

The Weekly Newsletter of Sydney Boys High School

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From the Principal High Talent



Congratulations to our Sydney East Blues recipients – Edward Ly 11M (Volleyball), Maxime Jalbert-Locke 12S and Nelson Cheng 12T (Rowing), and Max Russell 11T (Athletics and Cross Country). For his double sports Blue, Max was also awarded the Premier's Sporting Challenge Scholarship for Sydney East of \$500. These students were honoured at a regional level for their sporting accomplishments this year. Vishruth Anand (10M) was selected to compete for Sydney Region in the PDC Junior State Debating Championships. Well done, Vishruth! Thank you Joshua Kuo (7R) for your community service work during term 3 and the school holidays for 'Kids Giving Back'. This



charitable organisation provides hands-on, ageappropriate volunteering opportunities for young people. Joshua helped to prepare hot meals,

breakfast boxes and snacks for the homeless.

Interpreting Year 7 Reports Semester 2

In Year 7, we do not provide ranks to students. We have an *Academic Achievement List* for high-performing students and a *Student Monitoring Register* for students performing



below expected standards. We try to let students settle in and find their feet before making too many outcomes' comparisons. Our benchmark is 10 credits or thirty points. A

student's profile of learning behaviours is important to us. We collate teachers' ratings. A high proportion of 'consistently' (c) 'or 'usually' (u) ratings, indicates a student is adjusting well to the demands of multiple subjects (10 in Year 7). We ask also, that you check your son's progress in future-oriented earning skills – problem solving, evaluating, working with others, communicating ideas, creating and innovating (PEWCC). Some of these are reported each year in their own text box on the school reports. Faculties have an opportunity to

report at least twice on one or more of the five 'earning skills' during the six reporting periods during Years 7-9. These skills will be needed in jobs of the future. You can understand more deeply about how your son is building his capacity in the discrete dispositions that we have targeted for development as a school. The idea is that you can track your son's growth over his three years in the Junior School. These PEWCC skills are very contextual. Hypothetically, your son might be really good at 'working with others in English' where he is confident and comfortable, but not so effective in mathematics where he is weaker, is reticent or defers to the strongest mathematician in the work group. Consequently, skill growth might not be a simple progression from 1 in Year 7 to 3, 4 or 5 in Year 9 (depending on the scale in the rubric for each subject). Your son's progress might be uniform neither across the subjects, nor across the dispositions. We are reporting on growth in individual dispositions by comparing where a student was on the scale in Year 7 and then again in Year 9 in the same subject context. A similar comparison may be made between measures reported in Year 8 and then again in Year 10. I look forward to an informed dialogue between parents and teachers the individual student's on development of these important life skills. Go to website at www.sydneyboysh.schools.nsw.gov.au then to 'Sydney High Community' then to 'Curriculum/PEWCC Reporting' for a full list of skill descriptors. Our challenge is to develop effective assessment tasks at all levels, in order to describe more accurately where your son stands in his development of these important life skills.

In Semester 2, some students choose not to put much effort into one of the languages they do not intend to pursue in Year 8. While this is regrettable, it is also understandable. As History and Geography are semesterised, a student might be stronger or weaker in either of these subjects in second semester. The consequence



can be that overall achievement level, as measured by our points system, might decline or improve. Students

have their second opportunity to choose a subject when they decide on their language/s for next year. Will they do one language or two?

What are the commitments if they take offline classes? Will their other activities be affected? Please discuss language choices for Year 8 with your sons.

ORIENTATION DAY 2022

Thank you to Sharon Kearns and her staff, teachers, school prefects, students, and parent volunteers who worked so well together to make the orientation / enrolment process as smooth and efficient as possible. The enrolment processes were completed very quickly thanks to the thoughtful organisation and hard work of the SAS staff. They processed 217 new students in a fivehour window. Thank you also to our ICT staff for their troubleshooting efforts with wireless technology. Many new students and their parents were shown around the school by School Prefects. These boys also did a wonderful job assisting the SAS staff in the Great Hall as they processed applications. Volunteers who attended the various activity stalls provided an atmosphere of active, happy achievement, as did the parents who gave up their time. Thank you also to the P & C for providing refreshments and information for incoming parents. Thank you to all the people involved in setting up the stalls and serving in them for the morning. Everyone made sure our new students and parents felt welcomed to our school. Thank you to all involved.

Dr K A Jaggar Principal



Year 9 Students Senior Uniform

Purchase your senior uniform NOW to avoid long queues. Senior Tie \$32.50

Senior Trousers \$90

Short Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$32, 24-28 \$34 Long Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$34, 24-28 \$36



Term 4 Drama Dates Tuesday 15 November

Junior Theatre Sports Challenge Semi-finals at Tara Anglican School for Girls. Show starts at 7.00pm.

Wednesday 23 November

Year 9 Drama Excursion to Belvoir to see *The Jungle and the Sea* at 11.30am.

Friday 25 November

SGHS and SBHS are co-hosting the finals of the TSC competition at the Governors' Centre. The show will start at 7pm. All SBHS theatre sports players will be expected to attend this exciting performance showcasing some of the best improvisors in the State.

5 - 8 December

Year 10 Drama Performance of *The Importance of Being Earnest* by Oscar Wilde in The Governors' Centre.

12 - 14 December

Year 9 Drama Performance of *In Real Life* by Anna Barry. The Drama Room.



2022 Junior Theatre Sports School Challenge team Left to Right: Alex Pidcock; Nathan Nguyen; Max McLeod; Michael Zhuo; Gordon Guo

Anna Barry Drama Coordinator

SBHS Year 10 Drama Presents A performance of Oscar Wilde's

The Importance of Being Earnest

Starring

Joseph Britton, Henry Lin,

Kridaya Singh, Gurik Sall,

Bhavesh Khotapali,

Christian Dimitriades,

Dev Sood, Pradeepan

Nadhan, Jonathan Lin



Year 10 in Rehearsal: Joseph Britton as John Worthing and Kridaya Singh as Gwendolen

CREW (AV) Raiyyan Ahmad, Dean Johnsun, Xavier Perry, Oscar Zhang, Chris Roussos

(Stagehands) Anay Gautam, Ethan Hong, Om Kothari, Lucas Breckon, Archie Wijaya, Akith Perera, Tuy Van Mui, Siripak Wateesatoglej, Maxwell Ma, Vivaan Wadhwad

PERFORMANCE TIMES

All students Years 7 – 10 will be the audience for two performances during Week 9 on Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 December (both from 11:30am – 1:30pm).

THURSDAY - December 8, 2022 at 6pm

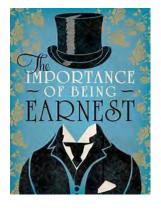
Community Audience: Parents welcome.

Reserve your complimentary tickets now!

Email <u>cucumberhandbag22@gmail.com</u> to reserve your seats for the evening show.



Year 10 in Rehearsal: Henry Lin as Algernon Moncrieff





Year 10 in Rehearsal: Kridaya, with Bhavesh Kothapali as Cecily Cardew

Meet the Teacher - Mr Rich



Describe a little bit about yourself and your role at this school.

I believe I am a passionate, dedicated teacher and coach and I believe very strongly in a well-rounded education. I have had many roles this year - I am the relieving Head Teacher of PDHPE and LOTE (Languages other than English). I am also the Head Strength and Conditioning Coach, MIC of athletics, a tennis and football coach, Year 8 advisor, and photo coordinator.

Describe a little bit about your background in education and how you came to be a PD/H/PE teacher at this school.

My first degree was a Bachelor of Exercise Science. I also did a Diploma of Education following strong encouragement from my mother. I began working at SBHS as a coach over 12 years ago and my roles and involvement with the school have grown over time. I have been teaching in the classroom for 7 years now and enjoy the challenge presented when educating brilliantly youngminded men.

What do you find unique about teaching at SBHS?

One thing that comes to mind is how much boys at this school can achieve when opportunity and hard work meet.

Do you run any co-curricular/extension programs at this school, and if so, what are they?

The weights room is a registered weight lifting club. This allows students to compete in the sport of weight lifting and represent themselves in the school and potentially the State or our nation.

What is a fun fact about you?

I have seen every episode of all ten seasons of Friends on many occasions, and can quote all most every scene.

Meet The Prefect Sean Lim

"Setting an example is not the main means of influencing others, it is the only means"



Why is High Spirit and Wellbeing at High important to you?

The culture of our school plays a significant role in fostering ambition to strive for excellence and in encouraging avid participation at every traditional sporting event. Students must be aware of it and more importantly, demonstrate it. Throughout my past 5 years as a High Boy, every experience starting from the first Head of River I attended has demonstrated to me a brotherhood like no other. I am forever grateful for such a community and hope to further enrich it for the younger years.

In an all-boys' school fostering academic and sporting excellence, students also need to be constantly made aware of the many stigmas revolving around male mental health. As such, the Prefect Body has placed the issue at the forefront of their goals, taking planned steps to recognise the many support services our school has to offer and to be part of such a wide network.

What is one thing you appreciate about High?

The opportunities. Not often enough do students reflect upon how privileged they are to attend such a school. Having first-hand participated in many extracurricular programs within my junior years, whether it be cadets and debating, I hope to help other students realise how fortunate they are but in doing so, remind them to be concurrently grateful and humble.

What do you expect of the Prefect Body this next year?

To stay committed and aware of our roles as leaders of the school. Leadership is influence and as such the things one says and does especially when representing one's school carries great gravity. So as a Prefect Body we must constantly be aware that it is not our job to dictate to those around them but rather to inspire others. To have humility with how we conduct ourselves and to endorse the school's values and interests to the best of our ability.

To be inducted as Prefect is a testament to one's ability to demonstrate competence in all facets of school life, we must all carry this forward into our final year as custodians of our school's culture.

Sean Lim School Captain 2023 & Year 7 Prefect "High before I"



What are our Teachers Reading?

The noticeboard in the senior library has been surrounded by students trying to match the bookshelf to the staff member, or "Match the Shelfie to the Selfie". Students who enter go into the draw to win a book voucher.

Entries close Friday 25 November.



The End of Men



Set in a world where a virus stalks our male population, *The End of Men* is an electrifying and unforgettable debut from a remarkable new talent that asks: what would life truly look like without men?

First HSC English Assessment

The new HSC cohort have been very busy collecting their

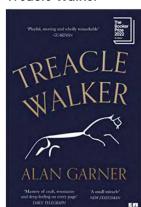


related texts for their upcoming common module assessment. The HSC Common Module Related Text stand has been frequented by students keen to find the right text for their assessment.

Equally as impressive is the hush that has befallen the Senior Library of late. Students have become increasingly diligent in the latter part of this term as

the momentum has ramped up a few notches.

Treacle Walker



Alan Garner is without a doubt one of our greatest living writers. His ability to retell deceptively simple British Folk tales is pure magic.

Treacle Walker is a quick read, one about an introspective young boy who finds a friend in the most unlikely of places.

Beth Hinton McDonald Wing - Senior Library



Term 4 Marching Band Rehearsals

There will only be 4 rehearsals this term.

Mandatory attendance is required for all students who are in the school's concert and stage bands (woodwind and brass players only) and selected percussion students (no piano or guitar players required).

Please see dates below:

- * Tuesday 15 November, 3.30pm 4.30pm (Great Hall).
- * Tuesday 22 November, 3.30pm 4.30pm (Great Hall).
- * Tuesday 29 November, 3.30pm 4.30pm (Great Hall).
- * Tuesday 6 December, 3.30pm 4.30pm (Great Hall). [If there are any changes/updates, students will be informed via the MPP Canvas Announcements page & SZapp.]

Students can access and download Marching Band Sheet Music via the Music Performance Program Canvas page > Files > Music Ensembles > Marching Band. Students are required to practise the following pieces by the first rehearsal:

- * I Am Australian
- * Tipperary March
- * Waltzing Matilda

If you have any questions/enquiries, please contact:

Ms Lim: <u>LimS@sbhs.nsw.edu.au</u>
Ms Miller: <u>MillerR@sbhs.nsw.edu.au</u>

2022 End of Year Music Concert - SAVE THE DATE!

- * Sunday 4 December, 1.30pm, Great Hall.
- * All music ensembles will be performing.
- * Students are required to perform in school uniform (white shirt, blazar not required).
- * Mandatory attendance is required for all students in music ensemble(s).
- * Gold coin entry.

Semester 2 Music Co-Payment

Thank you to parents and/or guardians who have already completed and submitted the Semester 2 Music Co-Payment.

We have several outstanding payments – we kindly ask parents and/or guardians to check and pay through the Parent Online Payment Portal and/or visit

https://pay.sbhs.net.au/

Music Storage Room

*Please ensure students have a CLEAR NAME TAG on their personal music instrument(s) (including instrumental accessories e.g. leads etc.).

*Please ensure instrument(s) are placed in correct bay(s) and not left on main walkway/pathway inside the music storage room.

*Non-music related items will be removed immediately.

*Students and parents are reminded that SBHS does not provide instrument insurance or cover. The Music Department will not take responsibility for loss or damage whether on or off the school property.

IMPORTANT - Covid Requirements

*Students who do not feel well should NOT be at school and therefore should not be attending ensemble rehearsals and/or private instrumental lessons.

*Students will need to bring their own instrument(s)/equipment/accessories (e.g. guitar picks/drum sticks/guitar leads etc.) - items will NOT be loaned and/or supplied by the Music Department.

Parent/Guardian/Student Communication

<u>Parents and Guardians</u>: Please download **SZapp** from the Apple App Store or Google Play and subscribe to 'MUSIC.' Installation guide can be found in the school's High Notes.

Students will be notified of any music news and notifications via the Music Performance Program CANVAS page, school's daily notices and High Notes. Students are responsible to read and keep updated of any Music Performance Program related events/material on a regular basis.



2022 Music Ensemble Schedule

MONDAY (Before School)	TUESDAY (Before School)	WEDNESDAY (Before School)	THURSDAY (Before School)	FRIDAY (Before School)
Intermediate Concert	Senior Concert Band &	Junior Stage Band	Intermediate Stage	Senior Strings
Band	Symphony Orchestra	7.45am – 8.45am	Band	Ensemble
7.45am – 8.45am	7.45am – 8.45am	Room 101	7.45am – 8.45am	7.45am – 8.45am
Governors Centre	Governors Centre		Room 101	Room 101
Guitar Ensemble		Senior Stage Band	Philharmonic Orchestra	Chamber Choir
7.45am – 8.45am		7.45am – 8.45am	7.45am – 8.45am	8.00am – 9.00am
Room 201		Room 201	Room 201	Room 201
			Junior Strings	Marching Band
			Ensemble	8.00am – 9.00am
			7.45am – 8.45am	MPW/ Room 102
			Room 203	Terms 1 and 4 only
			Terms 1 and 2 only	•
(After School)	(Before School)	(Before School)	(Before School)	(Before School)
Guitar Ensemble	Percussion Ensemble			Jazz Ensemble
3.20m – 4.20pm	3.45pm – 4.45pm			3.30pm – 4.30pm
Room 201	Room 201			Room 201
	Marching Band			
	3.30pm – 4.30pm			
	Great Hall/ Room 102			
	Terms 1 and 4 only			

2022 Term 4 Music Events Calendar

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WEEK	DATE	EVENT	MUSIC STUDENTS INVOLVED	
Week 8B	Sunday 4 December	End of Year Concert, 1.30pm Great Hall	All students in music ensemble program	
Week 9C	Tuesday 6 December	Annual Music Assembly, 9.45am, Great Hall	Moshi Tao (11M) Ivan Zhai (11T) Senior Stage Band	

Music Events are continually added and/or are subject to change

2023 Term 1 Music Events Calendar

WEEK	DATE/TIME	EVENT	MUSIC STUDENTS INVOLVED
1	Friday 3 February, 10.05am	Welcome Year 7 & Summer Sports Assembly, Great Hall	TBC Elective Piano Students
2	From Monday 6 February	ALL private instrumental lessons and music ensembles resume rehearsals	Music Performance Program
2	Thursday 9 February, 6.30pm	Music Recruitment Night, ZOOM	Year 12 Music Prefects
3	Tuesday 14 February, 9.45am	Years 10, 11 & 12 Awards Assembly, Great Hall	TBC Elective Piano Students
3	Tuesday 14 February, 7pm	Presentation Night, Governors Centre	Senior Strings TBC Elective Piano Students
3	Wednesday 15 February, 9.45am	Years 7, 8 & 9 Awards Assembly, Great Hall	TBC Elective Piano Students

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Incursion Information and Consent Form

Life Ready Course

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Students in Year 10 plus some year 12 Students will be going on an incursion in **School** on **Wednesday 14/12/2022**, **Thursday 15/12/2022** & **Friday 16/12/2022**.

Year 12 students will be provided with information about what sessions they are required to attend closer to the date of the incursion.

This incursion is planned to support and supplement the following being done in school: **Mandatory** Life Ready Program being delivered as an incursion.

The cost of the incursion is \$80.00 which is used to cover the cost of the presenters. Please note the last date for payment is 13/12/2022.

Additional information

Start	Wed 14/12/2022 9:00am,
Finish	Fri 16/12/2022 3:00pm,
Transport	
Dress Code	Full school uniform
Coordinator	K Rich

The last date for payment is 13/12/2022

Life Ready Course INCURSION CONSENT FORM

STUDE	NT NAME:		RULL CLASS:	
	I give permission for my child to participate in the Life R	eady Course incursion	on 14/12/2022	
	I consent to my child receiving medical treatment in cas	e of emergency		
	I acknowledge that this event/activity is required to be h Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Educ that there is a risk that my child may be exposed to COV confirm that my child will not attend if displaying any syn health orders.	ation's policies and pro /ID-19 whilst attending	cedures. I acknow and participating a	ledge and accept It this event. I
	My child has special needs for this excursion – please pr	ovide full details and includ	de and relevant medio	cal details:
responsible necessary medication	nen a medical practitioner has prescribed medication (including emergency e for: bringing this need to the attention of the school, ensuring that the infon for its administration in a timely way and for collaborating with the school in a for the duration of the excursion. The medication should be well within its en int way to what has been already been agreed to by school. You may be asket	nation is updated if it changes, n working out arrangements fo opiry date. For some excursion	supplying the medication supply and admining sthe school will ask you	n and any 'consumables stration of the prescriber to supply the medication
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SYDNEY BOYS HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS





Tennis Update Week 6

Well done to the tennis boys who displayed signs of improvement verse Kings over the weekend. In Term 1 verse Kings, High won just 33% of matches, fast forward to this past Saturday we won 40%. Improvements will continue to come with consistent hard work across all training sessions and matches. Boys are reminded that their performances, attendance and attitude all contribute to their positions within the team.

Tennis training schedule below, if your son is unable to attend a training session please email me richk@sbhs.nsw.edu.au and Absences.Sport@sbhs.nsw.edu.au by 5pm Thursday. If your son cannot attend his Saturday fixture, please email before the start of the match. Training & Fixtures can now be seen on Clipboard which is a new sports operating system that the school is now implementing. If your son identifies any error regarding their clipboard schedule have him contact me asap.

A reminder that when it is raining the morning Tennis training will be on in the gymnasium gallery steps.

Term 4 Wk 1 - 8					
All Tennis Athletes are to attend 1 speed and agility in addition to their court sessions					
Group	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1st-3rd	School 7-8:45am		School 1-3pm	Jnr 1st & 2nd Grade Eastcourts 1-3pm	1st & 2nd Grade only School 7- 9am
4-8th		School 7:15- 8:45am	Moore Park 1-3pm	School 7:15 - 8:45am	
16's	Moore Park 7:15-8:45am			Prince Alfred Park Tennis Courts 1-3pm	
15's			School 7:15- 8:45am	Moore Park 1-3pm	
14's			Moore Park 7:15-8:45am	School 1-3pm	
Development Squad	Development Squad are to train with their age grade, they will also have a session every Saturday at Moore Park 12-2pm unless advised otherwise				

Speed & Agility Sessions:

Speed & Agility	y Monday Tuesday		Wednesday	Thursday
	Year 9	Year 7 & 11	Year 8	Year 10

Term 4 Week 5 Results				
S-H-S	Total Matches Won	Total Matches Lost	Winning Percentage	
	-			
1st Grade	0	9	0%	
2nd Grade	3	6	33%	
3rd Grade	0	6	0%	
4th Grade	0	6	0%	
5th Grade	4	2	67%	
6th Grade	4	2	67%	
7th Grade	5	1	83%	
8th Grade	5	1	83%	
16 A	4	2	67%	
16 B	2	4	33%	
16 C	1	5	17%	
16 D	1	5	17%	
15 A	4	2	67%	
15 B	3	3	50%	
15 C	4	2	67%	
15 D	6	0	100%	
14 A	2	4	33%	
14 B	0	6	0%	
14 C	1	5	17%	
14 D	1	5	17%	
Total	50	76	40%	

Kurt Rich MIC Tennis



1st Grade Water Polo Report

After a memorable win against St Aloysius, High first grade was keen to get back into the pool to get another unforgettable win. With the knowledge that Newington, undefeated this year and last year's GPS champions, our team being known as the "underdog" coming into the match had something to prove to the rest of the competition. The game started off very strong with constant swimming but with silly fouls on the defensive end, Newington capitalised and scored from our mistakes. Newington being known as a team that has multiple fast swimmers took advantage of that with fast

breaks leading to goals. With goals coming from Ren, Edward, and Joe, we lost the game with the score of 11 goals to 3 goals. Even though we lost and are knocked out of the competition, it was a learning curve for the boys. With many positives and negatives from the season thus far, and our team improving every single week. The boys will keep on having resilience and will want to bounce back against a mouth-watering 5th-place clash rematch against Barker College.

Jaden Luu 11M 1st Grade Water Polo Captain



Cricket Results - 2022 Term 4 Week 5

GPS Cricket 2022/23 vs. The Kings School

	Score	Result	Highlights
1 st XI	TKS 6/349 def . SBHS 8/155	Loss	S. Bodidi 54
2 nd XI	TKS 8/324 def . SBHS 10/60	Loss	
4 th	SBHS 5/154 def . TKS 9/150	Win	M. Haider 60*
16A	SBHS 6/147 def. by TKS 1/149	Loss	M. Roberts 45 E. Barks 37
15A	TKS 5/141 def. by SBHS 6/87	Win by Forfeit	
15B	SBHS 1/126 def . TKS 10/70	Win	Rabaab 53 Nithilan 58 Swagat 3 wickets
14A	TKS 10/160, SBHS 7/122	Win by forfeit	A. Rufus 51
14B	TKS 1/123 def . SBHS 4/67	Loss	

1st XI Report

High faced Kings looking to bounce back after 3 defeats, High Won the toss and elected to bowl first. A mixture of great stroke play and poor bowling saw High on the backfoot early with Kings 0/80 at first drinks. Raunak Roy (11S) provided a crucial breakthrough straight after drinks although The Kings batsman took it to High and got 220 at second drinks. Some good bowling by High restricted Kings for 6/349 at lunch. High Batsman started the chase off slowly with Sumanth Bodidi anchoring the innings for a well crafted 54. Raunak Roy provided cameo of 23 with good stroke play as well as Aayush Madan scoring a very quick 26. Aayan Hafiz dug in deep scoring 18 of 70 balls to take High to the 50th over mark finishing on 8/156. Although it was another loss High will take some positives out of the game. Looking to Newington next week High look to bounce back. We finished the game with 10 players due to Duvindu Liyanage injuring his hand and going to hospital.

Raunak Roy 11S 1st XI Captain

2nd XI Report

We were up against the Kings for our 4th game of the season. We were into bowl for the first innings and in the first session, we were able to get breakthroughs with three wickets. Shikhar getting two in two bowls straight back from his injury. We had the upper hand in the first session, however, unfortunately, while fielding Dev dislocated his shoulder and left injured. With only ten players on the field, the boys tried their best to restrict the runs, but Kings got 325 runs on the board. We went in with a hefty total to chase, however the early collapses of wickets did not help. We fell short, but with a full side next week, we are playing Newington and looking to capitalise.

Ranaveer Thorat 10M 2nd XI Captain

Team of the Week 4th XI Report

4th grade started the day off well, winning the toss and going in to bat. Our openers started off well, scoring much quicker than previous weeks. However, this saw many of us going for risky shots which saw our top three batsman unluckily caught. Five overs in, we saw ourselves three wickets down with 57 runs on the board, a good start but something that was not viable for the entire game. Our number four and five batsman, Ivan and Mohammad found that it was quite hard to hit boundaries with the frustrating bowling of their team. Instead we decided to try to run as hard as we could playing along the ground. At ten overs we had 77 runs, and we set ourselves the hard ask to reaching 150. By the end of the innings we reached 154, surpassing our goal, but myself at least was extremely tired from running out up to 8 runs out an over. This was probably our best batting performance, not only through runs but the hard ask of pushing out for runs due to the lack of boundaries. This saw great performances from our team with Ivan and myself. Our bowling began unfortunately with a rare loose over from Ivan, who was unusually bowling quicker than usual. At 5 overs the game was looking grim with them achieving nearly 50 runs. The next few overs saw some ups and downs with our opponents arriving at 79 runs after 10 overs. The bowling after the break saw some promise with some key wickets and economical bowling. Unfortunately, they only needed 22 runs from their last 23 balls. This saw some of our best bowling performances with Khai, and myself finishing out our overs. They only required 7 runs off the last over with a decision to bowl Ridwan, who's bowling had not been the best this match, but we trusted him nonetheless. This saw some excellent bowling with then needing 5 runs of the last ball of the match. We set our field with everyone but three on the boundary. This moment was quite tense, however Ridwan delivered actually bowling the batsman on the last delivery and securing a win by 4 runs. This saw our first win of the season as we hope to improve and win many more in the future.

Mohammad Haider 10E 4th XI Captain

Team of the week 15B's Report

We went into the game feeling confident winning the toss and electing to bat first. However, we started the first 10 overs guite slow, losing a wicket and only making 42 runs. However, Nithilan and Rabaab entered after drinks with the intention to hit hard. After consecutive boundaries and Rabaab and Nithilan achieving a hundred partnership we achieved a respectable score of 127/1. We came into the second innings feeling livid and confident about the score we were defending. Nehan struck in the third over dismissing the opener, followed by 2 back-to-back wickets leaving Kings at 10/3. From there, the wickets quickly came with superb fielding from our team achieving 2 run outs and 2 amazing catches. Vedantik, Swagat and Nehan managed to clean up the tail enders, bowling Kings out for 77 and winning the game comfortably by 50 runs.

Vedantik Bhattacharyya 8S 15B's Captain

MIC Report

Before the Kings 1st XI game at McKay we had a moment of silence to reflect on a friend called Archer Gray, who tragically passed away last week. Raunak Roy was very close to Archer and this was his heart felt speech –

Raunak Roy's speech about Archer Gray

I was lucky to know Archer for 4 years but to know about him as a person you only needed 10 minutes.

He was fearless on the field and never gave up without a fight. The hardest worker I know, first to training last to leave, his work ethic was unmatched. He was respectful always made sure you were okay and the most loyal friend one could have. He was the happiest bloke you could meet, always up and about wearing a smile on his face. The last time we met was at his house. I went to check up on him, unable to walk, his energy was unmatched still laughing smiling he hadn't changed.

That's Archer, his impact on everyone around him was special. Our walks from Ashfield station to Pratten before grade training will forever be cherished, the memories we created will only be happiness. His life was cut short although he still lives within us today. You will be dearly missed and remembered; I hope you're doing good up there Archer, rest in peace buddy forever love you.

On a happier note, our cricket teams at High are improving, which is great to see. Congratulations to our 4th XI and 15B sides for good wins against Kings on the weekend. SBHS 14A, 15A and 16A sides are getting more runs on the board in their games. Our 14B side are learning about the game all the time, with limited experience to the game of cricket before coming together as a team. Unfortunately, our 1st and 2nd XI sides had heavy defeats against the might of The Kings School. We have had several injuries in our Open squad this year and this has led to our teams being under strength. Four games now only having 10 players at the finish of the game, due to injuries in the game. The Barberis Cup in Melbourne is coming up on the 27th of November and the squad is training towards retaining this trophy. The Five High Cricket Carnival starts on the 4th of December in Perth this year. The team is looking forward to this trip and will be doing their best to represent SBHS in this Carnival. Keep trying your best boys as the GPS Cricket Competition is very competitive and you are improving each week.

David Smith MIC Cricket

Sumanth Bodidi 11M Cricket Prefect 2022/2023





Year 9 Quad Report

The rowing season unofficially started with training on Thursday after Athletics. This was an opportunity for me and the rest of the Year 8 rowers to prepare for a great start to the season. After we got back from camp, we started our rowing season in full. On Wednesdays we freshened up our technique and did sets that got us back into the rowing spirit. Thursdays were our first days back in the water, and though we got off to a rough start I was reminded of the reason I rowed, in the boat with my mates, on top of clear water on a warm day. It was a perfect couple of days on the water. On Saturdays we also row on the water, we were able to fit in long water sessions and get more comfortable back in the boat. Saturdays also brought about the return of the High Burger, which motivated the boys that much more to get the boat packed away! Eventually it was the day of our erg test, and though we were nervous our coaches gave us the motivation we needed to pull through and row our hardest. Over the next couple of weeks, we trained with our newly formed crews building a sense of timing and rhythm, but we soon encountered problems when the weather took a turn for the worse and rowing through these waters became harder and harder. However, we persevered and when it was not possible to do race pieces, we worked on our form and timing.

It has been a truly great start to the rowing season! Leo Varthakavi - Stroke - Year 9 1st Quad



George Barris MIC Rowing

Camp Report

Rowing is more than just pushing your physical boundaries. The mental fortitude needed to train day after day to achieve a personal best is what makes rowing at High wonderful. The 5am mornings are made worthwhile as you experience wonderful sunrises and flat water. Thank you to all the parents and coaches that make rowing camps so wonderful.



Season Schedule:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/18DinR3sXfasR 1wqheJvoxym4x6hqEtyEQSGt_1P9QVQ/edit?usp=shari nq

Individual training schedule
Available through the student/parent portal: https://portal.clipboard.app/sbhs/



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In the most recent round, High played against The King's School. Many teams across all ages won their games, making High proud. In very tough games, the first and second grade teams suffered tough losses but let's hope they can bounce back and get a win next week. Along with the 14A team, who won their first game in a convincing 40-19 victory against the King's 14A side, the 14F and C sides won. Other High teams that won were the 5th, 6th, 7th, 9th and 10th grade sides. All these teams played at a high level and should be very proud of the way they played. The 16 D, E and F teams also got the win on the weekend. In the upcoming week against Newington, there will be food prizes awarded to the loudest supporters in the stands. Massive thanks have to be given to everyone that is part of the High Basketball Community, whether they are a parent, student or teacher. Special thanks to everyone who worked at the Basketball Canteen and to Ben Haymen, Basketball MIC.

In the latest NBA news, Oklahoma City Thunder Australian star Josh Giddey lit up the New York Knicks in the Madison Square Garden with a 24 points 12 assists and 10 rebounds triple-double on extremely efficient shooting, going 10-14 from the field. With his triple-double, Giddey joined Wilt Chamberlain as the only players in NBA history to record two triple-doubles in their first two games against the Knicks at Madison Square Garden. Nearby in Brooklyn, the Nets' front office has completed their search for a new

head coach, firing Steve Nash, and acquiring Jacque Vaughn as the Brooklyn Nets' new head coach. In other news, Philadelphia 76ers superstar Joel Embiid put on a show for the ages against the Utah Jazz at home, almost reaching a 60-point quadruple-double, scoring 59 points, 11 rebounds, 8 assists, and 7 blocks, on incredible 68% efficiency from the field. In his last 2 games he has scored over 100 points. In the Western Conference, Portland Trail Blazers' superstar Damian Lillard has returned from an abdominal injury and is back at peak form. His abdominal injury cut his 2021-2022 season short, and his positive effect on his team since his return is already showing. Last season, the Trail Blazers finished 13th in the Western Conference, and are now leading the west, with a 9-4 record.



New Banner: Something for us to be proud of in the Gym.

Ben Haymen MIC Basketball

Go HIGH!

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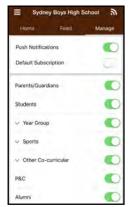






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