



From the Principal High Talent

It was great that the Year 10 PDC debating team captured the Teasdale Trophy by persuading the adjudicators that weight loss programs should not be banned from television. Akeed Ahamed Ramzi, Hugh Bartley, Louis Saunders and David Wu were convincing winners over Killara High School. Congratulations to our 15s basketball team who finished third behind Westfields Sports High in the CHS NSW basketball Knockout Competition : Nirvand Chan, Ben Coan, Oscar Dumas, Archibald Fox, Daniel Hamilton, Joshua Hua, Sam Merrick, Carter Opperman, Kobe Shannon and Norton Wu.

Orientation Day 2015

Thank you to our staff, students and parents who worked so well together to make the orientation / enrolment process as smooth and efficient as possible. The enrolment processes were completed in good time thanks to the SAS staff. They had to process c. 213 new students. The Great Hall was full for the assembly 4:00-4:45. Many new students and their parents were shown around the school by Prefects. These boys also did a wonderful job assisting the SAS staff in the Common Room as they processed applications. Volunteers who attended the various activity stalls did a great job too, as did the parents who gave up their time. Thank you also to the P & C organised by Dora Shapiro for providing refreshments. Mr Aldous organised the day very efficiently again. Thank you to everyone involved.

Year 11 Reports

Too many students have not yet discussed their progress with me. Clearance Forms have been issued to all boys and they should be meeting their commitments. The boys are deciding on their courses for the HSC and it is imperative that I speak to them all before Tuesday, 17 November. Please ask your son for his report and his plans for courses for 2016. Boys need to start focussing on the important months of HSC learning ahead! As from 19 November, strong negative consequences will have to be applied to force boys to comply with school policy.

Student Award Scheme

Last points for the Student Award Scheme can be earned up to the end of this month. If you check your participation file and detect that something is missing, it is up to you to notify the MIC in charge of the activity to have the text file of successful participants compiled and sent to Mr Dowdell. Awards have to be determined and medallions/plaques ordered before the end of the school year so that they will be ready in time for our awards assemblies early next year.

Music Awards Assembly

Paul Pang flew over from Auckland especially for this assembly to honour his old school and reprise the performance that had such an impression on us in 2006. He played the piece at the Opera House in 2007 and the composer lauded it as the best interpretation of his music that he had ever heard. Paul spoke about 'creative persuasion' as a life skill he learned from studying music. He believes that engaging with your audience is the key to effective communication and from there to persuasion of an argument, proposition or point of view. Just as he manipulated the notes in the score to surprise and delight the audience through his piano, he used his expressions and allusions to surprise and engage his clients in architecture and more recently, judges in Auckland where he works as a litigation lawyer. His discursive speech engaged the audience and left them with a strong impression of the value of studying music. My speech to the assembly is reprinted below:

Special guest Paul Pang (SHS2006), members of the Music Committee, staff and students, welcome to our 10th annual Music Awards Assembly. This morning's assembly is an occasion to recognise and acknowledge the accomplishments of our performance music program participants. It was in Mr Pang's graduating year when we first held a special assembly to honour the accomplishments of our performance music students. Back then, our acceleration program was only just producing more senior students who not only studied Music 2 and extension at the HSC in greater numbers, but

also continued on playing in school ensembles even in their final year. Their participation as performers and role models has had a lasting influence on the quality and depth of the performance music program at High. I remember distinctly the passion with which Paul infused his piano playing at assemblies and how it engaged the audience in a shared appreciation of the joy of music.

Musical performances are integral to many assemblies, formal occasions and special events that define and build school culture. Musical performance is vertically integrated and access to ensembles is based on merit. It is a uniting activity and it provides opportunities for students to perform for an audience, which is one important reason why people learn to play instruments. The prospect of instant feedback in response to something we do is always motivating for performers.

Musical performance showcases the talents of our students to the wider community. Our Marching Band has built up a strong reputation at Anzac Day marches. Our periodic tours are legendary. Performance music is a major co-curricular activity at High. Your programs indicate the depth and breadth of musical performance opportunities at High.

Neuroscience is discovering many beneficial effects from music programs. Children with a year of music classes had higher empathy scores and decoded emotional information better than the control group without any music teaching. Musicians can detect sadness and fear better than non-musicians when listening to utterances in a language unknown to them. Singing communally releases dopamine, cortisol and oxytocin – the ‘feel good’ chemicals in the brain. Even when faced with surgery, those who listened to music were less stressed than those given a stress depressant drug. So, performing or listening to music has mental health benefits for students.

Our programs cannot function without the strenuous involvement of our staff. I want to thank the Music teachers, Ms Miller, Ms Lim and Ms Kim, as well as our professional tutors, for the time they have devoted to training ensembles for performance. Thank you to Ms Graul for her regular administrative support and to the resurrected music committee. I hope we can restore direction in our use of parking proceeds to provide big instruments, sheet music and support for public performances for our students.

High has produced many good musicians and the purpose of the assembly is about honouring those current students who are upholding that fine tradition. I congratulate those boys being acknowledged today and

urge them to continue their efforts in musical training and performance.

Dr K A Jaggar
Principal



Computing Skills Challenge Flying Robotic Satellites in Space for NASA!

A group of Sydney Boys High students are trying to save the earth from the path of a comet by programming robots - as part of a fictional competition. Our team are one of only two teams in Australia to make it through to the final rounds. 180+ teams from around the world including teams from the USA, Mexico, Russia, Europe and Australia have competed in the early rounds. Students from team *High Score* include Simon Shields, James Ye, Julian Yu, Dallas Yan, Ram Kaniyur, Tom Nguyen and Dibyendu Roy. They will head to the finals of the computer coding competition.



Zero Robotics, created by MIT and the University of Sydney's former NASA astronaut, Dr Greg Chamitoff, is a robotics programming competition, where the robots are SPHERES (Synchronised Position Hold Engage and Reorient Experimental Satellites) that are aboard the International Space Station. Through a series of competitions starting virtually online and then aboard the ISS, students exercise their creative problem-solving skills and take on real world design problems.

The participants compete to win a technically challenging game by programming their strategies into the SPHERES satellites. The game is motivated by a

current problem of interest to DARPA, NASA and MIT. Student software controls satellite speed, rotation, direction of travel, etc. Depending on the game premise, students must program their satellites to complete game objectives (navigate obstacles, pick up virtual objects, etc.), while conserving resources (fuel, charge, etc.), and staying within specified time and code-size limits.

After the virtual competition phases in a simulation environment that mimics the real SPHERES, finalists are selected to compete in a live broadcast competition aboard the ISS – conducted by an astronaut in microgravity.

Students program actual robotic satellites on the international space station. Students watch live as astronauts on board the space station judge their work. This year's challenge is inspired by the threat of comets headed for earth and posing danger to humanity. Students programmed their satellites to alter a fictional comet's earthbound path.

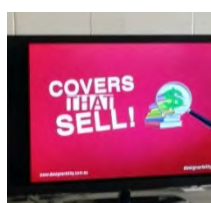
Not only do they improve their coding skills, but they learn problem solving skills and how to approach problems in different ways.

The competition is finalised in early-January at MIT, where the American competition takes place. We wish our boys good luck in the final rounds!

Industrial Arts Department

From The Junior Library

Celebrating Our Incredible Co-operative Library Monitors of 2015



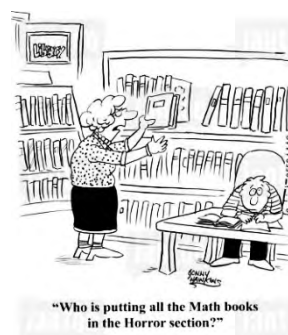
The reasons for this celebration are twofold. Firstly, this year our Library Monitors took on a very time consuming task and they are at a significant milestone – they have added cover images to Oliver for every fiction book in our library. Secondly, it is the end of the year and we want to thank this core team and all our other monitors as well. They have been working in teams before school, at lunch and recess. They have worked on this project since we adopted the Oliver Library System at the end of term 1 and it has taken them until now to work through every shelf to the end of Fiction. I am sure everyone understands that seeing a lovely cover image when you search for a book really inspires readers. Our online world of libraries now demands higher technology standards of our staff. The student volunteer team included Darren Huang who has donated at least one hour a day's voluntary work in our

library since he was in Year 7, he is now in Year 10, Dinan Pimage Year 8, Vinushasn Kuganathan Year 8, Nathan Wong Year 10, Lashan De Silva Year 11 and Albert Yang Year 11, Krishan Thevarajah Year 7. Thomas Smallbone Year 7 also has been an outstanding and constant help. The work these boys have done and still do benefits our students. Our library is in awe of these boys' efforts.

The Importance of Images for Online and Paper Based Book Readers

At High, our library monitors play a significant role in the rendering of images for our online and paper based books.

Research into reading several years ago pointed out to children's librarians that books turned so the covers faced the searcher were borrowed much more often than books turned spine out. As our two libraries do not have shelf space to do this for our books we have adapted the idea by asking our library monitors to display our new book



covers on the library corridor windows. Our staff and monitors also are involved in putting every single book and cover into *LibraryThing*. This useful site allows us to make displays which we use to email all new books to our students each month. So please check your emails boys. When we went into eBooks for the first time at the beginning of second term our two libraries used our student monitors to create corridor and library long displays of the new eBooks so that students would really know about the existence of this wonderful 24/7 literacy opportunity our two libraries are now providing. As we finish processing new books our libraries email the covers to relevant staff rooms to let them know that faculty books are going into our Library collection. Again an image is a great message!

The Front Page of Oliver

Our monitor's familiarity with technology is responsible for library displays. Oliver has great advertising potential for our students. The front page tells them about their overdue; it displays new books; and is essential for logging in to obtain any eBook. It also advertises all upcoming events around the school, one being the Film Festival which showcases Year 9 films and is scheduled for showing Wednesday lunchtime in the Junior Library. Thanks to the assistance and work of our Library monitors especially Krishen Thevarajah Year 7 and Marco Yu Year 11 who had this up and running as soon as we went live with Oliver. A double click on the new

book spinning display will show every new book our libraries have processed this year.

Book Donations

Thanks to Ryan Jessop who very thoughtfully donated study guides a week or so ago. Please think of our libraries if you are house clearing. Books five years old and younger are preferable.



Orientation & Enrolment Day

Many thanks to the students who participated in Orientation & Enrolment Day and helped our 2016 students and families feel welcome. The activities and displays were fantastic and it was great to see many junior & senior students become involved. The school tours were popular again this year and our tour guides did a wonderful job.

I would especially like to thank the Prefects who assisted our Administrative Staff in the main office and around the common room area. Your help was invaluable and allowed us to move through the enrolment process as quickly as possible. Thank you for doing such a fantastic job. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Thank you to our Year 7 2016 Advisers, Mr Mick Aldous, Ms Sarah Kim and Mr Brett Jackson for being so wonderfully organised and coordinating a "cast of thousands".

The Prefects were fabulous this year. They truly are a credit to the school. Thank you to Ms Madeleine Rigby.

Thank you to our Program Managers and MICs for organising the students and activities.

Thank you also to the staff and students who assisted with the set up for the day's events and to our P&C parents who provided refreshments throughout the afternoon for our new families.

A special thank you must go to our Administrative and Ground Staff. Thank you for your hard work during the long weeks of preparation and your fantastic efforts on what is our busiest day of the year. All this while dealing with sick students, lost property, absences, lost forms, late arrivals, parents, phones, deliveries and the numerous other tasks that are carried out by SASS during the school day! In particular, thank you to those who gave up their evening and stayed until the last student was enrolled. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Sharon Kearns

School Administrative Manager

High Store Volunteers

Special thanks go to the High Store's wonderful and caring volunteers who worked continuously up to 10 hours to service our new students to the school on Orientation Day. They are Ourania Flabouris, Suzana Nimac, Lesa Katsillis, Sandra Vuong, Cindy Tseu, Susan Borscz, Emma Balfour, Cherlene Maniaci, Christina Chow, Jenni Rajendram, Malin Wongthaveevatana & Vivian Gu.

Thank you

The High Store

Year 9 Students Senior Uniform

Purchase your senior uniform NOW to avoid long queues.

Senior Tie \$28.50

Senior Trousers \$69

Short Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$29, 24-28 \$31

Long Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$31, 24-28 \$33.

Cash Register Closing



Due to the End of Financial Year all student payments for excursions, co-payments, contributions, text books etc. must be made by **1.20 pm** (lunchtime) **Friday 20 November 2015**.

The cash register will be closed from the end of lunch (**1.20 pm**) and will not reopen until after the finance rollover (approximately 7 December).

Please finalise all outstanding items before the register closes and clearance forms are issued to students.

Thank you.

Sharon Kearns
SAM

The service will be available on most Monday mornings during the summer season.

The specific details are:

- Location: Outside room 901 in the Gymnasium
- Time: Available from 7-9 am on Mondays
- Dates: There are certain dates the physiotherapist will be available. Please see the school calendar.
- Priority: Official SBHS AAGPS teams will get priority i.e. 1st and 2nd grade over other boys
- Follow up Report: A report will be submitted to the MIC of the specific sport
- Rehabilitation Program: A rehabilitation program will be devised whereby boys will be required to complete their rehabilitation within the SBHS Weights Room (free of charge)

Mr Mark Pavone
Sports Master

From the Canteen



Thanks to the volunteers for last week:

MON: Maria Pho, Sophie Sun, Grace Chung

TUES: Letty Chan, Anne Chan

WED: George Haddo, Ria Lam, Yasmin Khan

THUR: Annie Long, Jenny King, Anna Goh

FRI: Agnes Cheuk, Jasmine Huang, Minhua Zhang

A special thank you again to all the mums and dads who are continuing to attend their rostered day even though their son has now left the school. It is so helpful to the school canteen to have the roster filled until the end of 4th term.

Sharon Hughes
President - Canteen Committee



Letters Re Absence/Lateness/ Early Leave

When your son returns to school from being absent he is required to provide a letter of explanation signed by a parent or guardian. If your son is going to be late for school, a note is also required. Alternatively you may contact the school by phone on 9662 9300 and dial "1" for the absentee line.

If your son has an early leave note, he is required to have his note signed by either Mr Dowdell, Ms Powell or Mr Prorellis **before 9:00 am** and handed in to the Main Office immediately after. Each letter should be signed by a parent or guardian with the **name, date and roll class** of your son **printed clearly**. Your son needs to pick up a leave pass from the Main Office before he leaves the school.

Leave

If you require leave for your son please, apply in writing and address your application to the Principal, Dr Jaggar, stating the reason and length of time of the leave. Your son must then present this application to Dr Jaggar for permission for the leave. **Please remember to apply before the leave and not after.**

The Principal must approve all leave applications.

SBHS Physiotherapy Injury Clinic



SBHS is providing an injury clinic on a weekly basis. This is run by Kate Mahony, an APA Sports Physiotherapist with a background in exercise and sports science. Kate has experience with both youth and elite athletes, specialising in musculoskeletal injury diagnosis and rehabilitation. The aim of all injury assessments is to correctly diagnose the injury and formulate an injury rehabilitation plan to get students back on the field in a safe and appropriate time frame, minimising the chance of re-injury.

Sydney High Water Polo



First Grade

First Grade had yet another absolutely fantastic game. The 5-4 win against Knox sent our spirits soaring due to a mighty effort by all participants. Although they were bigger than us, we stayed strong and used our technical skill to our advantage. We had a fantastic game in defence as well, denying plenty of shots and Max Koslowski yet again having a terrific game.

Great win boys; let's keep this hot streak going.

Jayden Forday

First Grade Captain

16As

The 16As came up against Knox Grammars 16As which are known to be one of the best CAS schools with a very good water polo team at this level. We strived to show them what we were capable of and with a few changes to our formations and positions, were able to play more effectively, showing individual strengths, whilst hiding our weaknesses. Despite a long absence by our goalie, he was able to block a few shots by the opposition, and pass the ball up the court with relative ease. As well as this, a big shout out goes to Henrick Michael and Luke Posumah, who were both able to discern the situation and adapt quickly, and to Jack Horton for creating many opportunities for passes to be thrown successfully. However, as said before, some changes will need to be made in order to achieve success in this competition, plus by balancing the types of players that the team consists of, I am sure that we will be able to perform exceedingly well in the future.

Harvey Luo

16As Captain



SYDNEY HIGH TENNIS

*"It is not the size of the dog in the fight,
but the size of the fight in the dog."*

High vs St Ignatius College (GPS Trial Round 5)

	1st Grade	Result (LOSS)	2nd Grade	Result (LOSS)
D1	1 + 4	L 6-4 7-6	1 + 2	L 1-6 4-6
D2	2 + 3	L 6-2 6-3	3 + 5	L 6-4 4-6 6-7
D3	5 + 6	L 6-4 6-2	4 + 6	L 1-6 0-6
S1	Stevie Young	DNF 6-3	George Ge	L 2-6 4-6
S2	Matthew O'Sullivan	DNS	Charlie Weng	L 2-6 2-6
S3	Antonio Li	L 6-3 6-3	Ting Li	W 6-2 7-6
S4	Wanyu Tang	DNS	Branko Stajic	L 4-6 2-6
S5	Danny Yu	L 6-2 6-4	Adrian Panas	L 0-6 0-6
S6	Daniel Zhang	L 3-6 6-4 6-7	Patrick Huang	L 0-6 0-6

1st Grade



Hosting Ignatius for the fifth round of the GPS trial season, 1st grade were unable to get the result intended. Nonetheless, this loss is the first in a long time and perhaps is a wake-up call for all of us. In the doubles we didn't win a match despite Wanyu and Stevie playing a solid game just missing out in the second set tiebreak. 2 and 3 doubles lacked intensity and a desire to win which reflected in the score line. Due to the rain we weren't able to finish most of the singles

however Daniel, Antonio and Danny were able to complete their matches. Unfortunately Matthew and Wanyu did not even start their matches and had great chances of winning their singles. Stevie continued his red hot form taking the first set 6-3, until the rain ended the match. Confidence is still high in the team and we look forward to my return to the starting line-up and the season ahead.

Adam Smagarinsky
First Grade Captain

2nd Grade

This week's match against Riverview was on their home courts, with us playing away for the first time in four weeks. Low and dark clouds hung in the sky, threatening to release a downpour on us. Luckily it did not rain until the very end, and the shower only lasted for around half an hour, by which time we could finish the remaining matches. Going up against the reigning premiers was always going to be a tough job, even without considering the inexperienced nature of our team. As a result, we were only able to win one match in total, which in itself was quite an achievement. The win came in our number three singles, played by Charlie Weng. Having won a clean first set 6-2, he had to come back from 3-5 down in the second to secure the match in a thrilling tie-breaker 7-5. In the other matches, I can say for certain that we gave them a hard time, with some of our best tennis on show. Considering the circumstances, with continued training and more match experience, the team will definitely be a formidable force once the GPS season starts next year.

George Ge
Created by Adam Smagarinsky



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187 HOOPS

HIGH vs. Riverview: Term 1, 2015

HIGH	vs	Riverview	Term 1, 2015 (last time)
TEAM	RESULT	SCORE	TOP SCORER
1st	WIN	97-87	J.HUTCHISON 24
2nd	WIN	55-43	L.ELTON 14
3rd	LOSS	25-28	TEAM EFFORT
4th	DRAW	35-35	G.YUAN 10
5th	LOSS	30-33	C.LEE 10
6th	LOSS	21-31	A.McCAFFERY 6
7th	WIN	40-31	E.YE 17
8th	WIN	36-29	TEAM EFFORT
16A	WIN	33-31	K.WANG 13
16B	WIN	36-29	A.LEE 15
16C	WIN	26-21	A.PRASAD 7
16D	LOSS	16-33	J.ZHENG 6
16E	WIN	45-16	Y.BUSHATI 16
16F	LOSS	30-13	L.ZHAI 7
15A	WIN	46-28	S.MERRICK, N.WU 11
15B	WIN	36-14	J.SIU 12
15C	LOSS	17-24	TEAM EFFORT
15D	WIN	48-16	D.CHAN 9
15E	WIN	35-10	L.WANG 13
15F	WIN	48-16	M.QIAN 11
14A	LOSS	22-46	J.MARKWORTH-SCOTT 7
14B	LOSS	34-37	B.NGUYEN 11
14C	DRAW	26-26	J.XIE 8
14D	WIN	39-10	TEAM DEFENCE
14E	LOSS	26-44	TEAM EFFORT
14F	WIN	26-22	TEAM EFFORT
13A	LOSS	16-46	H.KIM 6
13B	LOSS	4-33	TEAM EFFORT
13C	LOSS	22-25	Y.SHEN 14
13D	LOSS	12-24	W.LI, S.CHEN 4
13E	LOSS	8-47	A.LEONG 4
13F	LOSS	14-34	R.AH-KOON 6

HIGH vs. Riverview: Term 4, 2015

HIGH	Vs	Riverview	Term 4, 2015 (this time)
TEAM	RESULT	SCORE	TOP SCORER
1st	LOSS	68-59	M.MENZEL 31 EFFICIENCY. L.ELTON 17 PTS
2nd	LOSS	32-30	V.CHUA 9
3rd	LOSS	36-41	TEAM EFFORT
4th	WIN	36-18	J.KUROSAWA 8
5th	LOSS	24-30	A.ZAFAR 10
6th	WIN	21-24	A.ZHU 6
7th	WIN	33-16	D.WANG 12
8th	LOSS	23-28	N.SUN 9
9th	LOSS	16-10	J.POPE 6
10th	LOSS	33-26	A.McCAFFERY 10
16A	WIN	33-22	TEAM EFFORT
16B	WIN	44-19	TEAM EFFORT
16C	WIN	33-16	D.CHAN 14
16D	WIN	39-10	K.LUONG 11
16E	WIN	38-12	N.TRAN 13
16F	WIN	39-12	J.LAI 18
15A	LOSS	26-49	N.CASACLANG 11, J. MARKWORTH SCOTT 7
15B	WIN	21-17	C.TUNKA 7
15C	WIN	27-19	TEAM EFFORT
15D	LOSS	22-21	TEAM EFFORT
15E	LOSS	10-28	TEAM EFFORT
15F	BYE		
14A	WIN	33-21	K.HASAN 10
14B	WIN	42-19	A.ZHOU 10
14C	WIN	26-20	K.GU 11
14D	WIN	55-16	J.BARUAH 8
14E	WIN	29-23	E.GUO 8
14F	WIN	54-2	D.MAI 10

Against Riverview this week, the 14s and 16s had straight wins! An amazing effort from all teams there. 1st grade had a narrow loss at 68 - 59 and 2nd grade even closer, losing by just two points at 32 - 30.

Mr Hayman's Teams of the Week – 15As and 14As

"Both of these teams are playing exceptionally well as a team. Under the guidance of coach Day and coach Gilbert they continue to maximise their results. Each week I've seen different boys step up and contribute in many different ways and it has been a pleasure to see such a committed group of supportive parents at each game. To quote the great Phil Jackson *"For the strength of the pack is the wolf and the strength of the wolf is the pack"*. The 14As had their first win on Saturday from ten starts - they are sticking together! The 15As had their

first blow-out loss of this season. Keep working HARD, SMART and most importantly TOGETHER."

From 2 - 4 November, the 15s CHS team played in the final round robin of the CHS statewide competition. The players and coach, Mr Hayman, dedicated their Monday mornings to train for this competition throughout the whole year. We came third in the state, losing only one game to a team who played better as a team and who were more used to the competition structure (Westfield Sports). We will all be able to come away from this experience as a better group of players having enhanced not only personal skill, but team co-operation. Congratulations to the 15s CHS team and many thanks to Mr Hayman for his time coaching them.

Good luck to all teams against Kings this week and go HIGH!



Go HIGH!

Play Hard, Play Smart and Play Together!

Brought to you by Editor Archie Fox

Thanks to Mr B Hayman for all his contributions to High Basketball



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Cricket Results – 2015 Term 4 Week 4, Saturday 31 October

Team	Score	Result	Highlights
1 st XI	SBHS 10 – 139 v King's 0 – 47	N/A	Shashank Nampalli 48
2 nd XI		N/A	
3 rd XI		N/A	
4 th XI		W/O	
5 th XI		W/O	
16A		N/A	
16B		W/O	
15A		N/A	
15B		W/O	
15C		W/O	
14A		N/A	
14B		W/O	
14C		W/O	
14D		W/O	

MIC of Cricket Report

Unfortunately due to heavy rain last week all matches except for the 1st XI were washed out. This means next week the 2nd XI play two-day rules over one Saturday, while all other teams will play a one-day format.

The 1st XI won the toss and elected to bat. It was overcast conditions with the ball swinging and keeping low. We knew the first hour would be difficult, but unfortunately we lost a few vital wickets and gave the momentum to King's. Eli Hall and Sabesh Murugananthan did well to rebuild the innings with a 39 run partnership. Batsman of the day was Shashank Nampalli who played positive cricket from the start putting the bad balls away while rotating the strike. He played one false shot for the day that ultimately ended his well fought innings. We were bowled out at tea and then after the break it rained. We came back onto the field at 5:00 pm extending the close of play until 6:30 pm with 20 overs to bowl. The conditions were wet and took the shine out of the ball early. King's batted well and finished the day deservedly on top. We have a huge task next week and with some early wickets we know we can get through the tail end.

Saturday sees the resumption of round two for the 1st XI while all other teams will start their match against King's and all Group II matches will play round three against King's as well. Good luck to all the boys and remember to play positive cricket and run hard between wickets.



Mukund Rangarajan playing a cut shot for the U14Bs against Grammar



Peter Yu playing a pull shot against King's.

Photo by: Raghav Ramanathan

To all parents and players, don't forget to go through the points below:

- Please make sure that all the boys wear SBHS logo hats and tops.
- They are not to wear thongs to and from their fixtures.
- Make sure they drink plenty of water and carry a drink bottle with them to training and fixtures.
- Please notify their coaches if they are unable to attend training or their fixture.

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Geoff Tesoriero
MIC of Cricket



Vivek Kashyap bowling against Menai High School

Sport Absence Detention System Changes

The Sports Department is streamlining the sports absences and detention system for students. Parents are still required to email through to the absences.sport@sbhs.nsw.edu.au email address when their son is absent from a training session/Saturday sport with the following details:

Saturday Absence – By Monday 9.00 am

Training Session Absence – By Friday 9.00 am

Student Number

Student name

Sport

Team

Reason for absence

Date/s of absence

The detentions previously issued by our Deputy, Mr Dowdell will no longer continue for outside of school hours training. Instead, students will be making up their unexplained absence from a training session.

Saturday Sport/Training Session:

- Saturday Sport: Students will be emailed (via their department email name@education.nsw.gov.au) by Monday PM if they are receiving a detention for an unexplained Saturday absence
 - Saturday unexplained absence – 2 x make up training sessions (on top of the usual training sessions) to be completed within 4 weeks of the original detention email
 - Note: students have until Wednesday of that specific week to appeal the detention with Mr Pavone in the PDHPE staffroom
- Weekday Training Session: Students will be emailed by Friday PM if they are receiving a detention for an unexplained training session absence
 - Weekday unexplained absence – two x make up training session (on top of the usual training sessions) to be completed within four weeks of the original detention email.
 - Students have until Wednesday of the following week to appeal the detention with Mr Pavone in the PDHPE staffroom.
- The detention will now consist of makeup training sessions:

Name:	Student ID:	Sport:
You have been given this detention slip because of your unexplained absence for Saturday Sport/Training Session		
Instructions: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Saturday Absence: You are to make up this unexplained absence through two (2) make up training sessions within four weeks of receiving the email• Training Session: You are to make up this unexplained absence through one (2) make up training sessions within four weeks of receiving this slip• Sprints – Monday 3.30 – Moore Park West (summer sport), Tuesday 3.30 – Moore Park West (Winter Sport)• Weights Training – if you are a member of the weights room, you can complete the sessions any morning or afternoon (except Friday PM)• High Runner's Club – Friday 7.45 am, meet outside the Gymnasium• A pre-season training session whereby a Master in Charge is able to witness your attendance• You must scan your student identification at the weights room and ensure it is only counted once and is scanned in the section heading: Detentions (See Mr Kurt Rich if you are unsure of this)		
*note – if you are injured, then you must report to Mr Kurt Rich in the weights room for detention duties.		

'Bring Your Own Device' Program: Advice for 2016

Application of this Advice

All students heading into Years 7 – 11 2016 are expected to bring a device of their own choosing and ownership to school each day. If you're looking at replacing your existing BYOD or DER program device for 2016, then the following applies to you.

Selecting a technology device is not simple, and the school's **Device Specification** is particular. Our recommended devices are designed to simplify your choices and purchasing processes.

Sydney Boys High School has again partnered with ASI Solutions to make our recommended devices available:

Microsoft Surface Pro 4



- 12.3" Touch Screen
- 6th Generation Intel Core Processor – Core m3 and Core i5 options available
- 4GB RAM, 64GB/128GB Solid State Disk
- Surface Pro 4 Type Cover
- 3 Year Warranty

The Microsoft Surface Pro is the best convertible multi-touch device available on the market. The device has an excellent quality screen and is supplied with the Surface Pro 'Type Cover'. The Surface is an exceptionally versatile device for use with our BYOD program.

Microsoft Surface 3



- 10.8" Touch Screen
- Latest generation Intel processor
- 4GB RAM, 64GB/128GB Solid State Disk
- Surface Pro 4 Type Cover
- 3 Year Warranty

The Microsoft Surface 3 is the Surface Pro's smaller, cheaper sibling. The device is well-suited to less demanding content creation work, but it has all the quality and versatility of the Pro variant.

Lenovo ThinkPad X250



- 12.5" Screen – HD and FHD options available
- 5th Generation Intel Core Processor – Core i3 and Core i5 options available
- 4GB RAM, 128GB Solid State Disk
- 3 Year On-site Warranty

The ThinkPad X250 is a thin and very light device that fits well in a school bag. Battery life is excellent. Looked after, the X250 should readily complete four years of high school service.

Lenovo ThinkPad 11e (Windows)



- 11.6" HD Screen
- 4th Generation Intel Processor
- 4GB RAM, 128GB Solid State Disk
- 3 Year On-site Warranty

The ThinkPad 11e is Lenovo's speciality education product. It features rubber bumpers and a thicker screen surround to help it withstand the bumps inherent with bringing a device to school. It's heavier and a slower device than the other options, but is well positioned for our BYOD program.

Apple MacBook Air 11"



- 11.6" HD Screen
- 5th Generation Intel Core i5 Processor
- 4GB RAM, 128GB or 256GB Solid State Disk
- 3 Year On-site Warranty

MacBooks are a popular and capable choice in the school's BYOD program. The 11" MacBook air is a small screened device that is very thin and light, but has the same power as its larger variants.

Apple MacBook Air 13"



- 13.3" 1440x900 resolution screen
- 5th Generation Intel Core i5 Processor
- 4GB RAM, 128GB or 256GB Solid State Disk
- 3 Year On-site Warranty

The MacBook Air is the most comparable device to (though physically larger than) the Lenovo ThinkPad X250 in specification and price point. It's a good all-round choice if you prefer the Apple platform.

Why Purchase a Recommended Device?

All our recommended devices are configured to meet the device specification comfortably. All feature solid state disks and so have no moving parts. Warranties are a minimum of 3 years. Devices feature an on-site warranty which means the device can be fixed by a technician at school, ensuring its maximum availability

Additionally, Accidental Damage Protection insurance is available as an option for your peace of mind.

Recommended devices are available at a discount from their retail pricing through our device purchasing portal.

How to Purchase a Recommended Device

Visit the Sydney Boys High School BYOD Purchasing Portal at:

<http://sbhs.co/bbuy>

You need the following code to register for the Purchasing Portal:

sbhs@16

Note the code is CASE-SENSITIVE. Devices ordered through the Purchasing Portal will take **three to four weeks** to become available. You can opt to pick up your order from the ASI Solutions office in Botany (open through the January holidays) or from the school's BYOD Technical Support office (Room 703) during school term.

Other Device Options

If you're looking at other devices, take care to ensure your chosen device meets the Device Specification. Ensuring it meets the requirements for Wireless Network connectivity can be difficult when buying in store.

Find Out More

All information is now available on the Bring Your Own Device website – <http://www.sydneyboyshigh.com/byod>.

If you have questions which have not been addressed in any documentation, or you wish to make comment, please email the project team at: byod.feedback@sbhs.nsw.edu.au

SYDNEY BOYS HIGH STORE & CLOTHING POOL

SPRING / SUMMER PRICE LIST 2015 - 2016

SCHOOL UNIFORM				SPORTS UNIFORM			
BLAZERS		From:	\$290.00	PE / HOUSE SPORT			
<i>Please arrange for boys to be fitted as early as possible (6-8 weeks delivery from order)</i>					Stretch Micro Fibre		
PANTS	Trousers - Junior, Dark Grey		\$69.00		Black Short with Sydney High		\$35.00
	Trousers - Senior, Light Grey		\$69.00		PE Polo		\$38.50
					Sport Socks		\$9.90
SHORTS	Grey		\$48.00				
BELTS	Black Leather		\$18.50	TRACKSUITS (sold as separates)			
SHIRTS	Sky Blue & White, Short Sleeve with Logo				Microfibre Jacket		\$88.00
	Sizes 10 - 14		\$27.00		Microfibre Pant		\$49.50
	Sizes 16 - 22		\$29.00				
	Sizes 24 - 28		\$31.00				
	Sky Blue & White, Long Sleeve with Logo			BASKETBALL			
	Sizes 10 - 14		\$29.00		HIGH Training Tee		\$27.50
	Sizes 16 - 22		\$31.00		Short		\$55.00
	Sizes 24 - 28		\$33.00		Singlet		\$55.00
BLUE WOOLLEN JUMPERS					Socks (White S.H.S. Colours)		\$9.90
	Up to Size 14		\$88.00		Water Bottle - S.H.S. Crest		\$8.80
	Size 16-22		\$90.00				
	Size 24-26		\$92.00	CRICKET			
SOCKS	Cotton Knee High SHS colours		\$13.50		Hat (Natural) - Greg Chappell		\$22.00
	Cotton Short SHS colours		\$9.90		SHIRTS VENTILATED with SHS crest		
	Sport in SHS colours		\$9.90		Long Sleeve		\$44.00
TIES	Junior		\$25.50		Short Sleeve		\$38.50
	Senior		\$28.50				
	Prefect		\$24.50	ROWING			
	Old Boys		\$27.50		Rugby Jersey 34/85- 38/95		\$80.00
	SRC		\$28.50		Rugby Jersey S-XL		\$80.00
CAPS	SHS		\$22.00		Rugby Jersey XXL-XXXL		\$85.00
BAGS	Backpack	6yr Warranty	\$82.50		Socks		\$16.50
	Hav-a-Sak		\$30.00		T-Shirt Colorado White L/S		\$11.00
	Sports Bag		\$58.00		Zoot Suit		\$77.00
ART	Exercise Book A4	48 page	\$2.75	TENNIS			
	Paint Brush Size 6		\$3.75		Grade Polo Shirt		\$44.00
	Progressor 2B Pencil		\$2.95		Junior Polo Shirt		\$44.00
	Progressor 4B Pencil		\$2.95		Socks with SHS Colours		\$9.90
	Visual Art Diary A3		\$11.00				
	Visual Art Diary A4	120pg	\$8.80				
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY				VOLLEYBALL			
	DT Apron		\$12.00		Polo	Numbered	\$66.00
MATHS	Calculator		\$35.00		Short		\$39.50
	Compass		\$1.55				
	Grid Book	96page	\$2.20	WATERPOLO			
	Protractor		\$0.55		HIGH Swimmer	NEW	\$45.00
MUSIC	Music Book		\$2.20		Waterpolo Shirt		\$55.00
UMBRELLAS							
	Golf		\$33.00				

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SPRING / SUMMER PRICE LIST

2015-2016

MEMORABILIA

Address Book	\$12.00	School Centenary Book	\$15.00
Car Sticker	\$4.50	SHS Cufflinks	\$16.50
Coat hanger	\$5.00	SHS Foldable Chair	\$49.50
Letter Opener	\$6.50	SHS Pen	\$8.80
Mug with SHS Crest (Gift Boxed)	\$16.50	SHS Sticker	\$1.10
Neoprene Wine Cooler with SHS crest	\$15.00	Silverware: Sugar or Fluted Spoon	\$5.50
Number Plate Cover	\$39.95	Stainless Steel Mug with SHS crest	\$16.50
Pencil Case with SHS crest	\$9.90	Stainless Steel Drink Bottle with SHS crest	\$16.50
Scarf with SHS Crest	\$22.00	Wine Glasses Set of Two Gift Boxed	\$35.00

OLD BOYS MEMORABILIA

Polo Shirt with SHS Logo	SALE	\$49.50	NOW	\$35.00
Supporter Jersey		\$75.00		
OBU Tie		\$27.50		
GPS Old Boy Tie		\$36.00		
Sydney High Hoodie		\$66.00		

CLOTHING POOL

A recycled section operates within the High Store Shop. Items such as blazers, shorts, trousers, jumpers, rugby/soccer tops & boots, tracksuits, can be sold on a commission basis - The High Store Shop retaining 1/2 of the sale price.

Please ensure that when sending items for sale you include your name and address.

All items sent should be clean and in good condition. Shirts are gladly accepted as donations.

BLAZERS

GPS Pocket	\$27.50
Music Pocket	\$27.50
Prefect Top Pocket	\$27.50
Prefect Bottom Pocket	\$44.00
Embroidery Line	\$17.50
Remove Embroidery Line	\$24.00
Full Braiding	\$77.00
Dry Cleaning	\$15.00
Service Charge	\$36.50

PAYMENT

Cash, Eftpos, Mastercard Visa
or Cheque payable to HIGH STORE

GENERAL - with SHS Crest Badge

Basketball (metal)	\$7.70
Cricket (metal)	\$7.70
Fencing (metal)	\$7.70
House Badge	\$9.90
Orchestra (metal)	\$4.40
Rifle (metal)	\$5.50
Rowing (metal)	\$7.70
SBH Lapel Pin (metal)	\$2.75
SHS (metal)	\$6.60

GOODS & SERVICES TAX (GST)

GST is included on all prices listed

OPENING TIMES

Open During School Terms Only

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

10:30am to 1:30pm

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November/December 2015

13-11-2015

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7 A	16 Sports Physiotherapist, 07:00-09:00, 901 Year 10 Yearly Exams Online Selective Schools Application for Year 7 2017 close	17 Year 10 Yearly Exams Fundraising Management Committee meeting, 17:30-18:30 Foundation meeting, 18:30-20:30 Volleyball Dinner: room 204, 18:00	18 Year 11 Study Day Year 10 Yearly Exams	19 Year 10 Yearly Exams Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams	20 Year 10 Yearly Exams Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams	21 Sport: Group 1 SHS v SJC, Group 2 SHS v Shore Basketball: Raschke Cup Pool Rounds, Riverview Basketball: Yeend Shield, 2nds, Newington Rowing: GPS Joeys Regatta, SIRC, Y9,Y10,Seniors	22 *** Cricket: East Coast Cup, Years 7, 8 and 9 Melbourne High Summer
8 B	23 Sports Physiotherapist, 07:00-09:00, 901 Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Cricket: East Coast Cup, Years 7, 8 and 9 Melbourne High Summer Exchange/Barberis Cup, Melbourne Year 10 Drama Production: The Real Inspector Hound and Cahoot's Macbeth, Dress Rehearsal, Pl-5, room 204	24 *** Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Cricket: East Coast Cup, Years 7, 8 and 9 Melbourne High Summer Exchange/Barberis Cup, Melbourne Music Parents Support Group AGM, Staff Common Room, 18:30-20:00 Excursion: The Ethics Reconnection, Selected students Year 10 Drama Production:	25 *** Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams White Ribbon Day Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange Cricket: East Coast Cup, Years 7, 8 and 9 Melbourne High Summer Exchange/Barberis Cup, Melbourne Basketball: USA Tour meeting, room 901, 19:00 Year 10 Drama Production: The Real Inspector Hound	26 Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Fitness Expo, 10zPh, 10yPh, Gym and 901 09:00-11:00 Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange High Resolves Summit, UWS (30 students Year 9), all day Parking: Sydney FC v Wellington Pheonix, 20:00 (Sailing)	27 Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange GPS Summer Sports Assembly (Basketball, Cricket, Swimming, Sailing, Tennis, Water Polo), Great Hall, 10:15-11:00 (9, 10, 11)	28 Sport: Group 1 SHS v SJC, Group 2 SJC v SHS Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange, Head of the Yarra Rowing: GPS High Regatta, Hen and Chicken Bay, Y9,Y10,Seniors Basketball: AAGPS Round 1 Great Hall Booking: 14:00-24:00	29 *** Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne Music: Hero v Villain music marathon, Great Hall, 13:00-17:00 Jazz Workshop: 13:00-15:00 Jazz in the Courtyard, Rooms 101 + 201,
9 C	30 Great Hall Booking: Red Cross Blood Drive (Prorellis) Closing date for Awards Scheme 2015 Peer Support Training, P3-5 (Year 9) Basketball: National School Championships, 15s + Opens, Canberra Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne	1 Opening date for Awards Scheme 2016 Peer Support Facilitation Day, Great Hall, 09:00-15:15 Basketball: National School Championships, 15s + Opens, Canberra Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne Water Polo: CHS Boys Water Polo Taree Executive Planning Day Abbotsford	2 Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Rowing: Committee Meeting, Staff Common Room, 18:00 Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne Basketball: National School Championships, 15s + Opens, Canberra	3 Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Excursion: Year 10 High Resolves Leaders to Annual HRI Summit, UTS Basketball: National School Championships, 15s + Opens, Canberra Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne	4 Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Cricket: Five Highs, Melbourne Basketball: National School Championships, 15s + Opens, Canberra Parking: Sydney FC v Newcastle Jets, 19:40	5 Honeybees Concert Great Hall, 12:00-24:00	6
10 A	7 P+C Thank You Party, Great Hall, 18:30-21:00 Year Adviser Training/Planning Day	8 School Council Meeting, Board Room, 17:30-19:00	9 Parking: Ed Sheeran Concert, 19:30	10 Duke of Ed (Bronze Hike)	11 Duke of Ed (Bronze Hike)	12	13