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To Ponder . . .

A slack hand causes poverty, but the hand of the diligent makes rich... Proverbs
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How often do we delay to do even those things in which we will delight? Often it's only after deliberate discipline that we come to enjoy the fruit and experience of our labour.

A concert pianist recalled recently on ABC radio when her regular sessions of piano ceased to be a chore but a delight. It came about because she pushed past the boredom, past that which she had to give up and found instead that her progress, her improvement became itself a rich reward.

What are we denying our children if we don't grow in them the discipline of persistence?

. . . *Chaplain*

Weekend Activities at Scots . . . Parent Weekend

Friday, 22nd February

Year 7 (2014) Experience Day
Year 7 (2013) Parent SwapMeet - p.m.
Performing Arts Afternoon - 3:30 p.m.
Cadet Dining-In Night 7:00 for 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, 23rd February

Scholarship Testing Day -- 8:30 a.m.
Information Session for Parents -- 9:00 a.m.
Boarder Parent P&F - 4:00 p.m.
Boarder Dinner - 6:30 p.m. Dining Hall

Sunday, 24th February

CHAPEL - 9:30 a.m. in Aikman Hall

CHAPEL SUNDAY 24th Feb is COMPULSORY.

Any student, who seeks leave for extraordinary reasons, must apply **to Headmaster in writing before the weekend.**

Scots Goes Pink! -- Pink Stumps Day

Where to donate: (and see our big ad on Page 4 of this HIGHLANDER)
13's players will have donation tins on pink stumps day at Reception in Karralee or donate on-line at:
[http://pinkstumpsday2013.gofundraise.com.au/page/Scots School](http://pinkstumpsday2013.gofundraise.com.au/page/Scots%20School)



together we can make a difference™

**PINK STUMPS
DAY**



From the Headmaster...

The Year 7 2014 Information Night (5.30pm Thursday 21 February) and Experience Day (Friday 22 February) are to be held this week. All current Year 6 students at Scots, scholarship applicants for next year and 2006 Pre-Kindergarten students have been sent an invitation. If you know anyone currently in Year 6 and looking for a fabulous school, please suggest they attend these two events. All they need to do is contact Mrs Gina Jessett, our new Enrolments and Promotions Officer, to let her know they will be attending and she will let them know what to bring to maximise their enjoyment of the day.

We rely on excellent word of mouth from our parents and would really appreciate your support to promote our school.

The Term One Parent Weekend is on next weekend with a number of very important events including the Year 7 Swap where current Year 7 parents swap places with their children in class while Year 7 participate in Clean up Australia, the Cadet Dining In Night on Friday night, the Boarders P & F at 4pm on Saturday and the Boarding Dinner on Saturday Night.

Our first **Parent Weekend Chapel Service** for the year will be held in the Aikman Hall at 9.30am on Sunday. All parents of students from Kindergarten to Year 12 are expected to commit to this event which is held just once each term. It is an excellent opportunity for the whole community to come together to celebrate our great school and to welcome new parents and students. Of course, on occasions, there may be an unavoidable clash. At these times, please apply for leave to the Headmaster via email with a clear explanation requesting leave. Please remember that a School of high quality needs to have a strong sense of community and that only occurs through strong commitment to all aspects of the school.

The Junior School Swimming Carnival was held on Friday and the energy and enthusiasm of the children was fantastic to see. I had the very difficult challenge of judging the House Cry Competition at the start of the day and the standard was incredibly high. Each house created and performed challenging and creative lyrics put to modern songs. They maximised impact with colour, costume, dance and excellent leadership from the House Captains and Year 6 students. I couldn't split Ives and Browning in judging this competition.

This enthusiasm carried over into the Swimming Carnival with a wonderful spirit of support, participation and fun. What was also very obvious was the improvement evident in so many children with their swimming. If they keep up their Learn to Swim and Squad Swimming with Sharon Inwood we can expect some very good results over the next few years. I wish to thank all the parents and grandparents who supported with their attendance, time keeping and on the canteen and BBQ. I also wish to thank all the staff who worked hard in preparation to make for a very special day.

The Western Associated Schools Swimming Carnival was held for our Senior School at St Stanislaus on Friday evening. It was an excellent carnival with some high quality performances and many records on the night. Congratulations to our students who took out the Boys and Girls Percentage Shield and the overall Percentage Shield.

I wish to commend Mr Adrian Lee and the 13s Cricket Team for their **Scots Goes Pink and Pink Stumps Day**. This is a wonderful initiative to raise funds and awareness for Breast Cancer nurses and research. Please support this good cause through the 13s Cricket team by sponsoring the number of fours and sixes they hit next Saturday, or by donating at the match or the Junior School Family Fun Day on Saturday or through the Pink Mufti Day on Monday 25 February or by simply going on line to donate at:

<http://pinkstumpsday2013.gofundraise.com.au/page/ScotsSchool>

Further details appear elsewhere in this edition of the Highlander.

From the Deputy Head . . .

Parent Weekend

The upcoming weekend is a very important occasion in the life of The Scots School. The orientation of the intending Year 7 enrolments for 2014 will occur on Friday, 22nd. All scholarship applicants for 2014 should present themselves promptly to the Aikman Hall from 8:20 a.m. on Saturday, 23rd February.

I remind students and their parents/carers of the compulsory Chapel Service to be held at the Aikman Hall on Sunday, 24th February commencing at 9:30 a.m. Students are to be attired in full town leave uniform in immaculate order and condition. Any students with particular reason to seek leave from attendance at the Chapel Service are to apply in writing to the Headmaster in advance.

Assessment Books

Assessment programme booklets for each course of study will be issued to students this week, Week 4. It is our intention to email a copy to each parent/carer, therefore it is vital that parents provide their email to the school and make sure details are updated if any changes have occurred.

Year 12

Year 12 students are reminded that I would like to finalise applications for Tutors Worldwide by mid-March. Students have been provided with application forms and should clear their draft applications with myself in the next two weeks. This enables time for me to write references and organise timely dispatch of the applications.

Any parents with questions about GAP programmes for 2014 should not hesitate to contact me.

Mrs Lynne M. Fleming
Deputy Head/Director of Teaching & Learning

The Scots School presents a
Performing Arts
Concert . . .

Strings and More
Featuring The Scots
School String Ensemble
and Senior Music students

Friday 22nd February
2013

Senior School Calendar - Term 1

FEBRUARY

Thu 21 Lion's Club Youth of the Year Competition
Fri 22 Year 7 (2014) Experience Day
Year 7 (2013) Parent Swap Meet – p.m.
Performing Arts Afternoon 3:30 pm in PAC
Cadet Dining-In Night 7:00 for 7:30pm
Sat 23 1st XI Cricket Round 10 v. SSC @ SSC
PARENT WEEKEND
Scholarship Testing Day – 8:30 am
Information Session – 9:00 am
Boarder Parent P&F 4:00 pm
Boarder Dinner – 6:30 pm Dining Hall
Sun 24 Chapel Service 9:30 am Aikman Hall
Wed 27 TSS P&F Meeting – 7:00 pm Library
Thu 28 HICES Debating – Round 1
WAS Basketball Trials Opens & 15's
@ KWS and ASC

MARCH

Sat 2 1st XI Cricket Finals – tbc
Blayney Show
Mon 4 RYDA Safe Driver Training
Tue 5 K-12 Chapel
Fri 8 Stage 6 Dinner 6:30 pm Dining Hall
Mon 11–Thu 14 Year 7 Camp at Tea Gardens
Mon 11 Evans Crown Horse Day
Tue 12 WAS Hockey Trials @ KWS
Wed 13 Girls Basketball AICES @ Castle Hill
Try-A-Trade (Y10) a.m.
Thu 14 University Road Show (Year 12) @ TSS
HICES Junior Football Trials
University Road Show @ TSS 2:00pm

Fri 15 Boys Basketball AICES @ Wollongong
Lithgow Show
Sat 16 Lithgow Show
Ceilidh – 5:30 pm
Sun 17 **HIGHLAND GATHERING and WELCOME FAIR**
Mon 18 – Sat 23 Cattle at Royal Easter Show
Wed 20 AICES 16's Girls Hockey Trials @ Bathurst
Thu 21 WAS Netball Trials Gala @ KWS (tbc)
Fri 22 Parent/Teacher Interviews Years 7 & 12 – 3:30 pm
Year 12 Information Talk – 6:00 pm
Sat 23 Rugby and Netball Trials @ TSS
Tue 26 WAS Netball Trials Gala @ KWS (alt. date)
HICES Debating Round 2
Wed 27 ISA Swimming @ SOPAC for 11:30 start
Classes Cease 3:20 pm Boarders Depart
Thu 28–Tue 2 Easter Break
Fri 29 **GOOD FRIDAY**
APRIL
Mon 1 Easter Monday Public Holiday
Tue 2 Boarders Transport back to school by 4pm
Classes resume
AICES Touch Championships @ Penrith
Thu 4–Fri 12 Year 12 Half-Yearly Examinations
Thu 11 7-12 Cross-Country @ TSS intra-school
Fri 12–Sun 14 Bathurst Show
Classes Cease 3:20 pm – End Term 1
Tue 23–Mon 29 Rugby/Netball Tour to Gold Coast



Scots Goes Pink for the McGrath Foundation

Pink Stumps Day

Australian Cricketer Glenn McGrath and his wife Jane set up the McGrath Foundation after Jane was diagnosed with Breast Cancer. The Foundation funds specialist Breast Care nurses into hospitals around Australia including in Bathurst. We have had a number families of our community suffer from Breast Cancer so we are helping out with Pink Stumps Day.

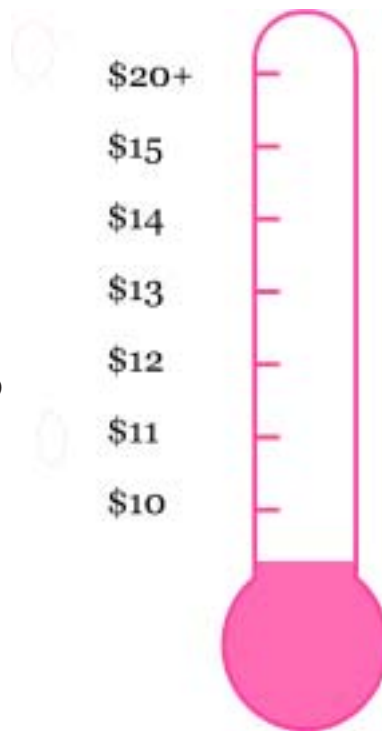
Events:

Pink Cup Cakes for Sale – Thursday / Friday this week for \$1 each

\$ x 4 - Pink Stumps Day 13s Cricket – Saturday 23 Feb.

Thanks to Mr Gates and Mr Boshier we now have sponsorship of \$9 for each boundary (4) hit on Pink stumps day and we have a pledge for \$100 if a Six is scored.

Can you help by sponsoring the boundaries? You can contribute \$1 per boundary and join in a fun, creative way to contribute to a great cause. We'd love to get this sponsorship up to \$20 per four. If you would like to sponsor the boundaries please let Adrian Lee know by email at alee@scots.nsw.edu.au



Family Fun Day goes Pink – Saturday 23 February

Pink Mufti Day—Scots will Go Pink on Monday 25 February

Please wear your best pink gear (remember enclosed shoes) and bring a gold coin donation.

This is a fantastic cause; please support the 13s to reach our fundraising goal of \$1000 for pink stumps day. Thank You!!!

Make donations to:



together we can make a difference®

PINK STUMPS DAY

HIGHLAND GATHERING MEETING

There will be a Highland Gathering meeting in the Library on Tuesday 19th February commencing at 5.30pm.

Anyone who is interested in assisting, or wishing to contribute as a committee member, is very welcome to attend our meeting next Tuesday.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Ross Andrew
0429294869

Sydney Morning Herald Subscriptions

Mr Doney will organise digital and print subscriptions during Term Time Only of the Sydney Morning Herald. Check the notices on the Library notice board.

Charges:

Digital Edition: Term Time only Mon-Fri

Depending on numbers: \$7 to \$20 p.a.

Print Edition: Term time only Mon-Fri \$199 p.a.

For your information and comparison: A private home subscription would cost:

Mon-Sun all year: Digital \$60 p.a.

Print/Home Delivery \$299 p.a.

Fill in form below and return to Mr Doney

SMH Subscription for 2013

Parent's Name: _____

Student's Name: _____

I would like my son/daughter to receive a
Digital (\$20 p.a.) subscription

Print (\$199 p.a.) subscription

of the Sydney Morning Herald Monday-Friday during
Term Time for 2013.

Signature: _____

Contact Number: _____

Date: _____

Year 7 Camp

The date is fast approaching for the first school camp of the year. Year 7 in week 7, 11th March to 14th March, will be heading to the Great Aussie Bush Camp which is situated on the Mid North Coast near Hawkes Nest.

The camp will be run over four days/three nights, Monday to Thursday, with accommodation in huts, full catering and transport to and from the site being by coach. A range of activities will be undertaken which are designed to build confidence and cooperation amongst the group. A number of the Year 11 Peer Support Leaders will also be attending the camp to further build on the program which has been running at school this term. There will also be time for a Dolphin Cruise on the waters of Port Stephens.

The only special equipment needed, which boarders may not have at school at the present time, will be a torch and sleeping bag. A note outlining the camp in more detail will be emailed to parents and a hard copy given to students sometime in the coming weeks when final arrangements and costing have been completed.

Mr G Hayward
Camp Coordinator

School Shop ...

Trousers
have arrived
Every size!
Full stock

HIGHLAND GATHERING

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH 2013



Planning is underway for this year's Highland Gathering.

The Committee would love to hear from any businesses that would like to sponsor the construction of the castle or a prize in the band competition. The Highland Gathering is a high profile event and there is great opportunity for your business to be promoted. Please contact Michael Ireland if you are interested asherton@bigpond.com

We are seeking a few more large marquee style tents for the day. If you know of any that are available for use for community events can you please contact Ross Andrew ross@andrewgroup.com.au



DO YOU have any "treasure" you would like to donate for the TRASH & TREASURE STALL? We will take furniture, kitchen equipment, bric-a-brac, clothing in good condition (especially kids), sporting equipment, toys, tools, paintings....

Boarder parents take the opportunity to have a clean out and deliver it all to the School on the up-coming Parent Weekend.

You can drop off your treasures outside the Uniform Shop on the verandah or the Maintenance area (just past the dining hall) as you drive past. You can leave things on any day up until the Highland Gathering.

**Please contact Mark & Jenny Morrison for further information
mjjg_5@hotmail.com**

HIGHLAND GATHERING

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH 2013

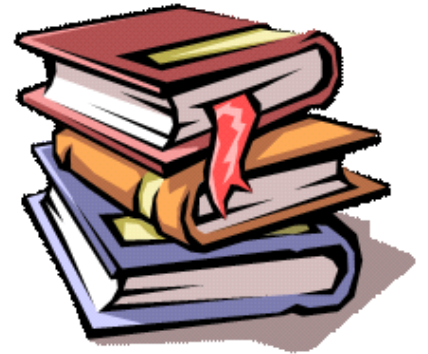


CAN YOU bake a cake, slice or biscuits?

Baked items can be left at the **CAKE STALL** on the day.

Why don't you **CLEAN OUT** the bookshelves, CD or DVD Cabinet? The **BOOK STALL** will take them all off your hands.

Dropoff items for the bookstall outside the Uniform Shop on the veranda or the Maintenance area.



DIG UP and divide some of your overgrown garden plants or pot some cuttings from your garden. We would also like any vegetable garden produce, and cut bunches of herbs for the **PLANT STALL**. Please drop them off on the morning of the Highland Gathering.

Please contact Mark & Jenny Morrison for further information
mjjg_5@hotmail.com



Junior School News

Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to Browning House who were victorious at the Junior swimming Carnival on Friday, narrowly defeating Flynn. Age champions will be announced at assembly on Friday, 1st March where place ribbons will also be presented.

The carnival went very smoothly and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. The number of children participating was outstanding and the growth in ability since our new pool opened was evident. The Friends of Junior School did an amazing job with the catering as usual, with all adults enjoying some scrumptious salads and homemade cakes and slices throughout the day. The House Captains are to be commended for their leadership throughout the day, commencing with the House Cry Competition. Mr Gates had an extremely difficult task in selecting a winner as all the entries were highly entertaining! Ives and Browning shared first place for their efforts. The carnival had a happy feeling with music, cheering, novelty events and dancing throughout the day. Thanks to Mrs Kathy Weal and Mrs Lyn Inglis who put a great deal of time and effort into the organisation of the carnival and parents who acted as officials, we could not have done it without your help.

Family Fun Day

We look forward to getting together on Saturday 23rd February for the Family Fun Day on the Old Boys 'Oval. Once again the Friends of Junior School are running a barbecue and there will also be ice-cream and coffee on sale. Activities for the children include a slip and slide and jumping castle. Adults can relax in the shade until the tug o'war! The day is a wonderful opportunity to welcome new families to the school and we encourage all families of children in Pre K to Year 6 to attend. Cost for a family is only \$10 and this will need to be pre paid as soon as possible along with an indication of the number of children and adults attending. This note will be sent home with children today.

Add a touch of pink to your outfit and bring a gold coin donation for the Mc Grath Foundation.

Speeches

Thank you to parents for assisting children in the preparation and practice of their first speech for the year. The children are to be congratulated for the standards reached and their interest and enthusiasm whilst listening to the other speeches. There will be one representative selected from Years 3 to 6 to participate in the CWA Public Speaking Competition in May.

Lithgow Visit

Stage 3 is looking forward to spending the day at the Lithgow campus on Wednesday to participate in an IT workshop covering aspects of their major HSIE assignment to be completed during the latter part of the term.

Iceblocks

Year 6 students will be selling fruit juice iceblocks at lunch time on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at a cost of 50 cents.

Pick Up

All children who are being picked up or going on a bus after school will be assembled at the front of the school where they will be required to sit down until collected or their bus departs.

Winter Sport

A note outlining winter sport options will be sent out this week. Please return it to school as soon as possible for planning to proceed.

Healthy Food

It is fabulous to see the children enjoying their fruit and vegetables either at crunch and sip time or as part of recess and lunch. This habit is much easier to develop when children are young and we look forward to continue working with you to reinforce positive habits.

Bubbler

Our playground is now equipped with 2 pump action bubblers and a drink bottle refiller above a stainless steel sink, courtesy of the Year 6 students of 2012 aka The Golden Girls. Mr Luke Bennett and his workers completed the installation last week as part of the gift. We are most appreciative of his support and generosity. Mr Bennett is the father of Darcie and Morgan. The children are excited to have the new facility and are already enjoying the benefits. We will officially open the bubblers when the plaque arrives.

WAS and HICES Swimming Carnivals

The teams to represent the school at the WAS and HICES Carnivals will be announced this week. Students are reminded that many of the events they competed in at our carnival were heats, meaning the overall event winner will be determined on the best times from the heats. Therefore, a child winning a heat is not necessarily guaranteed a place ribbon or selection in the representative team.



The Scots Junior School
FAMILY FUN DAY

Saturday, February 23
12:30 pm— 3pm

Front Oval - The Scots School
The Friends of Junior School and Staff invite you to
our Family Fun Day
Fun Activities and games for everyone to enjoy

Jumping Castle Ice Cream Slip and Slide
Kick a Footy Throw a Frisbee Tug-o-War

Children to wear their house T..Shirts and something bright pink.
We will be supporting the McGrath Foundation with a gold coin donation.
Bring the family, hats, sunscreen, a picnic blanket and enjoy a scrumptious
barbecue lunch and a fun afternoon
\$10.00 per family

FAMILY FUN DAY LUNCH ORDER FORM

Please return lunch order form and money to help with catering.

FAMILY NAME: _____

NUMBER OF ADULTS ATTENDING: _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ATTENDING: _____



Highland Dancing

Welcome to Highland Dancing for 2013

Mrs Mary Weber will be conducting dance lessons for all interested students.

We have allocated times as follows:

1:00 - 1:45 Stage 1

1:45 - 2:15 Kindergarten

3:15 – 4pm Stages 2 and 3

All lessons will be held in the Aikman Hall unless otherwise advised. Dancers will need to bring a water bottle to class. For School performances we have kilts for borrowing but ask that all dancers have their own black dance shoes.

We have lots of fun whilst learning new skills and making friends. We have been asked to perform at the Highland Gathering and will also have other opportunities to perform throughout the year. If you would like to start classes this year or have any questions please don't hesitate to see me.

Mrs Lyn Inglis



Junior School Swimming Carnival ...



Crunch & Sip

This year The Scots Junior School and Pre Kindergarten will be implementing the NSW Government health initiative Crunch&Sip[®].

What is Crunch&Sip[®]?

Crunch&Sip[®] is a break during class when students can refuel on fruit and veg and rehydrate on water. The break assists students with physical and mental performance, and concentration in the classroom.

Crunch&Sip[®] encourages fruit and vegetable snacking and drinking water. Healthy eating behaviours are modelled in the classroom and reinforce the nutrition messages in the PD/H/PE curriculum. By making fruit and vegetable eating and water drinking normal in the classroom, healthy habits can be formed and continued into adolescence and adulthood.

The Crunch&Sip[®] break gives students the opportunity to eat the piece of fruit that might otherwise be left in their lunchbox. Students are also more likely to eat their fruit or vegetables and drink their water if their friends and peers are all doing it too!

Kindergarten and Stage 1 will be having Crunch&Sip during News Time and Stage 2 and 3 will choose a piece of fruit or vegetable out of their lunchbox to eat during morning tea. Pre Kindergarten will enjoy a little break in the afternoon.

To help us make this program a success, please make sure your child has a piece of fruit or vegetables and small bottle of water each day.

Mrs Lyn Inglis

Pre-Kinder News

Bathurst Pre-Kindergarten Highlander – Week 4

Learning Program- This week we will commence our single sounds, starting with the letter 's'. The students will use a combination of Jolly Phonics and other learning programs to learn this sound for the week. So listen out for rhymes and hand movements to reinforce our learning. For craft you can expect to see; snakes, stars, snails, snowmen, squirrels and lots more.

Sprinkler Day- Last Friday Pre-Kindergarten had a wonderful day participating in the fun of Sprinkler Day. We started by watching the Junior School House Cries which was lots of fun! After morning tea we played games and ran through the sprinklers on the front oval. All of the children welcomed a lovely sausage sandwich for lunch and some fresh fruit. It was a great day for all involved and we took lots of photos, so keep an eye out on our notice board.

Bathurst City Library- Last Thursday the Gold class travelled to the town Library for our first visit of the year. Sarah and Natalie had a Dragons and Fairies theme prepared for us. All of the students are to be commended on their beautiful manners, well done! The Blue class will have their first visit on 14th March.

Eye Testing- The Steps eye program will visit school for three mornings at the end of February on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Notes have been sent home, so if you haven't received one please see your child's teacher. If you would like your child to participate please complete the form and return to your child's teacher.

Healthy Lunch Boxes/ Crunch & Sip- It is our school policy to promote healthy eating and we encourage all of our families to provide a healthy and nutritious lunch box for their children. We suggest fruit, yoghurt, cheese & crackers for morning tea. Sandwiches, wraps, salad, Vita weats are a good lunch option. We welcome cup cakes or a cake for a child's Birthday celebration but please check with your child's teacher about allergies. Please do not pack lollies or lolly pops.

Over the coming weeks we will be starting the Crunch & Sip program across Pre-Kindergarten and Junior School. Crunch & Sip is a break during class when students can refuel on fruit or vegetables and rehydrate on water. The break assists students with physical and mental performance and concentration in the classroom.

Family Fun Day- This Saturday 23rd February The Scots Junior School and Pre-Kindergarten will host the annual Family Fun Day from 12.30-3pm on the front oval. Notes and flyers have been sent home with all of the details and special events, so please come and enjoy a wonderful day out with family and friends.

Senior School Sport

Secondary School Sports Bulletin Week 4 Term 1

WAS Swimming Carnival

Last Friday evening forty four members of the Scots swimming team competed at the WAS swimming carnival at St Stanislaus College. The standard of competition was very high and our students did not disappoint. Many of our swimmers improved on their times set at the Inter house carnival and our relay teams all did very well. Despite not winning any of the age division trophies we did clean up in the percentage shield category taking home all three (Boys, Girls and Overall Co-Ed). This is the first time in many years that we have managed to win all three and demonstrates an improved standard of swimming across all ages groups and genders. We are certainly very proud of all our swimmers and will be encouraging them to train hard between now and the ISA carnival which is on the 27th March.

1st XI Cricket

Last Saturday's match against the top of the table Chevalier College was an exciting match of cricket. Our boys were a little nervous taking back to the turf wicket after consecutive matches on synthetic and demonstrated poor shot selection resulting in cheap wickets. Thankfully lori was able to steady the ship and made a good score and the Chevalier boy's sundries help us scrap past the ton (102 all out). After a quick blasting from the coach about wasting opportunities whilst at the crease the team was ordered to lift their effort with the ball. The boys responded brilliantly taking two wickets (lori Hashida) before the lunch break. Patrick Harris making his debut in the 1st XI bamboozled the Chevalier batsman and took five wickets and was well supported by Jock Sinclair and John Mair. In a tense final wicket stand our boys managed to take the final Chevalier wicket just seven runs short of our total. Our team now should go into the final round and semi finals full of confidence. More than likely we will meet Chevalier again in a fortnight's time in the semi final. Well done and good luck boys.

Junior Cricket Success

It was very pleasing to hear of some success in the 13s and 15s cricket teams on Saturday morning. Both teams are in very strong positions in their matches due to some outstanding performances with the bat and the ball. We look forward to hearing of the results of their matches next week. Well done boys and keep it up next week.

Rugby and Netball Tours 2013

A request for payment of the balance of the tour cost was sent out last Friday. Please have payments made by the 1st of March. Information on accommodation packages was also sent out for parents who may like to come and support the students. (Parents can contact Jane Bullen for more information on the accommodation deals).

Upcoming Sport Events

28 th February	WAS Basketball Trials (KWS and ASC)
10 th March	Old Boys and Girls Association Cricket and Netball matches
27 th March	ISA Swimming Carnival (Homebush)

Mr. Justin Adams (Sportsmaster) jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au

Joshua Morris and Edward Simcock at the Senior Carnival last week.
Sorry Josh...we've corrected your name!



Senior School Weekly Sport Calendar

Sport/Team	Coach	Date	Opposition	Time	Venue	
Basketball	Please refer to the following website for draws and results - http://www.bathurstindoorsports.com.au/					
No Basketball games this Friday evening due to the Western Junior League						
Cricket	Please refer to the following website for draws, results and season statistics - http://scotsbathurst.nsw.cricket.com.au/					
1st XI	Mr. Adams/Mr. Maher	23/02/13	St Stanislaus College	10.00am	Stannies	
	Transport Details Mr Maher 9.15am					
15s	Mr. Mair	23/02/13	Stannies 4ths	8.30am	Morse Park2	
	Transport Details Mr. Mair 8.10am					
13s	Mr. Lee	23/02/13	Stannies Blue	8.20am	Scots Lee St Oval	Mr Lee
Tennis	Mrs. Davis	16/02/13	WAS Singles Championships	8.30am	Jnr/Int Scots SnrStannies	
	Snsr to arrange transport					
Touch	Mr. Coyte	23/02/12	KWS & WAS Team Training	8.45am	Scots Old Boys Oval	Nil

Junior School Swimming Carnival ...



BASKETBALL ...

The Scots Junior School Basketball Report

Last week our team was pumped for a win! Every team member was at their peak, all scoring baskets, passing, moving, and calling. It was a marvellous game to watch, very fast and controlled. The Scots School Blue Junior Basketball team deserved the resounding win that they achieved. Congratulations!

Mrs Lyn Inglis

Scots Black v. Sesquipedarius

a 39-27 loss

the team played extremely well but spent the first half of the second term scoreless. This was not a result of not being able to shoot, but the fact that every shot either bounced out or rolled around the rim and then went out! A very frustrating night.

Mr Hayward (Coach)

Scots Cobras v. Platinum

A much better performance from the team this week. They gained an early lead and were able to maintain this throughout the match. Offensively the team showed a number of excellent fast breaks and sharp passing within the key.
A great win for 40-30.

Mr Hayward (Coach)

Scots Gold v. ASC Gold

The game got off to a slow start but after about ten minutes the girls found their rhythm. Once again we were up against a physical team and our opposition's foul count was high. We continued to take advantage of the lack of discipline shown. Ellie Craft took a few heavy knocks but recovered well to score all of her free throws. Mollie Harley wrestled some great rebounds from the hands of our opponents as she began to step up her desire to get the ball. The second half was a much better performance from the team with all players doing their jobs and the team worked nicely together to put together a comfortable win.

Best players: Ellie Craft and Mollie Harley

Final result: a 27-10 win!

Ms Rachel Hughes (Coach)

TENNIS ...

Tennis Report - 16/2/13

TSS vs SSC 1

Another tough week of competition faced the Scots tennis team when we faced Stannies on the weekend. Everyone played to their best and should be congratulated on doing so.

The Seniors #1 doubles team got off to an early lead but quickly lost concentration and went down 7-1. The #2 team of Hayden Callan and Tim Burrey had a good comeback from 3-0 down to tie it up, but were unable to continue their form, eventually going down 5-3. Hayden also salvaged a win from his singles match to win 5-3. Well done.

The intermediates had a tough day once again, struggling to compete with some excellent competition. Kaylan and Ben were unlucky not to win in their doubles, and James Grant worked well with Cal Behrendt to steal some games off their opponents. Kaylan went on to win his singles match convincingly. The juniors continue to improve but they found it hard to gain any real advantage against the Stannies team, who were just too strong for them. Josh Rosin and Jack Morrissey did well to win a game in their doubles, and Josh Woods and Lewis Wilde were consistent as always.

*Well done team,
Lachlan Conyers*

Junior School Swimming Carnival ...



CRICKET ...

Scots 13s Cricket

Game v Stannies Blue at Scots

TSS 2/130 (17), Stannies 7/96 (25)

An exciting week for the 13s with all the preparations for Pink Stumps Day but we still need to get on with the cricket. With Pat Harris called up to the firsts Hamish took the captaincy again. Stannies won the toss and chose to bat but we got off to a good start bowling tightly and sharp effort in the field saw us restrict the scoring and create chances. We put down some catches early but the boys maintained a positive attitude and kept working hard. There were lots of good bowling performances; Hamish (4.1.1.8), Aiden (3.0.1.6), Wes (3.2.1.7), Ollie (4.1.1.7) were great but the bowler of the day was Ed Simcock (2.0.2.7) who's loopy deliveries flighted over the strikers' eye line and then dropping steeply at his feet proved really difficult for the batsmen to get away.

Although we restricted the Stannies scoring to less than 100 we found the last two wickets elusive but were able to come into bat in a strong position. Wes Standfield seems to have really found his place as hard hitting opener and he capitalised on a Stannies team who spread the field was wide to the boundaries. Wes (52 no) and Ollie Simpson (51 no) each hit eight fours to race to fifty and retirement and take us past Stannies score in quick time. Congratulations to both boys on superb batting. After the retirements Aiden (4) and Andrew (5) remained in for the last few overs of the morning and will resume next week to build our lead and put us in a position to push for an outright win.

Don't forget that next Saturday 23 Feb is Pink Stumps Day.

See details included in this Highlander. Help the 13s reach their fundraising goal of \$1000.

Under 15's Cricket

The first game back after the break saw Scots take on Stannies 4ths at Allan Morse Park.

Scots batted first, posting a respectable total of 95 on a slow wicket. Jonty Boshier topscored with 16.

Our bowlers bowled exceptionally well with Nick Thomson taking three wickets and Zach Telfser, Lachlan Marshall and Jonty Boshier all taking two wickets. We bowled Stannies out for 75; excellent catches going to Will Brancourt and Nick Thomson.

Congratulations on a first innings win. We hope to secure an outright win next week!

Jono Gates

Scots Goes Pink! Pink Stumps Day



Saturday, 23rd February 2013

Pink Stumps Day Under 13's Cricket

Pink Family Fun Day



Pink Mufti Day Monday Feb 25th

Where to donate:

13's players will have donation tins on pink stumps day at Reception in Karralee or donate on-line at: [http://pinkstumpsday2013.gofundraise.com.au/page/Scots School](http://pinkstumpsday2013.gofundraise.com.au/page/Scots_School)



First XI v. Chevalier College

Scots First XI plays Chevalier at Scots on the weekend. After winning the toss and batting first we only managed to score 102 runs, with Iori Hashida top scoring with 26.

With a low total to defend the boys fielded superbly saving every run possible. Pat Harris in his first game for the Firsts, took 4-50 in a great spell of spin bowling with Iori taking 3-9, putting Scots in a great position to win the match by 7 runs.

Scots had the win!

Scoring: Iori Hashida (26 runs; 3 for 9); Jock Sinclair (2 for 15), Pat Harris (4 for 50); John Mair (1-19).

Best performances: Iori Hashida and Pat Harris

Jack Ogilvy