,  
R. Brophy,  
J. Whittington,  
N. Betteridge,  
D. Murphy.





# CRICKET



Cricket 5th Grade Larwoods:

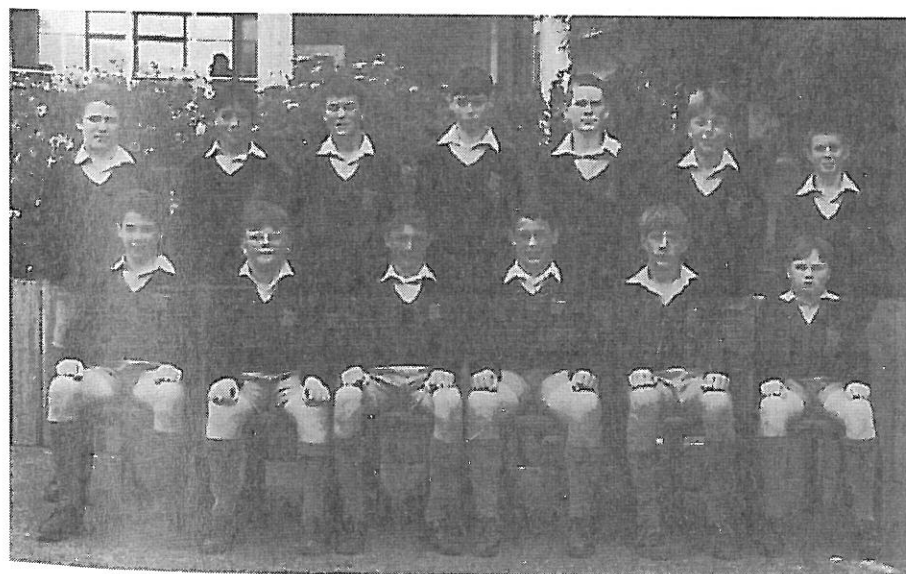
Back Row: S. McCullum,  
R. Williams, L. Wight,  
S. McGregor, S. Bell.

Front Row: J. Robinson, S. Johnson,  
S. Ireland, C. Smith,  
J. Blundell, P. Southee.

Cricket Form 1:

Back Row: G. Williams, S. Siffleet,  
J. Saville, J. Jordan,  
G. Pepper, A. Cleary,  
K. Merewether.

Front Row: L. Maindonald,  
J. Pierce, A. Blundall,  
S. Crackroft-Wilson,  
T. Carr, D. Wells.



Cricket Form 2:

Back Row: D. Parr, J. Matakū,  
J. Butler, N. Shepherd,  
B. Hart, C. Jordan,  
J. Clegg.

Front Row: B. Clark, J. Koorey,  
M. Kennard, P. Bushell,  
D. Hall, H. Frew.



# RUGBY



Two hundred and thirty two registered players, eleven teams, five Taranaki Secondary Schools titles, nine staff members and three parents coaching, 1995 has been a great year for rugby at FDMC.

Congratulations to Mr Dravitzki and the 1st XV for their success this year. First in Taranaki, semi finalists in the Northern Regions Knockout Tournament, runners up in the 7's and defeating St Johns, Hastings and St Augustines, Wanganui, proved a very satisfying season.

Other Taranaki Champions were the 3rd XV coached by Mr Whyte, C1 Grade Br Mark, D1 Grade Mr Sorenson, also this team was unbeaten, E Grade Blue Br Anthony and Mr Kevin Brophy. Thanks also to Mr Costello C2, Mr Blanks and Mr McGregor D2, Br Anthony E Grade Red, Br William 10th Grade and Mr Ross Fraser 9th Grade, for their commitment to their teams.

Mention must be made of our 2nd XV who were last in their competition half way through the season. With determined efforts and excellent coaching from Mr Doherty they qualified for the finals, on the way defeating Inglewood and Opunake 1st XV's. They lost the final in the last minute to the Waitara High School 1st XV. However, a great finish to the

season with their victory over the De La Salle 2nd XV. At the Rugby Presentation Assembly our guest speaker was our first All Black, John Mitchell.

It was a proud moment for Br William when he introduced John to the students. John delivered an inspirational speech on his past, his experiences with Waikato and the All Blacks, setting goals and finishing up by telling the boys that their destiny was in their hands. He then presented trophies and certificates.



The following boys were selected for Taranaki Representative Teams and we congratulate them; Taranaki Primary Schools, Brendon Hart, Taranaki Under 16, Andrew Roberts, Michael Sullivan,

Craig Morresey and Simon Drought(captain), Taranaki Secondary Schools, Stephen Prestney, Tim Stuck, Sean Spurdle, Grant Bishop, Mark Butterworth and Tony Penn.

For the first time a FDMC boy, Tim Stuck, 1st XV Captain, was awarded the Roger Urbhan Trophy for the most promising Taranaki rugby player under 18. Congratulations Tim.

To all coaches, managers, parents and friends of the college, thank you for your support and for the transport you provided. We look forward to 1996.

*John George,*

*Master in Charge of Rugby.*

## 1ST XV REPORT

This was a very good year for the 1st XV. The team set several goals, the first to play as high a standard of rugby as possible and the second to help increase Francis Douglas's profile as a rugby college. In the end both goals were achieved with the team proving great ambassadors for the school. There were three main highlights for the year.

Our early season tour to the South Island was both enjoyable and very successful with wins over St. Andrews (Christchurch), St Kevins (Oamaru) and Ashburton College. The players came together as a team on this tour and it was great to meet new people in a different environment.

The Taranaki Secondary Competition was as hard fought as ever with our main rivals being Hawera High School. We ended up playing them four times, winning three of those games, the most important being the final on Rugby Park No. 1. As Taranaki champions the team played very consistently averaging more than five tries per game.

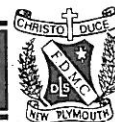
For the first time Francis Douglas entered the Northern Region Knock Out Competition which contains the best two sides from each Northern Union. Our first game was away to Taumarunui High School where we managed a close 34 to 29 win. This meant we played Western Heights from Rotorua in the quarter finals and, in what was perhaps the team's best performance of the year, we dominated to win 20 to 3. The semi final against Kelston Boys High was played at Francis Douglas with the team going down in a brave effort 37 to 12. Kelston went on to win the competition and the Top 4 Tournament to be the best secondary school side in the country.

The biggest characteristic of this year's team was the depth of playing strength. A number of first choice players were injured during the season and their replacements always took over and played at least as well. The logo on the end of year T-Shirt summed up the spirit of the side; No Passengers, No Prima Donnas.





# RUGBY



R. Uhlenberg, T. Penn, S. McDonald, D. Hancock, G. Bishop, W. Johnson, K. Ryan, J. Crawford, A. Secker, S. Foley, S. Spurdle, S. Prestney, N. Drought, K. Carey, G. Keinzley, N. Keegan, A. O'Neill, M. Lawn, M. Smith, M. Butterworth, C. Morressey - Members of the first XV on their South Island Tour.

Thanks to all those who supported the team during the year. It was great to see the school get behind the side at some of the home games and help develop a big match atmosphere. Thanks to all of the individual sponsors who contributed greatly to all we were able to do and achieve, and a special thanks to the parents for all their support with billeting, travel and sideline encouragement.

For the record the team played 22 games, winning 19 and losing 3. We scored 740 points and conceded only 272, with 115 tries making up a large proportion of the points scored. The team awards for 1995 were:

Kane Paltridge Trophy for the Outstanding Player Tim Stuck  
Murray Milham Trophy for Sportsmanship Mark Butterworth

Crawford Cup for the Most Valuable Player Keiran O'Neill  
Keinzley Cup for the Outstanding First Season Player Tony Penn  
George Cup for Most Points in a Season Nigel Keegan  
O'Neill Cup for Most Tries in a Season Stephen Prestney

## 1ST XV

Coach:	Martin Dravitzki
Manager:	Andy Sorensen
Captain:	Tim Stuck
Most Improved:	Kieran O'Neil
Best Team Player:	Simon McDonald
Most Valuable:	Stephen Prestney
Best Tackler:	Michael Lawn
Fair Play:	Tony Penn, Joe Crawford, Grant Bishop

## 2ND XV

Coach:	Richard Doherty
Manager:	Richard Doherty
Captain:	Damin Whittle
Most Improved:	Mark Uhlenberg
Best Team Player:	Andrew Roberts
Most Valuable:	Deacon Manu
Best Tackler:	Karl Carey
Fair Play:	Andrew Roberts, Damin Whittle

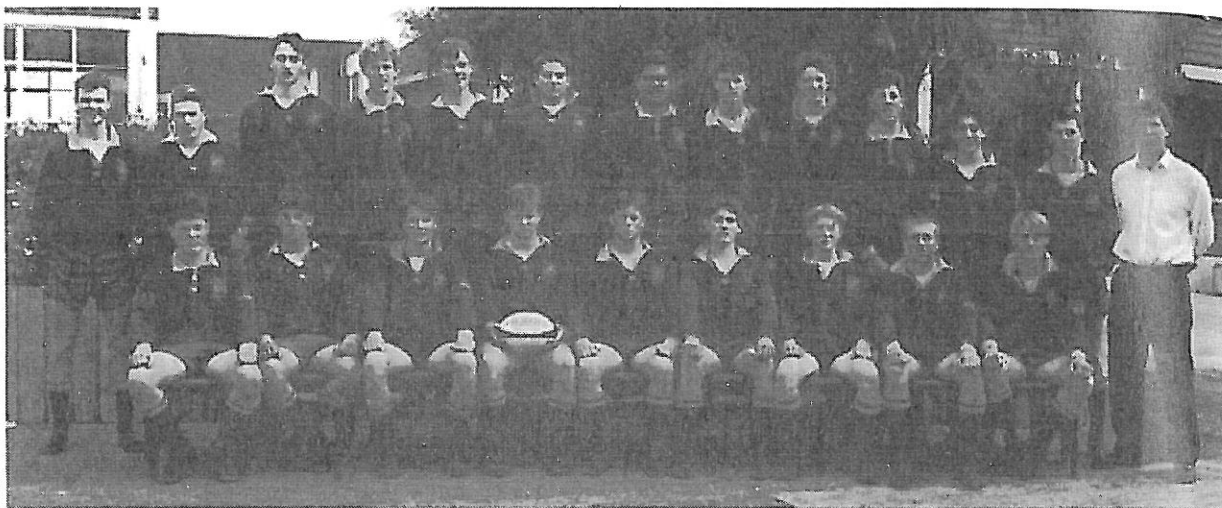
first quarter of the season left us languishing in last place which was depressing but revealed the fine nature of this outstanding team. At practice after losing five out of six matches, one might expect to find players missing, blaming one another, tempers flaring, but not so this team. These men knew they had the talent to perform brilliantly if only they would believe in themselves and their team mates - which is exactly what they did.

Much promise, on paper, pre-season saw a strong looking unit ready to take on all new-comers. Our first match against Hawera showed clearly that this would be no easy season. The

The fairytale ending was not to be, but the admiration earned from those who saw them play was certainly real and fully deserved.



# RUGBY



## Rugby 2nd XV

Back Row: M.Robinson, I.Utiger, J.Kale, T.Coster, B.Luscombe, A.O'Neill, D.Manu, B.Ewing, G.Uhlenberg, M.Uhlenberg, K.Ryan, A.Roberts, Mr.R.Doherty (Coach)

Front Row: S.Brown, A.McNeil, M.Stronge, D.Whittle (Captain), K.Carey, S.Kalin, M.Gray, S.Heal, H.Butler

## 3RD XV

Coach: John Whyte  
 Manager: Totally able and self sufficient.  
 NOT REQUIRED!!!  
 Captain: Brad Coogan  
 Most Improved: Andrew Watkins  
 Best Team Player: Ross Thacker  
 Most Valuable: Jon O'Sullivan  
 Best Tackler(s): Neil Hocken/Jay Litt  
 Fair Play: Jim Gollan, Ivan Tolja, Brent Taylor, Matthew McDowall, Ryan O'Byrne, Greg Gibbons, Kieran Lee, Tim Rush, Brendon Iremonger, Michael O'Sullivan

As in '94 the best performance for the team was held back until the final against Boy's High School, which we won 25-12. The squad's effort here could not be denied and a thoroughly deserved Championship was the result.

The team displayed an excellent spirit and morale remained high throughout the season even with the shakiest of starts. Practices were well attended.

A solid, hard grafting scrum provided the platform for team success against much bigger and more highly rated opponents. This was ably led by Captain Brad Coogan backed up by a solid pack.

Back to back championship wins for the 3rd XV and once again holders of the "Top Dog" Shield for the grade.

The backs proved excellent finishers for the ball supplied. A fine team effort - Well done!



## Rugby 3rd XV - Winners B2 Championship

Back Row: K.Jeffares, R.Thacker, I.Tolja, N.Hocken, T.Rush, R.O'Byrne, B.Iremonger, K.Lee, G.Gibbons, M.O'Sullivan, P.Lawn, M.Kitroser

Front Row: Mr.J.Whyte (Coach), J.Gollan, J.Litt, B.Taylor, B.Coogan (Captain), J.O'Sullivan, R.Duff, R.Carr, M.McDowall Absent: A.Watkins, W.Clegg



# RUGBY



## C1

Coach:	Br Mark McKeon
Captain:	Jarad Mason
Most Improved:	Karl Mander
Best Team Player:	Glenn Ryan
Most Valuable:	Jarrold Smith
Best Tackler:	Haedon Smith
Fair Play:	Brendon Andersen, Tristan Hancock

This year's C1 team was ably led by Jarad Mason whose tough attacking approach was adopted by the rest of the team. Both forwards and backs combined to be a well disciplined rugby team. During the season the backs produced some fine attacking moments resulting in superb tries. The forwards

worked well together especially in support play.

In the forwards Glenn Ryan and Karl Mander repeatedly led the forwards on long drives while Paul O'Byrne at half back was able to size up the situation and initiate some great moves in the backs. Our talented back line easily cut through most defences. The season saw us play 12 games with 8 wins and four losses. Three of those losses were to Hawera College who we eventually met in the final. In this game the team produced their best effort of the season. After suffering an early set back when Hawera scored, the team powered home to come out winners 13-5. The support given to the team by the parents during the season surely spurred the team on in the games they played.



Rugby C1

Back Row: Brother M. McKeon, G. Ryan, M. Drought, J. Stevenson, J. Glasgow, S. Crawford, J. Smith, M. Wiig, S. O'Sullivan, P. Secker,  
Front Row: M. Reid, P. O'Byrne, H. Smith, J. Mason (Captain), K. Mander, T. Hancock, L. Clifford, G. Collins

## C2

Coach:	Peter Costello
Manager:	Howie Tamati
Captain:	Nathan Hessell
Most Improved:	Ryan Blackburn (and best individual tackle of the year)
Best Team Player:	Karl Kalders
Most Valuable:	Chris Hancock & Reece Williams
Best Tackler:	Craig Laing

C2 - the team that shook the College with the margin of its improvement through the season. After losing the first three games by 0-54, 0-46 and 7-48, the team made great strides, slowly closing the gap until it eventually drew 10-10 with Opunake H.S. (The team it earlier lost to by 7-48) and then winning its last three games, including beating Opunake. This team deserves all the plaudits it gets for the way the boys persevered and built up a supportive spirit among themselves.

## D2

Coach:	G. Blanks
Manager:	R. McGregor
Captain:	Scott McGregor
Most Improved:	J. McDowall
Best Team Player:	D. Gollan
Most Valuable:	D. Henderson
Best Tackler:	D. Henderson
Fair Play:	R. Williams

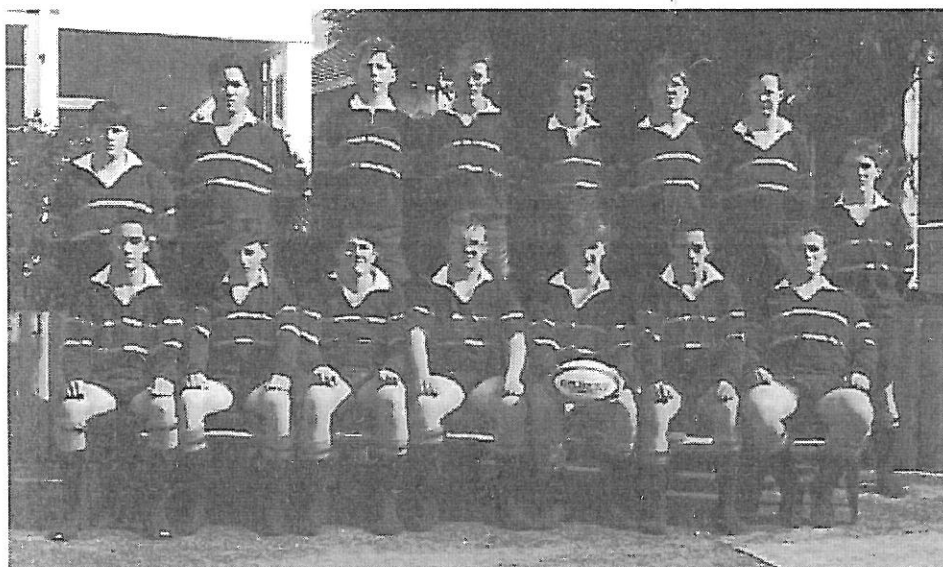
The members of this team were very keen and practised very well. They always gave 100% in effort and although their win-loss record was not spectacular they were a pleasure to work with and improved greatly over the season.

Several players showed great potential. Special thanks to Mr Rob McGregor for his help in coaching and managing.





# RUGBY



Rugby C2

Back Row: Mr.P.Costello  
(Coach), G.Hermann,  
S.Matuku, D.Beatson,  
R.Williams,  
R.Blackbourn, J.Hurley,  
S.Costello, C.Laing,

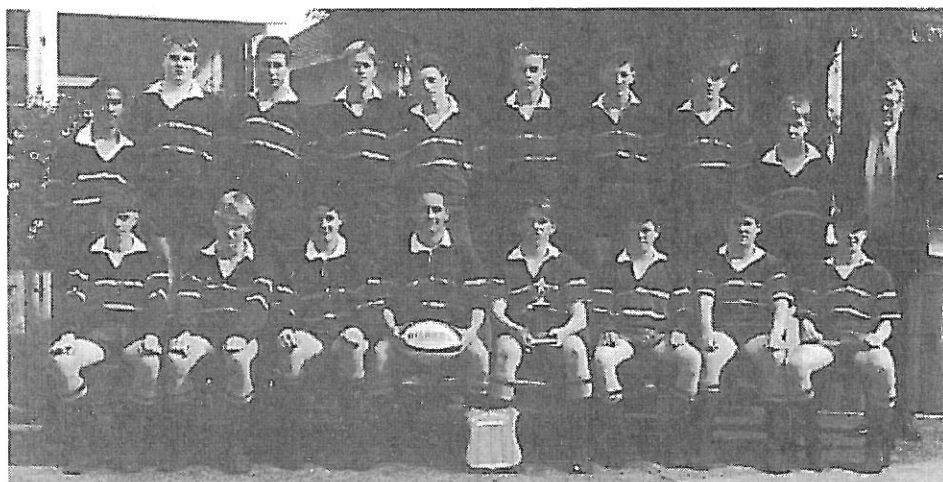
Front Row: K.Kalders,  
C.Hancock,  
M.Wheatley, Q.Werder,  
N.Hessell (Captain),  
H.Tamati, E.Menefy

Absent: N.Jenkins, P.Thacker,  
A.Nuku, T.Mulligan,  
A.Hall

Rugby D2

Back Row: D.Henderson,  
O.Harvey, S.Tippett,  
S.McLellan, B.Kemp,  
K.Smith, C.Wheatley,  
A.Fraser, N.Hurley,  
J.McDowall,  
M.Brown,  
Mr.G.Blanks (Coach)

Front Row: J.Robinson,  
B.Thompson,  
D.Gollan,  
S.McGregor,  
M.Dimock,  
J.Chandler, L.Reed,  
R.Williams



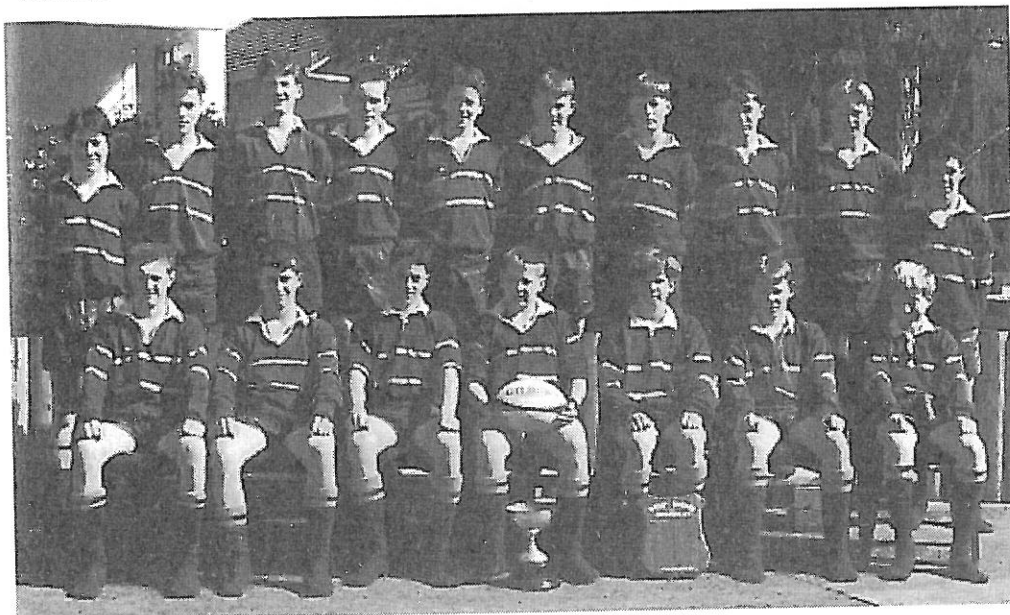
Rugby D

Back Row: C.Waretini,  
J.Warrington,  
K.Murphy, R.Watt,  
N.Kowalewski,  
D.Taylor, J.Ewing,  
B.Bourke, R.Bishop,  
Mr.Sorenson (Coach)

Front Row: A.Turner, J.Coster,  
J.Shanley, R.Te Moana,  
L.Mcdonald (Captain),  
K.Johnson, M.Stuck,  
C.Snook



# RUGBY



## Rugby E Blue

Back Row: S.Ryan,  
S.Merewether,  
S.Ireland, B.Hart,  
R.Craig,  
H.Gopperth,  
A.Dudley,  
S.Lynskey,  
S.Wilson,  
G.Gatsby

Front Row: R.Brophy,  
M.Gopperth,  
J.H.Quin,  
R.McDonald  
(Captain),  
S.Johnson,  
J.Blundell,  
M.Eaton

## E GRADE BLUE

Coach: Stephen Brophy  
Manager & Selector: Br Anthony  
Captain: Ryan McDonald - Well Led  
Most Improved: Jamie Blundell  
Best Team Player: Simon Lynskey & Glen Gadsby  
Most Valuable: Scott Ireland  
Best Tackler: Rory Brophy  
Fair Play: Rohan Craig, Shaun Johnson, Matthew Eaton

FDMC E Grade were joint winners of the competition with the front row of Aaron Dudley, Ryan McDonald and Rohan Craig. With the skill and power of these boys at scrum time, tightheads were all too many to count. They were well backed up by our locks in Simon Lynskey and Hayden Gopperth tireless workers in the tight five. Our loose trio of Scott Ireland, Glen Gadsby and Brendon Hart were in a class of their own supporting one another and defending superbly. Congratulations go to Brendon in gaining selection in the Taranaki Primary Schools team. Jamie Blundell at half back was our most

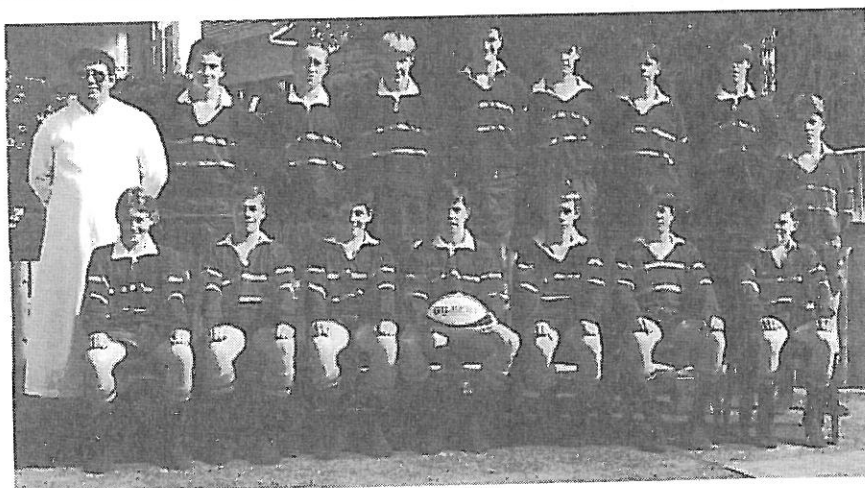
improved player by far and his confidence grew as the season progressed. Marc Gopperth at first five-eighth was steady and gave his backline plenty of opportunities. 2nd five-eighth Rory Brophy was solid on defence and the ability to score the try. Shane Wilson was a most powerful runner also scoring many tries. Two other improved players were our wingers Simon Merewether and Shannon Ryan. Our full back Jon-Henri Quin really showed his class in the early games but a school-yard injury put him out for the rest of the season. His replacement, ex-flanker Shaun Johnson filled in extremely well, his defence superb and his ability to beat a man saved us on many occasions. Matthew Eaton flanker and lock supported the team well. The character of FDMC really came out in the final when finding ourselves down 14 - 0 at halftime, we fought back with guts and courage to level 14 all and take the championship. Congratulations boys! Thanks must go to all parents and grandparents for their support, also to the College support both staff and pupils. Thank you once again for a great season.

*Steve Brophy*

## Rugby E Red

Back Row: Brother Anthony, N.Carter,  
W.Capper, H.P.Anderson,  
L.Wight, H.Meads,  
A.Rowlands, J.Parsons,  
P.Southee,

Front Row: H.McDonald, S.McCullum,  
A.Kalin, C.Smith (Captain),  
D.Stark, B.Mason, A.Cronin





# RUGBY



## E GRADE RED

Coach:	Br Anthony
Manager:	Trevor Smith
Captain:	Conrad Smith
Most Improved:	Alastair Kalin
Best Team Player:	Patrick Southee
Most Valuable:	Conrad Smith
Best Tackler:	Hans Peter Anderson
Fair Play:	Ben Mason, Hamish McDonald, Sam McCullum, Bryan Dobson

E Grade Red despite having a tough draw did well to reach the finals. The highlights of the season were the two games against FDC E Grade Blue where the Red Team rose to the occasion and showed tremendous character and courage. E Grade illustrated the great depth that is presented in rugby at Francis Douglas. Thanks to the boys for a great season and I hope that they continue to enjoy playing rugby.

*Br Anthony*

## 9TH GRADE

Coach:	Ross Fraser
Most Improved:	Brendan Clark
Best Team Player:	Rawiri Johnston
Most Valuable:	Brendon Hart
Best Tackler:	Kent Fraser
Fair Play:	Gareth Farmer

Reasonably successful season but the rain dampened the second half with seven games cancelled. I feel the boys enjoyed the games as they improved their team pattern.



### Rugby 9th

Back Row: Mr.R.Fraser (Coach), J.Matuku, J.Butler, R.Johnston, M.Harrison, G.Farmer, S.Gregory-Hunt, D.Parr, J.Koorey  
Front Row: B.Clark, M.Melody, M.King, B.Hart, S.Mullin, K.Fraser, S.Anderson, H.Murray, G.Clegg.

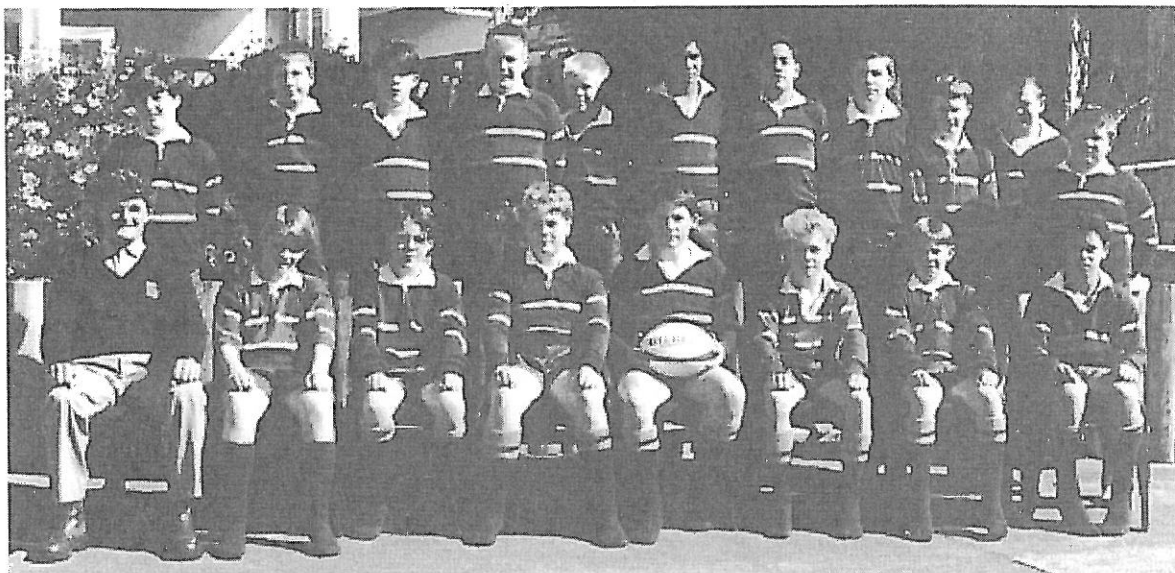
## 10TH

Coach:	Br William
Manager(s)	Mr & Mrs Tamarapa
Captain:	James Saville
Most Improved:	Laurence Maindonald
Best Team Player:	Aaron Blundell
Most Valuable:	James Saville
Best Tackler:	Kyle Merewether
Fair Play:	Scott Siffleet, Paul Gadsby

Aaron Blundell: A class halfback with fast hands and feet.  
Travers Carr: As flanker he made some tear away runs.  
Sam Coneglan: A lock who claimed good lineout ball.  
Peter Coppen: Did some elusive running as wing.  
Jason Couper: Liked to wrestle the ball from opponents.  
Harry De Brouwer: A straight up the middle second five.  
Paul Gadsby: Good rugby skills shown at fullback.

Jonathan Hales: Scored some good tries from first five.  
Laurence Maindonald: Hard to stop on the "Bull Allen" run.  
Kyle Merewether: A sidestepping centre with a deadly tackle.  
Caide Patten: Did many good runs from hooker.  
Jonathan Pierce: A game player who put team first.  
James Saville: Dedicated captain. Proved unstoppable on the run.  
Scott Siffleet: A prop with a future. Played an honest game.  
Andre Stanway: Scored the best solo try of the season.  
James Tamarapa: Hard driving No 8. Never far from the ball.  
Gregory Taylor: Travelled from Midhirst. Fair play candidate.  
Manu Malli: Much improved player. Good winger.  
Denny Gradwell: Good team man. Did one or two good tackles.  
Adrian Cleary: A strong front row. Keen team member.





#### Rugby 10th

Back Row: S.Conalgen, T.Carr, J.Couper, S.Siffleet, A.Stanway, P.Coppen, J.Tamarapa, C.Patten, J.Pierce, L.Maindonald  
Front Row: Brother William, G.Taylor, P.Gadsby, A.Cleary, J.Saville, K.Merewether, A.Blundell, H.De Brouwer

#### GOLF

The Taranaki Secondary Schools Golf Tournament was held this year at Hawera. The conditions were tough. The greens were waterlogged and fairways were heavy and soggy. Even the trip down to South Taranaki was hazardous - and that had nothing to do with the driving!!

Seven Colleges competed and it was our goal to finish in the top five. We actually coped with the conditions very well and finished up third only ten shots behind the winners N.P.B.H.S.

For the record the scores were	Nigel Smith	79
	Stephen Taylor	81
	Deacon Manu	90
	John Schrider	DNF

We look forward to 1996.

*Nigel Smith*



#### MOTORCROSS



S Merewether, P Uhlenberg, C Laird, S Emeny, C Behl, J Merewether.

Members of the FDMC Motorcross team.  
Winners of the 1995 Taranaki Secondary Schools Motorcross Challenge.



# SOCCER



Once again this year we have been very fortunate to obtain the services of parents and teachers who have been able to coach and manage the teams outstandingly well. The boys do enjoy playing for their College but without these generous people we cannot provide the teams.

The College would like to thank the following very much.  
General Co-ordinator Mr Graeme Mustchin

First Eleven Coach: Mr Van Hattum  
Manager: Mr Hart  
Afternoon Tea Co-ordinator: Mrs Hart

Second Eleven Coach: Mr Maistry  
Manager: Mr Mulvaney

Third Eleven Coach: Mr Brbich  
Manager: Mrs Brbich

Thirteenth Grade Coach: Mr Jordan

## FIRST ELEVEN

Captain: Josef Kaiser  
Player of the Year: Heath Smith  
Best Team Spirit  
& Player of the Tournament: Kelby Smith  
Most Improved Player: Scott Kirdy

Because of the way soccer is organised in Taranaki it is always difficult to know from year to year what the best competition is for the First Eleven.

In 1995 it was decided that they should play in the Men's Senior First Division. We were not to regret this.

In the words of the Coach - "It was a sound, harmonious team containing a lot of talent. A hard working defence combined well with a midfield that perhaps attacked too much. The forward combination of Heath Smith, Clem Mustchin, Carl Van Lent and Nathan Frew was deadly. The Top Scorers for the season were Heath (31); Carl (12) and Clem (11). Josef Kaiser needs special praise for his captaincy, control and commitment. The team achieved a very creditable fourth position. I wish to express my special thanks to Mr Robin Hart. I have never met a manager who could stand in Mr Hart's shadow. Mr Mustchin's liaison was invaluable and he ran off-field activities "like clockwork."

At National Tournament against 23 other Colleges the team had mixed fortunes. Injuries made success difficult but nevertheless they were competitive. They won two of their six games. They were awarded the Fair Play trophy for their general sportsmanship on and off the field.

## SECOND ELEVEN

Player of the Year: Tom Mace  
Most Improved Player: Vijay Bhana  
Best Team Spirit: Grant Howard  
Captain: Richard Crowe

## THIRD ELEVEN

Player of the Year: Nicholas Betteridge  
Most Improved Player: Reuben Doyle  
Best Team Spirit: Dylan Hall  
Captain: Steve Brbich

On the 24th June the Francis Douglas 3rd XI prepared to take on Manchester United (NPBHS). It was do or die time for the Francis Douglas 3rd XI. With only NINE men the battle raged on until Brento Vercio 'opened the front door' with a ripper!!! Manchester United squared the game up in the second half. Early in the second half they had to try some new tactics, by trying to OUT NUMBER us with 12 men on the field! (Just as well we can count, eh Mr Smith!) Reuben 'Branco' Doyle outpaced the 'langsters' causing mayhem in their backs. The brilliance of Stevo 'Roberto' Burbich absolutely demolished the opposition with spectacular balls through to star striker Nicholas 'Romario' Betteridge. Keeper Dylan 'the Dominator' Hall kept the opposition out. In the dying seconds of the game with the score level Betteridge snatched a late goal, result 2-1. He's a magician! What a team!

Article written by the Riddler and the Joker - ha! ha! ha! ha!

## THIRTEENTH GRADE

After a mixed start to the season the team settled down to be very competitive in its grade and worked through to finish the season in second place in its division.

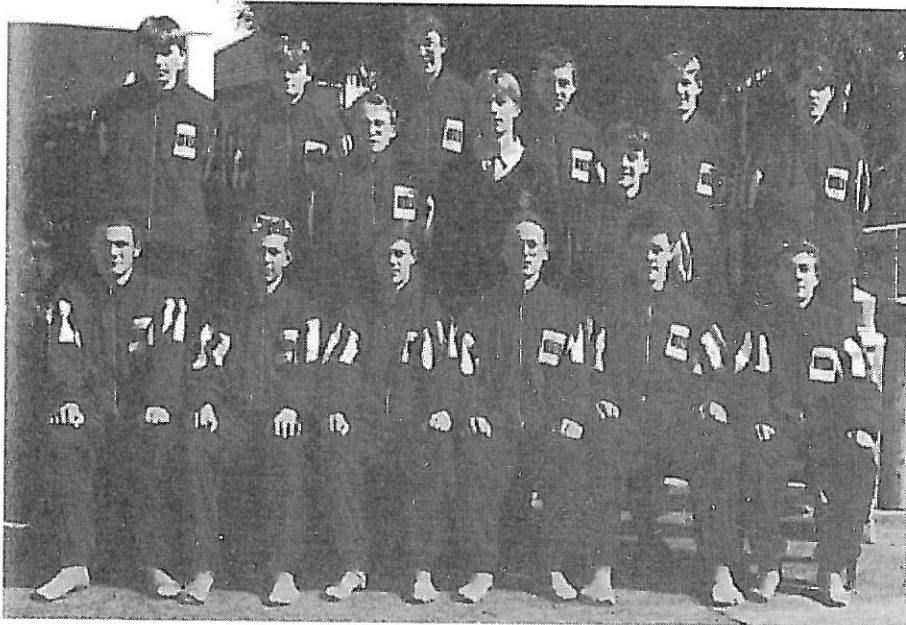
The team was well led by the captain and outstanding player Christopher Jordan. Vice Captain was Paul Bushell. Also starring throughout the season with many strong games was Jonathan Jordan.

Most improved players: Blair Willans & Scott Moselen  
Best Team Spirit: Blair Willans  
- for attendance at training  
Brad Wackrow - for taking on and persisting with the thankless task of goalkeeping.

Representative honours were achieved by Bruce Laing and Ben Schumacher while Christopher Jordan was a member of the Taranaki Team which won the national age group title.



# SOCCER



Soccer First XI:

Back Row: J. Beckett, C. Mustchin,  
S. Bowling, S. Kirdy,  
J. Boyd, H. Smith.

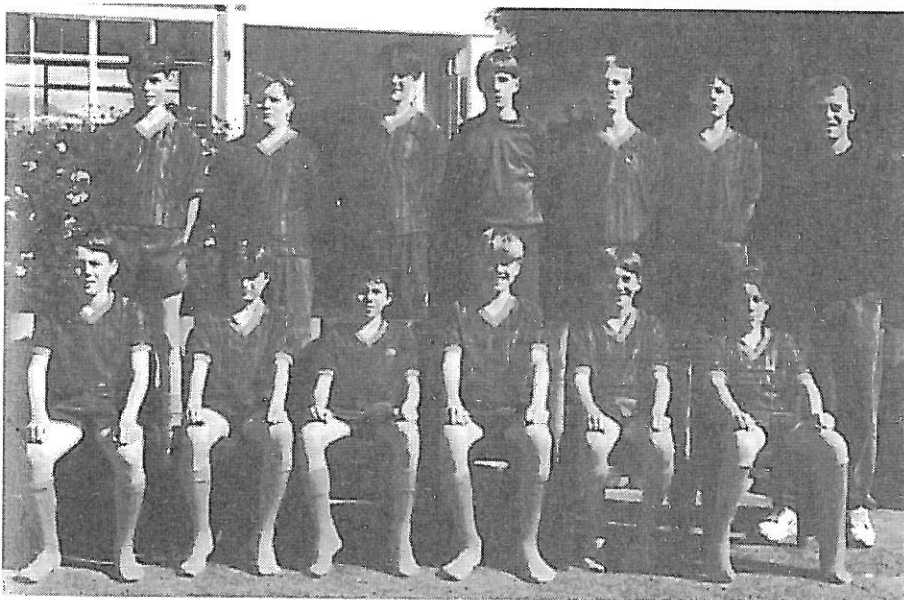
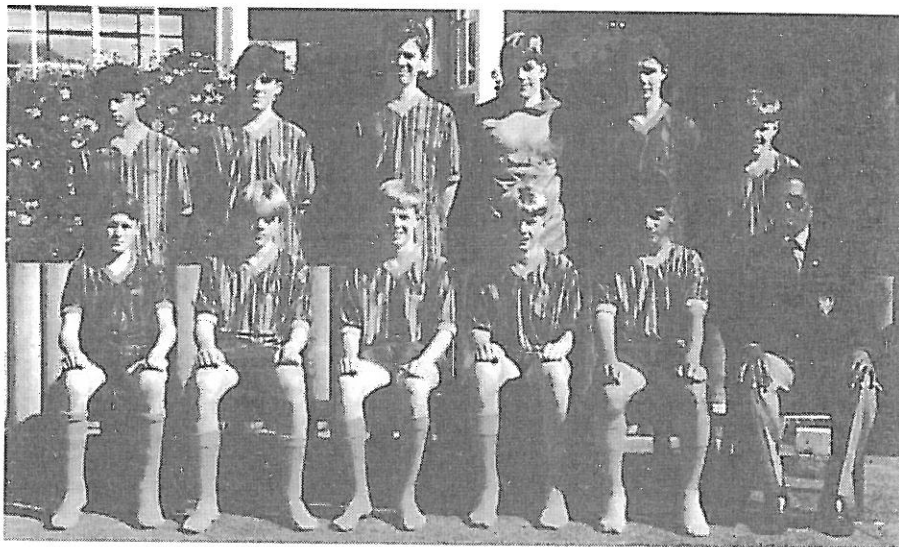
Centre Row: N. Frew, A. Taylor,  
M. Matthews.

Front Row: S. Hart, R. Smiley,  
J. Lock, J. Kaiser,  
C. Van Lent, K. Smith.  
Coach: Mr. Van Hattum.  
Manager: Mr. Hart.

Soccer Second XI:

Back Row: J. Bhana, T. Barraclough,  
P. O'Donnell, G. Howard,  
M. Bevins, N. Orchard.

Front Row: G. Koch, T. Mace,  
R. Crowe (Captain),  
M. Kuriger, V. Bhana,  
Mr. P. Maistry (Coach).



Soccer Third XI:

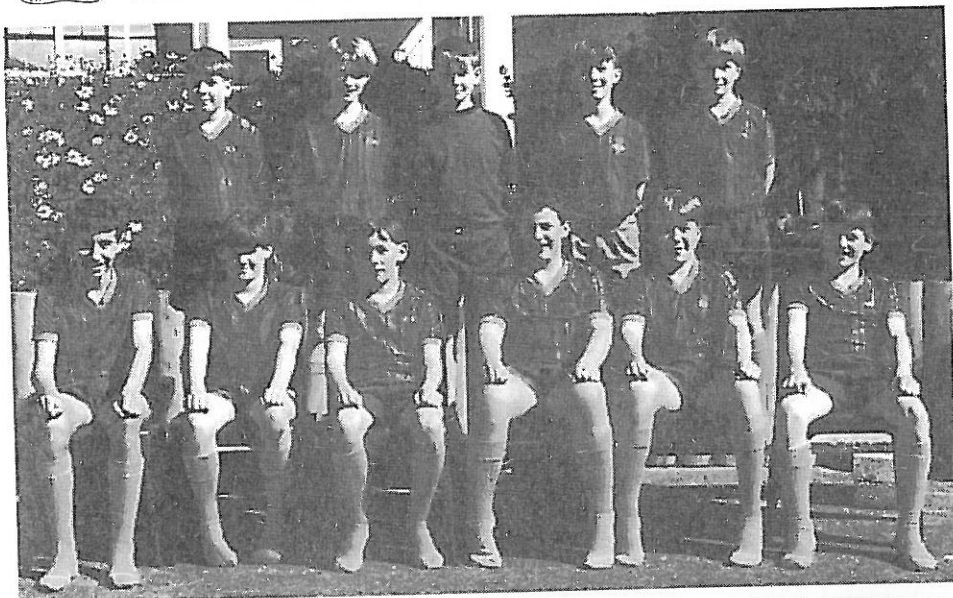
Back Row: N. Shepherd, D. Loake,  
M. Forrest, D. Hall,  
G. Wackrow, D. Jenkins,  
Mr. Brbich (Coach).

Front Row: B. Vercove, J. Barrett,  
J. Bevin, S. Brbich  
(Captain), N. Betteridge,  
R Doyle.





# SOCCER



Soccer U13s:

Back Row: B. Willan, D. Waite,  
B. Wackrow,  
S. Moselen,  
G. Dravitski.

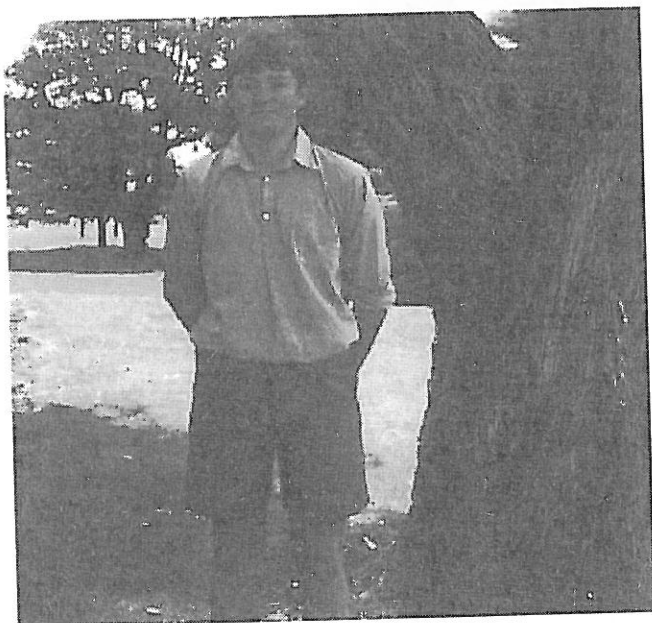
Front Row: J. Jordan,  
G. Williams, S. Huesser,  
P. Bushell, C. Jordan,  
B. Schumacher

Coach: Mr. Jordan.

Soccer Taranaki Reps:

Back Row: M. Forrest,  
P. Cracroft-Wilson,  
D. Bence,  
M. Kuriger,  
R. Crowe, D. Hall,  
C. Jordan,  
M. Bocock.

Front row: V. Bhana,  
M. Burland,  
N. Betteridge,  
S. Brbich, N. Rush,  
S. Cracroft-Wilson.



## YOUNG ACHIEVER

For many years Clem Mustchin has been notable for many soccer achievements both as a club player and as a representative player for three provinces.

In 1995 he has been honoured by the Taranaki Football Association by being named as the Youth Soccer Player of the Year.

He also received the Fair Play Award for the Senior First Division in Taranaki as a result of nominations made by the referees.



# SPORT



## HOCKEY

A very successful season for our College Hockey Team - 2nd in all three competition rounds. This was a tremendous effort as the team comprised of representatives from Form 1 to Form 7.

All boys are to be congratulated for their efforts throughout the season - 12 players who gave their best each week at training and at the games on Saturday. Thanks and congratulations to Daniel Jane, Tim Turner (Form 7), Scott Little, Scott Gillum, Matthew McCalman, Matthew Clarkson, Vaughan Rowe, Jun Kendrick (Form 5), Andrew Gibson, Chito Kendrick (Form 4), Marc Gander (Form 2), Kalpesh Chhiba (Form 1). Thanks to our reserves as well.

Our parents and supporters are to be thanked, specially for their transporting of the players and their continued support.



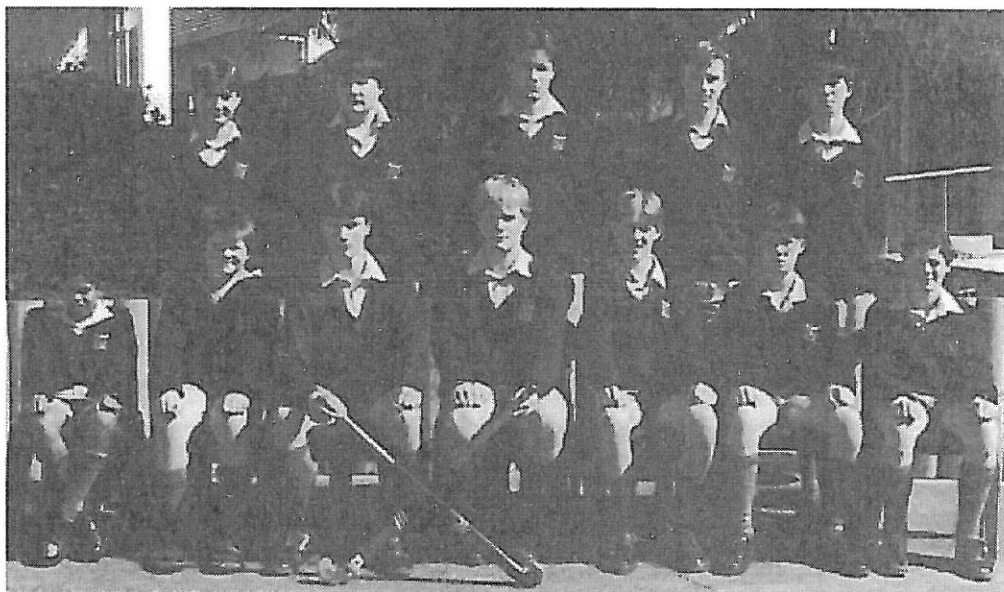
Award Winners from the Hockey Eleven

### College Hockey XI

Back Row: M.Clarkson,  
M.McCalman,  
D.Jane, T.Turner,  
J.Kendrick

Front Row: K.Chhiba,  
M.Gander,  
S.Little,  
S.Gillum,  
V.Rowe,  
C.Kendrick,  
A.Gibson

Managers: Mr.Kendrick,  
Mrs.Little,  
Brother Tim



## RUGBY LEAGUE

This year due to the presence of an outstanding Rugby League Coach from Queensland the College entered the Taranaki Secondary Schools Tournament and WON it. Several members of the First XV made the Taranaki XIII Squad. Special thanks go to Br "Lowie" Anthony and Mr Dravitzki who arranged the temporary transfers.



## SKIING



They're a keen bunch these skiers. They wanted to get away early to do a bit of warm up and practice before the competition day. "Last year we left at 5.30 am" they said. The new coach/ manger did not agree and came up with A FAR MORE SENSIBLE IDEA of leaving early, at 3.00 pm the previous day. So that was it!!

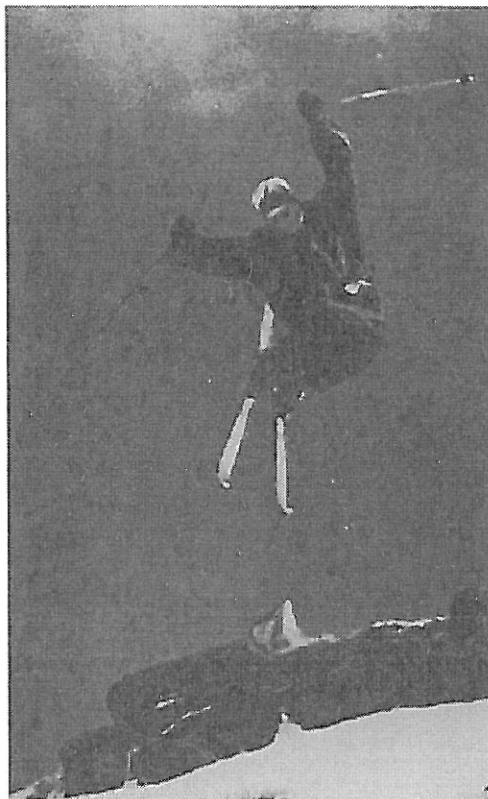
We arrived in Ohakune Saturday and settled into the accommodation. (Well it was the spa pool for some. Who was that "Teresa Green?") Sunday had us up early hanging out for the latest ski report. Sounded marginal but we didn't travel this far to sit in our rooms. A good days skiing with the cloud lifting now and then to reveal the spread of the field. What's' on the menu tonight boys?? Ahh Lasagne!!

Monday, the first day of competition. We rallied the troops and tuned into the radio only to find that the racing was cancelled. What's there to do on a non skiing day in Ohakune!!? A trip to the hot pools at the powder horn, cruising the shops. Simon found a new pair of skis and got them all set up for the next days racing.

Tuesday. The competition we had come for was on. We arrived at Whakapapa and headed off to the valley. Simon Deken our course

maintenance man and a snow boarder hadn't been to the field before and was impressed. The weather was great. No wind, blue sky and a fresh layer of new snow over a firm base.

There were 120 plus schools competing with over 600 people involved.



Jeremy Burn was away in the early runs in the senior boys. We had to point out that because his name appeared fourth on the list didn't necessarily mean he was fourth fastest in New Zealand. (Positions were randomly selected Jeremy! Sorry old son.) He tackled the challenging course well and returned a respectable time.

Hans -Peter Anderson raced through the Junior boy's course with ease followed by Simon Lynskey who made it look easy having warmed up on his new skis.

Meanwhile Michael Sullivan tried his best on the senior course. He had a fall but got up and carried on to earn some valuable points for the team. You see there was another competition going on as well. Ever since the team beat Sacred Heart Girls College at the Taranaki champs, they were out to show that it was because of their skill and that they could do it again. So every point counted.

Nick Winger was last to go. He had to contend with the cut up course but

completed it well.

Simon O'Sullivan our reserve skier and course maintenance man assisted on the course and scored the free lunch that came with the job!!

So it was a great days skiing.

Day two of the competition saw the dual slalom racing. Another brilliant day weather-wise and the boys once again held their position in the rankings. I must say that there was the occasional drift of "mist" over on the far West "T" bar but it wasn't until we got down to the car park that somebody asked if we had noticed that the mountain was erupting!. That explained the mist.!

The results: Overall the team scored well. We were placed 45th out of the 120 schools, a huge improvement on last year's results and we finished clearly ahead of Sacred Heart. Now we've got a challenge to uphold our results next year.

*Peter Smith*







# WRESTLING



1995 proved to be a year when there were several notable achievements for those involved with the Francis Douglas Wrestling Team. We were placed 6th wrestling college in New Zealand and most boys won medals at the Taranaki Champs and three boys earned official New Zealand honours at Auckland.

Early in Term One the original squad of 22 boys was fortunate in having a morning training session during school time with the senior American coach Hank Worsley. His tuition was particularly appreciated because it dove-tailed neatly with the training already given by Mr Kibby and boys were able to refine further their attacking techniques.

Then in May the most able 9 boys headed to Auckland to compete in the New Zealand Schoolboy Wrestling Championships. We were delayed for a few hours unfortunately because one of our vehicles was involved in an accident on the Auckland motorway. This resulted in us arriving a little late for the weigh in at the Papakura Sporting complex.



Wrestling Team:

Back Row: Mr. W. Kibby, J. Mahoney, S. Dettling, R. Hooker, N. Scott.

Front Row: D. Gollan, N. Hurley, J. Gollan (Captain), S. McGregor, J. Hurley.

Absent: J. Bunting.

An interesting feature here was the number of our wrestlers involved in sweat losing activities so as to be able to maximise their weight advantage in their real weight class. This saw the start of a real team spirit starting to develop as boys worked in support of each other. Our sense of self worth and identity developed further when we arrived at our accommodation which was the extremely wealthy private Dilworth School for boys. The teaching, administration and boarding blocks are all of an ostentatiously opulent design which proved to be a most exciting and enjoyable physical environment to be in. At this school wrestling is a compulsory part of the physical fitness programme and our boys quickly realised that this school would be providing much of our competition. The 2 level dormitory with cantilevered upper level protruding out above the lower level provided excellent opportunity for various antics from the Dilworth wrestling boys. Sleep eventually came.

The New Zealand championships proved to be most exciting especially considering the fact that three of our senior boys were in the same general class. Jason, Neil and Jim featured prominently with Neil probably having the most difficult time

with the number of fights he had. He earned considerable admiration from the judges and was eventually awarded the cup for the best unplaced wrestler in the competition. Jim won a well deserved bronze medal and Joe won a silver medal managing to mesmerise some of his opponents with his unorthodox wrestling style. Eventually our Francis Douglas Wrestling Team gained sixth place in New Zealand - the best we have ever done.

Mr Kibby was elected secretary for the New Zealand Secondary School Wrestling Association for 1995/1996.

Certain schoolboys were invited to trial for the New Zealand Wrestling team to tour the United States next year and Jim and Neil were chosen from our school. The first major training camp was at Katikati and the second one was held at New Plymouth. Neil was eventually chosen to be part of the squad of twelve to tour the USA next March. Congratulations, Neil.

All in all this year was one of the more memorable years that the FDC Wrestling team has known. Things are looking particularly bright for next year.

The 1995 Wrestling Team was : Jim Gollan (Captain), Neil Scott, Jason Mahony, Shaun Dettling, Jeremy Bunting, Joseph Hurley, Nathan Hurley, David Gollan, Richard Hooker, Shane Wilson, Grant Howard and Scott McGregor.

*Wayne Kibby*



# BASKETBALL



## FDMC JUNIOR BASKETBALL LEAGUE TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL AWARDS FOR 1995 SEASON

TEAM	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER	BEST PLAYER	CAPTAIN
<b>FORM 1 GRADE</b>			
FDMC Phantoms	Jonothan Pierce	Aaron Blundell	Aaron Blundell
FDMC Dreamers	Ben Schumacher	Sam Cracroft-Wilson	Sam Cracroft-Wilson

Most Improved Form 1 player: James Tamarapa  
MVP: Form 1 Player: Sam Cracroft-Wilson  
Junior League: FDMC Dreamers : Runners up Form 1

<b>FORM 2 GRADE</b>			
FDMC Stealers	Haydyn Frew	Kent Fraser	Michael Melody
FDMC Demons	Kelvin Hong	Hamish Murray	Gareth Clegg
FDMC Raiders	Brendan Clarke	Nicholas Shepherd	Brendan Clarke

Most Improved Form 2 Player: Brendan Clarke  
MVP: Form 2 Player: Nicholas Shepherd  
Junior League: FDMC Raiders: 3rd Form 2

<b>UNDER 14 GRADE</b>			
FDMC Classics	Bryan Dobson	Oliver Kirk	Oliver Kirk
FDMC Rap	Richard Crowe	Scott Ireland	Scott Ireland
FDMC Warriors	Shane Bell	Owen Harvey	Harley Coombe

Most Improved U14 Player: Bryan Dobson  
MVP: U14 Player: Oliver Kirk

<b>UNDER 16 GRADE</b>			
FDMC Jazz	Craig Melody	Brendan Bourke	Brendan Bourke
FDMC Boarders	Leonard Clifford	Andrew Roberts	Andrew Roberts
FDMC Phoenix	Matthew Lawn	Sam Kird	Sam Kirk
FDMC Spurs	John Sinclair	Carl Behrent	Philip Smiley

Most Improved U16 Player: Matthew Lawn  
MVP: U16 Player: Sam Kirk  
Junior League: Phoenix : Winners : U16 League & Final

<b>UNDER 18 GRADE</b>			
FDMC Devils	Bevan Watson	Jono O'Sullivan	Che Yandle
FDMC Mob	Aaron O'Neill	Kieran Lee	Jamie Faull

Most Improved U18 Player: Aaron Ratahi  
MVP: U18 Player: Jonothan O'Sullivan  
Junior League: Devils : Winners : U18 League & Final

**Trophy :** Student Coach of the Year: Scott Wheeler (FDMC Dreamers)

### FAIR PLAY AWARDS

Leon Butler	Jeremy Butler	Bryan Dobson	Brendan Bourke
Trent Coster	Bevan Watson	Carl Bennett	Jonothan O'Sullivan



# BASKETBALL



## REPRESENTATIVES

### New Plymouth Junior Basketball

U14 Boys:	Scott Ireland (Hawkes Bay)
U16 Boys:	Boys unavailable (South Island Tour)
U18 Boys:	Boys unavailable (South Island Tour)
U20 Men:	Jonothan O'Sullivan, Che Yandle (New Plymouth)

### F3/4 Taranaki Secondary Schools Tournament

Matthew Lawn (Capt)	Landon Elder	Gareth Collins
Brendan Bourke	Scott Ireland	Jason McGrory
Philip Smiley	Kristian South	Luke Hansen
Bryan Dobson	Oliver Kirk	

Placed: 1st in Tournament

## SENIOR SQUAD BASKETBALL

### Players Certificate of Merit

Che Yandle (Captain)	Jonothan O'Sullivan	Simon Ball
Aaron Ratahi	Dwayne Reese	Sam Kirk
Aaron South	Matthew Reese	Paul King
Vaughan Maclean	Matthew Lawn	Carl Bennett
Simon Smith	Neil Death	Landon Elder

### Certificate : South Island Tour:

Che Yandle (Captain)	Jonothan O'Sullivan	Simon Ball
Aaron Ratahi	Sam Kirk	Matthew Reese
Aaron South	Paul King	Carl Bennett
Simon Smith		

### Awards:

Senior B	Most Improved Player:	Vaughan Maclean
	Most Valuable Player:	Paul King

### Senior A

Certificates of Merit:	MVP : Guard :	Simon Ball
	MVP : Forward :	Jonothan O'Sullivan
	Most Points Scored:	Che Yandle
	MVP : Defence	Jonothan O'Sullivan

Dennis Toon Trophy:	Most Improved Senior A Player:	Sam Kirk
	Captain's Trophy:	Che Yandle

Joseph Riordin Trophy: Most Valuable Player In Senior A:

**Jonothan O'Sullivan**

Trophy For Services to FDMC Basketball

**Aaron Ratahi**





# BASKETBALL



## FRANCIS DOUGLAS MEMORIAL COLLEGE SENIOR A BASKETBALL SQUAD 1995

FDMC results of Secondary School Games Played (Team Also played in the NPBA Men's Competition)  
FDMC Versus

Waitara HS	won 99-29
Spotswood C	won 79-29
Hawera HS	lost 41-43
N.P.B.H.S	won 55-51
Hawera HS	won 47-41
Wanganui College	won 66-59
Hawera HS	won 68-48
Awatapu	lost 68-70
P.N.B.H.S.	lost 54-38
Awatapu	won 54-38
Tamatea	won 78-20
Tokoroa	won 68-44
Hawera HS	won 67-42
C.C.N2	won 84-81
Rangitahi	won 49-46

1995 was another very successful basketball year for Francis Douglas Memorial College teams. Seventeen teams participated fully in all levels of basketball.

### FORM ONE & TWO BASKETBALL

Monday afternoon and evenings continued with F1 and F2 basketball at the TSB Stadium.

FDMC entered two Form One and three Form Two teams into this competition. All teams played with enthusiasm. Form One Dreamers coached by Scott Wheeler were the most successful team gaining Runner up in both the Form 1 League and the Form One Final.

Special thanks to all parents who managed and supported these teams, especially to the coaches - Paul King, Vaughan Maclean, Matt Reese, Simon Smith, Carl Bennett and Scott Wheeler for their commitment to improving FDMC basketball at this level.

### U14 GRADE BASKETBALL

Three teams were entered into this competition held in the NPBHS Gymnasium.

These teams showed very pleasing improvement over the season and with several players showing pleasing potential. Special thanks to the coaches, Simon Ball, Jonathan O'Sullivan and Neil Death for their enthusiasm and helpfulness towards these teams.

### UNDER 16 GRADE

Four teams were entered into this grade held in the FDMC Gym. All participated well with the FDMC Boarders team winning the B Grade League and the B Grade Final. FDMC

Phoenix occasionally displayed tremendous skill to win the A Grade League and the A Grade Final.

Thanks to the Coaches, Sam Kirk, Aaron South, Gavin Zimmerman, Craig Morresey and Aaron Ratahi for their input into these games.

### UNDER 18 GRADE

FDMC entered 2 teams into this social and very entertaining grade played in the FDMC Gym.

FDMC Devils led by Che Yandle, Jono O'Sullivan and Aaron Ratahi easily won the U18 League and Final.

An important thank you to Aaron Ratahi for his capable Gymnasium marshalling every Friday night. A job particularly well done.

### FRANCIS DOUGLAS MEMORIAL COLLEGE SENIOR SQUAD

'Coach Cowie' once again put a squad of 15 players through a continuous series of skill building, team building and pure hard work. This year's team spirit was excellent with all boys vying competitively for the ten main places in the tournament teams. The constant hard work paid pleasing dividends for the squad who won the Taranaki Secondary Schools Tournament, came 3rd in the NZ Central Region Tournament and 1st in the New Zealand Mid-North Zone Tournament. All players gave gutsy individual and team efforts with Captain Che Yandle, Jono O'Sullivan and Dwayne Reese gaining recognition in Tournament teams.

Included in this year's busy programme was a tour to the South Island with the 1st XV - a first (and very successful) trip for both teams together.

The Senior Squad also represented the school in the NPBA Men's Competition.

The Senior B team came runner up in their grade while the Senior A players won the Premier Reserve Grade.

Congratulations to all boys who participated in the school basketball programme for 1995. There were many positive outcomes. Of particular note is Che Yandle at present in the United States. He is now in the Californian State Squad, thriving on the basketball regime at his school and is getting "invites" to further his basketball in the States in 1996/97 season.

A big thank you from all of us to Andrew Cowie - "Coach". We all recognise his value as a friend and instructor and were not surprised at all to see him voted by the NPBA as the 'Coach of the Year'. We most heartily endorse this accolade. Mention also, must be made of the contribution by Alec Kirks physiotherapy skills, especially on the Streets of Christchurch, and when acupuncture Jono in Oamaru. Jono's body language was a sight not to be missed!

Finally I would like to thank all friends, parents and boys



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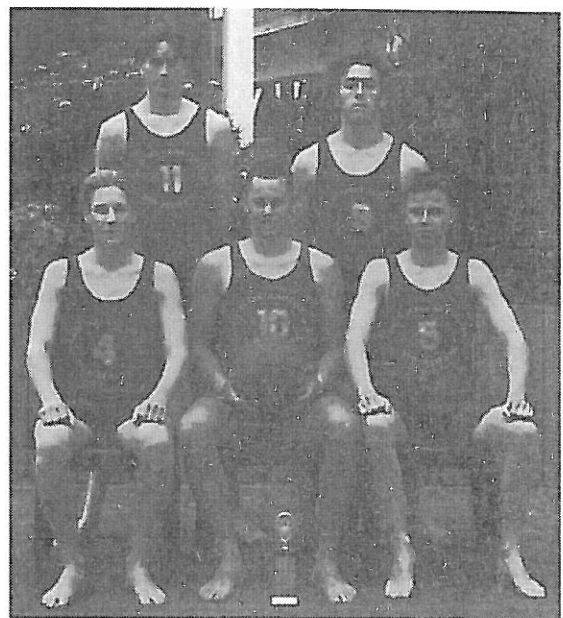


who have supported FDMC basketball and the numerous managerial decisions, both good and bad, that I have had to make. I have enjoyed working with you all. I shall miss the 1996 season.

To all boys leaving school I wish you well. To those returning I believe "Coach" has already started you on your next lot of punishing schedules as you begin your Personal Pursuit of Basketball Excellence once again - May the Skill be with you.

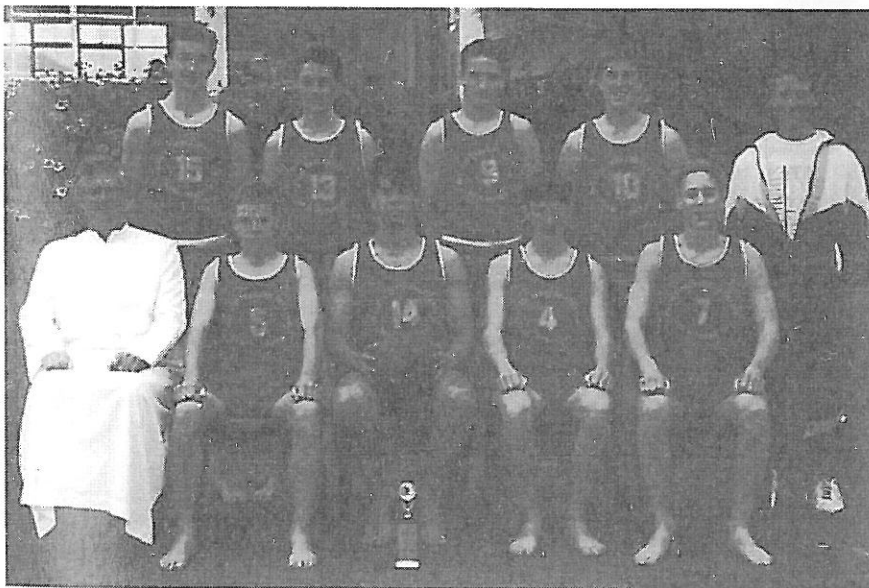
*Elyne Semenoff*

*Basketball Convenor*



Basketball FDMC U18 Devils:

Back Row: D. Reese, J. O'Sullivan.  
Front Row: S. Wheeler, A. Ratahi, B. Watson.  
Absent: C. Yandle (Captain/Coach).



Basketball FDMC Senior B:

Back Row: N. Death, C. Bennett,  
L. Elder, S. Smith,  
Mr. A. Cowie (Coach).

Front Row: Br. Tim Peter,  
V. Maclean,  
P. King (Captain),  
M. Lawn, S. Wheeler.

Basketball FDMC U16 Spurs:

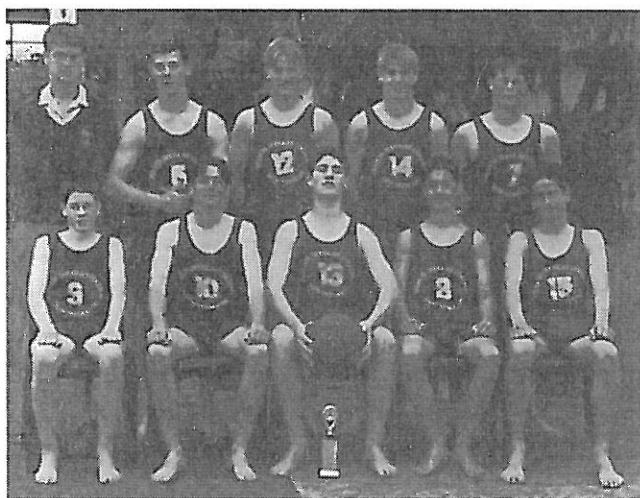
Back Row: J. Sinclair, J. McGrory, S. Little,  
A. South (Coach).

Front Row: K. South, C. Behrent, P. Smiley (Captain),  
T. Bell, P. O'Donnell.





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Basketball FDMC U16 Boarders:

Back Row: C. Morressey (Coach), A. Roberts (Captain),  
G. Collins, H. Butler, K. Carey.

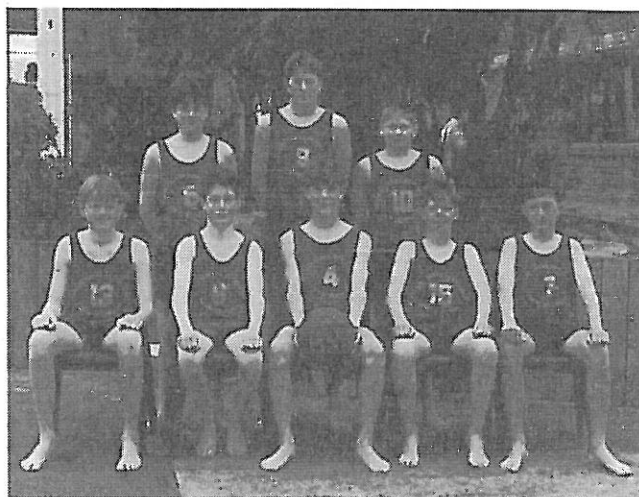
Front Row: B. McDavitt, S. Crawford, S. Kalin, L. Clifford,  
M. Wiig.



Basketball FDMC U16 Phoenix:

Back Row: A. Ratahi (Coach), C. Bennett, T. Mulligan,  
L. Elder, J. O'Sullivan (Coach).

Front Row: N. Death, V. Maclean, S. Kirk (Captain),  
M. Lawn, M. Reese.



Basketball FDMC U16 Jazz:

Back Row: C. Melody, J. Stevenson, R. McDonald.

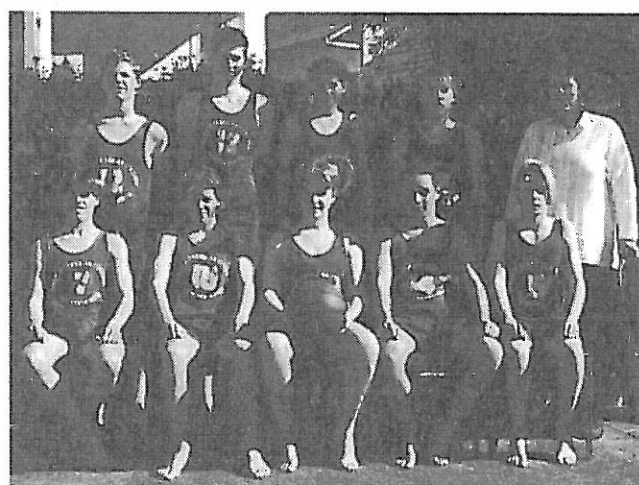
Front Row: M. Collier, S. Ryan, B. Bourke (Captain),  
A. Rowlands, S. Lynskey.

Absent: G. Zimmerman (Coach).

Basketball FDMC U14 Classics:

Back Row: J. Chandler, J. Iremonger, M. Julian,  
J. Robinson, Elyne Semenoff (Manager).

Front Row: J. Parsons, N. Winger, O. Kirk (Captain),  
R. Te Moana, S. Deken.



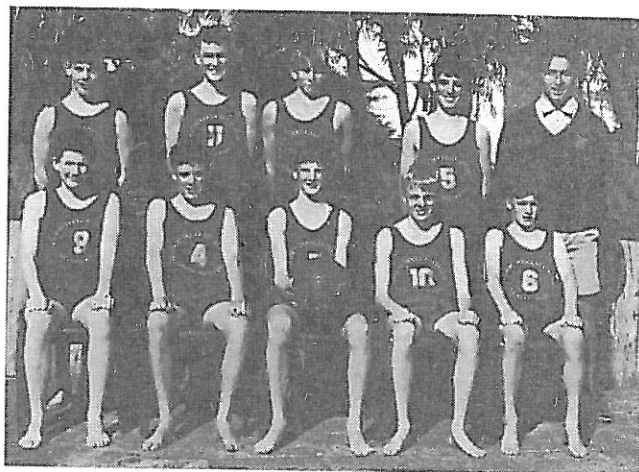




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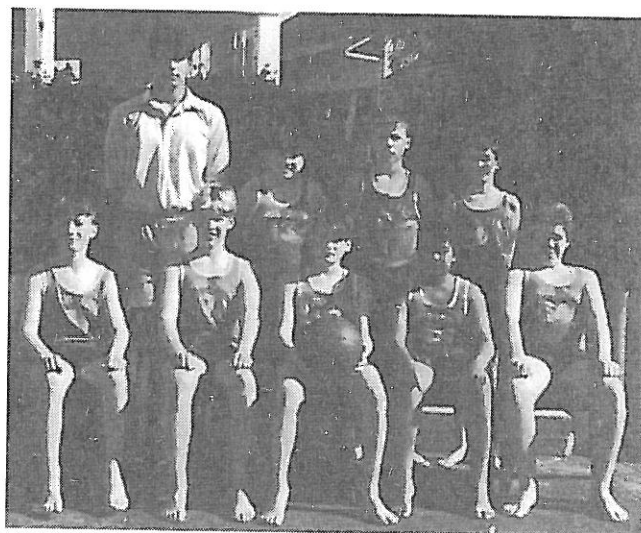


Basketball Forms 3 & 4 Rep Team:  
Back Row: Mr. A. Cowie (Coach), O. Kirk, J. McGrory,  
L. Elder, G. Collins, S. Wheeler (Manager).  
Front Row: B Dobson, S. Ireland, M. Lawn (Captain),  
L. Hansen, B. Bourke.  
Absent: P. Smiley, K. South.



Basketball U14 Rep.:  
Back Row: G. Semenoff, P. Shaw, D. Bence, M. Hay-Vega,  
J. O'Sullivan (Coach).  
Front Row: C. Ludlow, G. Gadsby, S. Ireland (Captain),  
R. Crowe, G. Koch.

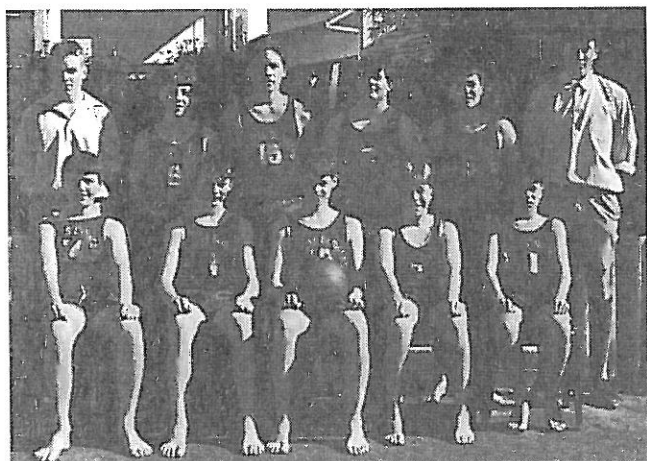
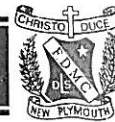
Basketball U14 Warriors:  
Back Row: N/ Death (Coach), M. Gopperth, S. Tippet,  
H. Coombe (Captain), J. Whittington.  
Front Row: M. McDavitt, R. Little, S. Bell, H. Gopperth,  
O. Harvey.



Basketball Form 2 Stealers:  
Back Row: P. King (Coach), A. Lee, D. Wells.  
Front Row: S. Moselen, K. Fraser, M. Melody (Captain),  
L. Fernando, D. Parr.

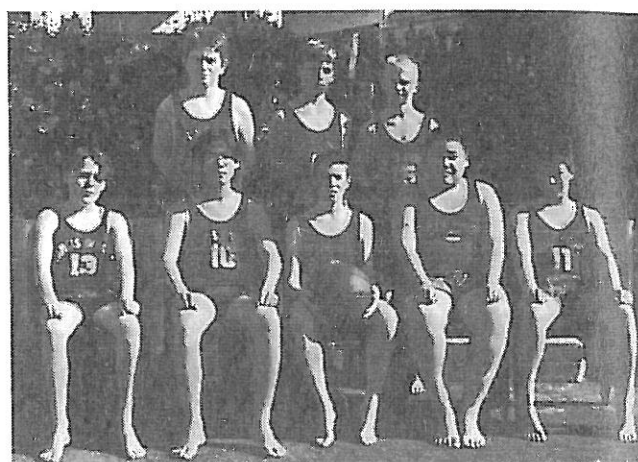


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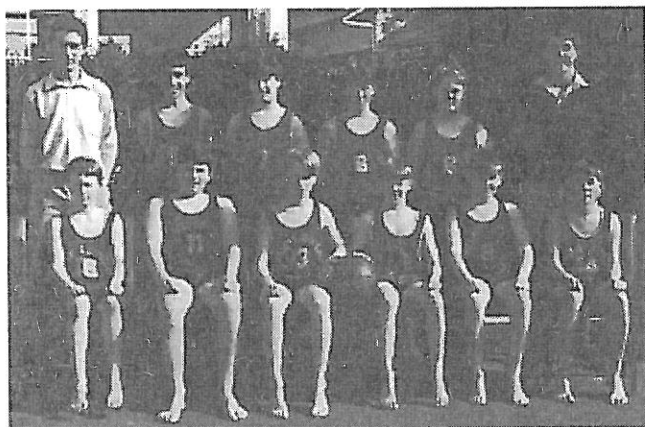
Basketball Form 2 Raiders:

Back Row: V. Maclean (Coach), B. Clarke, R. Johnston,  
L. Mustchin, J. Butler, M. Reese (Coach).  
Front Row: M. Bocock, M. Kennard, N. Shepherd  
(Captain), C. Jordan, J. Matakū.



Basketball Form 2 Demons:

Back Row: J. Vickers, N. Mowbray, H. Murray.  
Front Row: P. Gadsby, M. Soonthorswad, G. Clegg,  
K. Hong, S. Gregory-Hunt.

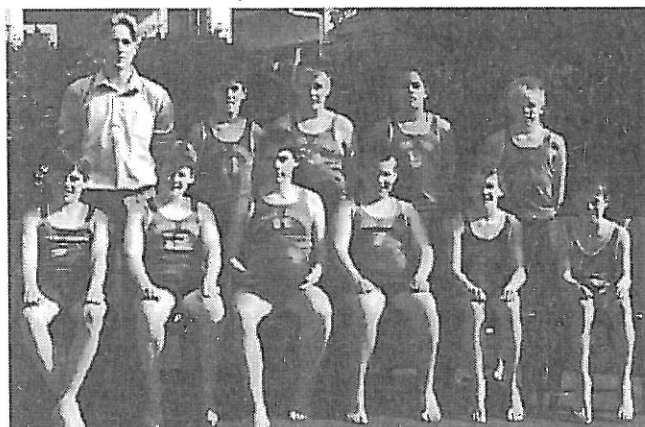


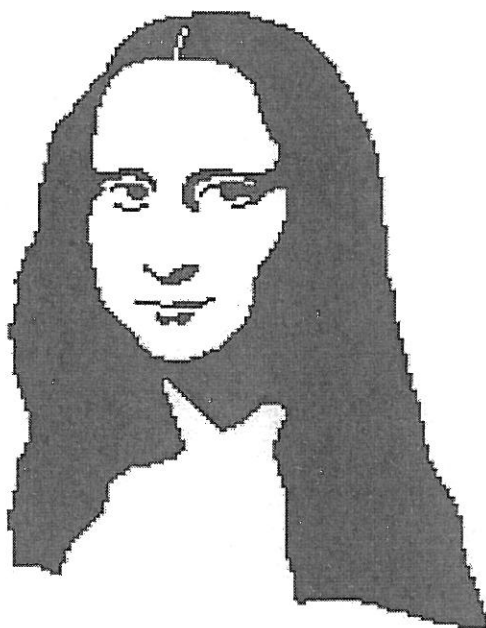
Basketball Form 1 Phantoms:

Back Row: C. Bennett (Coach), J. Jordan, S. Conaglen,  
R. Klahn, A. Cleary, S. Smith (Coach).  
Front Row: J. Pierce, G. Pepper, D. Waite, A. Blundell,  
B. Wackrow, S. Huesser.

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# *CREATIVE SPIRIT*







## AFTERNOONS AND MORNINGS

Stuck in the yellow bucket, grabbing me,  
Like a vice in the late afternoon sun.  
Nowhere near as tight as the vices I face today  
Trikes, Giants the stiff sliding door  
School meant naught  
Now school means so much  
Then all days were afternoons.

Peppermints from Nana,  
Stubbed toes, and the one thing that never changes,  
Egmont the huge sandcastle,  
Soaring like an immense kite of  
Curiosity. Why? Why?

School, my little brother gets stuck in the bucket  
Bang! I get stuck in strange classrooms.  
Room 8 friends, foes, some ostentatious  
Some who have followed me throughout my life.  
Linked handwriting, timetables  
Work seemed so impossible.  
Until uniforms, study and reports.

Suddenly the umbilical cord was slashed  
Boarding School  
No-ones looking after you now,  
New friends, new people experiences  
Now all days are mornings.

*Mark Julian*  
3R



*Allan Hall*  
F4

## AOTEAROA

Long ago in the Land Of The Long White  
Cloud,  
English settlers arrived at our land,  
Being Aotearoa.

After a while the settlers became greedy,  
Greedy for more Land.  
They were no longer satisfied,  
With what they had, they wanted more.

So Te Teira second in command sold the  
land,  
To the wealthy white man.

But chief Wiremu Kingi wouldn't leave his  
land,  
It was precious, precious,  
Too precious for him to leave.

But then he was taken away,  
From one place he wanted to stay,  
By Government troops one horrible day.

Then war broke out,  
From Taranaki to the Great Waikato.

Many Maori died defending their lands,  
From other Maori invaders and Government  
troops.

*Simon Huesser 1G*



*Tim O'Brien*  
F4

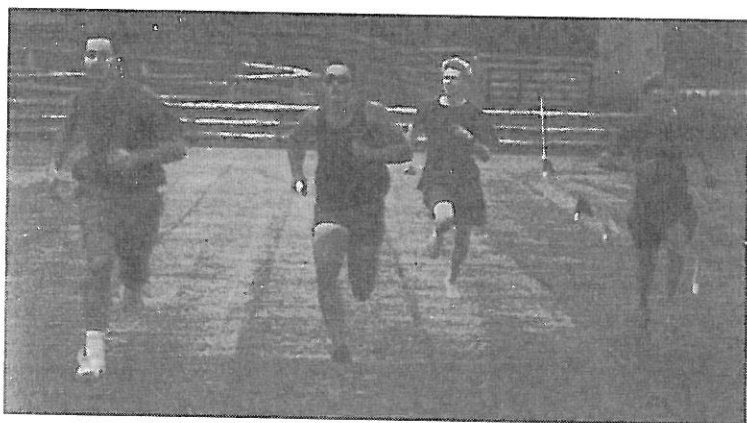


## THE RACE

At last the time had arrived. The start of my eight-hundred metre run was only minutes away. As I made my way across the field I could feel the adrenalin pumping through me. This was a race I wanted to win, and I knew that I had a chance.

Now most people would say that it's nothing to get too excited about, because, after all I wasn't in the championship. What they didn't understand is that this year I wanted to give it my best. Of all my years at the school my house had never won, and this time the team in blue will come out on top. There were a lot of peers in my race I was determined to beat, no matter what the colour of their tee-shirt.

At the starting line everyone was stretching and getting psyched up for the race. I analysed the people in my race. The hardest people to beat would be Shane in red, and my fellow team mate Leon, in blue. The race was about to start when I saw my friend's spike running shoes. Just what I needed, I thought. I quickly 'borrowed' them and put them on.



The race started and Shane in red took the lead. I settled in close behind him and right on my heels was Leon. All I could think about was the words of the senior champion, "stride it out on the back-straight". I followed his example and did exactly what he told me. The first lap went fine and the positions hadn't changed, although now it was only a race out of Leon, Shane and I.

I knew that Shane must be tiring because he took off at such a hurtling pace and he had the full brunt of the wind on the home-straight.

I decided it would be time to leave this lad in my dust. I went to pass him but Leon also had the same idea. He went flying past us and I chased him, determined not to let him get away. Shane was too exhausted to keep up as we sailed down the back-straight. I knew that with my running shoes I still could sprint Leon off at the end.

Rounding the bend into the final sprint I decided to take my chance. I started to pass Leon on the outside. He knew what I was doing and slowly cut me off. Then it hit us like a slap in the face. The gale force winds powered straight towards us. This took the strength out of both of us. I was hoping that Leon would slow down, but he didn't. He had too much pride. But I had more, and went to over-take him again.

Leon must have had some sixth sense because he knew exactly where I was coming from. He swerved in front of me. He veered again, making it impossible to pass. I could hardly hear the muffled cheers from the crowd for the wind was too strong.

With fifty metres to go he stopped swerving. I put on my final burst of energy and sprinted to the left of him. We now were both getting the wind fully. Leon was still in front and wouldn't give an inch. The finish line was getting closer. I had persistence but Leon was steadfast in his goal. I dug my feet in. I sprinted with all my might. Neck and neck we crossed the finish line. We collapsed on the ground. I didn't care what the result was. It was a great race.

*Richard Smiley F6*



## THE LIFE OF A RUGBY PLAYER JUST BEGINNING TO PLAY

Panting, sweating, running round and round the rugby field. Passing, dropping the rugby balls, pushing, jumping. Finally the rugby practice had finished. Jumping into the red shiny car, thinking about the hot cooked tea waiting for me at home. Hot steaming shower, the essay that needs to be handed in tomorrow.

After I had finished tea I thought about doing that essay but 'I will do it later,' I said to myself.

Next thing I know, I'm running to catch the bus. Good practice last night, all that running, passing and jumping, tired us out. The boys said. 'Me too.' Did you finish that essay? I went into a daze. I felt dizzy all of a sudden.

Sitting in class, waiting for the devil teacher to walk in. The devil asked for our essay. Everyone else had done it, except me. See me at lunch time the reddish devil said. Coach Walker stumbled into the classroom where we all sat eating our lunch. We always had our weekly meeting on Friday to discuss Saturday's game. Suddenly I broke out in a cold sweat. I knew I had forgotten something, but what? Finally I remembered, a meeting with my teacher.

Panting, sweating, jumping, running, passing and pushing. Finally the practice was over.

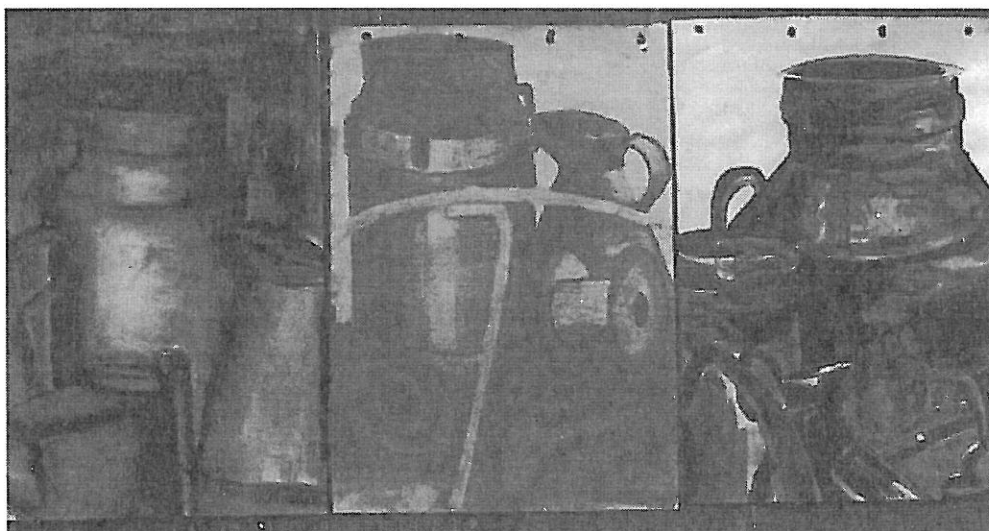
Hopping into the car, thinking about my nice warm bed, the glow of the TV, a couple of hundred lines to copy out, an essay to be handed in .....

*Grant Bishop*  
F5



*Tom Mace*  
F3

*Marcel Magon F5*





PARIHAKA, THE VILLAGE OF PEACE? *By Leon Butler 1G*

He was a man,  
A man committed to his land,  
Three thousand people in his hands.  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai was his name,  
This powerful man had no shame,  
Three thousand people he had to tame.

November fifteenth in the morning,  
Destruction came without warning,  
One hundred died as the sun was dawning.

People arrested from their land,  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai had to stand,  
Six hundred people now in the band.

November twelfth time for court,  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai now was sought,  
Six hundred people now near nought.

Described as an evil, wicked man,  
Six months in jail was his ban,  
Six hundred people stuck in their land.

Six months up and banished away,  
The South Island was where he spent his days,  
Six hundred people can't have their say.

Two years later and he is back,  
The Pakeha government gave no slack,  
Six hundred people still in the pack.

Te Whiti-o-Rongomai back in court,  
Five and a half months but no lesson taught,  
Six hundred people closer to nought.  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai still stood tall,  
He organised marches one and all,  
Six hundred people against the wall.

1907 the hour was four,  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai was no more,  
Six hundred people now very poor.  
Parihaka now is surrounded by farms,  
All run by Pakeha and government arms,  
Six hundred people have lost their charms.

So it ends, here and now,  
Parihaka's villagers took a bow,  
No more people in this town.  
Te Whiti-o-Rongomai is his name,  
This powerful man had no shame,  
Three thousand people he had tamed.



*Shay Tompson F6*



## STUDENTS 'RITES'

*By Kelly Ryan F7*

Ever since I was a first former I have patiently waited in anticipation. I have waited for the day I would become a huge, tough, mature, adult, seventh former. Just think - being able to say what's on our minds, having our opinions analysed by teachers as if we were fellow peers, and having our own room.

But alas, those great expectations, those childhood dreams have evaporated and the residue left is simply our position as seventh formers in the college community. As seniors we are taught to behave so that the younger pupils respect us, but when it comes to some of the teachers, that respect that should be equal between fellow adults is seemingly shattered as though it wasn't there.

This annoys me, and time and time again I have been told that I get too emotional when it comes to the rights that we senior students should be allowed. Sure, we're treated better than the younger students, but shouldn't we at least be listened to?

Not only is there a friction between students and teachers, but there is also a breakdown between students. If I state something that is perfectly legitimate and open for reasoning, such as, why can't we treat the common room like we treat our own houses, it is ridiculed by the other students because of one simple fact. I am not conforming - I am not being a "yes" person and agreeing with what people of "higher authority" say. Either that or the majority of the peers decide that their answer will be based solely on the decision of the "rugger-heads".

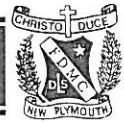
Frustration flows through me when I know that something is wrong but the means to correct it are out of my reach. Because of this anger I feel, I find it harder to speak out against something because of the ridicule from the "groupies". People should be treated as individuals and have a right to say what they feel and be treated like adults, whether they are arguing for or against something.

In my opinion, the seventh form should be given a little more say into changes that could affect them. We should at least get something out of the college considering what we have put into it.

### 'FATED HONOUR' *By Daniel Woodd F6*

The two combatants circle,  
Weapons low, seeking opening.  
Champions for their masters,  
They will die for the honour of their liege.  
Theirs is not the art of diplomacy,  
But of war;  
Theirs is the art of failed diplomacy, the way  
that succeeds  
Where diplomacy has failed.  
Theirs is not to reason why;  
Rather, 'tis simply to do and die.  
The battle is not theirs, but they will fight it;  
The wrong is not theirs, but they will right it.  
The blades clash:  
Armour rings and shields crash,  
Adversaries swing, strike and slash.  
Blows rain on armour as would hail,  
Each, like the smith who wrought their arms,

beating  
Their desired shape upon the battle.  
The burnished sphere flows across the sapphire  
realm,  
While below the two fight frozen, locked in  
combat;  
Shields hacked to splinters,  
Armour hewn aside;  
Still they face each other,  
Battered, bruised, bloody.  
The left strikes the right as he is struck -  
Both fall,  
Both die.  
Both defeated,  
Yet both victors.  
Nothing solved, nothing gained.  
The masters signal, and two more enter the ring,  
To circle.



## THE NEW PLYMOUTH "HIGHWAYMAN WITH A MISSION"

*Blair Willan Form 1G*

Robert Herman Wallath was the young boy's name,  
Reading Dick Turpin action books was his favourite  
"game",

The church came to his interest, much to his Dad's alarm,  
He disallowed that interest, although he meant him no  
real harm.

His Dad's suggestion was to join the Volunteers,  
Taken up by Robert, who already had no fears,  
The "Spirit", he thought, would bless him,  
And already this seemed so,  
The uniform impressed him, and toward wrongful ac-  
tivities he would quickly go.

He became the unknown Highwayman, feared by one  
and all,  
His first attempts were positively, just him "having a  
ball",  
But as he got the hang of it his confidence increased,  
So on to bigger things he went, robbing those on Devon  
Street East.

He was a bit of a trickster, appearing at the scene of the  
crime,  
Asking innocent bystanders what they had seen this time,  
Most said it was "the rogue who has the devil's own  
luck",  
That "slippery scamp" who robbed them all, but showed  
a lot of pluck.

He wore his Volunteers Uniform complete with gloves  
and beard,  
But had a cloak to hide it, and wore evening clothes  
instead,  
He often took young ladies home, with not a pleasantry  
spoken,  
No harm would to the "damsels" come once he gave his  
word,  
his promise would not be broken.

His accomplice in crime, his fine black steed,  
Went with him, feet sparking, in these unlawful deeds,  
The White Hart Hotel late one dark Saturday night,  
Became the scene of a crime, once again, not quite right.

The goods that he stole, being gold coins and whisky,  
Were not adequate payment for something so risky,

His pistol, it fell to the ground with a "crack"!  
His steed disappeared; his bottle went "smack"!

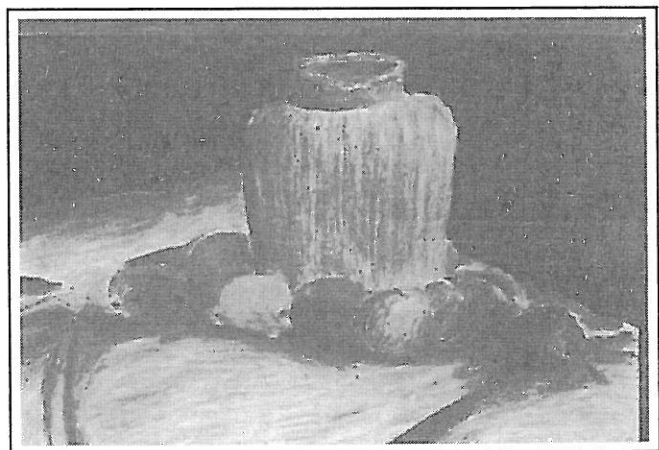
He kept on and on with his hold-ups and robberies, with  
two years having passed,  
His success encouraged him to try the Criterion, this  
being his last,  
The scene being set, he proceeded to raid; the barman  
turned out to be a poor,  
Helpless maid.

His ambitions being thwarted, he turned and he ran, then,  
Into the hallway came two burly men,  
They both pounced upon him, and knocked him right  
down,  
Soon everyone else arrived from the town.  
His next years of life were spent in a small cell,  
What would he become, only time would tell?

He decided, in prison, he would do no more that was  
wrong,  
And spent his next years, enjoying all that came along,  
(good, that is!)  
His Dad, and his sister, petitioned the law,  
To release him from prison, "home of the poor".

He spent his next years living a life of humility,  
Never again did he use his ability,  
To become the "Highwayman with a Mission".

New Plymouth now has a street named "Wallath Road",  
dedicated to the memory of this unusual character,  
Robert Herman Wallath, and his family.



*Tom Mace F3*





## 100 PERCENT

*By Stephen Prestney F7*

When the call went up for any interested seventh former to help a deaf boy through School Certificate Maths, I almost lurched into hysterics.

The thought of struggling through the year, attempting to teach someone who didn't want to be taught, just didn't stimulate me. The time, the effort, just wouldn't be worth it, I thought. The rewards would not be great enough.

One week after taking up the job, my attitude has totally changed. In my student, I have found determination and strength, that lacks in people with ten times his ability. Perhaps, I feel, I myself am one of those.

Where I thought there would be angry complaints about his disability, I have instead discovered a desire, a will to perform, an attitude of never giving in.

The work isn't easy, he doesn't find it easy, but he gives it his best shot. No complaints, nor bitterness, just dedicated effort.

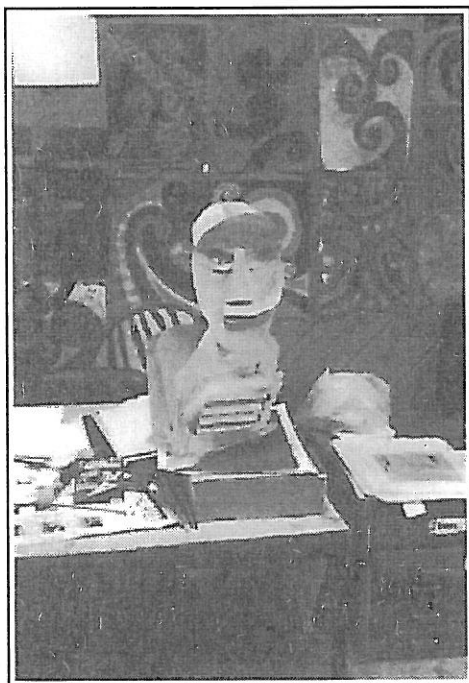
I'm not saying he's perfect, or an excellent person to work with. He can be far from that. It's just the way he carries himself, a challenge almost as if to say 'If you can do it, I can do it too .... and better!' That challenge has hit home to me. It makes me tense, like a coiled spring, filled with anxiety and adrenalin. It has made me realise what I could achieve ... accomplish, if I drove myself one hundred percent.

I have no disability, so I don't need to push myself any harder. My student, however, totally deaf to the outside world, has to reach beyond all normal realms, jump higher than he is capable, stretch further than is possible. He has a right to complain, to be bitter, but he doesn't seem to show that, to me anyway.

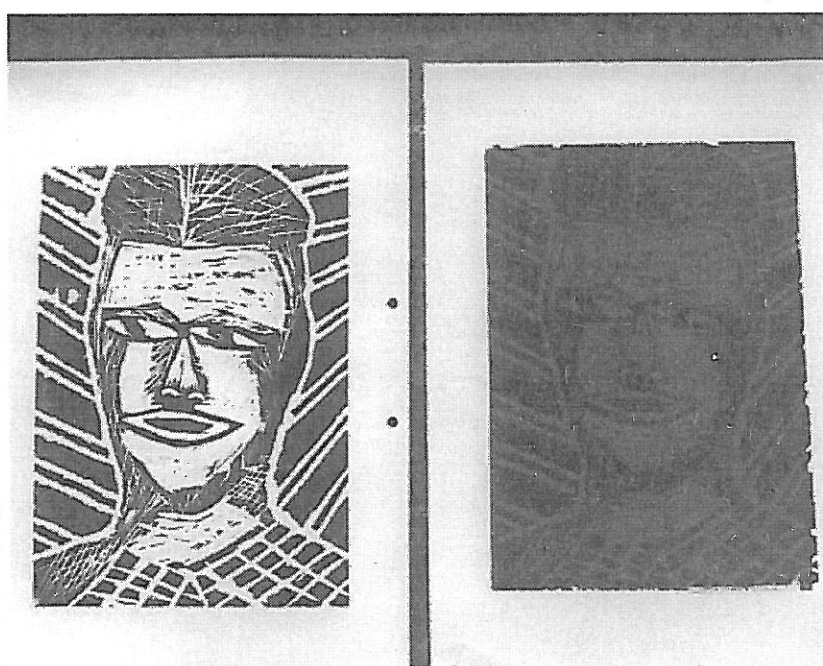
His strength, his determination, is a message to us all. An act of defiance, an immovable desire to succeed.

There is no doubt in my mind that he will continue to climb the barriers, accept the challenges. The question is though, will we?

*Allan Hall F4*



*Tim O'Brien F4*





*F4 Art Students*

## **PARADISE DUCKS**

*By Brendon Iremonger F6*

People should be allowed to shoot paradise ducks all year around. That's what I believe any way. At the moment they are only allowed to be shot during the duck shooting season.

The ducks start to moult around January and finish around March. In this time they form big groups for protection. They land on flats and stay around in the same flat while they moult. During this time they eat the grass in the paddock. You would be surprised how much grass 80 ducks eat and how much manure they leave behind. That much duck manure pollutes the ground. We were lucky, we only had 80 ducks living on our flat. Some people have up to 200. I class them as a pest.

You can ring up DOC to come and get rid of them for you, well that's what I thought till my mate's father called them up. They came out to his place alright, but when they went to shoot them, they only fired blanks at them. They said they were not allowed to kill them. They set up a gas gun which gives off a loud bang to scare the ducks away. This works but only creates more of a problem for neighbouring farmers, who then do the same. A week later all the ducks were back again. It was a pretty poor effort by DOC I thought.

During duck shooting season they fly around in pairs mainly. This means not many are getting shot at duck shooting season and there are getting more and more. Most people would rather shoot Mallard and Grays. The only time they are really getting shot is when it is illegal.

I don't think they should be classed as a duck because they live and eat differently. They live on the paddocks and land on the hills when we chase them. You hardly ever see a paradise duck on water whereas Mallards and Grays live most of their lives flying around or on the water. Their eating habits are different too. The Mallards and Grays eat weeds and other things out of the ponds whereas the paradise ducks eat grass and other stuff. Sometimes you will find them feeding in a pond, but not very often.

In the future I hope the government make it legal to shoot paradise ducks all year round or at least during the months January to March when they are moulting. These are my thoughts and I believe there are people out there that feel the same way.



### WINTER'S RESURRECTION

Three long seasons I've waited,  
To feel the chill of winter,  
Black skies filled with weary stars,  
The beating rain mimicking my heart.  
Winter: season of cold despair,  
Stark trees and muddy landscapes  
So many fond memories,  
Of this primal season,  
So many chilling moments,  
Giving life a reason.

I feel the beating rain,  
Lash against my heaving body.  
Cleansing it of summer hatred.  
The winter's chill keeping all indoors,  
A chance to quietly reflect,  
On the myriad of life's problems.  
A time to create warmth in my mind,  
To dream of all that could be,  
To dream up my life of perfection,  
Of all I want and need to be,  
In winter's time of somatic resurrection.

*James Comber F6*

### LICENCE, RESTRICTED

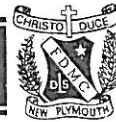
The Restricted Driver's Licence is a key to freedom, independence and social supremacy - well that's what I thought until I got one. The first step in autonomy is the Learner Licence test, an arduous task of mental stamina and strength, which I managed to pass. This boosted me to the next level, the Restricted Licence level. This was the practical side which needed lightning reflexes and mental prowess. I would not be alone on this mission, I was to encounter a lady by the name of Elle who was my Driving Instructor. She helped fine tune my driving skills and abilities until they were up to test standards. With my completion of the driving school my father took me to a secluded street on the eve of my test. This pre-test could be described as a calamity as I ran the car off the road several times. My deeds did not go on unnoticed as I received retribution in the form of a hand at the back of the head. After several attempts to get it right we went home with my father driving.

The day finally came when I was eligible to attempt for a Restricted Licence. When the Driving Instructor

stepped into the car my pulse began to rise rapidly as I knew this was the greatest test of my driving ability so far. I couldn't have got off to a more dreadful start, because at the end of the first stretch of road I came close to driving over three people at an intersection. In an attempt to miss them I tried to steer the car into a better position, but only made things worse as I ended up on the other side of the road. I managed to make an error free test from then on, but I knew deep down I had failed. I had a feeling of impending doom as I was led in behind him as we made our way to the office. He sat me down and went on to give his final verdict, which in his words was "but I'll let you pass" after he went over my mistakes. A rush of happiness passed over me. I was taken back. In passing my test my father said that once the insurance came through I would be allowed to drive. Well I'm still waiting for that insurance and I've found out that a restricted licence isn't a key to freedom, independence and social supremacy, unless you have a car to drive.

*Deacon Manu F6*





## TALL POPPY SYNDROME HAMPERING POTENTIAL ACHIEVERS

*By Sam Kirk F5*

In a field of poppies the gardeners roam.  
"There's a tall one," a gardener shouts.  
"Chop it down," is the excited reply. How true this sounds when one looks at mankind. Unfortunately, I believe that the Tall Poppy Syndrome is widespread among schools in New Zealand. I say schools because as people enter the work force the dollar begins to rule and everybody wants to be the "tall poppy." With maturity skill is respected.

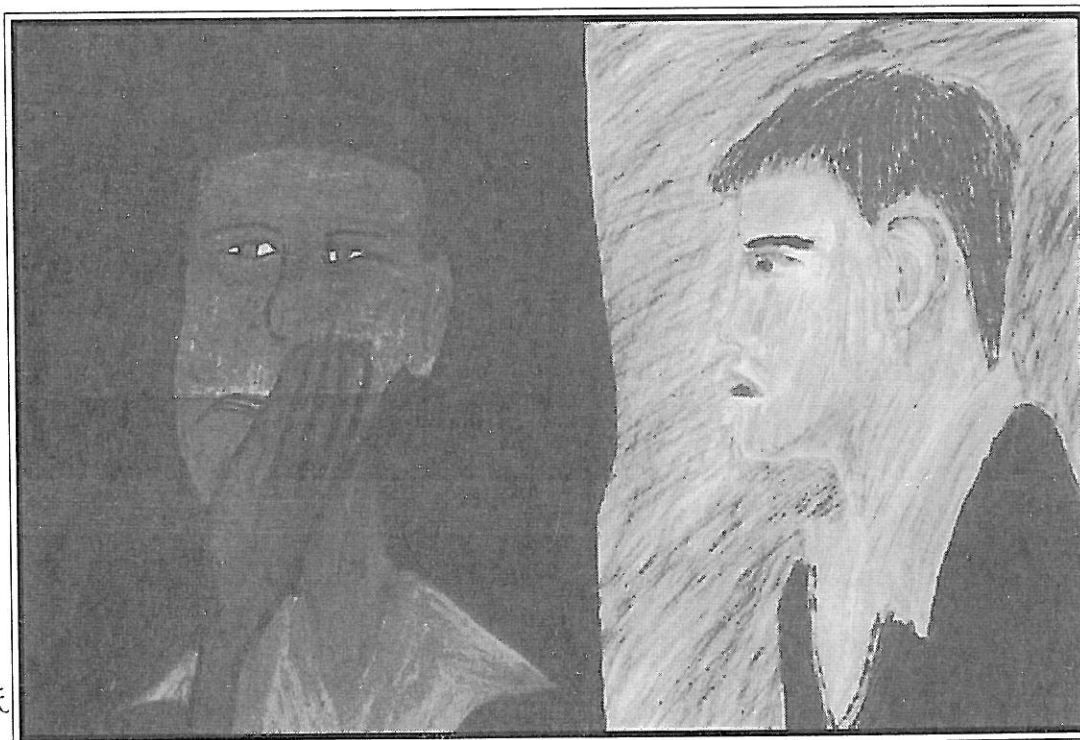
The Tall Poppy Syndrome is mainly centred around academic achievers more than sporting prowess, particularly among boys schools, as boys seem to have great respect for the able bodied sportsperson. Often it is acceptable to train for a sporting event but not to study for a test. Also it seems that a male who has a good singing voice or plays the flute, violin or any other orchestral instrument has his skills hindered by being continually laughed at. Who knows, perhaps New Zealand could have had many more talented musicians if there was no such thing as the Tall Poppy Syndrome. Nevertheless it is usually accepted to play a 'cool' instrument such as the drums or electric guitar.

The stronger the persons character, the less this syndrome affects them. The peer pressure of joining the crowd can be ignored and one can continue with even more determination. The weaker character, on the other hand, would find difficulty ignoring days of hassles and pressure, and where once they may have missed a T.V. programme to study, they now find themselves giving in to peer pressure and making the T.V. a higher priority.

The worst factor about this jealousy initiated syndrome is that in the end the innocent achiever is pulled down to a lower level of attainment.

In years to come perhaps the Tall Poppy Syndrome may become a thing of the past, but if mankind instinctively feels jealous because someone is better than them, we will have to put up with it forever. Lets just hope these attacked achievers learn to handle it.

"In fact," the gardener corrected himself. "Don't chop it down. It looks so fine towering above the rest, leave it for others to see as well."



*Benet  
Hitchcock  
F3*

*Mark  
Solly  
F3*



## 1995 *By Daniel Woodd J6*

1995 is a year when New Zealanders can finally feel good about themselves.

It began - as always - way back in January, and quickly flicked through the calendar to the contesting of the America's Cup, that mighty trophy of trophies that has so narrowly eluded Kiwi clutches for the last decade.

From the beginning, New Zealand was always a contender. Through the stages of the Louis Vitton Cup, the New Zealand onslaught beneath the direction on Peter Blake and Russell Coutts sent the other teams running for cover - some even sought sanctuary on the bottom of the sea. The result was inevitable. New Zealand through to the final, against one of the most 'popular' men in international yachting circles, Dirty Den himself.

The resultant five-nil whitewash - or blackwash - of the opposition was heard back in this country by the greatest support team behind any campaign; 3.6 million odd. Kiwis danced at the Auckland Yacht Club headquarters to the strains of "It's a kind of Magic" and "We are the Champions", while their compatriots sat at home, red-socked and wide awake, glued to their television sets.

This year also was the Rugby World Cup year. New Zealand sent the fittest, most well-prepared side yet to the tournament, and again New Zealanders' hearts swelled with pride as we watched Jonah run through the opposition back-lines, as unstoppable and undeniable as the sheer determination of the Kiwi campaign itself.

Some felt - and still feel - disappointment over the final result. I disagree. The side of a nation on the other side of the world, with a fraction of the other's population, may walk onto a park and be beaten, sure. But if this same side can extend the hosts before a home crowd, while crippled by food-poisoning, as far as to the point where the referee may have to decide the winner on the number of players sent off during the tournament, they can still hold their heads high. Otherwise rugby is not what I have previously understood it to be.

The Bledisloe Cup brought yet more moments of pride. Jeff Wilson paid back the far corner for last time's narrow miss, and it was another blackwash - two -nil - against our favourite adversaries on the rugby field.

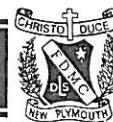
Not only in rugby and yachting have we staked our claim to international fame, but Michael Campbell's recent form shows that again New Zealanders are climbing through the ranks of the international golfing elite.

While New Zealand has climbed to the heights in sport, we have also witnessed one of our own receiving the highest honour possible in the British Empire. Sir Edmund Hillary, the first man ever to scale the mighty heights of Everest, was awarded the Order of the Garter, and stood alongside other international figures in the ceremony.

1995 marks a very significant anniversary for the older - and indeed the younger - generations of Kiwis; the fiftieth anniversary of the end of the Second World War. The cost of this conflict is immeasurable, but in lives it numbered in the tens of millions. New Zealanders answered the call to fight off the threat to international peace that the Axis represented, and stood proudly with the Allies to halt and then remove this shadow of fear from the lives of future generations. Men such as the late Sir Charles Upham epitomised the Kiwi in war; fierce, totally committed, and just damn brave.

Finally, this year is the one hundred and fifty-fifth since the signing of our founding document, the Treaty of Waitangi.

This marks our progression together as a nation, just as surely as sport, honours and war do. For the first time in many years, there is evidence of a growing harmony and final settlements among the brothers of the Aotearoa whanau, and tangible evidence that we have a bright future to look forward to. And it's only August!

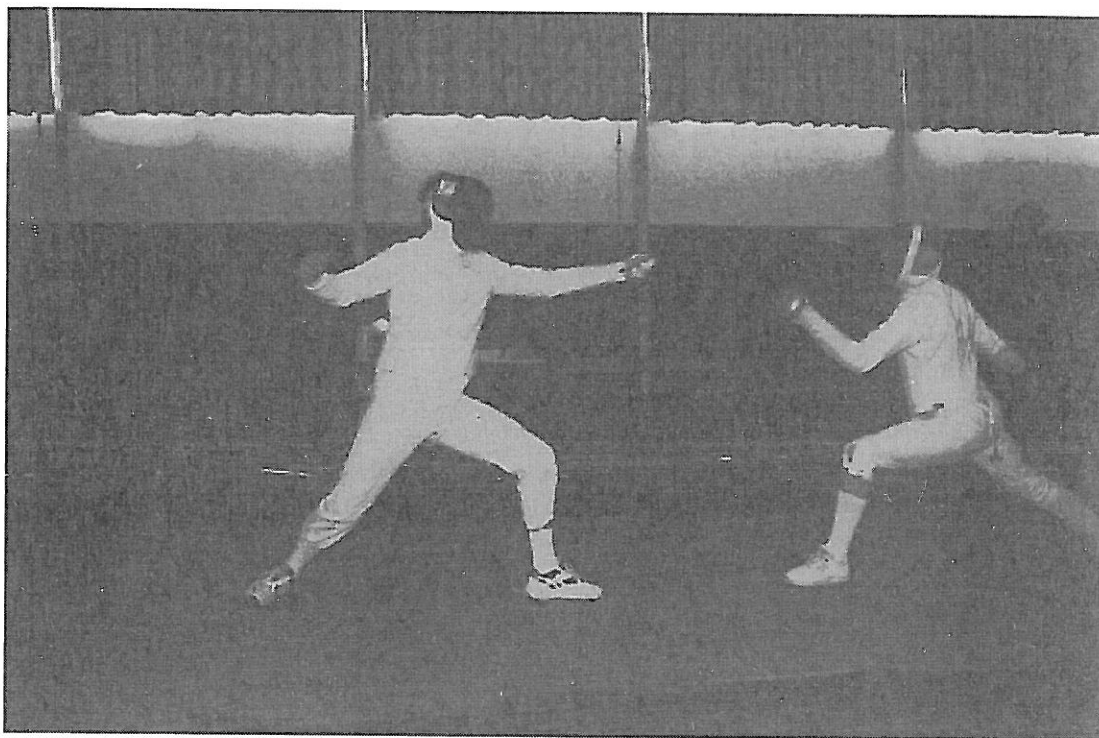


## FENCING

*by James Comber*

1995 has been my second year of fencing. I took up the sport at the beginning of last year when the New Plymouth Swords Club re-formed.

My major victory of the year came at the North Island Secondary Schools' Championships which were held in the New Plymouth Girls' High School stadium. All of the fencers in the competition had less than 3 years experience and this made for fierce competition. The final round went into a tie that involved three fencers, including myself, with only one loss. A "barrage", or playoff, was held and I gained a much sought after victory in the men's visual foil.



After this tournament I changed weapons from foil to epee. The epee is a much heavier weapon and requires the hits to be much harder, resulting in much larger, more painful bruises which are an unfortunate aspect of fencing.

At Queen's Birthday weekend I participated in the North Island Open Fencing Championships in Palmerston North. This tournament included 100 top New Zealand fencers and international fencers from countries such as Germany, Poland, France and Italy. I was overawed at the standard of fencing. I won one bout and created an upset when I nearly beat one of the top New Zealand epeeists, and a member of the New Zealand team, taking the bout to 4-5.

My final out of town tournament for the year was the Champagne Tournament run by the Massey Swords Club in Palmerston North. Here I fenced Electric Foil, Electric Epee and Sabre, which involved fencing for ten hours with very few breaks.

In 1996 I intend to go to the New Zealand Academy of Fencing in Auckland, which is run by the former British Olympic coach. This week long training event has the aim of improving the standard of fencing in New Zealand and also will lead to the selection of an under 20 year old team to tour Australia.



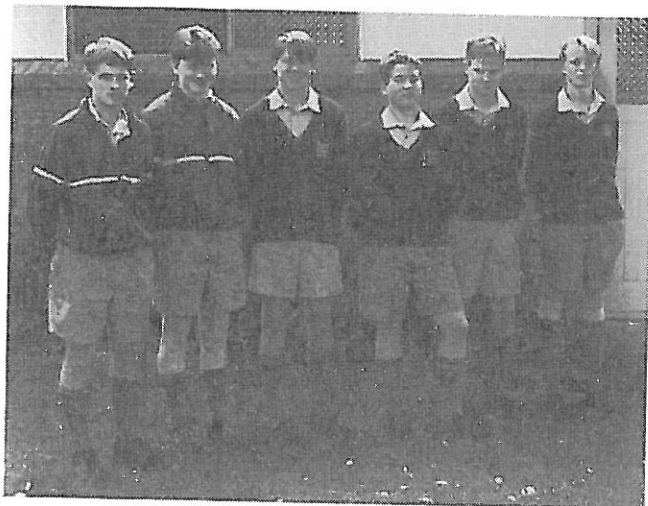


# *ACADEMIA*



## YOUNG ENTERPRISE

College Caps Young Enterprise Company was established early in 1995 under the Fletcher Challenge Young Enterprise Scheme.



Young Enterprise 1995:

Damien Orchard, James Comber, Hamish Forsyth,  
Aaron O'Neill, Damin Whittle, John Schrider

We provided an official college cap to the students and wider college community. We managed to sell all of our hats and returned a handsome profit to our shareholders.

As Managing Director of the company I found it a very rewarding year. The directors of College Caps learnt a great deal and their knowledge of important business concepts has increased immensely.

We would like to thank Mr Maistry, our teacher and supporter, for his guidance and assistance. We would also like to thank Mr Keith Plummer, our mentor, and all the rest of the staff at the Chamber of Commerce for their invaluable support and assistance. I would also like to thank the college staff for their great support.

Our company did well at both the mid-year presentation and the YES trade fair. We now look forward to the end of year presentation and the liquidation of our company.

*Hamish Forsyth*  
*Managing Director.*

## 7th Form Reading Tutor Programme

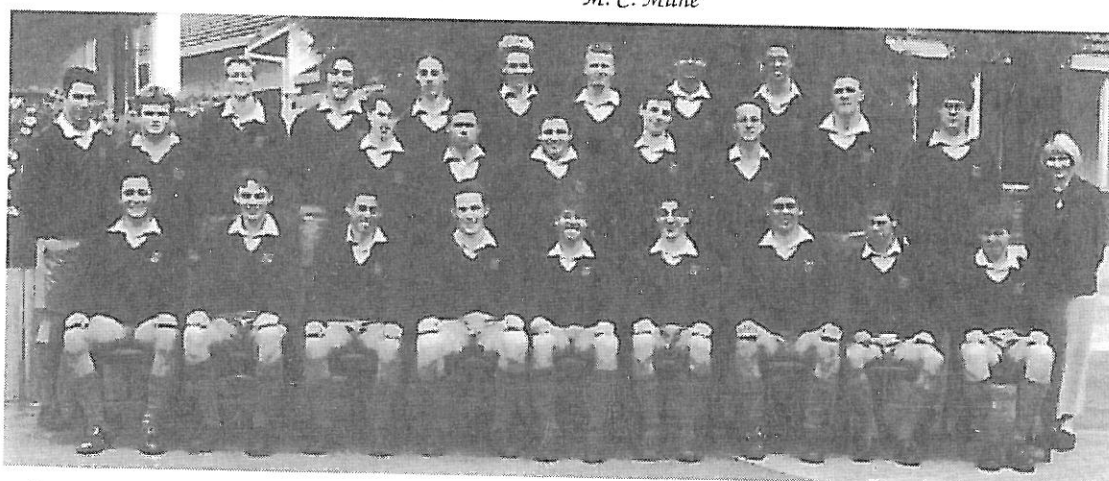
This programme involves 7th Form students assisting junior students with reading and related skills. The peer support is often as valuable as the tutoring.

I feel that the 7th Form get as much, if not more, from the experience as do the younger students receiving the tutoring. They certainly have more sympathy for teachers at the end of the day.

There have been some outstanding tutors this year. They have willingly given up a study period to assist their student. The work is planned to suit the individual needs of each student. (The 7th Formers often learn something as well !!)

I would like to thank all those 7th Formers who have made the programme work this year.

*M. C. Milne*



Reading Tutors:

Back Row: K. Smith, J. O'Sullivan, B. Coogan, J. Burn, P. King, W. Johnson.

Centre Row: R. Thacker, G. Gordan, H. Smith, J. Salter, J. Faull, J. Letts, J. Kaiser, S. Foley, M. Malin, Mrs. Milne.

Front Row: M. Normanton, K. Jeffares, M. Butterworth, S. Spurdle, T. Stuck, K. Ryan, S. McDonald, N. Bouterey,  
M. O'Sullivan.



# ECNZ TARANAKI SCIENCE FAIR



As with other years the ECNZ Taranaki Science Fair was entered by several Francis Douglas students. The entries covered the range of subjects including Experiments, Inventions, Innovations, Models, Scientific Journalism, Observational Drawings and Photography.

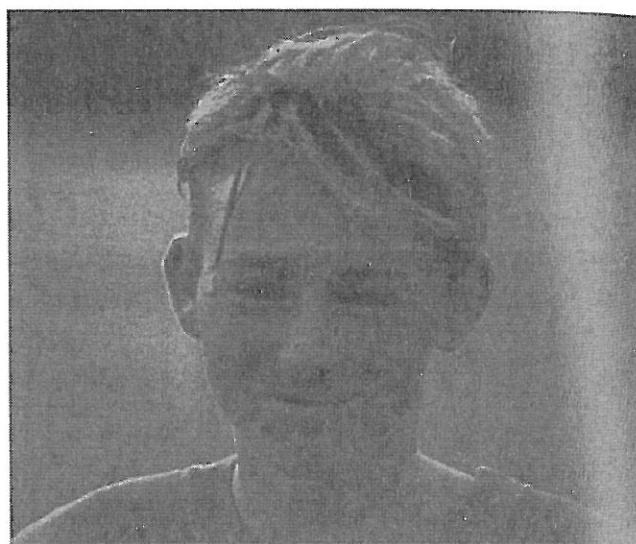
All FDMC students achieved well and several gained special recognition:

F1	Paul Gadsby	Observational Drawing	1st
F2	Euan Brouwers	Experimental Investigation	2nd
	Blair Willam	Scientific Journalism	2nd
F3	Scott Moselen	Scientific Journalism	Merit
F4	Oren Oariki	Observational Drawing	1st
	Vijay Bhana	Observational Drawing	2nd

The Science Quiz for 4th Forms runs concurrently with the Science Fair every year, and this year as usual FDMC entered a team: Matthew Rush, Andrew Gibson, Matthew Lawn and Matthew Eaton.

The competition was strong and the Francis Douglas team held their own until the last problem solving section. Amid great ideas and innovative designs we saw some nail biting situations and some bitter disappointments when the planned activity didn't come off, but 4th in Taranaki is still a great achievement.

Of special note was Trent Bell's presentation of his research on Lizards of Tariki. Trent's work gained him the honour of



overall Best in Fair with an all expenses paid trip to the National Science Fair in Wellington to represent the Taranaki Province. Trent also received the prize for Best in Class and the Taranaki Polytechnic Prize.

Trent was impressed by the high standard of presentations from students from around the country and enjoyed meeting and making contacts with other regions' representatives.

F5,6 & 7      Experimental Investigation  
1st Trent Bell

## ITS UP TO MY NECK WITH GECKOS HERE

For the first time in my short life I entered a science project in the 1995 Regional Science Fair. To the surprise of all I won the right to be the Taranaki representative for the National Science Fair. I did enjoy the prize money as well.

Fate had decided that I was to go to Wellington to meet with 36 other rivals all after the same thing- The Premier Award- a trip to the USA. So there I was in Wellington, working 16 hours a day for four days.

As soon as I came to the Plaza International Hotel, a flashy place with golden elevators (true!!) and walls where the National Science Fair was held, I was tremendously shocked at some of the lengths many went to in their work - one did some work on mud crabs, another on moss and yet another on false Katipo spiders. One guy went as far as exhibiting his old smelly sox and used tea bags to get rid of the pong. Poor thing. I did my project on forest geckos from Tariki, a small region in Taranaki. I measured wild specimens of the gecko and compared the results to find any morphological differences these specimens showed as compared to the "type" species.

I watched the Award ceremony and I didn't get anything special. Eventually the winner of the Premier award was called out. Surely NOT him But it was - Hamiora Werahiko. That big Maori young man who did his research on the cultural traditions of preserving food before the Europeans came. If anyone deserved the Premier Award I felt that Hamiora did. Well done, man.

*Trent Bell*

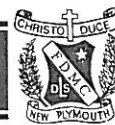






# SCIENCE

# ENGLISH



## AUSTRALIAN SCIENCE COMPETITION

The results of the Australian Science Competition have been received. Eighty seven of our students entered the competition and the achievements were as follows :

High Distinction	- Top 1% of NZ	0
Distinction	- Next 10% of NZ	5
Credit	- Next 20% of NZ	21
Achievement	- Top 20% of school but not eligible for one of the above awards.	1

The individual winners were :

### Distinction

- Form 2 Mark White-Robinson  
Form 4 Simon Costello, Quinten Werder, Andrew Gibson.  
Form 5 Scott Gillum

### Credit

- Form 1 Scott Moselyn, Josh Hullah  
Form 3 Daniel Stark, David Sheerin, Marcus Sheerin, Shaun Johnson, Hans-Peter Anderson, Benet Hitchcock.  
Form 4 Jared Glasgow, Christopher Wheatley, Jason Stevenson, Craig Laing.  
Form 5 Mark Drinkwater, Matthew Clarkson, Tristan Hancock, Bernard McDavitt.  
Form 6 Jason Larmer, Nigel Smith, Ryan O'Byrne.  
Form 7 Ross Thacker, Heath Smith.

### Achievement

- Form 2 Matthew Thorburn.

## AUSTRALIAN ENGLISH COMPETITION

This year over 100 students took part in the Australian English Competition. This involves sitting a one and a half hour test in August which tests students abilities in Reading Comprehension, Use of Vocabulary and Interpretation of Data. The test was sat by over 300,000 students in Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Singapore, Fiji and Thailand. A number of students gained special awards. Results from FDC were:

- 4 students Awarded Distinction Certificates
- 30 students Awarded Credit Certificates
- 3 students Awarded Achievement Certificates
- 5 students Awarded Participation Certificates

### Distinction:

- Form 7 : David Gibson  
Form 2 : Mark White-Robinson, Christian Holswich  
Form 1 : Leon Butler



### Credit:

- Form 7 : Andrew Secker, Stephen Prestney, Anton Maddern, Daniel Jane  
Form 6 : Daniel Woodd, Nigel Smith, Richard Sevicke-Jones, Timothy Rush, Ryan O'Byrne, Clement Mustchin  
Form 5 : Scott Gillum, Mark Drinkwater  
Form 4 : Jason Stevenson, Andrew Gibson, Rohan Craig, Simon Costello  
Form 3 : Simon Tippet, Patrick Southee, Mark Solly, Conrad Smith, Ross Payne, Scott McGregor, Mark Julian, Shaun Johnson, David Gollan, Andrew Cronin  
Form 1 : James Tamarapa, Trent Susianto, Scott Moselen

### Achievement:

- Form 4 : Quinten Werder, Joshua Hayward, Craig Laing

### Participation:

- Form 1 : David Waite, Jeremy Butler  
Form 2 : Louis Fernando, Aidan Lee, Luke Mustchin, Adrian Cleary





# MATHEMATICS



The students have continued to perform well this year in the various activities that are organised for them. We would like to acknowledge their achievements .

## NATIONAL BANK JUNIOR MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

David Gollan - Certificate of Merit.

## TARANAKI MATHEMATICS SPECTACULAR

### Quiz Teams

Form One: G.Cronin, J.Hullah, J.Tamarapa, E. Brouwers,  
S.Moselen, S. Heusser, L.Butler, D.Waite.

Form Two: M.White-Robonson, C.Holswich, D.Parr, A.Lee,  
C.Jordan, J.Butler, L.Fernando, L.Mustchin.

Form Three: S.Johnson, D.Sheerin, C.Smith, R.Crowe,  
H.Peter Anderson, S.McGregor, M.McDavitt,  
M.Kuriger.

Form Four: S.Costello, C.Laing, A.Gibson, L.Elder,  
J.Stevenson, Q.Werder, R.McDonald, C.Wheatley.

### Prizewinners

First - A.Gibson	Form 4 Individual Project.
Third - S.Costello, R.Williams, C.Wheatley	
	Form 4 Group Project.
Merit - C.Williams	Form 3 Design.
Merit - R.Te Moana	Form 3 Poetry.

## N.S.W. PRIMARY SCHOOLS MATHEMATCS COMPETITION

C.Holswich	Distinction.
E.Bolger , D.Hall, L.Mustchin,	Credit
D.Parr, M.White-Robinson	Credit.

## WESTPAC AUSTRALIAN MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

### Distinction Awards

Top Ten students from the College based on standardised scores:

Form 7: A.Secker (Top Student)

Form 6: C.Mustchin, K.Lee, S.Hart

Form 4: Q.Werder, S.Costello

Form 3: D.Sheerin, C.Smith, R.Crowe

Form 2: L.Mustchin

### Other Distinction Awards:

Form 7: J.Letts

Form 5: T.Hancock

Form 3: S.McGregor, S.Johnson

### Credit Awards

Form 7: D.Dravitzki, M.Normanton

Form 6: D.Manu, N.Smith, K.Dravitzki, R.Smiley

Form 5: B.McDavitt, P.Secker, S.Little, P.O'Donnell,  
V.Mclean, S. Gillum

Form 4: J.Stevenson, A.Gibson, C.Laing

Form 3: H.Anderson, M.McDavitt, M.Sheerin, D.Gollan,  
M.Kuriger, T.Mace

Form 2: M.White-Robinson, L.Fernando





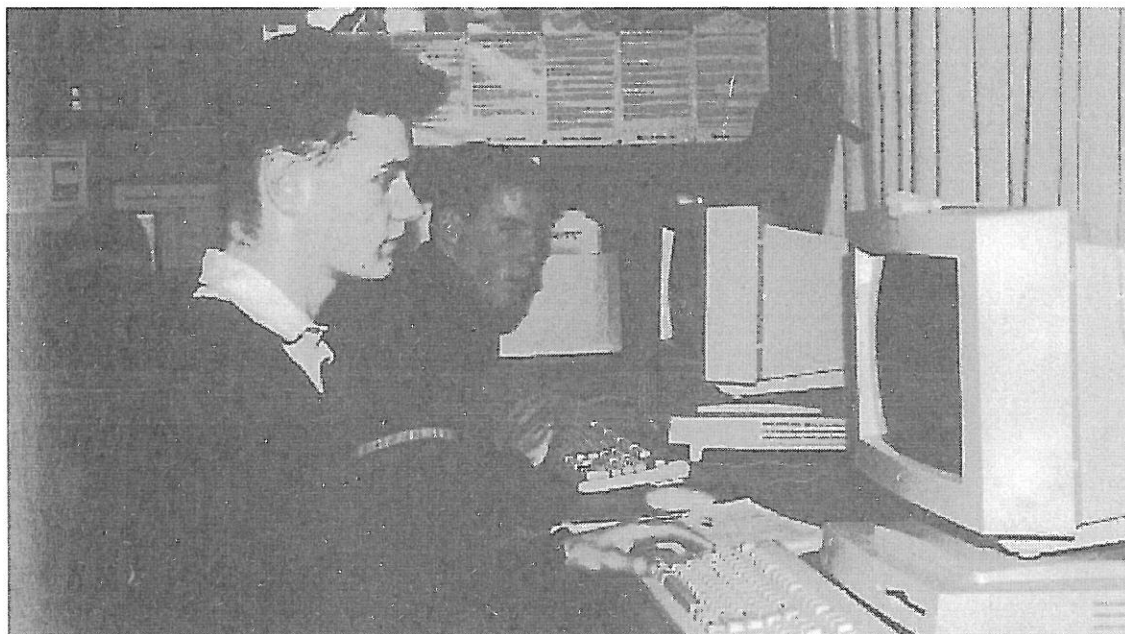
The area of computing has been growing rapidly in the school over the last few years, and this year more than ever. At the start of the year the school developed a second computer suite, buying a complete new set of bigger, faster computers. We are now one of the most technologically advanced schools in the country.

Computing is taught in the school at sixth and seventh form level. The courses involve work in wordprocessing, database and spreadsheet programs, the history of computers, and computer programming at seventh form. Hopefully computer pro-

gramming will be introduced at sixth form level soon. It is a very important and valuable course in this day and age as computers are advancing all the time.

As well as being used for teaching at school, computers have been a great asset in preparing the school paper "Fresh Prints", and in producing the school magazine, saving lots of money at the publishers and allowing the editorial staff to have more control over the final outlay. The way I see it, computers are the way of the future, and Francis Douglas is right up to date.

*Clem Mustchin*



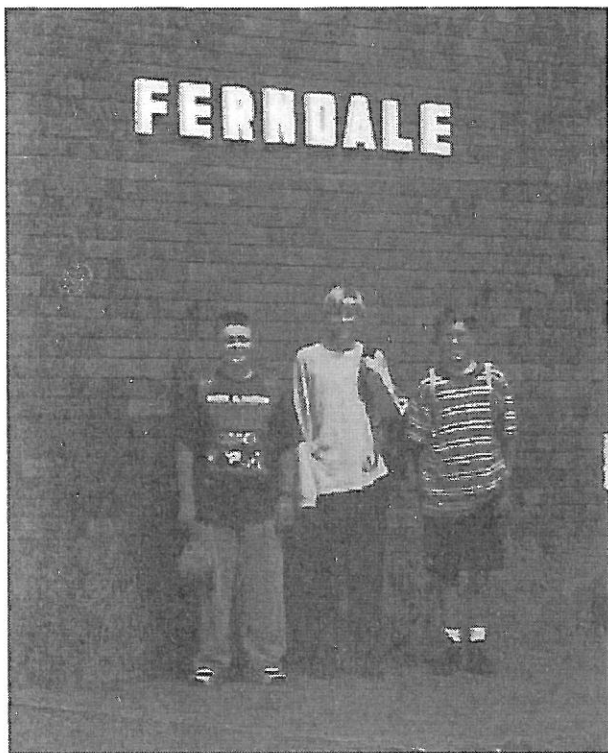




# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



## SCHOOL REFLECTION DAYS



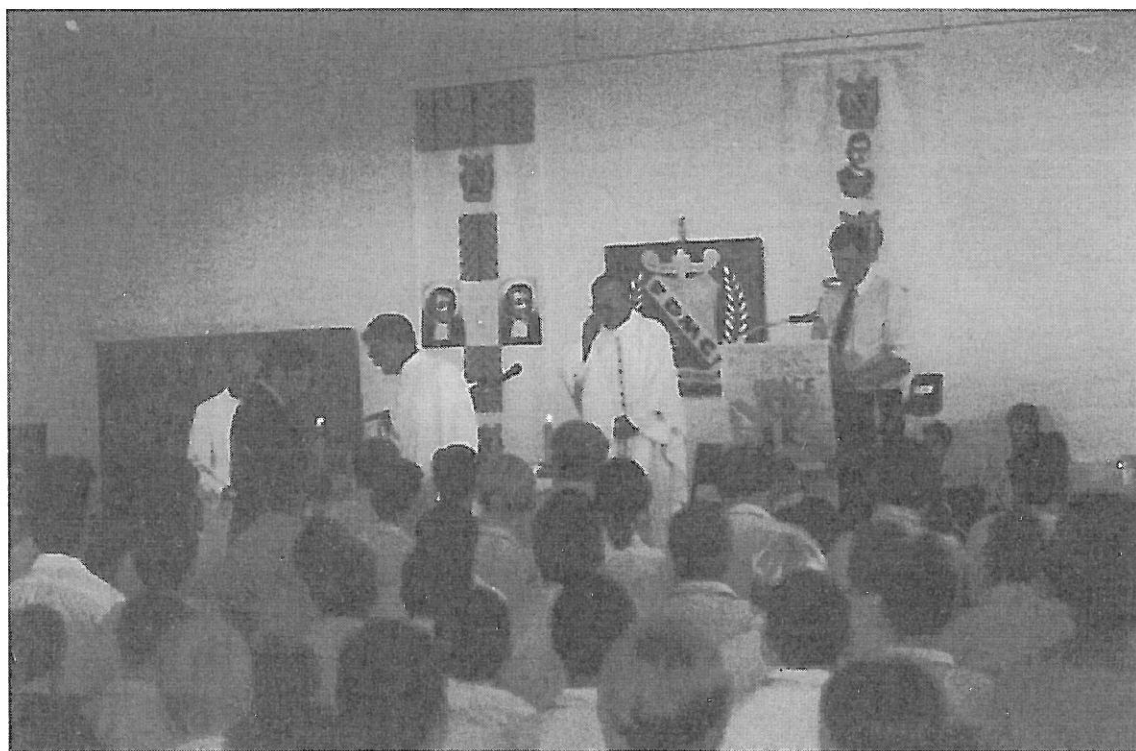
"Be still and know that I am God"

During the year each of the Form levels had the opportunity to participate in a "retreat" day. Form Three journeyed on an Emmaus walk to Ferndale Hall



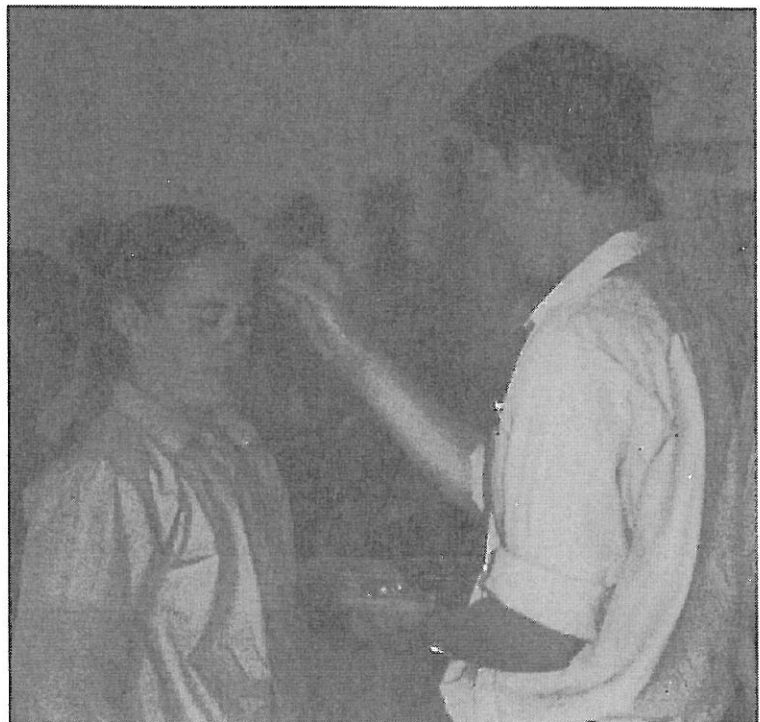
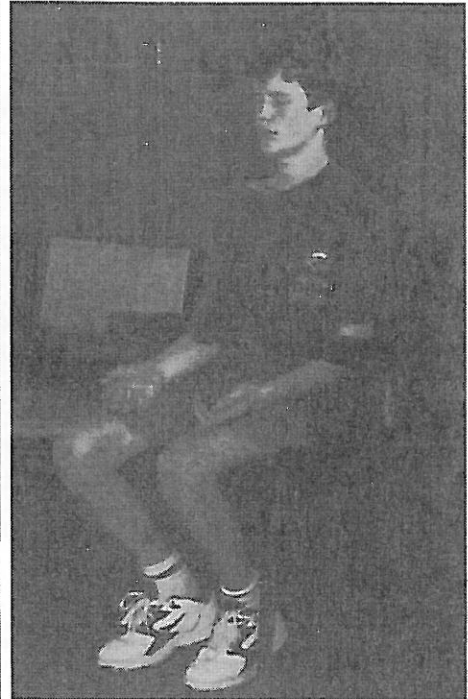
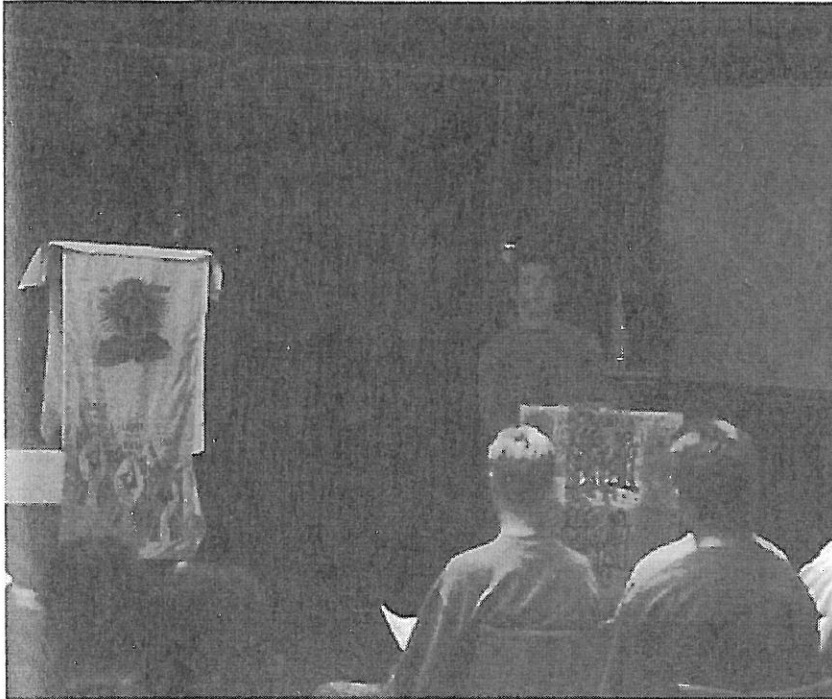
where they entered into a variety of activities that had them working on their own as well as in group situations. Soon after the mid term break around seventy students from Forms 5-7 opted to take part in a retreat day at Forestal House. For the majority of the students it was their first experience of a retreat. For first timers they enthusiastically participated in each of the activities and accepted the challenge to spend part of the day in silence on their own. Late in the year, having recovered from their TOPEC experience, the Form Four Boys took part in a retreat led by Br Owen from De La Salle in Auckland. Br Owen had a captive audience to listen to his interesting and challenging stories. Form One and Two students took part in a mini retreat held in the school chapel.

*Br Mark*





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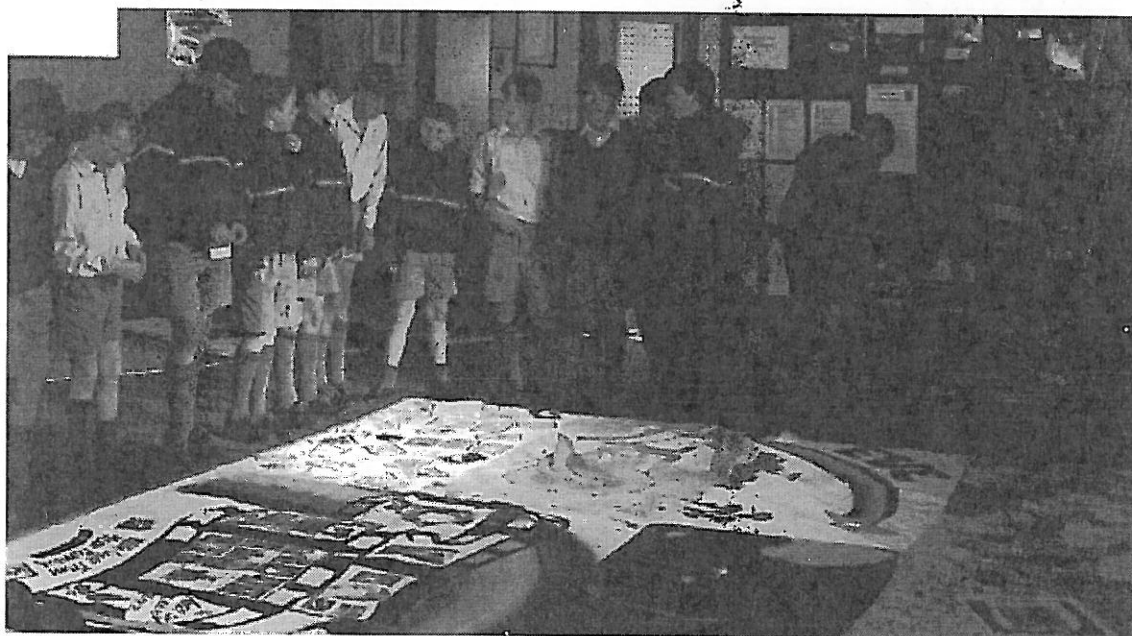
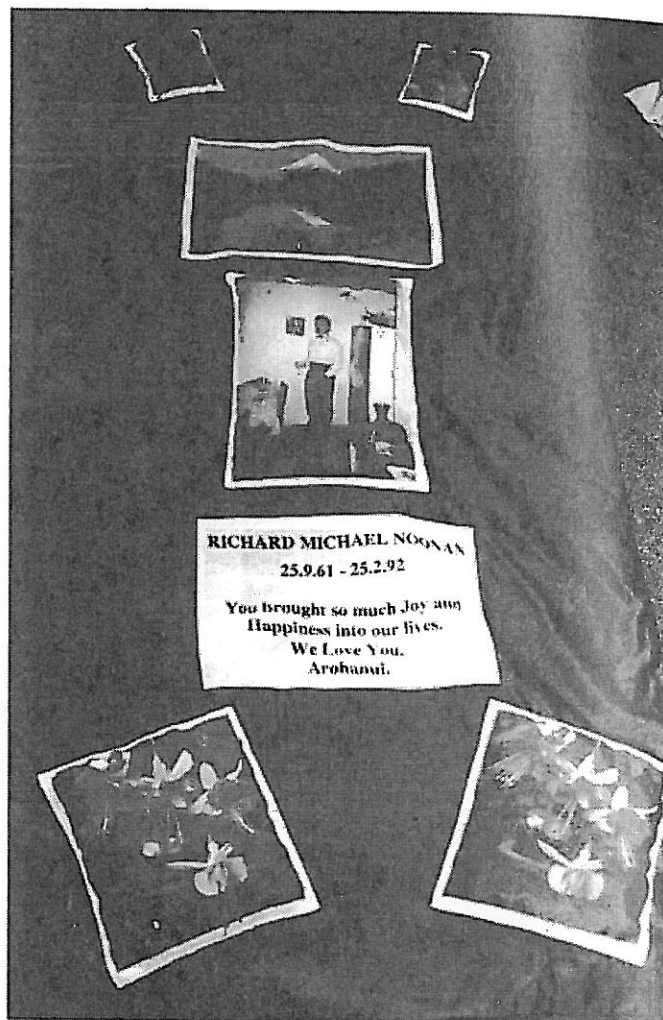
# AIDS AWARENESS



## THE NEW ZEALAND QUILT PROJECT

In June the College was privileged to be able to display the AIDS Memorial Quilt in the Chapel. The Quilt is made up of many sections the size of an average coffin as a way of remembering those who have died of AIDS in New Zealand. Two factors about the Quilt left lasting impressions on the students - the size and the intricate work that had gone into each section. There were many sections not able to be displayed here because we did not have the room. The loving care that families and friends had put into making their memorial also had a noticeable impact.

We were indeed fortunate to have Mrs. Shirley Noonan speak to pupils about the Quilt. Her son Richard (an Old Boy of Francis Douglas College) died of Aids three years ago and she related how her family had been affected by Richard's illness and death. It helped bring home to the College community the pain and sense of loss that people feel when their family is affected by this incurable disease, and also served as a gentle reminder that Christ has called us to love all people.







# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## VERTICAL FORM LEADERSHIP AWARDS

B1	Kieran Jeffares	L1	Kelby Smith
B2	Heath Smith	L2	Kelly Ryan, Michael Normanton
B3	Brad Coogan	L3	Simon McDonald
B4	Justin Salter, Kieran O'Neill, Ross Thacker	L4	Ian Utiger
LS1	Deacon Manu	S2	Matthew Robinson
LS2	Wayne Johnson	S3	Martin Strong, Andrew Leusink
LS3	Paul King, Josef Kaiser	S4	Daniel Hancock, Jeremy Burn
LS4	Richard Carr	S5	Stephen Prestney, Michael Lawn
LS5	Jonathan Kale		

## FORM FIVE DILIGENCE AWARDS

Carl Behrent	Graphics	Jun Kendrick	Accounting, Graphics
Trent Bell	Geography	Samuel Kirk	Graphics, Music, English
Harley Butler	Economics, Graphics, Physical Education, Religious Studies, Science	Blair Luscombe	Physical Education, Science, Alternative English, Geography, Physical Education
Karl Carey	Mathematics, Science	Vaughan Maclean	English, Physical Education, Science
Daniel Clark	Art	Jason Mahony	Art
Matthew Clarkson	History	Jarad Mason	English
Shamus Crawford	Workshop Technology	Matthew McCalman	History, Religious Studies
Sean Dettling	Physical Education	Bernard McDavitt	Accounting, Economics, English, Mathematics, Physical Education, Religious Studies, Science
Adam Fenech	Religious Studies	Shane Miles	Agriculture, Horticulture
Donald Francis	Graphics, Workshop Technology	Craig Morresey	Geography
Scott Gillum	Economics, Science	Andrew Roberts	Agriculture, History, English, Physical Education, Science,
Joseph Green-Goodchap	Alternative English, Physical Education	Glenn Ryan	Music, New Zealand Maths
Brian Hamblyn	Geography, Horticulture, Mathematics	Jean-Philippe Teissonnaire	Mathematics, Science
Tristan Hancock	Science	Michael Wheatley	Accounting, Religious Studies, Science, Mathematics
Aaron Hill	English, Horticulture		
Karl Johnson	English, Physical Education, Workshop Technology		



# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## FORM SIX DILIGENCE AWARDS

Jason Beckett	Geography, Mathematics	Nathan Mouat	P.E. Studies
Grant Bishop	School Certificate Mathematics, Physical Education, P.E. Studies	Patrick Mulligan	Computing
Joris Bolyn	Maths with Application	Clem Mustchin	Chemistry, English, Physics
Shane Bowling	English, Physics, Biology	Ryan O'Byrne	English, History
Simon Brown	Physical Education	Aaron O'Neill	P.E. Studies
Richard Carr	Agriculture, Maths with Application	Shay O'Neill	Biology, Chemistry
Paul Clarke	Maths with Application	Tony Penn	Geography, History, Physical Education
James Comber	Economics, English	Graham Robinson	Craft
Mark Doody	Religious Studies	Tim Rush	Physical Education
Karl Dravitzki	Physical Education	Richard Sevicke-Jones	Computing, English
Hamish Forsyth	Economics	Richard Smiley	Biology, English, Mathematics, Physics
Jim Gollan	Religious Studies	Nigel Smith	English, Mathematics
Matthew Gray	Biology, History	Martin Stronge	Geography, Physical Education
Chris Hancock	Physical Education	Michael Sullivan	Physical Education
Brendon Iremonger	Religious Studies	Mark Uhlenberg	Agriculture, Maths with Application
Nigel Keegan	English	Bevan Watson	Maths with Application
Regan Kendrick	Graphics	Scott Wheeler	Maths with Application, Computing
Peter Lawn	Biology, Mathematics	Damin Whittle	Economics, English
Andrew Leusink	Religious Studies, Graphics, Computing	Daniel Woodd	Biology, Religious Studies
Jeffrey Lock	Graphics		
Deacon Manu	Biology, Chemistry		





# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## FORM SEVEN DILIGENCE AWARDS

Mark Butterworth	Biology, Geography	Aaron Potts	Graphics, HSC English,
Damon Dravitzki	Computing		HSC Mathematics, Media Studies
Simon Foley	HSC English, P.E. Studies	Stephen Prestney	Economics, English
Karl Gilmour	Chemistry, Physics	Mathew Robinson	HSC English, PE Studies
Kieran Jeffares	Economics	Kelly Ryan	English, Geography, Statistics
Josef Kaiser	Chemistry, English, Physics	Justin Salter	Computing
Jonathan Letts	Geography, Calculus	Heath Smith	Statistics, Physics
Michael Malin	History	Kelby Smith	Biology, English, Statistics
Michael Normanton	Chemistry	Tim Stuck	Biology, English
Michael O'Sullivan	History	Gerard Uhlenberg	PE Studies
		Ian Utiger	PE Studies







# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## FORM FIVE 1ST IN CLASS

Mark Drinkwater	English	Shane Miles	Horticulture
Scott Gillum	Science	Craig Morresey	Agriculture
Samuel Kirk	History, Music, English	Teaorangi Mulligan	Maori
Jason Mahony	Art	Patrick O'Donnell	Mathematics
Bernard McDavitt	Accounting, Economics, Geography	Jean Philippe Teissonniere	Graphics, Workshop Technology

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## FORM SIX 1ST IN CLASS

James Comber	History	Tony Penn	P.E. Studies
Regan Kendrick	Art	Richard Sevicke-Jones	Geography
Patrick Kowalewski	Craft	Nigel Smith	Chemistry, Physics, Biology
Jason Larmer	Graphics		
Peter Lawn	Agriculture	Damin Whittle	Economics, Accounting
Clem Mustchin	Computing, Mathematics	Daniel Woodd	English

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## FORM SEVEN 1ST IN CLASS

Damon Dravitzki	Computing	Justin Salter	HSC English, PE Studies, Media Studies
Josef Kaiser	Graphics		
Jonathan Letts	Calculus	Andrew Secker	Physics, Statistics, Calculus
Aaron Potts	HSC Mathematics		
Stephen Prestney	Economics, Accounting	Heath Smith	Chemistry, English, History
Kelly Ryan	Biology		
		Tim Stuck	Geography



# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## SPORTS AWARDS

### ATHLETICS

L F WALSH CHALLENGE  
CUP ATHLETICS SENIOR CHAMPION  
*WAYNE JOHNSON*

### BASKETBALL

JOSEPH RIORDAN TROPHY BEST BASKETBALLER  
*JONOTHAN O'SULLIVAN*

### CRICKET

*SIMON HART*

### CROSS COUNTRY

*BEN GILLUM*

### RUGBY

KANE PALTRIDGE MEMORIAL TROPHY  
OUTSTANDING PLAYER 1ST XV  
*TIM STUCK*

MICHAEL JAMES MILHAN MEMORIAL  
TROPHY SPORTSMANSHIP 1ST XV  
*MARK BUTTERWORTH*

### SOCCER

NEW PLYMOUTH CITY SOCCER CLUB AWARD  
FOR TEAM SPIRIT IN THE 1ST XI  
*KELBY SMITH*

### PLAYER OF THE YEAR

*HEATH SMITH*

### SWIMMING

THE A QUINTAS CHALLENGE CUP  
FOR SENIOR SWIMMING CHAMPION  
*SIMON McDONALD*

### TENNIS

MOORE CUP - SENIOR SINGLES  
*MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN*

### FRANCIS DOUGLAS MEMORIAL COLLEGE TOP SPORTSMAN

KEVIN BROPHY TROPHY  
FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPORT  
*WAYNE JOHNSON*





# SENIOR PRIZEGIVING



## SPECIAL AWARDS

GAINES AWARD FOR LAW

AWARD FOR MUSIC

AWARD FOR SERVICES RENDERED TO THE COLLEGE

DAILY NEWS AWARD FOR LITERARY EXCELLENCE

ALEXANDER TRUST AWARD FOR AGRICULTURE

TECHNOLOGY AWARD

AWARD FOR SERVICES RENDERED TO THE COLLEGE

BUSINESS STUDIES AWARD

KELLY ENDOWMENT FOR SCIENCE/MATHEMATICS

NATIONAL BANK ENGLISH AWARD

SOCIAL SCIENCES AWARD

COLLEGE VICE CAPTAIN

COLLEGE CAPTAIN

PROXIME ACCESSIT

DUX 1995

Stephen Prestney, Heath Smith

Jeremy Burn, John Plunkett

Graeme Keinzley

Daniel Woodd, Ryan O'Byrne

Brendon Iremonger

Damon Dravitzki

Michael Normanton

Stephen Prestney

Andrew Secker

Heath Smith

Heath Smith

Tim Stuck

Mark Butterworth

Andrew Secker

Heath Smith







## DUX

Dux for 1995 is Heath Smith. Heath has studied English, Statistics, Chemistry, History and Physics and come first in English, History and Chemistry. As well as that he came 2nd in Statistics.

Heath was the recipient of the National Bank Award for English and the Social Sciences Award. He also received the Gaines Award which is given to a top academic student who is intending to pursue law.

Next year Heath intends to go to Victoria University to begin studies in Law. After completing these studies he has an eye on working in the Foreign Affairs area.

Heath has spent seven years at Francis Douglas College and looking back feels it's all been worthwhile. For him the highlights have been the Dux award and also his involvement in sport. This year he has played cricket 1st XI and soccer 1st XI and taken part in O'Shea Shield.

He recently sat the Alternative Scholarship examination in English and is sitting all 5 subjects for UE Bursary.



## PROXIME ACCESSIT

Proxime Accessit this year is Andrew Secker who comes from Stratford and has been attending Francis Douglas College for 5 years. Andrew's school course has been English, Statistics, Calculus, Chemistry and Physics. In Physics, Statistics and Calculus he gained 1st place. As well Andrew was the recipient of the Kelly Award which is made to the top student in Maths and the Sciences.

Next year Andrew intends to begin studying for a Bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering at Auckland University. After that he hopes to be involved in electrical design work.

Looking back he says he's glad the year's behind him even though he says that FDC is a good school.

Besides being runner-up to the dux, being a member of the 1st XV has been a major highlight of his time at school. Rugby and League have been his main co-curricular activities this year.

Andrew is finishing off this year sitting all 5 of his subjects for UE Bursary and he has just completed Alternative Scholarship examinations in Physics and Statistics.

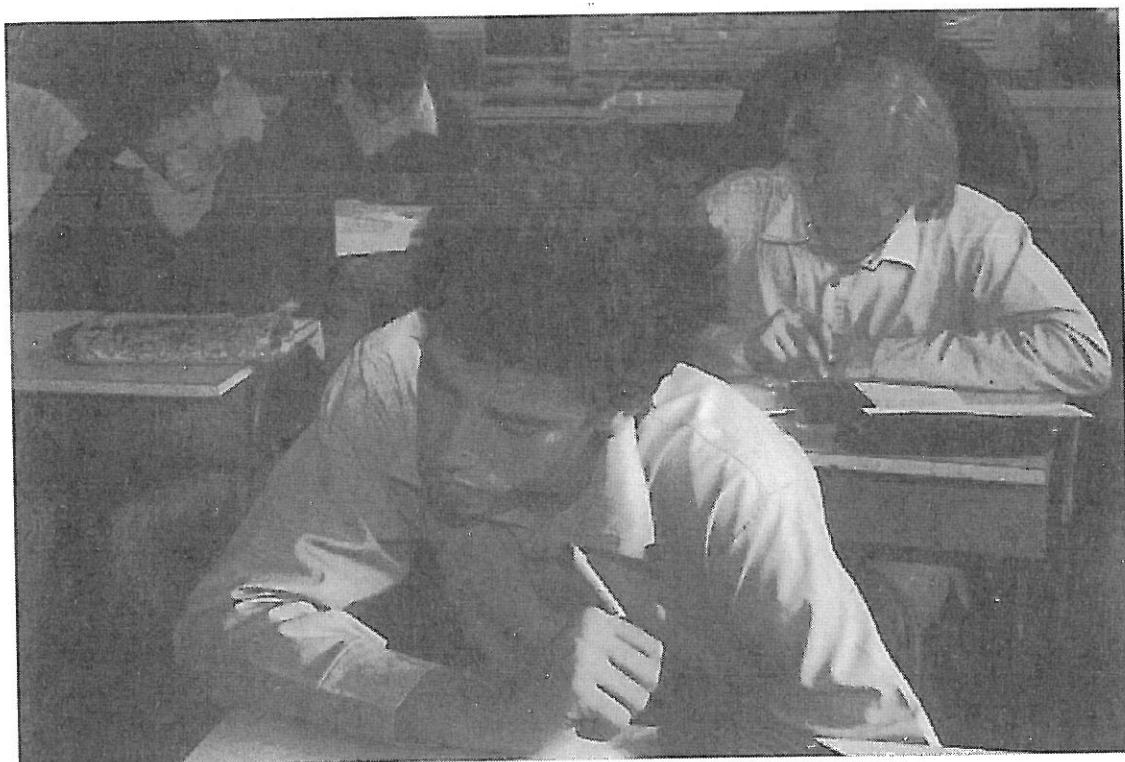
## SCHOOL LEADERS 1996



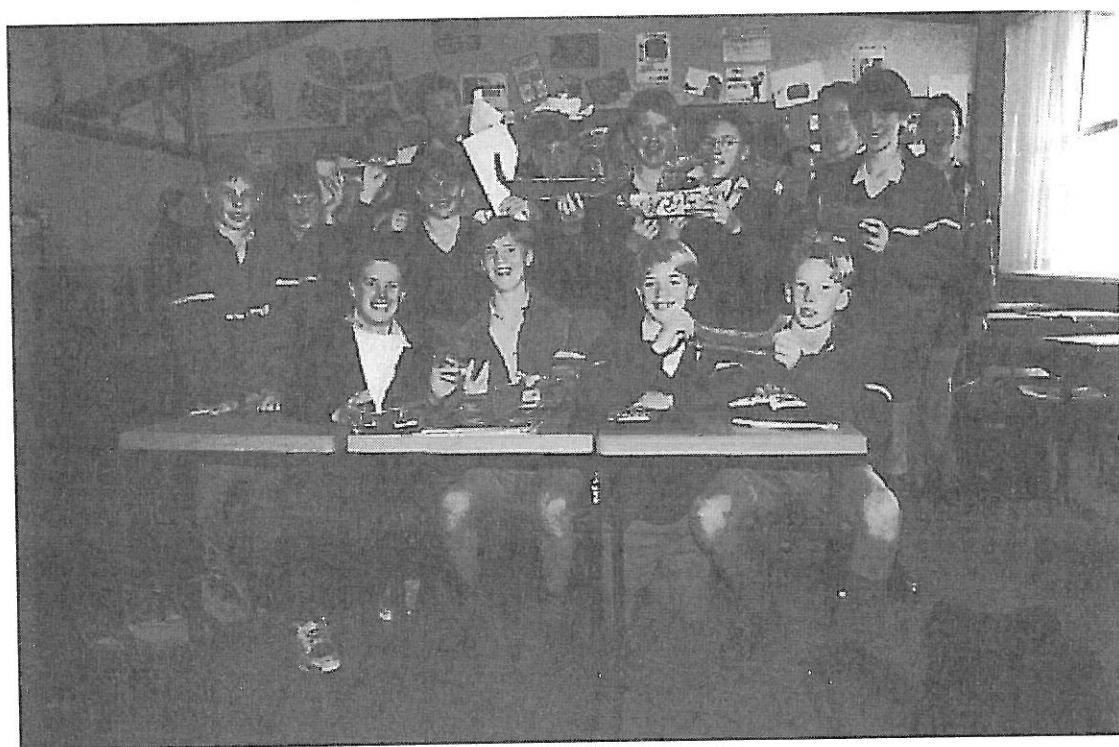
School Captain Deacon Manu and Vice Captain Michael Sullivan with their parents.

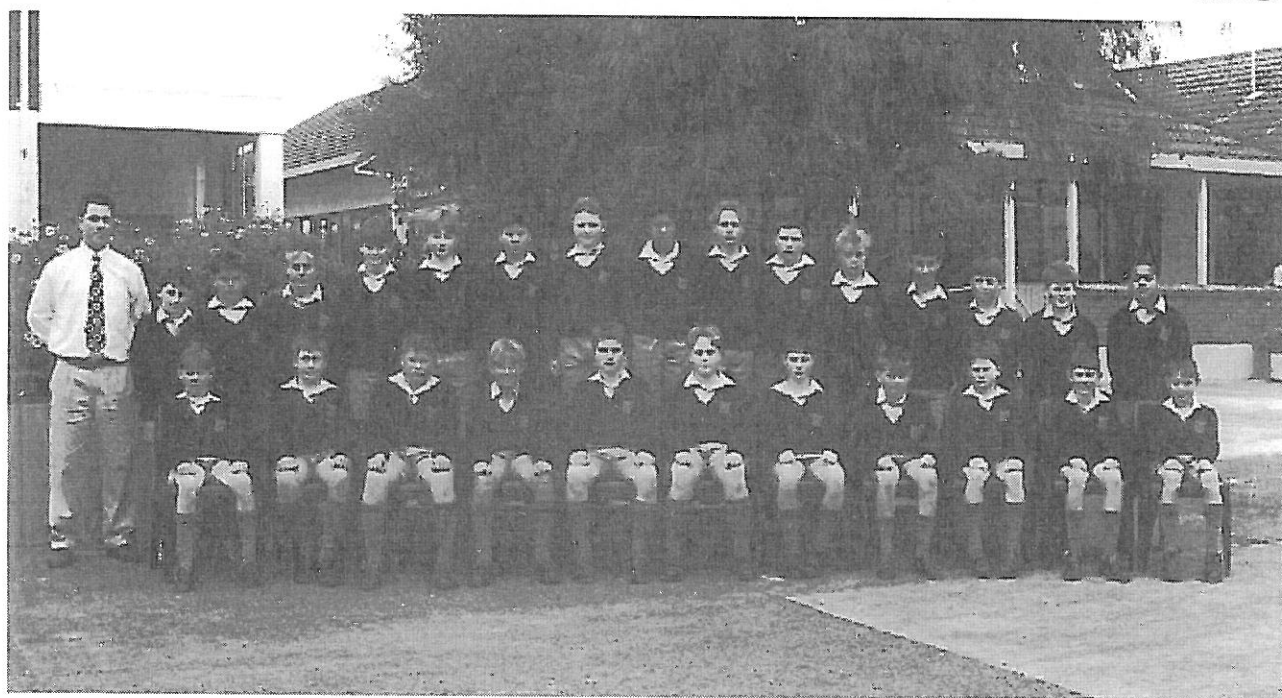


Head Boarder Martin Stronge and Deputy Peter Lawn.



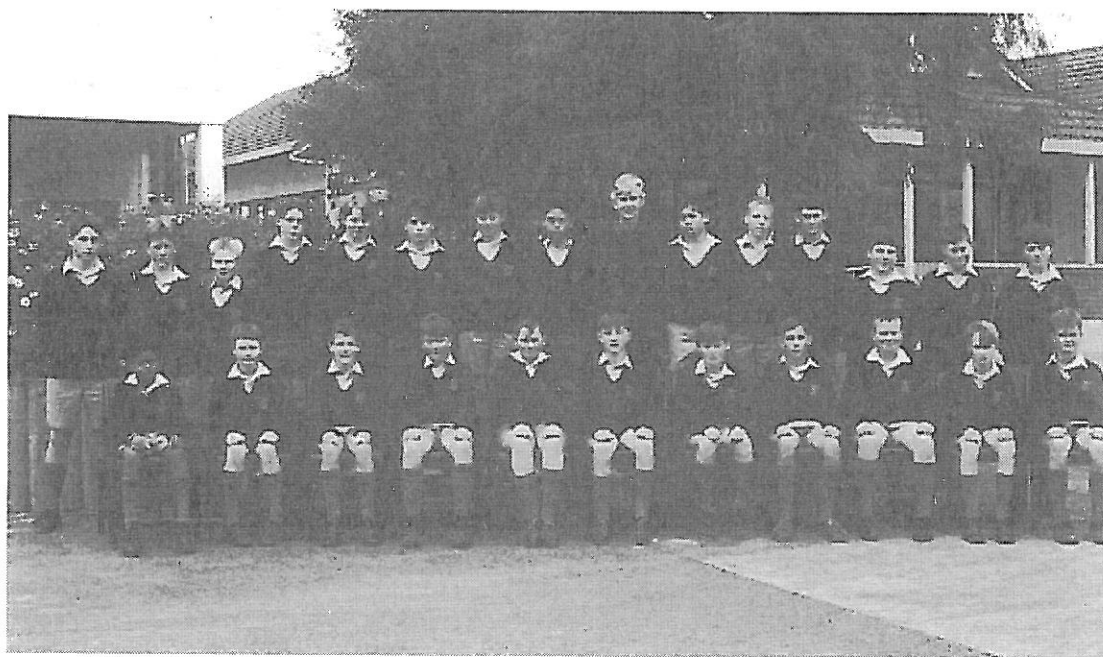
# *CLASS OF '95*





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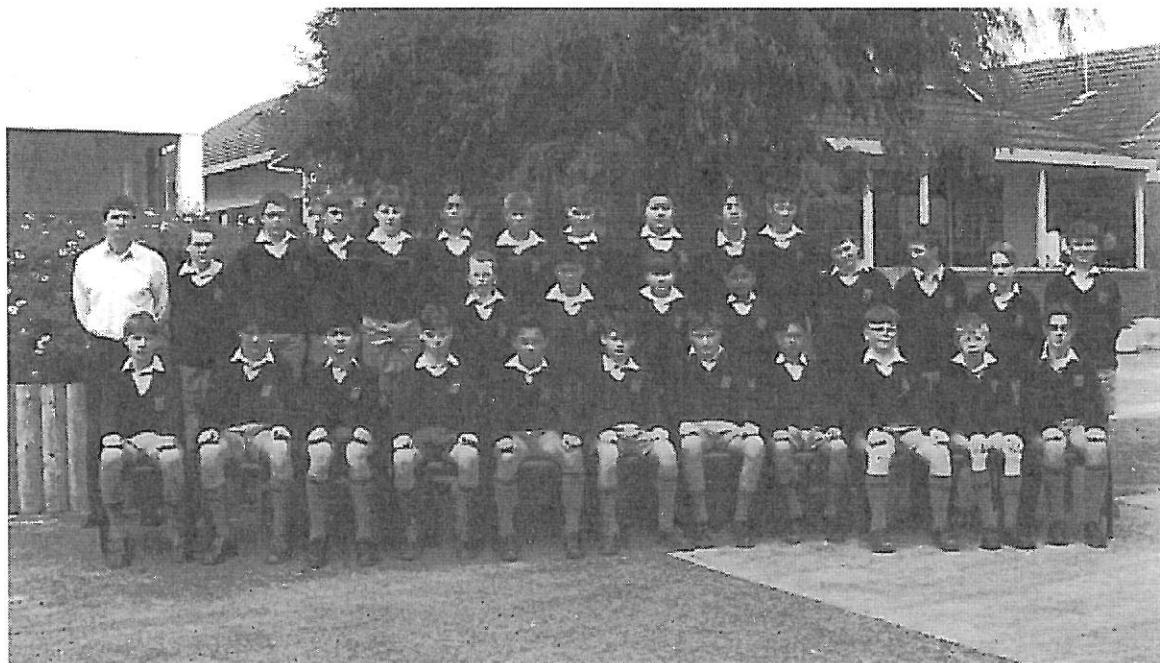
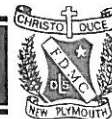
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Front Row: A. Blundell, T. Carr, L. Maindonald, T. Hunter, J. Vickers, A. Cleary, D. Hill, B. Wackrow, G. Cronin, D. Wells, S. Cracroft-Wilson



Form 1G

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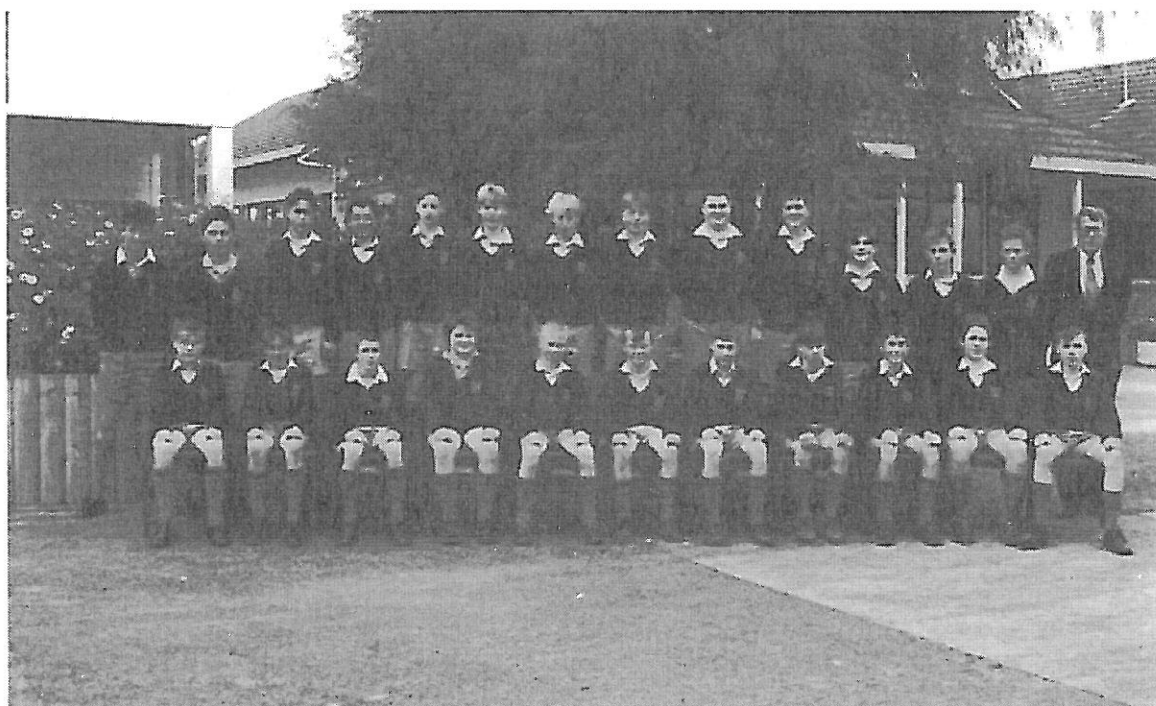




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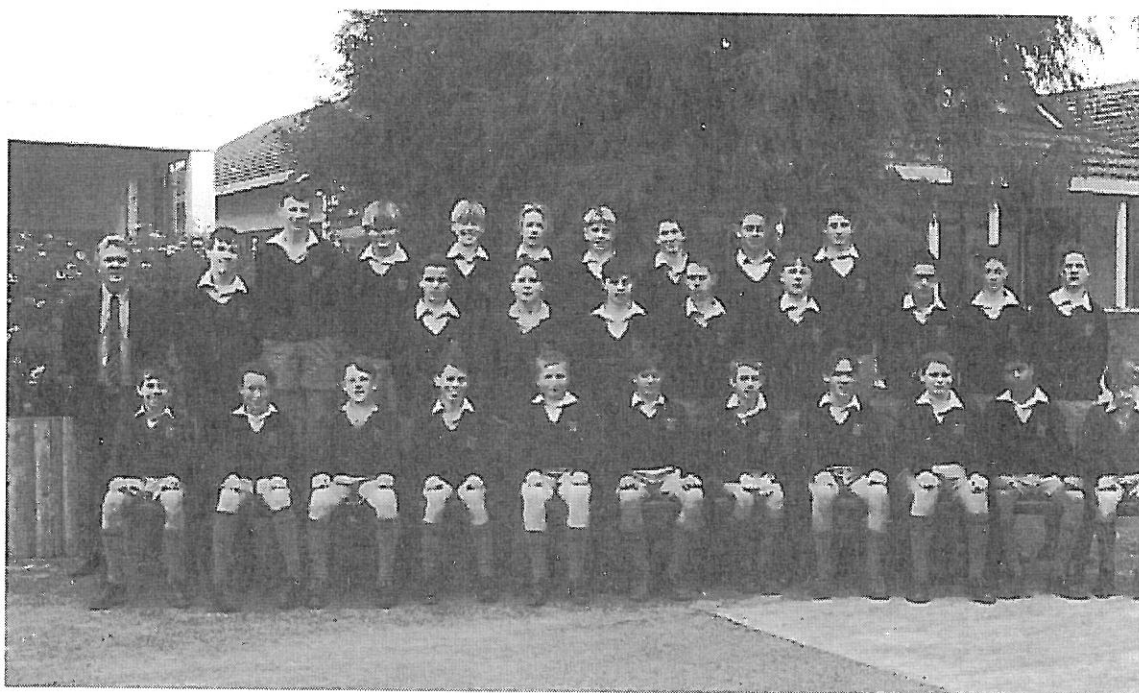
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Front Row: M.White-Robinson, J.Brown, G.Clegg, M.Gander, H.Murray, D.Hall, C.Hamblyn, N.Schumacher, S.Patten, D.Parr, B.Laing.

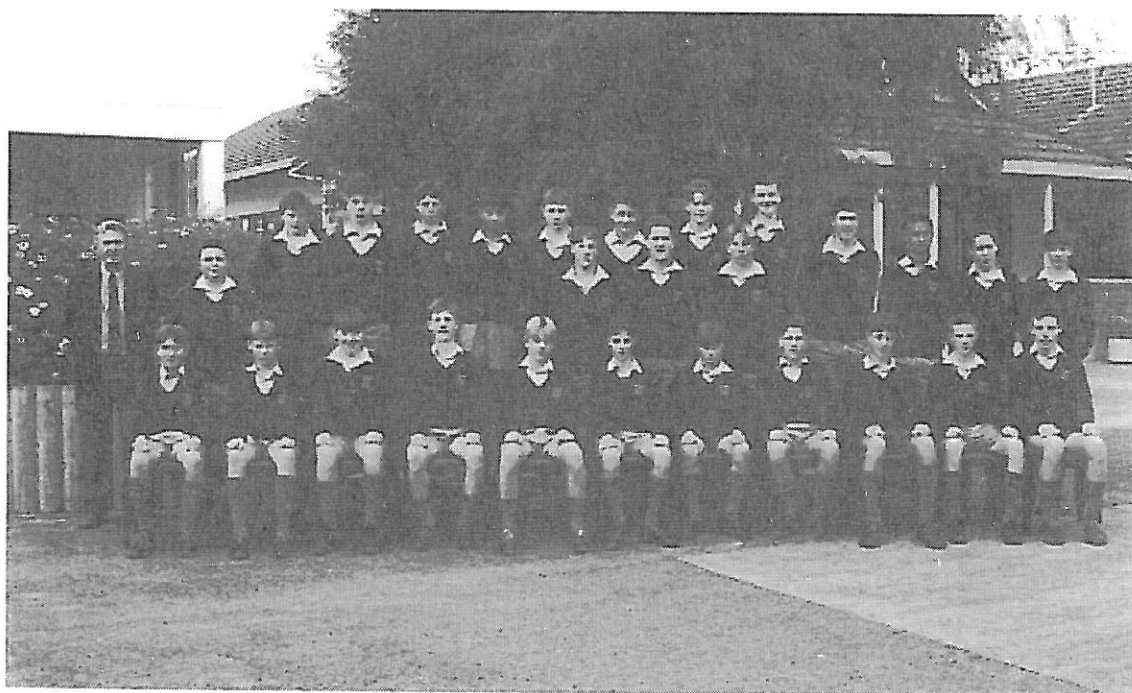


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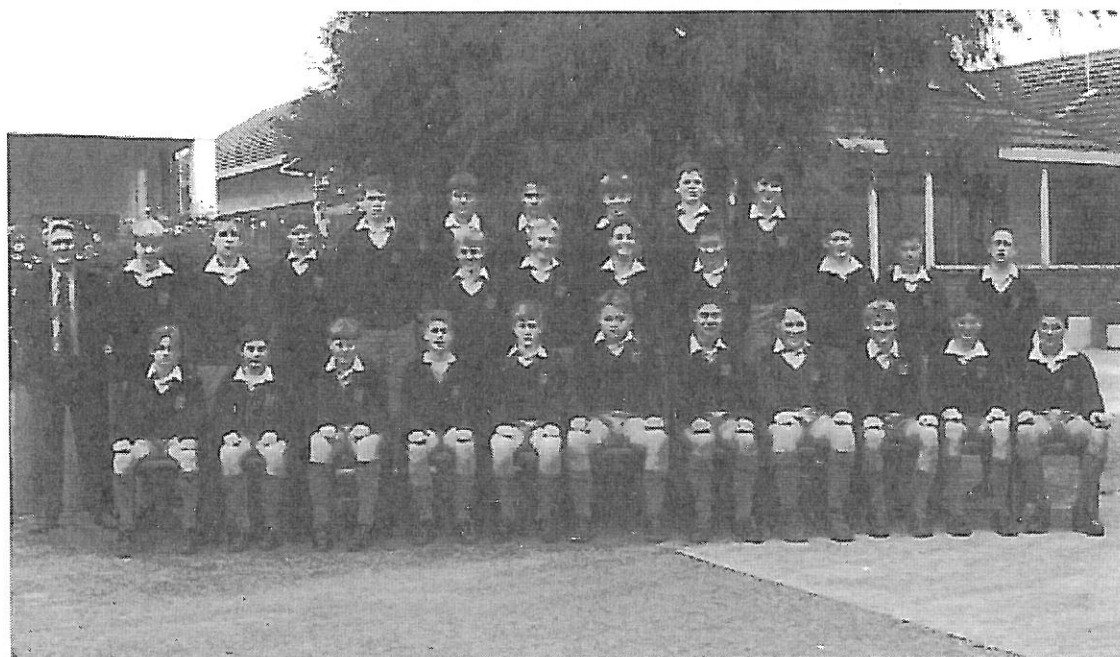


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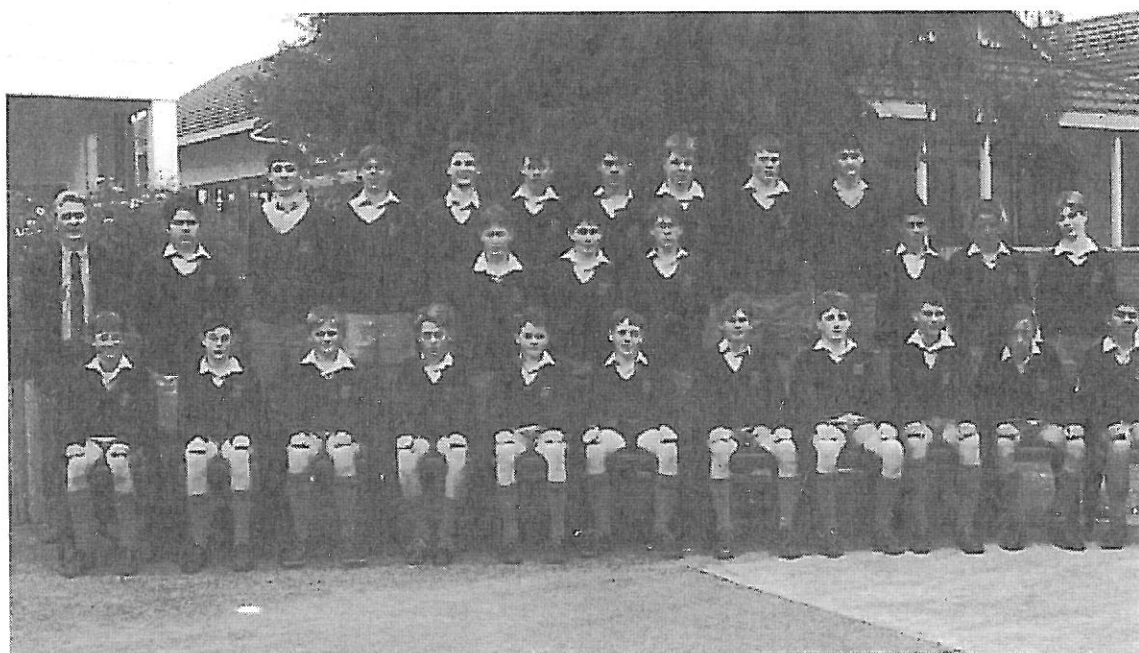


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S.Merewether, W.Capper

Front Row: T.Lazarus, M.Sheerin, N.Orchard, S.McCullum, P.Hodson, J.Harold, B.Wood, S.Gillington, J.Coster, M.Julian,  
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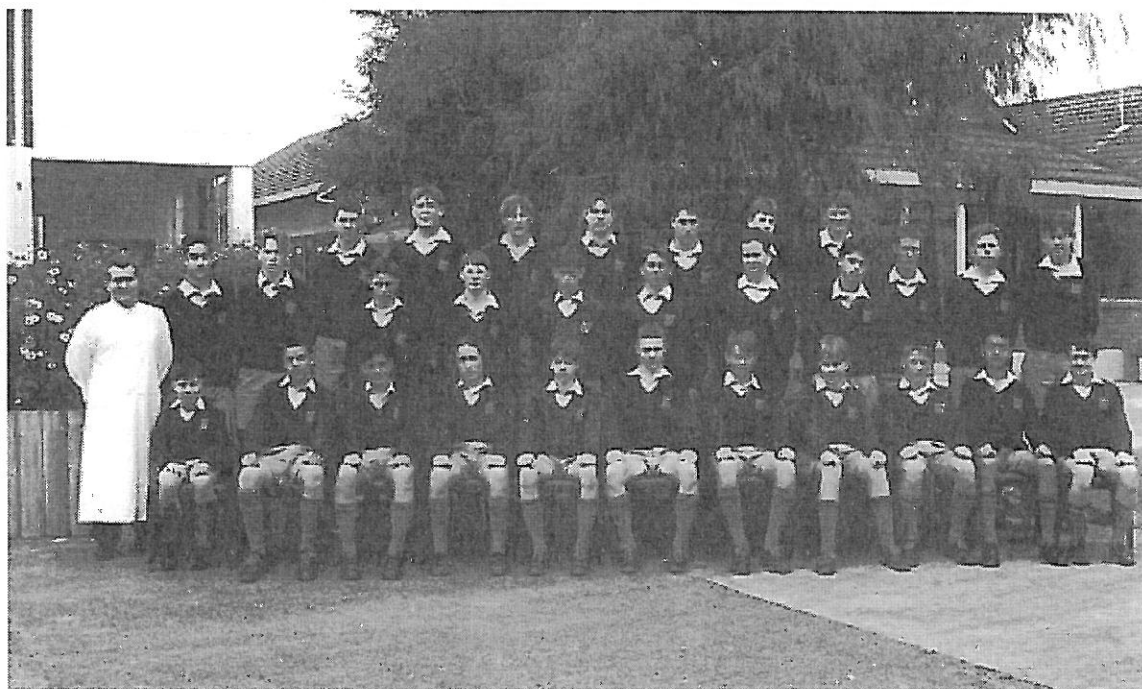
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Front Row: C.Dodunski, D.Sheerin, C.Thurman, S.Bell, A.Cronin, M.McDavitt, S.Johnson, P.Southee, M.Gopperth,  
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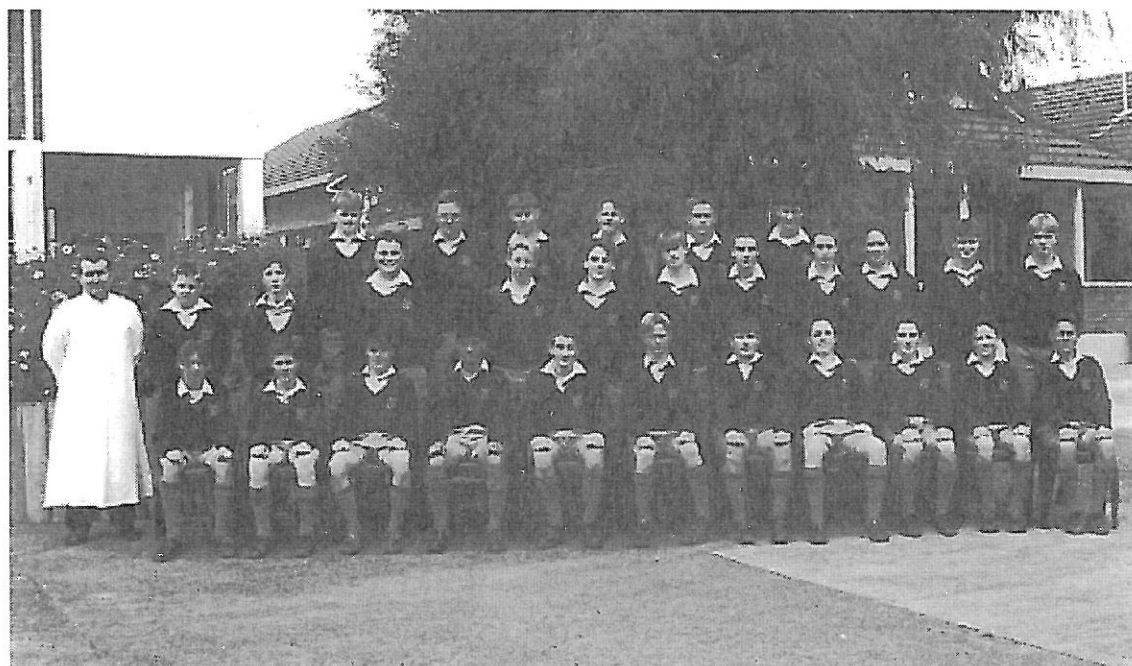


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Centre Row: Br.Mark, K.Kalders, W.Moselen, J.H.Quin, A.Dudley, M.Brown, L.McDonald, S.Costello, J.McDonald, R.Williams, D.Beatson, J.McGrory

Front Row: K.Johnson, C.Geminiano, J.Bunting, R.Lamplough, M.Bolyn, P.O'Byrne, M.Beckett, M.Chamberlain, P.Cracroft-Wilson, G.Gomez, C.Wheatley

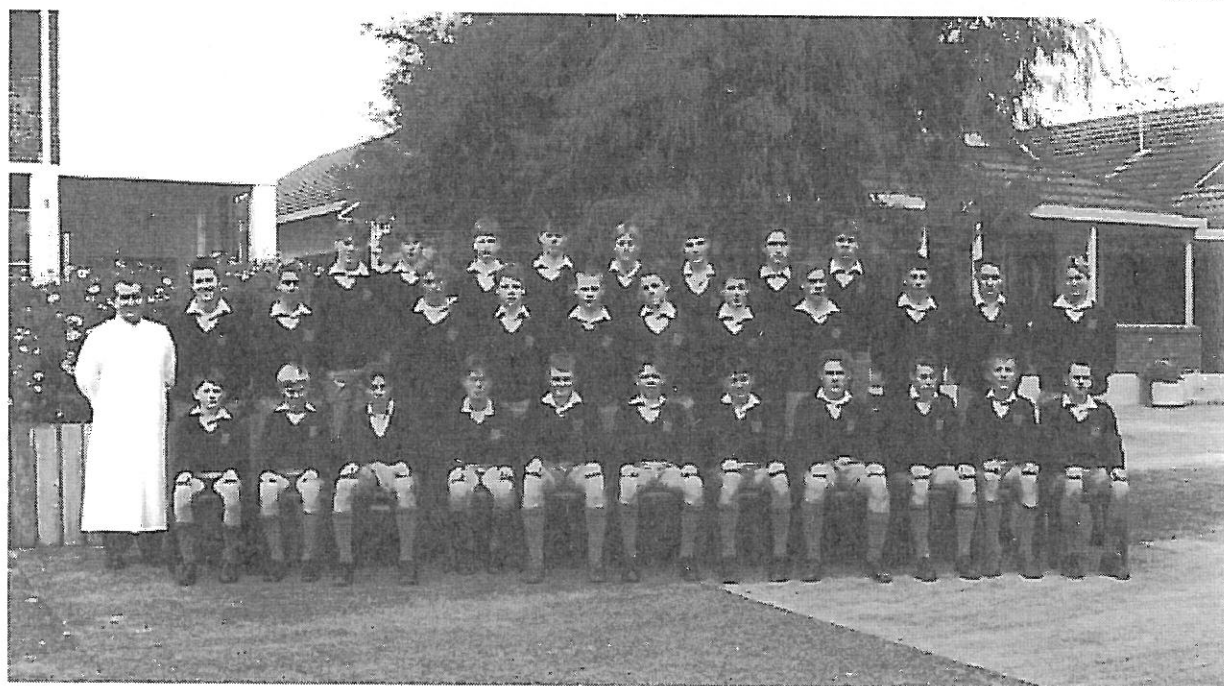


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Centre Row: Br.Mark, R.McDonald, M.Geater, E.Menefy, A.Fraser, M.Mathews, S.McLennan, J.Mahony, S.Hanover, S.Matuku, N.Hessell, M.Drought

Front Row: D.Klenner, A.Gibson, C.Snook, V.Bhana, N.Carter, S.Wilson, M.Stuck, S.Lamplough, J.Marinovich, R.Craig, T.O'Brien

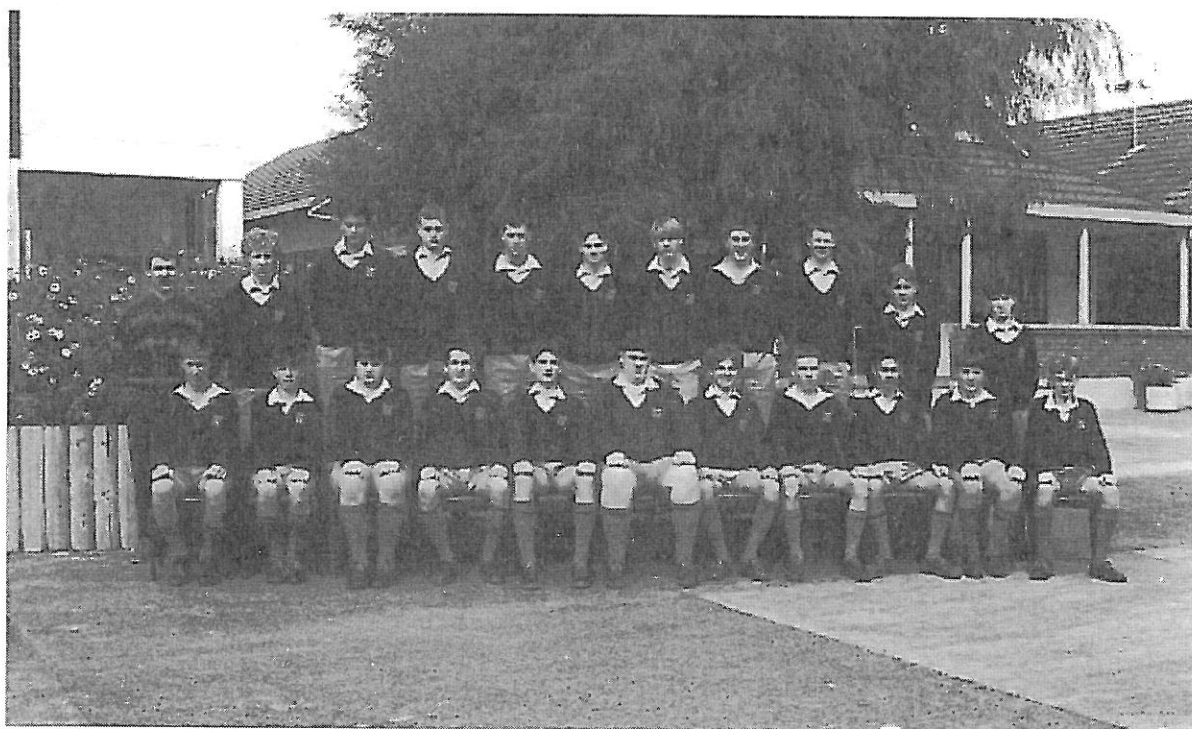


Form 4R

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Centre Row: Br.Mark, S.O'Sullivan, P.Smiley, K.South, J.Hodgson, K.Mander, N.Kowalewski, S.Ryan, M.Reck,  
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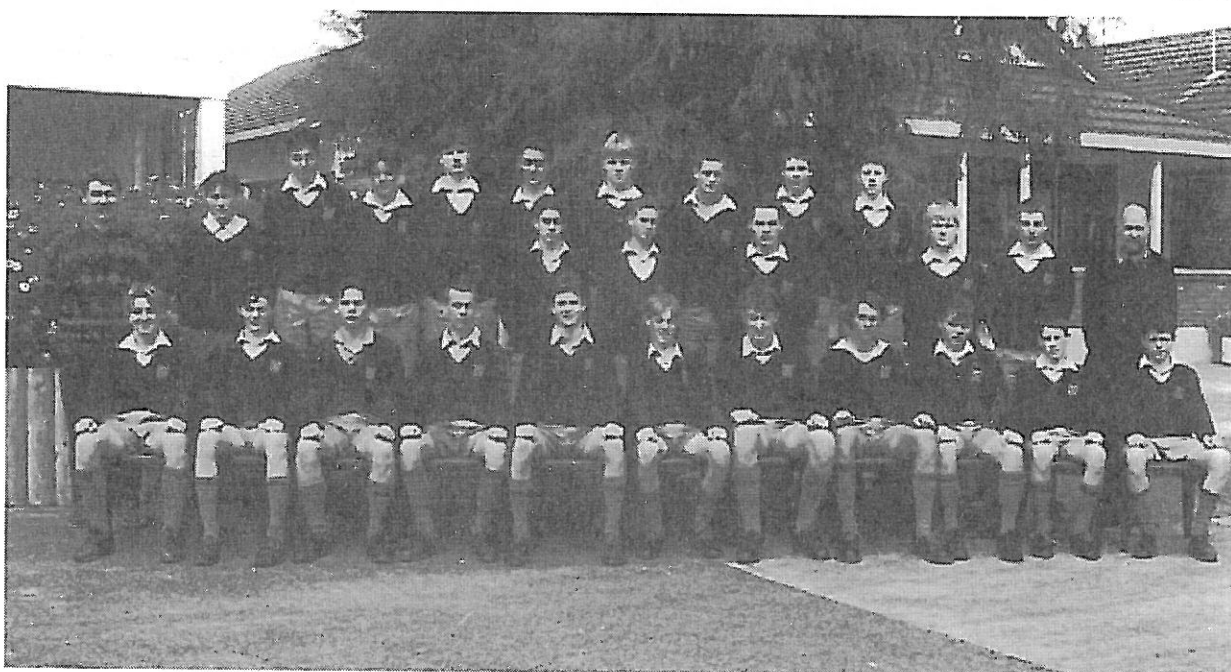
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B.Meehan, J.Hart



Form 5B

Back Row: Mr.P.Smith, N.Death, A.Taylor, M.Reid, C.Morresey, M.Wheatley, G.Ryan, J.P.Teissonniere, P.O'Donnell,  
D.Rickit, C.Behrent, K.Carey, R.Mattock

Front row: S.Crawford, B.Luscombe, M.Bevins, M.Clarkson, J.Green-Goodchap, C.Melody, D.Armstrong, S.Heal,  
S.Dettling, C.Laird, C.Hullah

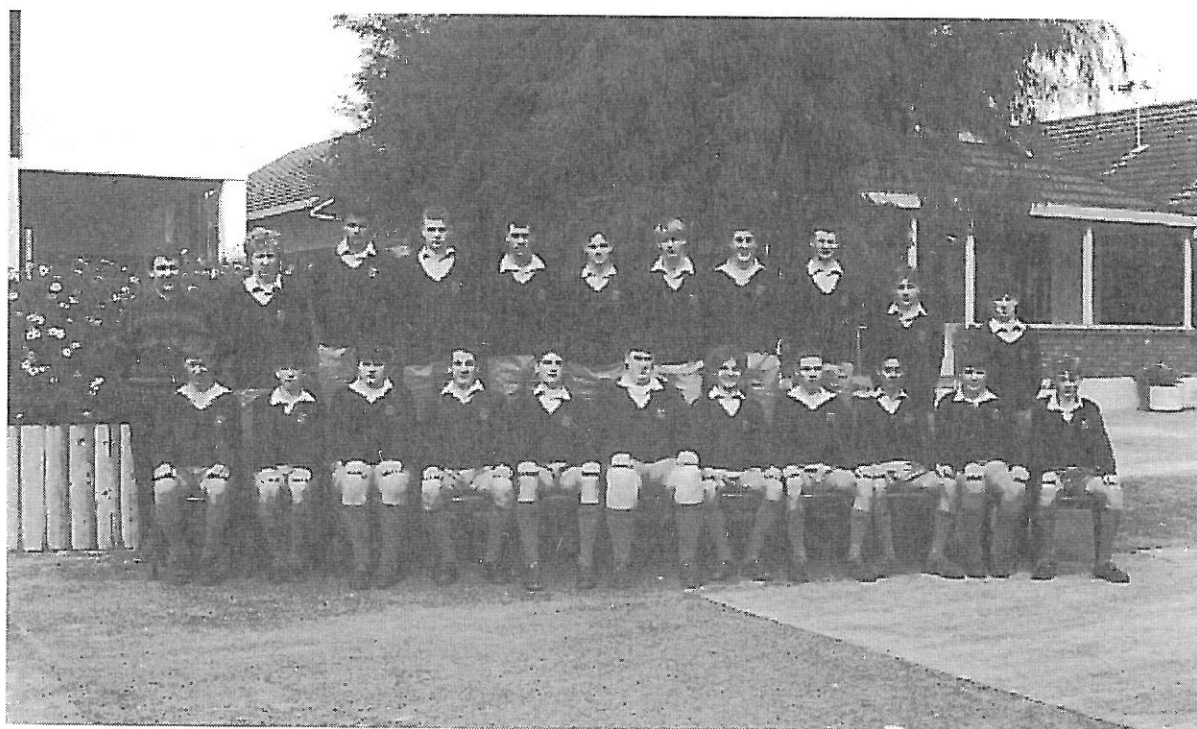


Form 5G

Back Row: Mr.P.Smith, M.Reese, J.Sinclair, M.Wiig, S.Little, C.Bennett, T.Mulligan, S.Drought, D.Matthews, D.Clarke, S.Gillum, S.Kirdy, Mr. P.Costello

Centre Row: G.Kelly, C.Behl, N.Jenkins.

Front Row: H.Smith, A.Hill, J.Mahony, T.Hancock, S.Kirk, V.Rowe, S.Colls, A.South, J.Mills, B.McDavitt, K.Johnson

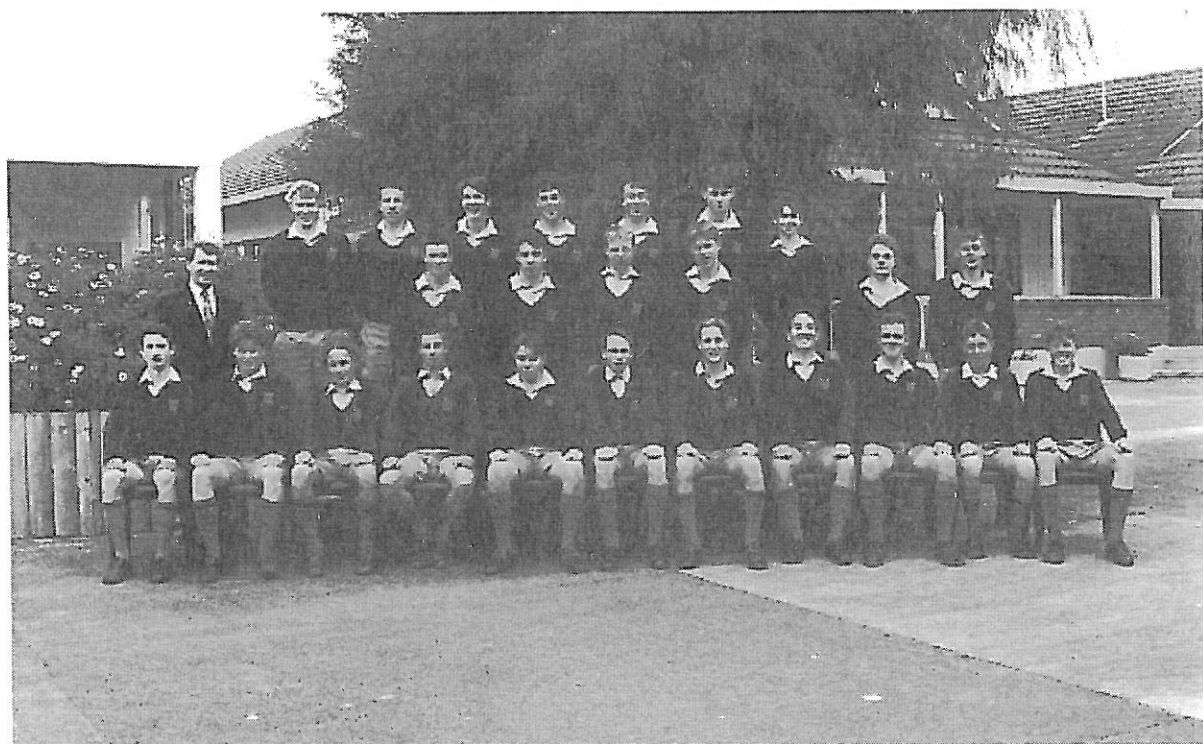


Form 5R

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Front Row: D.Payne, J.Kendrick, M.McCalman, J.Mason, S.Kalin, S.Miles, M.Drinkwater, V.MacLean, L.Clifford, G.Hermann, T.Bell



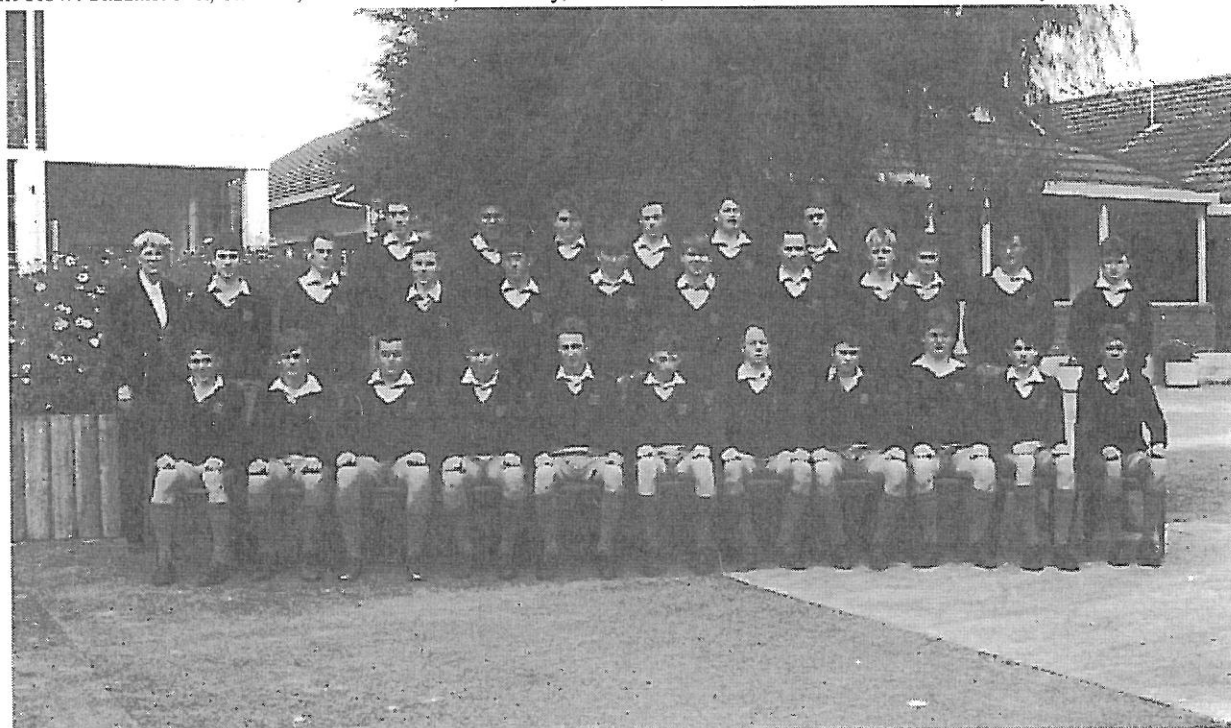


Form 6B

Back Row: G.Bishop, T.Penn, M.Stronge, S.Bowling, P.Mulligan, J.Ireland

Centre Row: Mr.G.Mustchin, P.Lawn, N.Keegan, A.Leusink, T.Coster, G.Robinson, P.Clark

Front Row: R.Hancock, R.Duff, J.Merewether, S.Emeny, R.Jones, N.Frew, S.Wheeler, J.Gollan, S.Taylor, P.Kowalewski

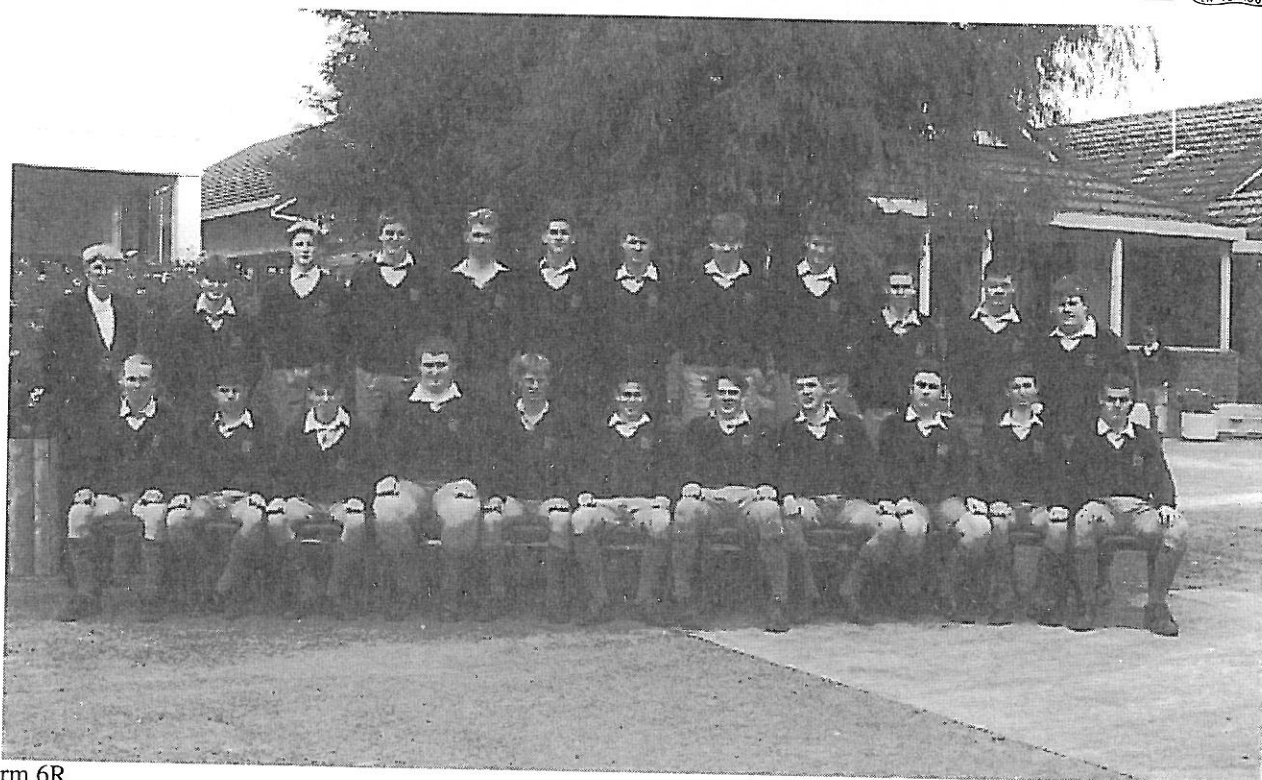


Form 6G

Back Row: R.O'Byrne, D.Manu, S.Glasgow, D.Woodd, N.Hocken, M.Magon

Centre Row: Mrs. D.Keegan, K.Lee, S.Hart, B.Watson, A.McNeill, J.Beckett, H.Forsyth, A.Ratahi, J. Schrider, I.Tolja,  
G.Julian, J.Comber

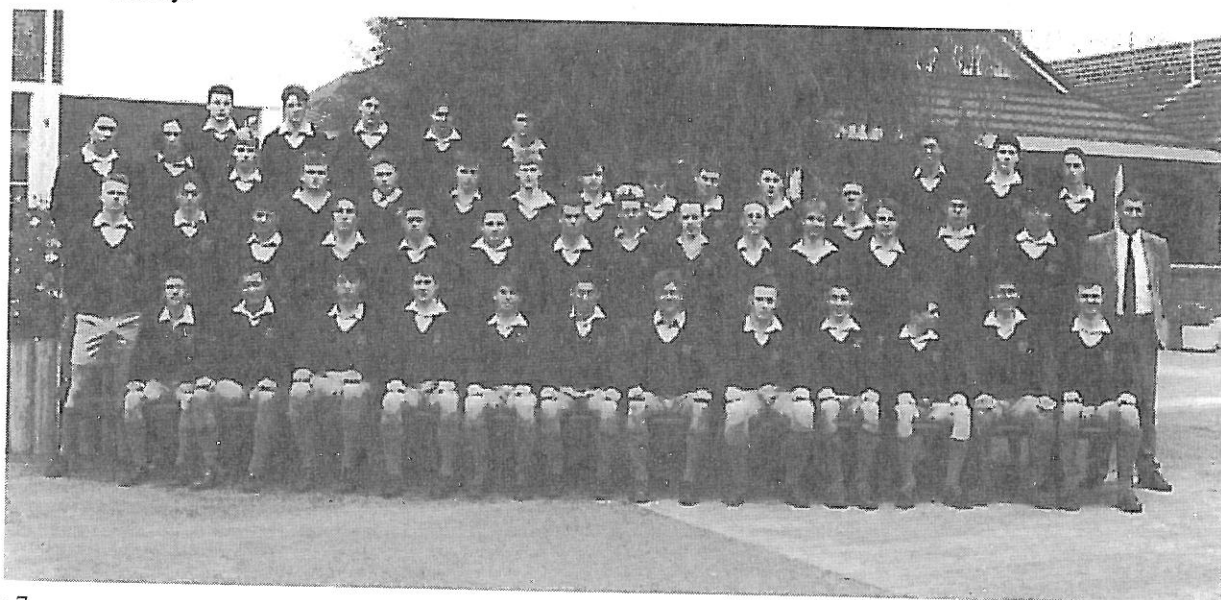
Front Row: N.Comber, D.Orchard, R.Carr, R.Kendrick, E.Tippet, C.Hancock, J.Bolyn, S.Taylor, M.Lawn, N.Smith, J.Lock.



Form 6R

Back Row: Mrs. D.Keenan, C.Mustchin, M.Gray, B.Iremonger, R.Smiley, T.Rush, M.Ewing, D.Whittle, M.Sullivan,  
H.Blackbourn, C. Van Lent, G.Gibbons

Front Row: B.Hart, S.O'Neill, W.Clegg, G.Keinzley, M.Doody, M. McDowall, J.Litt, S.Brown, S.Thompson, J.Larmer,  
H.Morresey.



Form 7

Back Row: S.Prestney, G.Uhlenberg, K.Jeffares, D.Jane, D.Gibson, W.Johnson, G.Brennan, B.Coogan

3rd Row: R.Thacker, A.Maddern, B.Gill, G.Gordon, I.Utiger, T.Turner, K.Gilmour, M.Kitroser, M.O'Sullivan, J.Letts,  
A.Potts, S.Foley

2nd Row: D.Simonson, D.Reece, N.Bouterey, J.O'Sullivan, J.Salter, J.Faull, K.O'Neill, J.Burn, D.Dravitzki, J.Kaiser,  
J.Boyd, A.Secker, M.Malin, P.King, Mr.Blanks

Front Row: K.Smith, M.Normanton, R.Uhlenberg, M.Smith, T.Stuck, M.Butterworth, D.Hancock, S.Spurdle, K.Ryan,  
H.Smith, S.McDonald, M.Robinson

Absent: J.Kale, C.Yandle, M.Philips, J.Crawford, S.Ball.



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Andersen	Brendon	4R	LS1	Cameron	Mutunga	2G	LS3	Drought	Mark	4G	B2
Andersen	Scott	2B	LS2	Campbell	Hayden	3B	S2	Drought	Simon	5R	B3
Anderson	Hans-Peter	3R	LS5	Capper	Wayne	3R	LS2	Dudley	Aaron	4B	S1
Anderson	Matthew	3R	LS4	Carey	Karl	5B	B3	Duff	Regan	6G	S2
Armstrong	Daniel	5B	B5	Carr	Richard	6B	LS4	Eager	William	7G	B1
Ball	Reece	1G	L1	Carr	Travers	1B	LS5	Eaton	Matthew	4R	L3
Ball	Simon	7	L1	Carter	Nicholas	4G	B5	Elder	Landon	4R	L5
Barracrough	Tristan	5G	LS4	Chamberlain	Matthew	4B	B2	Emeny	Simon	6G	B1
Barrett	John	3G	B1	Chandler	Jason	3R	L4	Ewing	Ben	6R	S4
Beatson	David	4B	B1	Cheah	Thurston	5G	L1	Ewing	Josh	3B	S1
Beck	Timothy	3B	B3	Chhiba	Kalpesh	1G	L4	Farmer	Gareth	2G	S2
Beckett	Jason	6B	B3	Churches	Chris	1G	LS1	Faull	James	7B	LS5
Beckett	Michael	4B	B1	Clark	Brendan	2B	S2	Fenech	Adam	5B	LS2
Beg	Raoul	3G	L2	Clark	Daniel	5R	S4	Fernando	Louis	2B	L3
Behl	Craig	5R	B5	Clarke	Paul	6G	B1	Fife	Kevin	4B	L2
Behrent	Carl	5B	L4	Clarkson	Matthew	5B	B4	Findlay	David	6R	LS3
Bell	Shane	3W	B2	Cleary	Adrian	1B	LS4	Fisher	Aaron	3B	S2
Bell	Trent	5G	B5	Clegg	Gareth	2G	B5	Foley	Simon	7G	L2
Bence	David	3G	B3	Clegg	Warren	6R	B4	Forrest	Matthew	2B	S1
Bennett	Carl	5R	L3	Clifford	Leonard	5G	LS3	Forsyth	Hamish	6B	S3
Betteridge	Nicholas	3G	L2	Coe	Elwyn	3G	L5	Francis	Don	5G	LS1
Bevin	John	3B	LS1	Collier	Matthew	4G	L2	Fraser	Adam	4G	S3
Bevins	Dylan	4B	B1	Collins	Gareth	4R	LS1	Fraser	Kent	2G	S5
Bevins	Mark	5B	L4	Colls	Stuart	5R	S5	Frew	Haydyn	2G	L4
Bhana	Jeram	3B	LS5	Comber	James	6B	LS3	Frew	Nathan	6G	L3
Bhana	Vijay	4G	LS3	Conaglen	Sam	1G	L4	Gadsby	Glenn	3W	LS1
Bishop	Grant	6G	B3	Coogan	Brad	7G	B3	Gadsby	Paul	1G	LS3
Bishop	Rhys	3W	B2	Coombe	Harley	3R	S4	Gander	Marc.	2G	LS5
Blackbourn	Hadley	6R	B4	Coomey	Daniel	5	L5	Gardner	Joseph	1B	B1
Blackbourn	Ryan	4R	B1	Coppen	Peter	1B	L5	Geater	Michael	4G	S3
Blundell	Aaron	1B	S3	Costello	Simon	4B	S2	Geminiano	Carlos	4B	S4
Blundell	Jamie	3G	S1	Coster	Jared	3R	L3	Gibbons	Greig	6R	L5
Bocock	Matthew	4R	B1	Coster	Trent	6G	L2	Gibson	Andrew	4G	L4
Bocock	Michael	2B	S4	Counihan	Nikki	4G	LS4	Gibson	David	7B	L5
Bolyn	Joris	6B	L3	Couper	Jason	1G	B2	Gillington	Scott	3R	LS4
Bolyn	Mattys	4B	L1	Cowie	Keiran	1G	L2	Gillum	Ben	7G	B2
Bourke	Brendan	4R	B2	Cracroft-Wilson	Paul	4B	S1	Gillum	Scott	5R	B4
Bouterey	Nickolas	7B	LS1	Cracroft-Wilson	Samuel	1B	S2	Gilmour	Daniel	3G	S3
Bowden	Daniel	4G	LS2	Craig	Rohan	4G	LS2	Gilmour	Karl	7B	S1
Bowling	Shane	6G	S1	Crawford	Joseph	7B	LS1	Glasgow	Jared	4R	B3
Boyd	Jamie	7B	S3	Crawford	Shamus	5B	LS4	Glasgow	Shaun	6B	B2
Brbich	Steve	3B	B2	Cronin	Andrew	3W	L2	Gollan	David	3B	L3
Brennan	Greg	7B	S2	Cronin	Geoffrey	1B	L4	Gollan	Jim	6G	L1
Bridger	Eugene	2G	B1	Crowe	Richard	3R	LS5	Gomez	Gary	4B	LS4
Broad	Sean	7G	B1	Cursons	Joshua	5G	B2	Gopperth	Hayden	3G	L1
Brophy	Rory	3G	B5	Daly	Isaac	3R	S4	Gopperth	Marc	3W	L2
Brouwers	Euan	1G	S1	De Brouwer	Harrie	1G	L3	Gordon	Glenn	7G	B5
Brown	James	2G	L1	Death	Neil	5B	L2	Gradwell	Denny	1G	S4
Brown	Mark	3G	LS1	Deken	Simon	3B	L5	Gray	Matthew	6R	LS2
Brown	Matthew	4B	LS3	Dettling	Shaun	5B	L5	Green-Goodchap	Joseph	5B	L3
Brown	Simon	6R	LS1	Dimock	Matthew	3R	LS5	Gregory-Hunt	Stephen	2B	L4
Bunting	Jeremy	4B	S3	Dobson	Bryan	3R	L5	Hales	Jonathan	1G	S2
Bunyan	Ben	1B	LS3	Dodunski	Craig	3W	L1	Hall	Alan	4B	B3
Burland	Mathew	2B	L2	Doody	Mark	6R	S2	Hall	Daniel	2G	B3
Burn	Jeremy	7B	S4	Doyle	Eamonn	4		Hall	Dylan	2B	S1
Bushell	Paul	2B	LS1	Doyle	Reuben	3B	LS3	Hamblyn	Brian	5G	B3
Butler	Harley	5G	S5	Dravitzki	Damon	7B	S4	Hamblyn	Chris	2G	S2
Butler	Jeremy	2G	B1	Dravitzki	Glenn	1B	L1	Hancock	Chris	6B	LS1
Butler	Leon	1G	L5	Dravitzki	Karl	6B	S1	Hancock	Daniel	7B	S4
Butterworth	Mark	7G	L3	Drinkwater	Mark	5G	LS1	Hancock	Rohan	6G	L4





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Hancock	Tristan	5R	S3	Kale	Jonathan	7G	LS5	Maclean	Vaughan	5G	B3
Hanover	Peter	2G	L2	Kalin	Alastair	3W	S2	Maddern	Anton	7G	L5
Hanover	Stephen	4G	L3	Kalin	Shaun	5G	S1	Magon	Marcel	6G	B2
Hansen	Luke	4R	LS2	Kaweroa	Dane	3B	B3	Mahony	Jason	5R	LS5
Harold	John	3R	S1	Kaweroa	Scott	3R	B2	Mahony	John	4G	LS5
Harrison	Matthew	2B	S5	Keegan	Nigel	6G	S4	Maindonald	Laurence	1B	B2
Hart	Barry	6R	S5	Keinzley	Graeme	6R	L5	Malin	Michael	7B	L3
Hart	Brendon	2B	S3	Kellsall	Joshua	2B	S3	Malli	Manu	1G	LS1
Hart	Jamie	4R	S2	Kelly	Daniel	3W	B1	Mander	Karl	4R	L1
Hart	Simon	6B	S5	Kelly	Gregory	5R	LS4	Manu	Deacon	6B	LS1
Hawkins	Daniel	3B	B3	Kelly	Haines	5B	S2	Marinovich	Jonathon	4G	B3
Hay-Vega	Manu	3W	B1	Kemp	Bradley	3G	S5	Marr	Darryl	5B	B2
Haywood	Joshua	4R	S3	Kendrick	Chito	4R	S4	Mason	Ben	3B	L4
Heal	Stephen	5B	LS2	Kendrick	Jun.	5G	S2	Mason	Jarad	5G	L5
Henderson	Douglas	3G	B5	Kendrick	Regan	6B	LS2	Mathews	Michael	4G	B2
Hermann	Greg	5G	S5	Kennard	Mark	2B	B3	Matthews	Daniel	5R	S2
Hessell	Nathan	4G	B4	Kettle	Michael	2B	L5	Mattock	Richard	5B	LS2
Hill	Aaron	5R	LS1	King	Matthew	2B	L5	Matuku	James	2G	B5
Hill	Dean	1B	LS2	King	Paul	7B	LS3	Matuku	Scott	4G	B4
Hill	Ngaire	7		Kirdy	Scott	5R	LS3	McAlister	Thomas	6B	L5
Hinz	Jamie	6R	B4	Kirk	Oliver	3G	LS2	McCalman	Matthew	5G	B1
Hitchcock	Benet	3G	LS2	Kirk	Samuel	5R	LS5	McCullum	Samuel	3R	LS2
Hocken	Neil	6B	B5	Kitroser	Martin	7G	B5	McDavitt	Bernard	5R	B5
Hodgson	Jonathan	4R	L1	Klahn	Richard	1G	L3	McDavitt	Michael	3W	B4
Hodson	Phillip	3R	L1	Klenner	David	4G	LS2	McDonald	Hamish	3W	L1
Holswich	Christian	2B	B2	Klenner	Ian	5R	LS5	McDonald	Joe	4B	L4
Honeyfield	Joshua	3R	B5	Koch	Gregory	3R	L3	McDonald	Luke	4B	L3
Hong	Kelvin	2B	LS5	Koorey	Joseph	2B	L2	McDonald	Matthew	3G	L5
Hooker	Richard	3R	LS1	Kowalewski	Nicholas	4R	L2	McDonald	Ryan	4G	L5
Hope	Nicholas	3W	S4	Kowalewski	Patrick	6G	L5	McDonald	Simon	7B	L3
Howard	Grant	5G	L1	Kumeroa	Glen	7G	B3	Mcdowall	Daniel	2G	S3
Huesser	Simon	1G	B4	Kuriger	Matthew	3B	S4	McDowall	Matthew	6R	S4
Hullah	Christopher	5B	L2	Laing	Bruce	2G	S1	McDowell	Jason	3R	S5
Hullah	Joshua	1B	L1	Laing	Craig	4R	S5	McGregor	Scott	3R	L5
Hunter	Thadius	1B	S4	Laird	Cameron	5B	S3	McGrory	Jason	4B	LS3
Hurley	Joseph	4B	L2	Lamplough	Roger	4B	S1	McLennan	Stephen	4G	L2
Hurley	Nathan	3W	L1	Lamplough	Scott	4G	S2	McMillan	Ricky	3R	LS2
Hyland	Michael	2B	L5	Langslow	Alex	5G	LS3	McNeil	Andrew	6B	S3
Ireland	Jeffrey	6G	S5	Larmer	Jason	6R	B3	Meads	Hayden	3W	B1
Ireland	Scott	3W	S3	Lawn	Mathew	4G	S4	Meehan	Brendan	4R	LS3
Iremonger	Brendon	6R	L1	Lawn	Michael	6B	S5	Melody	Craig	5B	L2
Iremonger	Jason	3G	L2	Lawn	Peter	6G	S1	Melody	Michael	2B	L4
Isaac	Jeff	3R	S4	Lazarus	Trent	3R	S3	Menefy	Eric	4G	S5
Jacobs	David	1G	L2	Lee	Aidan	2B	LS1	Merewether	Joel	6G	B2
Jane	Daniel	7G	L2	Lee	Kieran	6B	LS5	Merewether	Kyle	1B	B3
Jeffares	Kieran	7B	B1	Lehrke	Tristan	3B	LS5	Merewether	Simon	3R	B5
Jenkins	David	3B	S5	Lehrke	Warren	2B	LS1	Miles	Shane	5G	S1
Jenkins	Nathan	5R	S1	Letts	Jonathan	7B	B5	Mills	James	5R	B2
Johnson	Karl	5R	LS1	Leusink	Andrew	6G	S3	Moore	Jason	3B	LS1
Johnson	Kris	4B	LS1	Litt	Jay	6R	B1	Morresey	Craig	5B	S3
Johnson	Shaun	3W	LS3	Little	Ross	3B	S2	Morresey	Hayden	6R	S2
Johnson	Wayne	7G	LS2	Little	Scott	5R	S3	Moselen	Scott	1G	B4
Johnston	Rawiri	2G	B4	Loake	David	3B	S5	Moselen	Wade	4B	B3
Jones	Leon	5B	L4	Lock	Jeffrey	6B	LS4	Mouat	Nathan	6B	L2
Jordan	Christopher	2G	B4	Long	Gareth	2G	L3	Mowbray	Nicholas	2B	LS3
Jordan	Jonathan	1B	B5	Ludlow	Craig	3B	B5	Mudie	Rodney	4G	LS5
Julian	George	6B	B5	Luscombe	Blair	5B	L5	Mullan	Donald	2G	S4
Julian	Mark	3R	B1	Lynskey	Simon	4R	L4	Mulligan	Patrick	6G	LS5
Kaiser	Josef	7B	LS3	Macdonald	Aaron	4R	B5	Mulligan	Teorangi	5G	S1
Kalders	Karl	4B	LS1	Mace	Thomas	3G	S5	Mulligan	Thomas	5R	LS3



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Mullin	Samuel	2B	B5	Robinson	Mathew	7G	S2	Taylor	Brent	6B	L2
Murphy	Duane	3G	S1	Rowe	Vaughan	5R	S4	Taylor	Craig	3W	LS2
Murphy	Kenneth	3R	B4	Rowlands	Art	4R	LS4	Taylor	Darryl	4G	L1
Murray	Hamish	2G	LS4	Rush	Matthew	4R	B4	Taylor	Gregory	1G	S3
Mustchin	Clement	6R	LS4	Rush	Nicholas	2G	B3	Taylor	Iain	3G	L5
Mustchin	Luke	2G	LS5	Rush	Timothy	6R	B5	Taylor	Steven	6G	L4
Normanton	Michael	7G	L2	Ryan	Glenn	5B	B2	Taylor	Alan	5R	LS3
Nuku	Aaron	3W	S4	Ryan	Kelly	7B	L2	Te Moana	Ruka	3B	S3
O'Brien	Jamie	2B	LS3	Ryan	Shannon	4R	L4	Teisonniere	Jean-Philippe	5B	L3
O'Brien	Timothy	4G	LS4	Salter	Justin	7G	B4	Thacker	Patrick	4B	B1
O'Byrne	Paul	4B	LS3	Saunders	Chris	6R	L5	Thacker	Ross	7B	B4
O'Byrne	Ryan	6B	LS2	Saville	James	1G	S4	Thompson	Shay	6R	L3
O'Connor	Rory	1B	LS4	Schrider	John	6B	LS4	Thomson	Brad	4R	LS1
O'Donnell	Patrick	5B	LS3	Schumacher	Ben	1B	LS2	Thorburn	Matthew	2G	B4
O'Neill	Aaron	6G	B3	Schumacher	Nicholas	2G	B1	Thurman	Chad	3W	S3
O'Neill	Kieren	7B	B4	Scott	Neil	5G	L2	Tippett	Elliot	6B	B5
O'Neill	Shay	6R	LS2	Secker	Andrew	7B	L3	Tippett	Simon	3G	B4
O'Sullivan	Jonathan	7B	LS4	Secker	Paul	5G	L2	Tobin	Dylon	3W	B3
O'Sullivan	Michael	7G	B2	Semenoff	Gareth	3G	B2	Tolja	Ivan	6B	LS1
O'Sullivan	Simon	4R	B4	Sevicke-Jones	Geoffrey	4R	S2	Turner	Andrew	4G	S4
Oaariki	Oren	3W	L4	Sevicke-Jones	Richard	6G	S1	Turner	Timothy	7G	S1
Orchard	Damian	6B	S4	Shanley	Joshua	3B	L3	Uhlenberg	Gerard	7B	S1
Orchard	Nicholas	3R	S1	Shaw	Phillip	3G	LS5	Uhlenberg	Mark	6G	LS3
Parke	Christopher	2B	S4	Sheerin	David	3W	LS4	Uhlenberg	Phillip	4B	LS2
Parkes	Clinton	1G	S1	Sheerin	Marcus	3R	LS3	Uhlenberg	Richard	7G	LS5
Parr	Daniel	2G	B2	Shepherd	Nicholas	2B	LS2	Utiger	Ian	7B	L4
Parsons	Josh	3W	L4	Sherwood	Anthony	2B	S5	Van Lent	Carl	6R	B1
Patten	Caide	1B	LS4	Siffleet	Scott	1B		Vercoe	Brent	3B	LS3
Patten	Steven	2G	LS4	L3Simonson	Daryl	7G	S5	Vickers	Jade	1B	B5
Pattison	Paul	2G	S3	Sinclair	John	5R	LS2	Wackrow	Brad	1B	L5
Payne	Daryl	5G	LS5	Smiley	Philip	4R	L5	Wackrow	Grant	3G	L3
Payne	Ross	3B	LS4	Smiley	Richard	6R	L4	Waite	David	1G	B1
Penn	Tony	6G	L2	Smith	Conrad	3B	B3	Walker	Clinton	5G	L4
Pepper	Graeme	1G	S5	Smith	Haedon	5R	B1	Waretini	Chris	3G	LS1
Peters	Troy	1B	B2	Smith	Heath	7B	B2	Watkins	Andrew	5R	L1
Phillips	Duane	4R	B1	Smith	Jarrod	4R	B5	Watson	Bevan	6B	L1
Phillips	Mathew	7B	L5	Smith	Kane	3G	L4	Watt	Robbie	4R	LS4
Pierce	Jonathan	1G	B4	Smith	Kelby	7G	L1	Wells	Daniel	1B	B5
Plunkett	John	6R	L1	Smith	Nigel	6B	LS5	Werder	Quinten	4G	S5
Potts	Aaron	7B	S3	Smith	Simon	5G	L4	Wheatley	Christopher	4B	B4
Prestney	Stephen	7G	S5	Snook	Cameron	4G	LS5	Wheatley	Michael	5B	B1
Price	Richard	4G	S2	Solly	Mark	3G	S2	Wheeler	Scott	6G	LS5
Quicke	Paul	4B	B5	Soonthorswad	Marc.	2B	L2	White	Blaze	6G	B4
Quin	Jon-Henri	4B	L4	South	Aaron	5R	S5	White-Robinson	Mark	2G	L1
Rae	Chris	3G	S3	South	Kristian	4R	S3	Whittington	John	3W	L4
Ratahi	Aaron	6B	B4	Southee	Patrick	3W	LS2	Whittle	Damin	6R	L3
Reck	Michael	4R	L5	Spurdle	Sean	7G	LS2	Wight	Lance	3W	LS3
Reed	Jean	7		Stanway	Andre	1G	LS2	Wiig	Michael	5R	S2
Reed	Lincoln	3B	LS4	Stark	Daniel	3B	B2	Williams	Craig	3B	L1
Reese	Dwayne	7G	B1	Stevenson	Jason	4B	S4	Willan	Blair	1G	S1
Reese	Matthew	5R	B4	Stronge	Martin	6G	S3	Williams	Gareth	1B	LS3
Regan	Anthony	1B	S2	Stroud	Dean	3W	S5	Williams	Reece	4B	S5
Reid	Michael	5B	S2	Stuck	Michael	4G	S1	Williams	Ross	3G	S2
Rice	Benjamin	1G	S5	Stuck	Timothy	7B	S4	Wilson	Shane	4G	LS5
Rickit	Dylan	5B	LS4	Sullivan	Michael	6R	B5	Winger	Nick	3W	LS4
Roberts	Andrew	5G	S4	Susianto	Trent	1B	S3	Wood	Ben	3R	L3
Roberts	Craig	4B	L3	Sutton	Joshua	1G	B3	Woodd	Daniel	6B	LS3
Robinson	Danny	7B	L3	Tamarapa	James	1B	LS5	Yandle	Che	7G	B2
Robinson	Graeme	6G	S1	Tamati	Hemi	3B	B4				
Robinson	Joshua	3R	B1								



