

# **ASSEMBLY – 28 February 2014**

## **Sport**

### **Cape Open Fencing**

**Cape Open Fencing was held on the 15-16th February 2014.** Our Bishops fencers distinguished themselves at the competition.

Robert McGregor won Gold in the Junior and Senior Men's foil event and Alex Collings won bronze in the senior foil event and placed 10th in the junior event. These two fencers will leave for the Junior African Fencing Champs in Egypt on the 26th Feb and return on the 7th March. We wish them a safe and successful trip.

**EPEE:** Philip van Biljon placed 8th in junior epee, Soo Min lee placed 7th in this event and 5th in cadet's epee. Rhiyaan Smith placed 11th in cadet's epee.

**FOIL:** Jamie Diggle placed 7th in cadet's men's foil, Soo min 10th and Alaric McGregor 11th, Finbarr Lebona 15th and Chris Steyn 17th in this event.

### **Cycling Results**

In the GP Koning Rollercoaster road cycling race Stefan Dominicus came first in his age group and in the recent 99er road cycle race both Stefan Dominicus and Zandi Rohrer came second and third in their age group respectively. Jason van der Linden also needs a mention as he came 5th in his age group in the mountain biking category.

### **Kite Surfing**

Carl Ferreira is to be congratulated on coming third in the most recent round of the SA Kite Surfing Championships held at Big Bay this past weekend. He was participating in the Pro Men's division and kited against 100 others including overseas competitors.

### **Rowing**

The rowing team once again performed outstandingly well at the recent Selborne sprints and Buffalo regatta held in East London. A total of 9 podium places were achieved, the most notable of which were the following 5 gold medal places: At the Selborne sprints over 500m first places went to: Under 19 pair of Cole Barnard and

Matthew Boynton Under 16 Fours of James Faure, Michael Peter, Phillip Morkel-Brink and Jean Pienaar and Preston Thomas. Under 16 Eights At the Buffalo Regatta over 2000m first places went to: Under 16 pairs of Christopher Mewett, Jonathan Rossouw Under 16 Fours (same team as in the Selborne sprints) These results augurs well for the SA champs to be held in Pretoria on the 7th of March. We wish our rowers well.

## **Water polo**

Congratulations to Keanan Alexander who has been selected for the Western Province Men's team to participate in the Currie Cup Tournament in March. Congratulations to Kimon Haralambous and Andie During who were both selected for the South African u18 team who will play in a FINA Junior World Champs Qualifying Tournament against Zimbabwe and Egypt in March.

## **Western Province Tennis**

Congratulations to the following tennis players who have been awarded Western Province colours: -

Malachy Barbour (Gray - Grade 9) - Full Colours for Under 15 Schools Tennis

Luca Powell (Birt - Grade 9) - Half Colours for Under 15 B Schools Tennis

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## **All-Rounders' Tie**

Lee Gordon and Alexander Steyn are congratulated on being awarded their All-Rounders' Ties.

## **Pupil Survey**

Tutor groups will start 5 minutes after this assembly. All boys are to get to their groups quickly so a survey can be done. You may need the full 20 minutes. Boys in grades 9-12 must take their laptops.