

Red Baron Term 4 2011



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Head of House Report

Sam Gibbs

To say that I have been a part of School House for five years is a privilege and something that I will cherish forever. School House is where we spend most of our time at King's and is something that is embodied within us forever. The memories that have been created are treasured and life long friends made. I have really enjoyed leading the house in 2011 and have been proud to compete along side the boys in every aspect of college life.

The year begins, as it always does, with House swimming and athletics. I remember back in my first year in 2007 spending half of the first term swimming and running preparing for these two major events and this year has been the same.

We have come to realise the swimming is not our strong suite over the past few years and this year we couldn't buck the trend placing 9th. However, running is something we are much better at and this year we place 6th.

Special mention must be made to Marzellus Salaiviao for his efforts in being Junior Champion – a great feat. A further highlight in sport was making it to both the Tennis and Squash finals. This is the



first time we have achieved this in my time at the college but unfortunately it wasn't to be on either days.

On rolled Term two and that can only mean one thing – the annual House Music Competition. This year Small House sang 'Wouldn't it be Nice' by the Beach Boys and got 8th place – special thanks to Jack Hailstone for organizing this performance. For our Big House item we sang 'Move it Like This' by the Baha Men. We thought we had the winning formula coming off 2010 success however the winners podium alluded us for another year – much to our disappointment. A lot of time and effort is put into practice for this performance as well as a large amount of frustration however I am proud of the way the boys pulled together on the night.

The infamous term three came and the house was ready. Well known for it's mock exams but more importantly the mountain of House Sport events. Cross-country is one of these events, and as a leaver I am not going to miss the 0555 call for morning runs. Many tempers flared during the build up to the event but I know the boys appreciated the training on the day.

The event was postponed by two weeks due to atrocious weather on the scheduled day, which meant another two weeks on training – to the boys' horror! On the day the House put in a solid effort and congratulations must go to Thomas Murray for his second place in the Senior Grade.



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House Rugby is something the School House likes to pride itself on and this year was no exception. The boys were talking about the event almost since the start of the rugby season in May and when it came we were ready. Unfortunately we only made it to the semi finals in all three grades but a poignant moment was in the last seconds against Major in the Intermediate semi final when Major scored a try after some dubious referring beforehand. The boys, myself included, were bitter by the defeat however I was proud of the way they took it on the chin and accepted that that is the way sport goes sometimes – you win some and lose some.

On a cultural front, we had William Eddowes in the Junior School play and a lot of the boys dedicated an hour a week to community service, which is great for them and also contributes to things such as the Duke of Edinburgh Awards. For this we were recognized as placing third in the Community Service Log of Wood at Graduation Assembly.

I would like to thank the tutors, Mr Stewart, Mr Oliver and Mr Dyer for their work throughout the house this year. Your support of Mr Carrington and the fifth years is greatly appreciated and contributes greatly to an efficient, enjoyable environment to live in.

To Matron, you are the fantastic ‘mum’ away from home and for that alone I know the boys and I greatly appreciate what you do. But more than that, you put a lot of time and effort into caring for the 70 boys in the house and I am sure that without you some boys wouldn’t cope! The suppers you arrange in the wintertime and your delicious birthday cakes will be deeply missed.

Mr Carrington. You have been a great housemaster and since becoming Head of House, I have seen first hand the great work ethic and devotion to the house that you have. It has been a pleasure working with you this year and the commitment and organisation you have as housemaster all contribute to the greatest house in King’s.

Last but not least, the leavers of 2011. I have greatly enjoyed my time with you over the past five years and I am sincerely going to miss the good times we have enjoyed. I wish you well in both the near future and beyond and look forward to remaining friends for a long time to come.

Whether it is running to One Tree Hill, preparing dinner for the School House girls, doing the daily duty rounds, watching movies with the School House film club, the table tennis competition, being sun burnt after trips to the beach, playing House sport together or playing backyard cricket – I am going to miss every aspect of the house that I love.

Virtus Pollet

Let Excellence Prevail



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Sebastian Steininger

First Year Dorm Report

Baden Mannering



Euan Cameron: Towards the end of the year Euan has been working hard to support his water polo team - by avoiding every practice they have if it isn't enforced by a teacher. Euan has increased his Call of Duty skills a lot with his regular staying in, and is a constant gamer now.

Daniel Easton: Daniel has decided to continue his Latin education and begin technology with his subject choices for next year. He has been excelling in Maths and has been doing further work on angles and measurements by beating The World's Hardest Game on the internet. If not found on the computers in the prep room, he is often out at rowing.

Matthew Holden: Matthew has endured a tough term of rowing. Matthew is starting to become a gamer and has brought his iPhone to school and can be spotted in the computer room at specific times during the day. Matt did a lot of study for the Social Studies exam and was generally pleased about all of his results.

Baden Mannering: This term Baden learned how to pole vault. He now has a PHD in piggybacking from Community Service at the daycare centre. He has decided to take technology and business studies next year.

Andrew Reeves: Andrew is starting an airsoft team with Baden, it is named the ACU (Adaptive Combat Unit.) This term, Andrew studied a lot for the end of year exams, and got top in 9A2 in English.

Marzellus Saliavao: Marzellus had continued his running and sprinting and will be representing the house in most of the top events at the Graham Bruce Relays. Over this term he has missed many Sunday roll calls because of McDonald's. Overall, this term has been a great term, athletically, for Marzellus.

Sebastian Steininger: Sebastian is leaving to Major next year and therefore has **NO** rights. He has participated in the fun tennis tournament and played internal tennis this term. He has chosen Latin and Technology next year, after following an exam average of about 75%.



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Sebastian Steininger *First Year Dorm Report* Baden Mannering

Oliver Treacy: Oliver Treacy has released some new Christmas songs during the month of November. With his ongoing rivalry with Matthew, he has recently beaten Matthew his exam score for Social Studies. Over the last year, Oliver has earned a solid place in the dorm with his constant joy and happiness.

Steven Wilson: After studying the bare minimum for exams, Steve gained wonderful results, including about 50% in the Latin Exam. He has been excluding himself from dorm life, and sits on his bed with a novel from the library.

James Witters: James is slowly training to become human after spending many years being a rat. He has been excelling in Social Studies and knows all of the information that he was taught in class.

Jorge Wright: Jorge has successfully not caused **ANY** road accidents this term. He has recently been accepted back into the dorm after **ACCIDENTALLY** shaving off another person's eyebrow. He is trying his best to be a part of the dorm and wrote a letter of apology which the dorm accepted.

Methasit Yongpongsa: Ming has tied up his year well with his discovery of the game *Terraria*, and you hardly notice he is there when he is in the game. From the start of the year to now, Methasit has been having regular English lessons with Mr Messari and is drastically improving.



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Second Year Dorm Report

Jono Kemp



Charles Benedek-Rooney- CBR: Charles has been extremely involved in the King's rowing program making him generally a beast. As well as achieving satisfying marks in 10A2 CBR has been involved heavily in the upcoming Grahame Bruce relays and other house activities.

Phantorn Chaikwang (Poon, Pawan, Jaisawang, Chaickwhack, Skuxx, Da Poony Poon, Phantom) : Poon throughout this term has been dominating Kemp in every aspect of school life. Almost always beating him in subjects like Business and English. Chaickwhack has had a good tennis and skuxxing year. Also he has ended up dominating in touch or football after school. All and all this has been a gem of a term for Poon.

Kasidit Chongsuttanamanee (Chong, Cha-Hong-Chongsuttanamanee, Mike, Kassy): Kassy can be often found studying very hard for various test and exams. Mike is one of the most hard-working, non-gamer and dedicated fellow pupils of the dorm. He has enjoyed a very challenging but action packed golf season as well as doing nicely in 10A5 for both exam and term orders.

William Cook (Cooook, Cook is a gook, Cookham, Cookie, HOH, FC Barcelona, Gemma Scown, Annie Konnii Baranova): Cook has always constantly triumphed at school much like FC Barcelona, his beloved club football club. As well as studying vigorously for the year 10 exams, Cook has often been snapped attempting to be a sly skuxx by texting his number one girl Annie Baranova. Cook has also been a devoted member of the very successful 5A2 cricket side as well as achieving very good results in the past year 10 exams.

Simon Crotty (SAC, S., RL, Crottaay, Crot, Skuxx, Brooke Norton, Amelia Sheffield, Lauren Hansen, Holly Brogan, Hannah Goodman): Simon has had a modest term. He also has been a big contributor to the dorm which practically has assisted him in being the R.L. of the dorm. Crotty can often be found trying to suss or being already sussed. Simon has done consistently well in 10R seeming to be constantly placed in the higher positions. He also has dominated in tennis playing well in Intermediate 1.



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Ice Damapong (Ice la, Rice, Lice, What What In the But, Kolarov, Taro fish snacks, Damapongyonsa): Ice most of the time can be found jamming his new Beats by Dr Dre as well as fantasizing over his favourite player Alex Kolarov. Ice is also a keen badminton and golf player. Ice and Yang have constantly battled it out for grabbing top spot in 10A5.

James Yang (Yung, Hwang, Pang, Bang, Pile On, La): Jimmy Yang has been battling his way through the academics part of the college. However he has been very successful in getting 3 academic excellence awards. He is a first-class basketball player and is very involved in house activities. Good work. La.

George Hailstone (Hailrock, Hailstoner, Jigge, Prince, Price, Hail, Khafila): George has been a great sportsman this year he participated in Under 17 Basketball and House Basketball Team and made a lot of 3 points as well as mean lay-ups. He recently joined the Junior Baseball Team and batted a lot of (almost) home-runs but lacking in the fielding side. He is in 10A2 and has already worked so hard to achieve almost 1st on term and exam order.

Jonathan Kemp (Camper, Jono, Puerto rico, J-Kemp, Balotelli, Brook Norton): Kemp is known as one of the most skux in the dorm almost catching up to Johann who is currently holding 1st. Kemp is also a very good football player even Balotelli is copying Kemp's style. He played for 14A football, and was also a key player in Junior House Football.

Benjamin Levene (B Lav, Ben, Lavin, Lewen, Aguero, Buck-Laovin, Georgia Brown): Ben is the best football plater in the dorm and because of his professionalism in football. he was made as the Captain of the 3rd placed Junior House Football Team, he plays for 14A football team and he is honing his skills to try to make it into the 1st XI football team next year.

Thomas Mulholland (Mul, A-ya Mul, T-dot, Tom, Emma): Tom is the best basketball player in the dorm because of his height and his flexibility of his hands shooting in 3-points. He played a key position in the Under 17 Basketball team and the House Basketball Team. He currently holds the title of "Long-Board King" and "the Basketball King" in our dorm. During this year, Mul's academic results have gone smoothly for him I think?



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James Shera (Sheep, Shee Shee Mcgey, Shay Shay McgayBayHayLayFlay, Bulkscat, Mehh-mehh, Anita Rhodes): Shera has had a good academic year being first in exam's in his class and that has happened before too. He displayed his talent of dancing and singing during the St Cuth's and King's social. His favorite subject has also his favorite teacher which is Music and Mr Artley. Back in the dorm the most common thing he dose is read and sing.

Johann Steininger (Mega Skux, Joey, Johannus, Unohana, Steinlager, Steiny, Hacker, Juila Walker, Amelia Sheffield, Alisha Kermode, Aimee Jackson, Chelsea Barnett, Chelsea Okabe-Fox): Johann us currently holding the of "Mega Skux and ICT Hacker Wizard in our dorm. Because he is a hacker and he can solve any technology related problems we give him. Unfortunately we will most likely get our technology fixed next year because he is leaving School House and is going back to Major House, and because of that our whole dorm is gutted.

Harry Wong (Wong, "jump up and down in continuos motion", "this guy-what a rich guy", Wong-along, Annabel Marshal): Harry is the smartest guy in the whole year because of his achievement of coming 1st in Term Order in his class. He is a great dorm member and is always nice to people, but because of his bulging muscles people are afraid to go near him. Also just because of his bulging muscles he is in the 6B Rugby Team and has continuously knocked out a lot of people that are faced in front of him as well as in Academics.



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Third Year Dorm Report

John Lowe



This has been an eventful year for the Year Eleven Dorm, which has consisted of both good and bad. Over the past year there have been a few changes to our dorm, two boys have left and another two joined. **Kai Peter** and **George Koreman** commenced King's at the start of this year and have seemed to thoroughly enjoyed it.

All boys who were members of the old 2010 dorm have become accustomed to rooms, as opposed to dorms. All boys were happy to see their dorm days ending yet aware of the burden of becoming more Senior in the house and the added responsibilities that are associated with being elder in a tight knit community. Several boys have even had the opportunity to be on duty and have their go at running the house they have lived in for three years now.

Every boy in the dorm this year has achieved something that is of worthy mention. **Sean Glasgow** swam exceptionally for the house and swims every evening at the Papatoetoe Swimming Club. **James Hay** played squash this year and played for the house guiding School House to the final. **Kurt Barker** participates in the King's Kapa Haka group and did very well at Polyfest. **Herc Noble** played for the First XI Soccer Team this year and started nearly every game this season as left wing, he was also awarded Most Improved Player. **Henry Mannering** contributed a lot in the way of technical expertise to the house, playing a major role in the building of the Red Baron Go-Kart that participated in a Red Bull event. **Hamish Witters** has as always been doing well in baseball and also academics hoping for a good set of IGCSE results. **Matt Wilson** takes his Squash very seriously and is the dorm accounting whizz. **Connor Tottle** has done well in Soccer and is hoping for a good set of results in his exams after studying hard for Chemistry ; **Jozef Wright** helped build sculptures with the help of **Kai Peter** and **Sean Glasgow** for the House Atrium, 'Knowledge', 'Diversity' and 'Discipline'. **Kai Peter** is **praying** for good marks. **George Koreman** has done well for Under 15 Rugby, and was in the School House Tennis Team who made the finals. Ash Wilson stud-



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studied hard for his exams and is a keen soccer player, it must not be forgotten that Ash is also a superb windsurfer and will be practicing these holidays. **John Lowe** has been training for First XV Rugby next year with **Jozef Wright** and is well on his way to achieving his goals, the grapevine tells us he is a 'mean' Geographer. **James Wong** represented the House in Junior Debating and also played an advisory role in Senior Debating, he is hoping for great results after putting effort into studying.

Overall the Year Eleven dorm has worked hard this year and is looking forward to Year Twelve and all the advantages that come with being a Senior Students.



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Fourth Year Dorm Report Alastair Sheard



As the School year slowly draws to a close, with the majority of the dorm having all taken a well earned early holiday break, we reflect on the year that has been; a year that feels like it only began yesterday.

4th year is, notoriously, a year that is more busy than the previous three. With the ever mounting pressure of attaining University Entrances, as well as striving towards House Leadership roles for the coming year, it is a wonder that any of us actually found the time to do anything besides!

Our year began, like usual, with the House events that take place during the early weeks of term one such as Swimming Sports and Athletics. A keen dorm showing saw **Antony Quirk** make the breaststroke A final, with **Harrison Mataele** and **Alastair Sheard** being in B finals. In the athletics, **Chad Crossley** made both the 100 and 200 A finals, placing well in both. **Kahu Ingram**, **Mark Chapman** and **Rafy Shasha** all had strong showings and **Alastair**, **Chad**, **Kahu** and **Harrison** were also members of the Top House Relay team.

As the year progressed, **Rafy Shasha** continued his Grade 4 guitar lessons, and **Antony** was a member of the Jazz Band, Concert Band and the History of Rock Production. **Kahu** and **Harrison** were members of the Kapa Haka group, which placed strongly and went on to perform at the opening of the Rugby World Cup. **Harrison** and **Kahu** were also both involved with the Stage Challenge Group that went on to win their category for Auckland. **Alastair Sheard** continued his Grade 8 Speech and Drama lessons, and looks forward to doing a Professional Certificate next year.

Every member of the dorm took part in a sporting commitment this year, even **Tom Bostock** who despite arriving late from Christ's College tried his hand in Winter Swimming. **Kahu Ingram** was the starting centre for the 1st XV for the latter part of the season, with **Chad Crossley** also getting a few runs on the wing. **Chad** was also selected to play for the Auckland Under 16s Rugby Team. In Cricket, **Mark** has had a strong season, playing for Gillete Cup Winning 1st XI, and **Rafy** represented the school as a member of the 1st XI Football team. He had the opportunity to Captain this team during tournament week. **Hao Chen** had an exciting season with the 1st V Basketball team, alongside **Harrison Mataele**. **Tom Loseby** continued his pursuit of running excellence, placing in the Top Ten of the Senior Cross Country runners. **Harrison** and **Antony** both had strong seasons with the 2nd XV, and **Matthew Gibbs** with the Colts Rugby Team. **Guy Wayne** achieved well playing



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Fourth Year Dorm Report Alastair Sheard

Squash for the School.

The latter part of terms 3 and 4 became focussed on exams, with the entire dorm putting their heads down to work towards good news come January. These terms were also a time to demonstrate leadership, as we take the reigns of the house from the fifth year team. We had a good representation of the dorm getting involved with the leadership camps, learning helpful new things to assist us next year.

All in all, as the year draws to a close; we can safely say that it was a good one. We are all keen for a long and hot summer holiday break before we take control of the house next year.



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Weekend Warriors

Rafy Shasha



For many of us, School House acts as a surrogate home. Although many of our School House brethren are born and bred in Auckland, a handful are out-of-towners and even international students. Our international students come from a variety of countries such as Thailand, Oman, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Singapore and Switzerland. Some of these international students regularly stay in School House over the weekends and to pass the time, the 'Weekend Warriors' are treated like royalty as the house tutors take their time to ensure those staying in make the most of their weekends.

A regular option to pass the time is a trip to Sylvia Park which is close to a 15 minute drive from the College. The Warriors enjoy going to Sylvia Park regularly due to the large variety of things we can do there. The large and extensive Hoyts Cinema complex is perfect for the warriors as a film is handy in passing time especially if we go to Sylvia Park for a long time. Another reason the Weekend Warriors have enjoyed frequent trips to Sylvia Park is so that we can stock up on our weekly snack supplies, usually consisting of many quantities of noodles, crisps and a 12 pack of Coca-Cola. Some weekends, if the weather is looking good, the Weekend Warriors make their way down to Mission Bay. A day at Mission Bay is just right for the Warriors as it is a change from their normal environment. The warriors love being under the sun where they can throw around a rugby ball, take a dip in the beach and top it all off with a little treat from Movenpick.



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Weekend Warriors

Rafy Shasha

However, some weekends are out of the norm. For example, as of late there have been special weekends when the tutors have taken the warriors to Highbrook to contest a Go-Karting championship within the house. After several races, the overall champion of the karting was **Alastair Sheard**. The warriors have also taken a special interest in laser strike. The final weekend of the school year was a special one. The Weekend Warriors, along with Mr Dyer, made their way to Mt Wellington. Here we contested bowling and laser strike with the warriors especially enjoying laser strike. Although there were no overall champions, it is fair to say that all the warriors enjoyed their time at Mt Wellington. Finally, the Weekend Warriors would like to thank Mr Carrington, the house tutors and Matron for taking their time to ensure we enjoyed our weekends.



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Housemaster's Report

As I begin to write for the last Red Baron of 2011 it is hard to believe that another year has come and gone.

The news at the end of term for School House 2012 is that **Mark Chapman** has been appointed **Head of School**.

We in School House are very proud of our Mark and we wish him all the very best and he can expect 100% support from School House. The last School House Head of School was James Glasgow in 1998! It has been far too long.



For 2012 School House leadership appointments are:

Head of House **Rafy Shasha**
Deputies **Sam Levene, Antony Quirk, and Alastair Sheard**
Dorm Prefects **Xavier Field and Matt Gibbs**

From my perspective the House, under the leadership of Sam Gibbs, has run very smoothly, with an atmosphere that has been enjoyable to be part of. I have no doubt that this is largely due to the boys themselves and their willingness to be part of a community.

The Year 11-13s can only await their exam results in January and I wish them well and every success.

We farewell our Year 13s and wish them well as they head off in different directions.

Barnaby Abdale-Weir has a Rugby Development contract with the Auckland Rugby Union and an electrical apprenticeship.

Sam Gibbs Auckland University doing Commerce and Law

Harry Gower Canterbury University for Engineering

Elliot Graham Massey / Victoria University to do Design / Photography

Jack Hailstone Health Sciences at Auckland or Otago

Raymond Khau Auckland BSc / B/Com

Thomas Murray Auckland B.Bus

Chris Pang A GAP year travelling or Accounting and Finance

Marcel Renata Auckland either Architecture or B.Bus.

Sam Tietjen Otago and Engineering Technology

Taylor Zhou Engineering and Industrial Design. Taylor is waiting on interviews for entry to Monash and Uni of NSW.

It will certainly be interesting to catch up with our Leavers in a few years time



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Housemaster's Report

At the end of year Prizegiving a number of School House gained awards.
The following major sports prizes had been presented previously

Marzellus Salaivao	Hannah Louisson Cup for Junior Athletic Champion
Matthew Gibbs	Clay Target Shooting- Most Improved in First Team
Mark Chapman	Papatoetoe Cricket Club Cup for 1st XI Bowling
Herc Noble	de Latour Trophy for Most Improved player in 1 st XI
Barnaby Abdale-Weir	A.J. Hayes Plate
Hao Chen	Villiger Basketball Trophy for Most Outstanding Player

Academic Prizes awarded at Prizegiving

Daniel Easton	School Prize for Spanish Year 9
William Eddowes	School Prize for English Year 10
James Yang	10A5 Form Prize
Harry Gower	David Phillips Prize for Technology
Sam Gibbs	Headmasters Prize for Service
Jack Hailstone	Headmasters Prize for Service

Our years 9 and 10 now have their exam results and I am extremely pleased with their reports.

The following deserve extra recognition for outstanding performances in the end of year exams.

Year 10.

Charles Benedek Rooney despite many demanding early morning Rowing sessions managed 5th in class (10A2) and 4As and 2 Bs. **Pun Chaikwang** (10A3) 4As & 2Bs, **Kasidit Chongsuttanama-nee** (10A5) 3rd place, 1A & 3Bs, **William Cook** (10R) 6As & av 77%, **Simon Crotty** (10R) 4As & 2Bs av75%, **Ice Damapong** (10A5) 2As & 2Bs & 4th=, **William Eddowes** (10R) 4As & 2Bs av 84% & 9th, **George Hailstone** (10A2) 3As & 3Bs 7th=, **Jono Kemp** (10A3) 5Bs, **Ben Levene** (10A2) 2As & 4Bs, **Tom Mulholland** (10A4) 1A & 2Bs, **James Shera** (10A3) 4As & 1B, **James Yang** (10A5) 3As & 3Bs & 1st in class.



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Year 9

Euan Cameron (9A5) 1A & 4Bs, **Daniel Easton** (9R) 6As av 88% , **Matthew Holden** (9A4) 3Bs, **Baden Mannering** (9A3) 2Bs, **Andrew Reeves** (9A2) 5As 1B, **Marzellus Salaivao** (9A4) 1A & 4Bs, **Sebastian Steininger** (9R) 5As 2Bs, av 75%, **Oliver Treacy** (5As & 1B), **Steven Wilson** (9R) 1A 3Bs, **James Witters** (9A2) 3As & 2Bs 8th=, **Jorge Wright** (9A4) 2Bs **Methasit Yongpongsa** (9A5) 1A & 3Bs.

Daniel Easton has been awarded a High Distinction Certificate for Maths and Distinction in English from the University of N.S.W International Competitions and Assessments for Schools in 20011

We farewell brothers; **Johann** (Yr 10 and Sebastian (Yr 9) **Steininger** who have been with us just for the year. Johann will return to Major House as will Sebastian. We wish them all the very best for 2012.

The School House Supper was held on the last night of term Thursday 8th December in the Dining Hall. The three older boarding Houses, School, St. Johns and Parnell all hold their dinners at the same time and it a reflection of the quality of our Catering staff that all three meals were superb. St. Johns and Parnell hold their dinners in their Houses as they have slightly larger common rooms.

House Prizes awarded for 2011

The **Long Drive Trophy** for the longest golf drive. This is competed for on the last day immediately before House Supper and this year was won by **Barnaby Abdale-Weir**.

The **One Tree Hill Cup** donated by previous Housemaster Max Rosser in 1974 for the winner of the run from School House to the top of One Tree Hill. Not so long ago the route was up to each runner, but now we stick to a prescribed route. This year the winner was Thomas Murray for the third consecutive year with a time of 43 minutes.

Bev Hayes Shield awarded by a previous matron Bev Hayes for the winning dorm in the One Tree Hill Run. This won by **the 5th Years** with an av time of 66 minutes and in doing so they have established a new record as the only dorm to win this trophy three times.

The Margaret Kingdom Cup for Services to School House **Raymond Khau**
Margaret was a previous Matron in School House.

Glen Holdaway Cup for Junior Citizenship **Andrew Reeves**

John Beck Cup for Intermediate Citizenship

Sean GlasgowRob Finney Shield for the student whose attitude and behaviour best reflects the values for which the **Chapel** stands, and who has significantly helped to make School House a better place - **Alastair Sheard**



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Housemaster's Report

The Chapman Family Cup is awarded for making a significant contribution to School House Sport - **Thomas Murray**

The School House Academic Cup for the leading Academic student in School House - **Sam Gibbs**

The Leavers Cup for the pursuit of **All Round Excellence** within the House - **Jack Hailstone**

The evening went very well and Mike Stewart's speech address is always a highlight. His 2011 theme was Harry Potter with the Year 13s and staff portrayed as characters from the movie series! Some were more flattering than others!

To conclude, I would like to thank the staff and boys of School House for 2011. It has been an enjoyable and rewarding one. Sam Gibbs and his Prefects team have been very effective and I have valued their input.

I am very grateful to our School House staff team of Gill Reed, Mike Stewart, Dan Dyer, Mark Oliver and Richard Wells for all their support and work that they do on behalf of the boys throughout the year. And of course Rosmary whose infinite patience and support I could not do without.

Merry Christmas



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The 'Wright' Way

Once upon a time, Mr Carrington and James Wright had the idea of decorating the atriums in the house. They decided on making sculptures and choose Jozef Wright, Sean Glasgow and Kai O' Peter to go to Clevedon and make three sculpture that each represented the three aspects of the school; Sports, Academic and Cultural. We met up in Ponsonby during the week for a briefing and from there we figured out what we were going to make. During year 11 activities week we spent three days designing, planning, crafting, cutting and welding corten steel. After many hours of work in the workshop, the three masterpieces were done. Each one consisted of a key word; "Knowledge" for Academic, "Diversity" for Culture and "Discipline" for sport. All three of us greatly enjoyed this experience and were proud to be able to leave a mark on the house.

-By Sean Glasgow, Kai Peter and Jozef Wright



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