



IN BLACK & WHITE

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FROM THE HEADMASTER

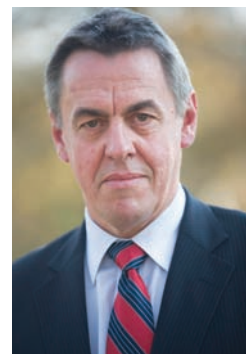
The Chapel was full for Scott MacDonald's funeral, at the end of a sad week for College. The reminiscences about him rang true with us all.

At a time when we are reviewing our appreciation of our **'points of difference'**, it is worth recognising what being a member of our school meant on that sad occasion. Our school Chapel, Chaplain, Music Director, boarding staff, caterers, site administration staff – all part of the response, able to support the family and friends, and of course our own College members. We should not lose sight of the fact that in such critical moments in the human experience, membership of a school community is a precious gift.

I was asked more than once whether all the boys were receiving counselling. The question was asked as if this was a potentially catastrophic life experience, with traumatic consequences needing structured intervention. I told the questioners what our boys did get, and will always get, is care – let's call it love. It comes from many directions – each other, as well as adults. Profound life experiences can be served up with little notice, and the consequences will always be part of those who share them – our young people shouldn't suffer well-meaning attempts to neutralise the impact of testing experience like some form of emotional antibacterial hand-cleanser. Those lucky enough to be in Chapel on Sunday morning would have heard the Chaplain talking about attitudes people have, and he gave the boys many examples of how people try to avoid the reality of their inner selves. Perhaps his thoughts are relevant here – we should look at our inner yearnings, and if one of those is for a life entirely free of emotional turmoil, we should be actively preparing for the opposite. Scott's loss was a shock, and a source of great sadness. Knowing him added a lot to those who did – and that's what we will remember, not the detail of his departing.

Whilst on the related subject of our Chapel, and the solidity it gives us, it is always a slight disappointment to see boys dropped off outside chapel in the morning, and picked up three quarters of an hour later – it would be good to see more parents joining us for the bit in between, in so doing reinforcing the value of commitment in their boys rather than perhaps conveying an inconvenience. I thank those parents who do support us so regularly – we would love to see more.

You might enjoy this small insight. I had a boy to show round the school a short time ago – he was unsure about taking an offered place. We walked into a German play being rehearsed, and one of the class spontaneously turned and introduced himself to the young visitor. A small thing, but perhaps a big one. Who knows? The young man is joining us next year!



You may not know that we pay about \$12 per head of the school each year for **membership of ISNZ**, the Independent Schools of New Zealand. This body consists of 43 independent schools, and it provides a wealth of data, professional development opportunities, and representation on matters of collective interest. Recently, for example, it commissioned NZIER (The New Zealand Institute of Economic Research) to update a report compiled in 2003, entitled Funding Arrangements for Independent Schools in New Zealand. The 2010 report confirms its earlier assessment that the government would save money overall, and improve provision, if the state subsidy to independent schools was increased. It notes:

'Households who effectively "pay twice" for sending their children to independent schools, are unfairly treated relative to households which are similar in other respects except for a choice to send their children to a state school. Horizontal equity requires equal treatment of equals.'

Another discussion involves **state integrated schools, and their funding**. There is confusion about the status of these schools which has occasionally given rise to controversy about 'voluntary contributions' to fund the schools over and above their state funding. In some cases these have resulted in incomes per head similar to fees charged by independent schools, creating a situation where a higher standard of provision than that available to non-integrated state schools comes at a much lower cost than independent fees. These contributions may be justified to support the 'special character' of the school. Because these charges are voluntary, they are also tax deductible. So why don't all independent schools 'integrate'? Most obviously, they may not be allowed

to if there is existing state provision locally or if their 'special character' is in doubt. Less obviously, independent schools cherish their ability to self-determine, to respond freely to the needs of their communities without government constraint. There is some confusion about which schools are in fact 'integrated' and which are independent. I believe we are the only independent boys' 9-13 secondary school in New Zealand.

ISNZ brings to New Zealand visiting scholars, and **arriving soon is Ian Yorston**. We are very pleased to be hosting him during his visit to Christchurch shortly. Information about an opportunity to hear him speak follows. I strongly invite you to join us – there is no charge, and this is a very special opportunity. As our Bursar said to me this morning, 'he is worth going to an overseas conference to hear – truly inspirational'.

Can I ask you once again to help with your son if he suffers 'pronghorn antelope' syndrome. If unsure what this might be, ask your son to 'google' this beautiful creature, and suggest what I might be talking about. If this defeats them, they can ask me.

Simon Leese

FROM THE CHAPLAIN



Mr Greg Jackson, Mr Nick Clarke, Head Boy Tim Murgatroyd and Rev. Bosco Peters

Congratulations to Harry Tothill who has been appointed to represent Christ's College with the Chaplain at the Diocesan Synod. This year, Taidhg Fraser will continue to have speaking and voting rights. Harry will have speaking rights and next year receive voting rights.

Sadly, on Monday August 2nd, tutor Mr Scott MacDonald (aged 32) died from a heart attack. He had been with the school for nine years in Jacobs, Flower's, and Richards. This was announced in Chapel followed by silence and prayer, a book was placed in Chapel for students and staff to write messages, and a funeral was held in Chapel on the Saturday. Once again it was notable how such a great sadness can be lived through in a Christian school with the chapel at its heart.

Monday August 9th we had Mr Nick Clarke and Mr Greg Jackson, from Christian World Service, speak to Chapel about Haiti after receiving a cheque for \$8,893 from this year's Lent Appeal. The same amount will soon be handed over to the Canterbury Charity Hospital. This amount may be a record for the Lent Appeal. Congratulations to all involved in such a splendid collection towards such a tragic situation. Currently we are collecting for Pakistan.

The hymnbook new to the school since 2009 has ten excellent hymns in it by local hymn-writer Ms Marnie Barrell. Sunday evening August 15th we were privileged to have her preach in Chapel as we sang two of her hymns at the service.

Yours in Christ, Bosco Peters

CALENDAR EVENTS

Week 5

- M 16 Interhouse senior rugby prelims, CCCG, 4.00pm
Interhouse junior football final, CCCG, 4.00pm
- W 18 Senior trial examination week begins, Cranmer Centre
CSS Litolf Cup cycling time trial, Prebbleton, 3.00pm
- Th 19 CSS senior inter-school debating competition, 5.00-8.30pm
- F 20 CSS basketball ends
- Sa 21 Weekend boarding programme available for all boarders
SISS MotoCross individual championships, Tapanui
- Sun 22 21st Ordinary Sunday
NZSS duathlon championships
Boarders' ski bus to Mt Hutt, 6.30am
Junior 'The Press' debating tournament, 8.00am-9.00am
Choral Eucharist
Preacher: The Chaplain, 7.00pm

Week 6

- M 23 Interhouse junior rugby semi-finals, CCCG, 4.00pm
- Tu 24 Senior trial examination week ends
- W 25 CSS Winter sport ends, 3.00pm
Interhouse senior rugby first round, CCCG
- Th 26 Year 12 Leadership Day, Burnham Camp, 8.35-4.30pm
Interhouse junior debating semi-finals, 12.45pm
Interhouse junior basketball final, Gym, 12.45pm
Interhouse table tennis, Cranmer Gym, 3.45pm
CSS interschool junior debating competition, 5.00-8.30pm
- F 27 Victoria University Open Day, Wellington
Year 12 General Studies, OBT, 1.15pm
Interhouse junior rugby final, Upper, 4.00pm
Music recital evening, Music School, 7.30pm
- Sa 28 CSS one-day horse trial, Macleans Island
SISS cycling two-day tour begins, Blenheim
- Su 29 22nd Ordinary Sunday
Boarders' ski bus to Mt Hutt, 6.30am
Holy Eucharist, 9.00am

CAREERS

University Colleges/Halls Applications

By now boys should be applying either online or in paper form. The confidential part of the form is to be completed and handed in to Mr Sellars who will forward to the Housemasters. Note: Victoria University require a payment of \$75 with the application. The application will not be processed until payment has been received in Wellington.

Applications to all universities are due in by October 1. However, I recommend that this is done well before this date eg September 15. If in doubt about which University to attend, put in an application to the Hall now and turn it down in October if plans change. These applications are nothing to do with Course enrolment.

Course Planning

Course planning is to do with the degree being chosen, eg BSc, BCom, BA, LLB and the courses (subjects), usually seven or eight, that the boys will be taking next year. The Universities revisit Christ's College at the end of this term to help with this and check selections.

Course Enrolment

Boys will be issued with an enrolment pack and submit the subjects they intend to study for in 2011. Normally due by early December.

StudyLink

StudyLink talked to Year 13 on Friday 7 August and explained the difference between Student Allowances and Student Loans. It was recommended that they process this early as it does take time for the money to become available. An information booklet was given. www.studylink.govt.nz

Victoria University First-Year Scholarships

Any boy who has NCEA Level 2 endorsed with Excellence can apply for the Victoria Excellence Scholarship. They can be awarded now and the value for 2011 is \$5000. These students are guaranteed accommodation.

Otago University

New Scholarship: University of Otago Performance Scholarship - available to academically able students who have demonstrated high level ability in either sport, culture, music or the arts. New Major: Forensic Analytical Science is the new major in the Bachelor of Applied Science degree.

TERM 3	Important Dates:
	20 August: Confidential Halls form to Mr Sellars
	27 August: study@vic day - Victoria University, Wellington
	30 August: Massey University, High Achiever Scholarship applications due (academic, sports, arts).
	1 September: Closing date for Performance Music auditions (Otago), Visit to Lincoln University 3.00pm
	6 September: Course planning - Otago University, 3.45pm
	7 September: Course planning - Otago University, (Health Sciences) 4.00pm
	9 September: Course planning - Victoria University, 12.30-1.45pm
	10 September: University of Auckland Scholarships, application closing date
	14 September: IPENZ(Engineers NZ) presentation, Burnside High School, Glenn Martin - inventor of the Martin Jet Pack, 7.30pm
	15 September: University of Canterbury, Performance Music applications due. University Colleges/ Halls applications due
	16 September: Diary NZ, seminar for science students (Year 12) unaware of landbased (agricultural) career opportunities
TERM 4	Future Dates:
	19 October: University of Auckland Liaison visit. 1.00 - 1.45pm
	21 October: Course planning - University of Canterbury, 3.40pm

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION AGM

We were welcomed to the Christ's College Parents' Association Annual General Meeting on the 29th of July by the Headmaster, Simon Leese. Following General Business, our outgoing President Nadine Conway and Vice President Liz Gould were presented with bouquets. We wish to farewell Nadine and Liz and thank them both for their tremendous work. Nadine has been a very focused and splendid President who has put every effort into making the Association what it is today; a very friendly, welcoming face of the College Community.

The new office bearers are Nicci Wyllie as President, Ceridwyn Fowler as Vice President, Donna Procter as Secretary and Margie Fairgray as Treasurer. I am very fortunate to be surrounded by such vibrant committed office bearers and committee and I look forward to working alongside you all. Our next meeting will be held on Monday 6th September 7.30pm at Ceridwyn Fowler's house. Everyone is welcome and we look forward to seeing you all.

Nicci Wyllie, Parents' Association President



Ceridwyn Fowler, Donna Procter and Nicci Wyllie

TERM 3 ESTIMATES

Year 9 and 10 estimates will be sent by post to parents this week. The information contained in them has been expanded, and an explanatory note will accompany them. The estimates grades of senior students will be directed to Housemasters on this occasion to review, identifying strengths and weaknesses. Senior boys will be issued paper copies to bring home. Current trial examination results will complete the up to date picture. As always, Housemasters will be in touch regarding concerns and you are invited to make contact should you have any questions.

CAN THEATRE BE A SPORT?

Theatresports is a fantastic way in which to explore acting techniques, boost self-confidence, unleash creativity and have a lot of fun. Theatresports is improvised theatre, using the format of a sports/drama competition. Opposing teams spontaneously create scenes based on games (with strict rules) and audience suggestions, and are rated by a panel of judges who are all improvisers themselves.

At College we have a very large group of boys from all year groups who meet on Saturday mornings to learn and practise the games and to hone their improvisational skills. From these groups a junior and a senior team are chosen to represent the school in the Secondary Schools' competition run by the Court Theatre.

Last Sunday evening Will Anderson, David Bellamy, Bertie Brandt, Jordan Faulkner, Doug Robertson and Oliver Robertson competed in the first round of the senior competition.

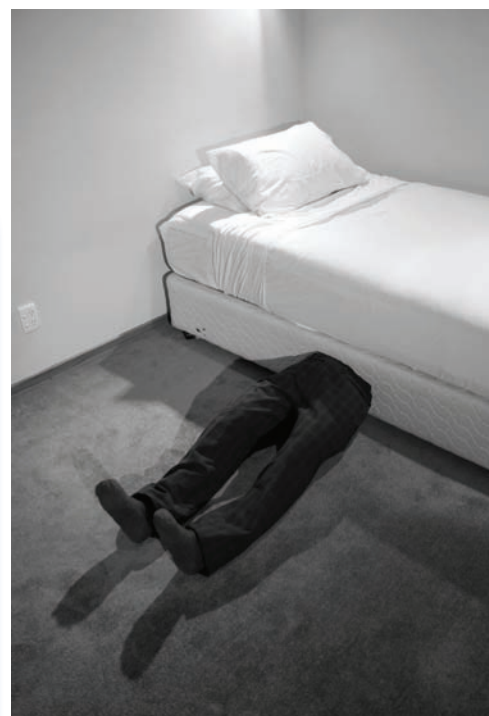
Drawing Yes And Experts in the Blind Round they create a solid start to their performance which they built on with Typewriter in the Choice Round. The team's open scene in the theme round was a superb Who Dunit? which scored the top marks of the evening. The team tied with Christchurch Boys' High School for second position. St Andrew's College, CBHS and College will go forward to the semi finals. This date will be posted shortly.

Robyn Peers, MIC Theatresports

Y13 SCULPTURE



Peter Ravn, Jacobs



Campbell Taylor, Somes House



Campbell Taylor, Somes House

Speaking of the future ...

'Why phones are more important than classrooms'

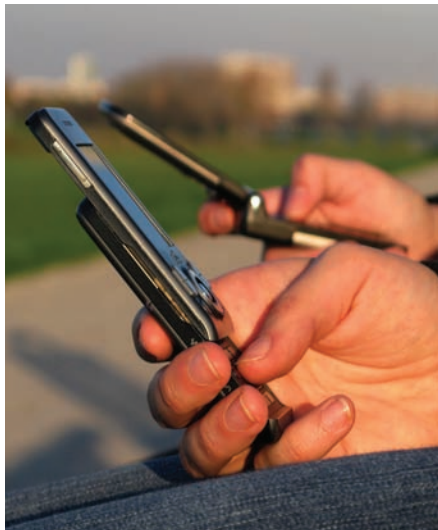
Ian Yorston,
Head of Digital Strategy,
Radley College, UK



Following the ISNZ Annual Conference in Queenstown, Mr Ian Yorston, ISNZ Visiting Scholar 2010, will be presenting at the Christ's College Assembly Hall. All Welcome.

Monday 30th August 5pm – 6pm. RSVP headmaster@christscollege.com

"I spend quite a bit of time visiting schools and conferences to lecture on change and on the future of education. Change management isn't easy.



Douglas Adams came up with a set of rules that describe our reactions to change: Anything that is in the world when you're born is normal and ordinary and is just part of the way the world works. Anything that's invented between when you're 15 and 35 is new and exciting and revolutionary and you can probably get a career in it.

The trouble is that just about everybody who has any influence over education is over the age of 35 ... I spend most of my time attempting to address this problem ..."

LIBRARY

The Library has implemented a web-based version of the Accelerated Reader programme this term for Year 9 students. The boys are encouraged to read books from the College Library and then complete a multi-choice online quiz on their book. The system is designed to be fun and rewarding for the reader. The boys are given an immediate result and earn points based on the reading level of the book and their accuracy in answering the questions.

Before commencing the Accelerated Reader programme all boys completed a STAR reading test that has generated a report for each English teacher showing the reading age and national curriculum level in reading for each boy. The system will measure growth in reading skill over the year and helps the teachers and library staff to recommend books that are appropriate for the individual student.



The system is available in the Library and on all other College computers. Boys are encouraged to complete the quizzes in their own time. To date five classes have joined the system with one more class booked to come aboard this week. We congratulate the following five boys for being the top point scorer in their English class as at 16 August: Angus McKenzie, Boris Marinov, George Bradley, Jun Lee and Matthew Cousins. The AR programme is just one of a number of tools that we use at College to encourage reading. The boys like the competitive aspect and agree that the programme makes reading fun.

PJ Ashbey, Teacher Librarian

ON A HIGH NOTE

On a High Note, the annual charity concert of the Christ's College choristers, attracted a capacity audience on Saturday night. Those present enjoyed a full and varied programme from the Christ's College Chapel Choir, Schola Cantorum, and the College Big Band as well as soloists drawn from these groups.

The Cathedral Grammar Boys' Choir, the Medbury Preparatory School Boys' Choir, and the St Margaret's College Chamber Choir, along with guest artists, Kilmarnock Edition, also performed for an appreciative audience.

In the past this concert has supported Ronald MacDonald South Island House, and the Anglican City Mission. This year, in line with the Christ's College Lenten appeal, the choristers selected the Canterbury Charity Hospital as their benefactor. It is anticipated that the evening raised around \$7 500.

Responses at the end of the night included comments such as 'The event was a wonderful evening. There were so many talented young people working together and presenting such high quality music'.



FLYING HIGH

Christ's College has launched a CD recording of the Chapel Choir and the Schola Cantorum.

Recorded in our own College Assembly Hall, the Christchurch Anglican Cathedral and using the fabulous acoustics of the St John of God Chapel in Halswell, this project has been underway for the past two years. The 16 tracks feature the diverse repertoire of the choirs and has already received praise for its clarity and the cross section of works included. The CD is available from the College office at the cost of \$20. An order form has been included at the end of this newsletter.



BOARDING FORUM

Christ's College was host to the first Independent Schools' Boarding Forum earlier this month. Thirteen Independent Schools from around the country were represented by 25 delegates.

Following a welcome from Headmaster Mr Leese, the forum opened with a keynote address from Senior Sergeant John Robinson, District Co-ordinator of Youth Services, NZ Police.

The focus for the day was 'Independent Schools Sharing Best Practice'. Several delegates presented on their experiences around innovations, initiatives or issues within a boarding school. Presentations included best practice such as College's own Boarding Programme, communicating positive House news, and keeping parents of boarders 'in the NCEA loop', as well as managing ICT policies.

Following tours of Jacobs and Flower's House, smaller groups were formed for roundtable discussions on managing 'leave' from houses, evening programmes and activities, use of ICT within the houses and maintaining academic motivation. Jacob's Housemaster, Darrell Thatcher enjoyed the time spent with colleagues from other boarding schools, "Like any conference situation, it was a chance to reflect on my current practice and discuss issues with 'like minded' people."

Senior Master, Neil Porter said that feedback at the end of the day was very positive. "They greatly appreciated the opportunity to discuss common issues and learn from each other's experiences." It is hoped that the forum will become an annual event on the Independent Schools of New Zealand calendar.



Dave Scott, Christ's College discusses the Boarding Programme.



Bev McMaster, Southwell School, discusses Boarding in a Co-ed Primary Environment.

TERM 3 SENIOR EXAMINATIONS

All senior boys and parents will be aware of the examinations that begin tomorrow (Wednesday, 18 August). The importance of these examinations cannot be underestimated. For the Year 11 students it provides the new experience of preparing for and completing multiple examinations over a short period of time, while for the older boys it provides the opportunity to practise techniques such as timing for specific papers, work under intense pressure and recognise the strengths and weaknesses in their learning and revision.

Parents can support their sons by ensuring revision programmes are being maintained, small revision breaks are being taken by their sons, lots of water is being drunk and the boys are in bed 'early' for a solid night's sleep. This will ensure the boys are alert and ready to give their best for the examinations. The results will provide strong indications to the boys as to their current levels of performance.

Boys need to be reminded that phones and similar electronic devices are collected at the door of examination rooms, and any items required during the examination are to be placed in a clear plastic bag. Any absence from school needs to be communicated in the usual manner.

Best wishes to all the boys. Included in this newsletter is the examination timetable. It would be appreciated if this could be published in a prominent place at home.

WC Lidstone
(Acting Senior Master, Curriculum)



SUCCESS AT SOUTHERN JAM YOUTH JAZZ FESTIVAL

The Christ's College Big Band performed as part of the Southern Jam Youth Jazz Festival in Blenheim and Picton over the weekend. Claire Oliver expertly led the boys in a programme of charts, ranging from swing to funk to latin. This was the third year Christ's College had accepted the invitation to participate.

The band were fortunate to have a masterclass with Rodger Fox, iconic jazz legend and trombone player, assisted by members of the New Zealand School of Music. The 20 minute programme gave solo opportunities for some of our top players. Thomas Frost and Michael Donaldson on saxes, David 'Bacon' Bellamy on trumpet, Isaac McCluskey who reached the highs and lows of the bass trombone in front of one of the best jazz trombone players in the country, and Nick Dow whose smooth keyboard playing visibly 'wowed' many in the audience.



At the conclusion of the competition the Big Band was awarded the **Port Marlborough Trophy for the Best Band** and the **Gold Award**. Nick Dow won **The Gibson Crosse Award for the Most Outstanding Keyboard Player**. Written feedback from the adjudicators included comments like 'Well rehearsed and well played. All sounded very strong', 'Good to hear most of the solos were improvised and not reading the written solo' and 'Yea!'

Both Nick Dow and Isaac McCluskey were included in the All Star Band, selected from the best musicians from the fifteen schools at the festival.

Nick Coxon, Teacher in Charge of Instrumental Music is particularly complimentary of Claire Oliver. "She has excellent vision, drive and commitment to the band and deserves special thanks for steering the boys to this outstanding achievement."

BIG BAND MEMBERS: Thomas Frost (alto saxophone), Sirac Adams (alto saxophone), Michael Donaldson (tenor saxophone), Thomas Stevenson (tenor saxophone), Max McGillivray (baritone saxophone), David Bellamy (trumpet), Ramses Hunt (trumpet), Quinn Angus (trumpet), Nick Edmondson (trumpet), Isaac McCluskey (bass trombone), Nick Dow (keyboard), Matthew Harris (bass), Ross Shillito (drums)

ASSEMBLY NOTES

Each Tuesday morning the Assembly Notes are posted at www.christscollege.com

Tuesday 17 August 2010

MUSIC: Spanish Swat by Jelly Roll Morton. Played by Vasilije Rakovic on the piano

PRAYER: Chaplain

CONGRATULATIONS to the Choir and Scholar Cantorum for the Charity Concert on Saturday evening

NOTICES:

From Mr Sellars

All confidential forms for hall residency at all universities are required to be with me by the end of this week.

Year 13 boys attending the Study@Victoria University Day on Friday 27 August please meet Mr Sellars in the Careers room immediately after this assembly.

TENNIS

With the new tennis season starting soon, this is a reminder to parents that if your son plays tennis at school, then he is automatically a member of Hagley Tennis Club. This means that he can play for Hagley in the club competitions and you do not have to pay any further membership for him.

All boys wishing to play for Hagley this season should contact Mark Belcher at the club - Mark has told me that he would be delighted for boys to get a team together and let him know in good time so that they can be entered into the summer competition.

Andrew Moore, MIC Tennis

ASSEMBLY NOTES cont.

From Mr Coxon

Full orchestra rehearsals resume this week on Friday in the Assembly Hall. All players must attend rehearsals from now on, in preparation for the orchestra festival.

From Mrs Anderson-McKenna

All boys using a reader/writer or extra time must meet Mrs Anderson-McKenna in the foyer straight after assembly. She has information for you regarding the exams and she also needs you to sign off your NZQA application for assistance. This is the final opportunity to do this.

From Mr O'Connor

There is a meeting for all Year 11 & 12 rowers immediately following assembly in the foyer. All must attend.

From Mr Sutton

All Years 9 to 12 boys are reminded that their subject option choices need to be completed online by the end of today

ACTIVITY REPORT: Uddaka Weijesinghe

Cycling

Following a fourth place in the Team Pursuit, **Will Bowman**, finished 13th in the Individual 1km Time Trial at the Junior World Cycling Championships. He was the top ranked New Zealander. This is an outstanding achievement.

Fencing

Julius Herzhoff was 2nd in the Foil and 7th in the Epee at the South Island Open Fencing Championships in Dunedin over the weekend.

Hockey

The 1st XI Hockey team beat fellow Rankin Cup competitors St Andrews College 3 - 2 in an exciting match. Goal scorers were: **Luke Cracroft-Wilson**, **Innes Redwood** and **Oliver Dunn**.

In the Youth competition.....

The 3rd XI played St Andrews College 3rd XI and won 2-1 in a very close game. MVP was **Toby Cooper**. The Youth Black team had a 0-0 draw against competition leaders Malvern while the Colts and Youth White team had close losses.

Football

The 1st XI played Shirley Boys' High and won 2-0. **Campbell Taylor** scoring twice. This is the first time since 2002 that the College 1st XI has beaten Shirley.

The 2nd XI Black played Ferrymead Bays and won 3-2 with **Rory Callaway** scoring a hat-trick.

The 2nd XI Whites played Avon and lost a close match 2-1.

The 3rd XI played St Andrews and drew 1-1.

The U15As played Cashmere and drew 5-5.

Rugby

The 2nd XV won their first point of the season with a 10-all draw with Sydenham.

Two College sides have made it to their respective grade finals. The U16 Bs beat Burnside 50-29 and the U15As beat Burnside 26-10. **Damian McKenzie** had a very good game for the 15As.

Basketball

The Senior A basketball team played their best game of the season to defeat Mairehau by 89-48. This reverses two previous losses from earlier in the year. All players contributed well, with **Campbell Stark** splashing 3 three pointers in quick succession. **Will Utley** top scored with 21 points, and **Henry Mann** scored 16. The team plays off for 5/6 in the Under 20 grade on Saturday, before competing in the South Island Tournament in Week 7

Debating

The Intermediate debating teams both recorded wins, with College 1 against St Bedes and College 2 against Marian College.

Both teams will take part in the Canterbury Press tournament this weekend.

Alex Kendall travelled to Wellington for the Russell McVeagh national debating tournament last week. His team won several of their debates and ended ranking fifth in the tournament.

Model United Nations

Several boys attended Historical MUN on Friday. **Stephen Cornes** was awarded best delegate for the first resolution, and **Sam Hider** was best delegate for the second resolution. **Felix van Bohemen Hunter** and **Harry Tothill** were both highly commended.

Badminton

The A1s had a 9-0 win over Shirley.

Squash

The B1s beat Papanui 8-2 and the B4s beat Rangiora 8-2

REMINDER about senior trial examination week which starts on Wednesday

PRESENTATIONS TO:

Football certificate - Rory Callaway

For scoring a hat-trick for the 2nd XI against Ferrymead Bays on Saturday

Colours certificate – Fencing

Julius Herzoff. This year Julius has won 5 gold medals and collected a number of other place awards both within New Zealand and overseas. He is a national title holder in his chosen sport. Julius is still in year 11 and is performing at a very high level

Honours Certificates and Ties

Model United Nations

Harry Tothill (+ tie). Harry has been very active in MUN at College throughout his high school career, participating at provincial and national level. This year he has been instrumental in preparing younger students for MUN assemblies, as well as participating in the Canterbury assemblies and the National conference in Wellington. Harry has been selected to represent New Zealand at The Hague International Model United Nations next year

ASSEMBLY NOTES cont.

Chess

Tom Brady (+ tie) and **Boyd Siripornpitak** (+ tie)

Tom Brady and Boyd Siripornpitak have both been involved in the chess competition for the last three years and have been major factors in securing wins at both the provincial and National level for Christ's College. Boyd also has a national ranking, which makes him very competitive at this level. Boyd has played on the number one board for those three years with Tom on the second board. Tom has also captained the team very capably, including building a strong group of B team players. Both boys have secured wins consistently against their opponents.

Choral Music

Elliott Botting (+ tie), **Alex Donaldson**, **Jordan Faulkner** (+ tie), **Taidhg Fraser** (+ tie), **Edward Henley** (+ tie), **Jack Marshall** (+ tie), **Ryan O'Connor** (+ tie), **Nick Palmer** (+ tie), **Vasilije Rakovic** (+ tie), **James Stewart** (+ tie)

The recipients of this year's Choir Honours ties are highly skilled choristers who have continued to develop their choral skills over their time at college. They have made a significant and outstanding contribution to the development of the Chapel Choir and in most cases to Schola Cantorum as well.

PRESENTATION BY: David Bellamy – on his recent trip to Japan for the Chemistry Olympiad.

NCEA LEVELS 1, 2 & 3 EXAMINATIONS

18-24 August 2010

		NCEA Level 1	NCEA Level 2	NCEA Level 3
We 18 Aug	Time			
	8.30 - 10.30	Japanese	English	German/French
		Drama (Art Hist Rm)		Music (Music Rm)
	11.00 - 1.00	Accounting	French/Science	Chemistry
				Media Studies (Cranmer 112)
Thur 19 Aug	Time			
	8.30 - 10.30	English	Drama (Cranmer 112)	Accounting
				Drama (Art Hist Rm)
	11.00 - 1.00	Geography	Chemistry	Biology
	2.00 - 4.00	German (Cranmer 112)	Maths 201	Economics
Fri 20 Aug	Time			
	8.30 - 10.30	Music (Music Rm)	History	English
	11.00 - 1.00	Math 101	Art Hist/Geography	Classics/Japanese
		Math 102 (M1)	Media St (Art Hist Rm)	Graphics (Graphics Rm)
	2.00 - 4.00	History	Economics	Physics
Mon 23 Aug	Time			
	8.30 - 10.30	Biology	Classics	Calculus 301
			Art (Art Room)	
	11.00 - 1.00	Physics	Biology/German	Photography (Photog Rm)
	2.00 - 4.00	French	Maths AS (302)	Statistics 302/Art Hist
		Graphics (Graphics Rm)		Music (MR)
Tue 24 Aug	Time			
	8.30 - 10.30	Chemistry/Science	Accounting/Japanese	Geog
	11.00 - 1.00	Economics	Physics	History
	2.00 - 4.00	Art (Art Rm)	3.00pm Graphics (Graphics)	Sculpture (Sculpture Rm)



MUSIC FROM THE CHAPEL CHOIR AND
SCHOLA CANTORUM OF CHRIST'S COLLEGE

Any other enquiries please phone Mr Robert Aburn, Director of Music – phone 03 364 6889