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2026



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ST DUNSTAN'S COLLEGE NEWSLETTER

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A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK



We have enjoyed a wonderful start to the term despite the cold and wet weather. The Matric Dance on Saturday was yet again a grand occasion. The dresses and, in many cases, the matching colours of the suits brightened the occasion and contributed to a classy affair. The cars were truly spectacular. Our students danced the evening away, with the venue, decor and delicious food all contributing to the atmosphere. A huge thank you goes to Mrs Ritchie for organising a very special day for the Matrics. I also thank all those involved, including Mr Whitelaw, Mrs Greenslade, Mr van Eeden and our operations team under the leadership of our new Estate Manager, Mr Dewald Pretorius. I have had numerous reports from Matric students expressing their immense enjoyment and appreciation of the evening. Their ability to enjoy the evening with gratitude makes the effort all the more worthwhile.

On Sunday we celebrated Mother's Day and the admission of the Grade 4 students for their first Eucharist at the Cathedral. It was a very special day indeed. As always, it is wonderful for the school to return to the Cathedral, the centre of where we began as a school. We exist because of the tenacity and vision of a few men returning from the First World War, wanting to make a difference through serving the community, while also creating a living memorial (the school) for those who sacrificed so much.

Our multipurpose hall, The Memorial Hall, is coming along nicely and is on track to serve as the venue for our Matric preliminary exams in July. The opening is planned for Friday, 26 June, just before we close for half-term. Please reserve this day to celebrate this milestone - a school hall and so much more. A magnificent venue for the 2027 Matric Dance! This hall will set up many new memories well into the future.

I congratulate all the students who received sporting and cultural awards this past Thursday for their effort, commitment and achievement in Term 1. A significant number of students achieved awards at the highest level, having been selected for provincial and national teams. As a result, for the first time, we have introduced a Junior Honours sporting award in the form of a scroll to recognise students who, at a junior level, competed at a standard equivalent to a senior honours award within their age group. Although there is always room for improvement, the quality of our individual achievements bodes well for the future. We particularly look forward to our major production, Sister Act, which opens on Wednesday, 17 June.

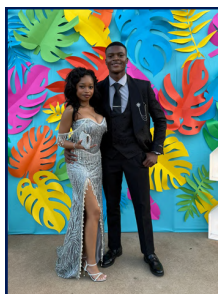
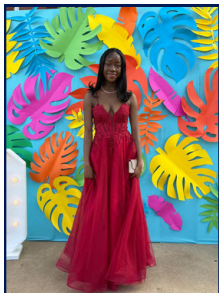
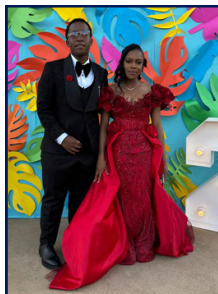
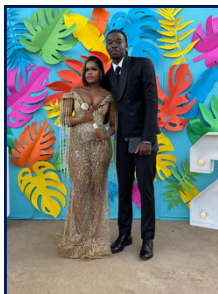
Please note that we will be sending out surveys to all stakeholders this week as part of the ISASA quality assurance requirements. The OISESA evaluation provides us with a valuable opportunity to reflect on our strengths and identify areas for growth. Please see this as an opportunity to contribute to our ongoing development and improvement. Thank you in advance for the time taken to complete these surveys.

In closing, I ask all parents to monitor the hours spent by your child or children on their academic programme. Trinity term is an examination term, so they cannot afford to fall behind. That said, involvement in one sport and one cultural activity per term is compulsory. It is, however, more about ensuring that they experience a holistic education, which is required if they are to reach their full potential. I wish all a memorable and meaningful term ahead.

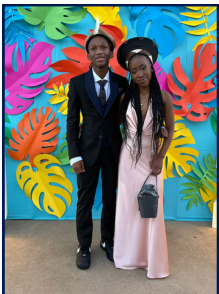
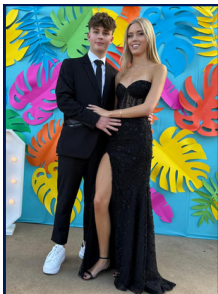
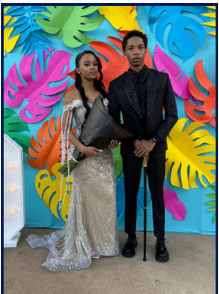
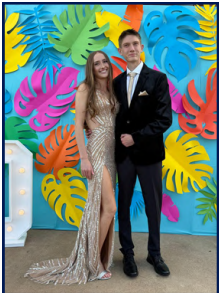
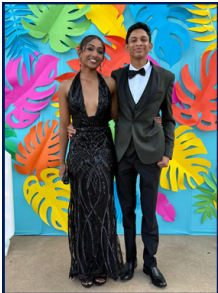
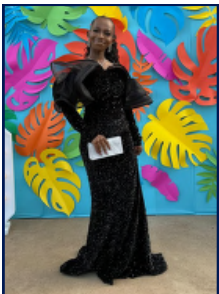
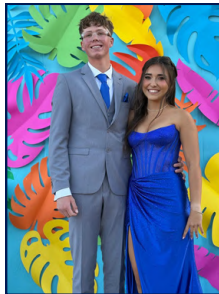
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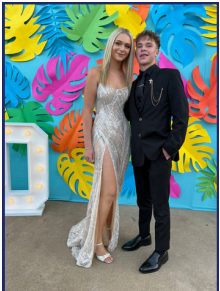
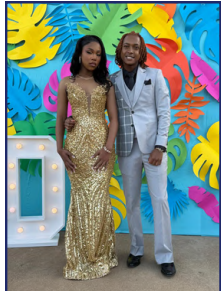
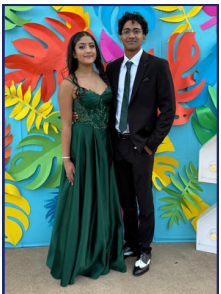
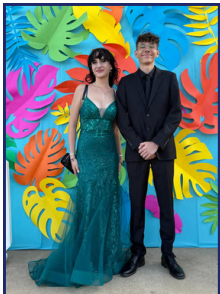
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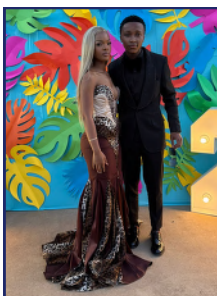
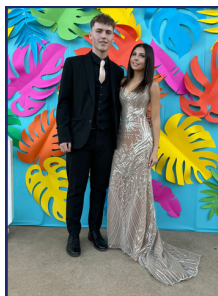
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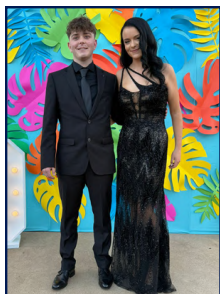
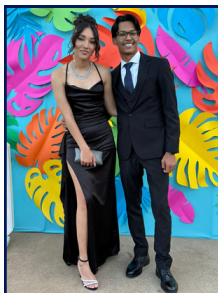
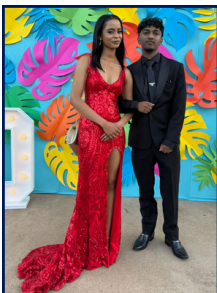
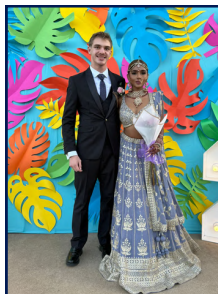
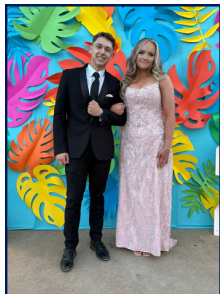
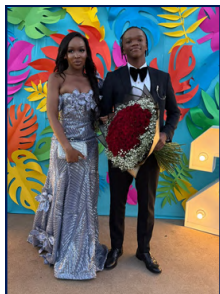
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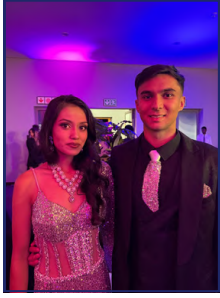
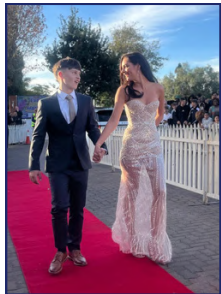
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SPORT AND CULTURAL AWARDS

ATHLETICS

Buddy Zackey - Honours
Chelsea van Dyk - Junior Honours
Hayden Chaplin - Merit (Reaward)
Jayden Aucamp - Half Colours (Reaward)
Nathan Markham - Half Colours (Reaward)
Krysten Wardill - Half Colours (Reaward)
Daniella Wridgway - Half Colours
Miguel Ungerer - Merit (Reaward)
Ramalepe Mametsa - Merit
Jayden Human - Merit
Kelvin Mthombeni - Merit
Kholofele Seabi - Merit
Keagan Merifield - Full Colours
Gabriella Gonçalves - Full Colours
Savvakis Dimenakis - Half Colours
Robyn Bothers - Half Colours
Ruvimbo Mupeti - Half Colours (Reaward)
Amelia Smit - Merit (Reaward)
Melina Alexandrou - Merit (Reaward)
Chelsey Orr - Merit
Victoria Bulhakova - Merit
Layla Nel - Sporting Excellence (Reaward)
Itumeleng Tsomele - Sporting Excellence
Gareth Jonas - Sporting Excellence
Brayden Periasamy - Merit
Gerhard Nel - Merit
Brandon Wardill - Merit
Blaine Rehse - Merit
Kaylan White - Merit
Dené Geldenhuys - Sporting Excellence
Sia Bouwers - Merit
Faith Ani - Merit

BASKETBALL - BOYS

Oratile Mochubele - Full Colours
Sibahle Buthelezi - Half Colours
Manelisi Tshili - Merit
Tristan Russo - Merit
Neo Rakgabane - Merit
Ndalo Ndzube - Half Colours
Dakalo Monyamane - Merit (Reaward)
Emmanuel Nwogbo - Merit
Giovanni Pignaneli - Merit
Jeevan Goorsamy - Merit
Kegan Martin - Merit
Ndimiso Ndabeni - Merit
Ethan Kabuya - Merit
Temogo Kale - Merit
Malibongwe Ndabeni - Merit
Tuemlo Zwane - Merit
Kwande Kolisi - Merit
Amani Kadima - Merit

WATERPOLO

Luminathi Ndlwana - Sporting Excellence

BASKETBALL - GIRLS

Naledi Diraditšile - Half Colours
Katelny Vermeulen - Half Colours
Nonsikelelo Ntshingila - Merit
Baitu Taje - Half Colours (Reaward)
Ofeneste Radebe - Half Colours
Azande Ndzube - Half Colours
Ruvimbo Mupeti - Half Colours
Theto Nkoana - Merit
Nsuku Mashele - Merit
Ulah Mandoyi - Merit
Thabi Makau - Sporting Excellence
Zoe Khan - Sporting Excellence
Khanyi Ndebele - Merit
Daniela Malanda - Merit
Kholwane Zwane - Merit
Nosipho Mlungwana - Merit
Lesedi Ledwaba - Merit

CRICKET

Tristan Nidd - Half Colours (Reaward)
Jethro Hardy - Half Colours
Ayden van der Westhuizen - Half Colours
Liam van der Westhuizen - Half Colours (Reaward)
James Giles - Half Colours (Reaward)
Jayden Human - Half Colours
Craig Lithgow-van Rooyen - Half Colours
Thomas Goosen - Half Colours
Euan Meerholz - Half Colours
Jayden Aucamp - Half Colours
Logan Cronje - Merit (Reaward)
Alessio Marcon - Merit (Reaward)
Jonathan Barberini - Merit (Reaward)
Keagan Merifield - Merit
Riley Long - Merit
Gautam Nair - Merit
Joshua Long - Merit
Justin Summers - Merit
Jonathan Chandler - Merit
Garrick Hardy - Merit
Gerhardus Nel - Merit
Tatum White - Merit
Daniel Goosen - Merit
Rodrigo Ascenção - Merit

ROWING

Blake Fick - Junior Honours
Luka Meduric - Junior Honours
Árwen Coetzee - Half Colours (Reaward)
Elizabeth Maas - Half Colours
Hunter Ellinas - Half Colours
Emihle Dlamini - Full Colours
Travis Mantle - Full Colours
Tintswalo Dilwayo - Half Colours
Cayden Devereux - Merit
Blake Lynch - Merit
Naomi van Straaten - Merit

SWIMMING

Amy-Lee Jones - Full Colours (Reaward)
Daniel Middlefield - Full Colours (Reaward)
Trent Williams - Half Colours (Reaward)
Kieron-Dante Wilkes - Half Colours (Reaward)
Victoria Bulhakova - Half Colours (Reaward)
Melina Alexandrou - Merit (Reaward)
Gabriella Gonçalves - Merit (Reaward)
Jessica Wood - Sporting Excellence (Reaward)
Gray Holgreaves - Merit
Ryan Sloane - Merit
Ava Constantinides - Sporting Excellence
Riley Haupt - Sporting Excellence
Daniel Bulhakova - Sporting Excellence
Ronin Houghton - Merit
Fezile Luhabe - Merit
Damon Heide - Merit
Kade Hodgkinson - Merit

TENNIS - BOYS

Declan Bell - Half Colours (Reaward)
Nathan Markham - Half Colours (Reaward)
Owen McGill - Half Colours
Sebastian Dias - Half Colours
Orediretse Sekhute - Half Colours
Alessio Marcon - Half Colours
Ryan Bell - Merit

TENNIS - GIRLS

Nkazimulo Sigasa - Junior Honours
Kayla Honey - Half Colours (Reaward)
Amy Tempest - Half Colours (Reaward)
Mikayla Potgieter - Merit

CULTURAL


Naomi Van Straaten - Merit
Cayden Devereux - Cultural Excellence
Ali Latif - Cultural Excellence
Amelia Beharie - Merit
Mason Meyer - Merit
Kgethogo Mphahlele - Half Colours
Leano Mohube - Merit
Sasekile Nkanyana - Half Colours
Aphiwe Cele - Merit
Lisakanya Reiners - Half Colours
Kholofelo Seabi - Merit
Nathan Markham - Full Colours
Taryn Barrett - Half Colours (Reaward)
Ronin Yeo - Full Colours (Reaward)
Kieron-Dante Wilkes - Half Colours
Ncebakazi Nkosi - Half Colours (Reaward)
Gina Makofane - Half Colours
Vhuthuhawe Lalamani - Half Colours (Reaward)
Dyaana Beharie - Half Colours (Reaward)
Nicole Roberts - Full Colours (Reaward)
Luke Subramany - Half Colours
Sinotando Nkunjana - Half Colours

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BUILDINGS UPDATE



**SANBS**
South African National Blood Services

**Pledge to save lives
and bring your goals
to life.**

*We are the
pulse*
#Donate blood.
#Save lives

St Dunstan's College Chapel
Friday 15.05.2026
10:00 to 14:30

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WELCOME TO NEW STAFF



DEWALD PRETORIUS
ESTATE MANAGER



FIONA PRINS
ADAM ADMINISTRATOR



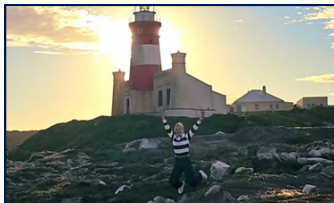
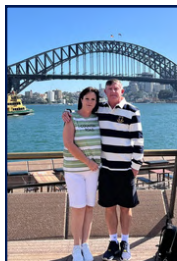
KESHNI NAIDOO
DEBTORS CLERK

ASPIRING JOURNALIST

Scarlett Stockwell wrote an article which has been posted by Luxity:
<https://luxity.co.za/blog/real-or-fake-how-luxury-experts-spot-the-difference/>



OLD SCHOOL JERSEYS HOLIDAY CHALLENGE



ST DUNSTAN'S DAY SERVICE

WHEN: TUESDAY, 19TH MAY

TIME: 10:00 FOR 10:30

VENUE: BEETGE QUAD

SISTER ACT: SAVE THE DATE!

17TH - 20TH JUNE



CHESS: KINGS AND QUEENS CLASH

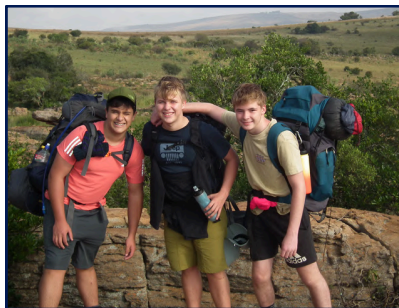


MISS JUNIOR IDOL 2026



Ncebakazi Nkosi won this prestigious title at the Junior Idol World pageant and will represent South Africa in Thailand in 2027.

OUTDOOR CLUB: SUIKERBOSCHFONTEIN HIKE



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SPORTS: RESULTS

GOLF

Sun City Golf Tour

St Dunstan's College achieved 4th place in the Plate Competition and 20th overall out of 52 schools. The top achiever finishing 36th out of 163 golfers is Jaden Arnold.

NETBALL

vs Hoërskool Kempton Park:

U14A: Won 25 - 13

U14B: Lost 15 - 11

U15A: Lost 29 - 12

U15B: Lost 21 - 7

U16A: Drew 19 - 19

U16B: Lost 21 - 14

U17A: Lost 31 - 9

U18A: Lost 34 - 29

HOCKEY

Boys Teams

vs Hoërskool Dinamika

U16: Won 3 - 1

1st Team: Won 5 - 0

Girls Teams

vs Ashton International College

U14: Won 5 - 0

U16: Lost 2 - 0

TENNIS

Boys Teams

vs Hoërskool EG Jansen B: Won 56 - 16

Girls Teams

vs Ashton International College: Lost 43 - 29

SQUASH

vs Christian Brothers College Boksburg: Lost 9 - 6



ATHLETICS

SA SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Chelsea van Dyk: 1st in 1500m and 3000m and team gold for 3000m, Gemma Rigele: 1st in 400m Hurdles and 2nd in 4 x 400m Relay,
Gemma Rigele and Taylah Cobbett: 1st in 0/17 Swedish Relay and Buddy Zackey: 1st in 4 x 400 Relay.



RUGBY: VALKE TRIALS



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HOCKEY HJ INTERCITY TOURNAMENT

Coach Njabs and the boys who represented the U18 Knights Team who secured victory at the JH Intercity Tournament.



HOCKEY VS HOËRSKOOL DINAMIKA



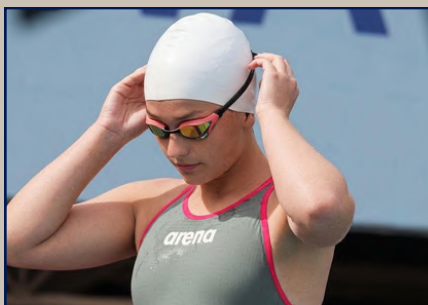
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HOCKEY VS ASHTON COLLEGE



SWIMMING NEWS

Chloe Olivier won her heat in the 100m Backstroke at the SA National Swimming Championships, and Daniel Bulhakov represented the Gauteng Swimming Team at the SA National School Sport Championship in Cape Town and placed 3rd in the 200m Individual Medley.



SQUASH NEWS

Kayla Tyson was part of the U19 Eastern Gauteng Junior Girls' Team who secured 1st place at the South African Country District Squash Tournament in Nelspruit



EQUESTRIAN NEWS

Emmy-Lou Miles secured 3rd place at the Gauteng Showjumping Championships held at Kyalami Park Club.



NETBALL GAUTENG TEAM SELECTIONS



FAITH ANI - U14



NOSIPHO MLUNGWANE - U15



THABI MAKAU - U16

NETBALL VS HOËRSKOOL KEMPTON PARK



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