



The Buzz



Greater Expectations, Greater Success

SEPTEMBER 2016

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The term has come and gone in a flash.....and we have celebrated so much it is difficult to know where to begin. Our pupils have performed brilliantly both individually and in teams this term. The First boys' hockey team won their league and have gained promotion to the Premier League in 2017. The Girls squash team also won their league. These are exceptional achievements as the team as a whole has to keep their focus and performances up at a high level the whole season. Congratulations to the players and coaches for everything they have achieved this season and we look forward to a challenging season next year in the premier leagues.

Tariro Wafawarowa will be speaking at TEDX this Sunday and this too is an exceptional achievement and opportunity. Tariro is an accomplished debate and public speaker and his selection for hundreds of candidates to speak at a Ted X event is no mean accomplishment. Thanks too must go to Ms Gibbs, one of our interns, who initiated this opportunity for Tariro.

Lauren Hendricks, our own Diva, has been recognized as the BEST Grade 12 singer in a countrywide talent search run by the Arts and Culture Trust and she has been awarded a R60 000 scholarship for her efforts. Lauren continues to grow and develop as a talented singer and we hope that her voice will take her a long way to achieving her dreams.

Thomas Stranex, Sean Petersen and Yunjae Na were all selected to represent Western Province in mathematics. This is an exceptional achievement as it reminds us as to how strong our Mathematics department really is.

Also on an academic note, three learners, **Jamie-Leigh Snoek, Jade Abels and Jaymo Reynolds**, all achieved a placing in the TOP 10 in the Consumer Studies Olympiad out of over 4000 contestants. This is an exceptional achievement and the learners and Mrs Mamhede and Ms van Rooyen should be commended on this success.

18 year old **Dewaldt van Rooi** competed in the South African Karate Tournament in Bloemfontein last weekend. Dewaldt did extremely well, winning a medal in each of the 7 events he participated in, coming home with 5 Gold, 1 Silver and 1 Bronze. These achievements earned him the Best Male Award 2016 as well as the Champion of Champions trophy 2016. Dewaldt is also the SA Champion of the Goju Kai 41th Annual Tournament 2016, he can now look forward to competing in the 2017 World Championships in Canada.

The Matric class of 2016 will, within a week of our return next term, be starting their Final NSC exams and we wish them all the best as they embark on the final part of their school journey. They have been prepared well over the past 5 years and Mrs Earl, Mr Classen and Mrs Leonard should be congratulated as the Grade team for their unfailing support of their grade.

The holiday is short and sweet and before we blink we will be back to take on the final term. To all our families who may be travelling these holidays we pray for travelling mercies. To those who will be spending time at home, have a wonderful rest.

Stephen Price



CROWNED LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The 1st Girls Squash team had a good squash season as they played hard throughout the year to be crowned league champions for 2016.

L—R: Lisa Mylie, Amber Ing, Isabella van der Rede

SPORTS DINNER AWARDS



ATHLETICS

Outstanding performance across disciplines: Joshua Rhode
The people's champion: Cole Davids

BADMINTON

Consistent Performances and Commitment: Sean Petersen
Perseverance: Luke Lenz
Most valuable player: Nathan Godfrey

BASKETBALL

Consistent performer and Dedication: Kayde Lyn Franscious
Dedication and Commitment to the team: Amber Ing
Most valuable player: Rowan Felix
Consistent Performances: Antonio Druchen

CHEERLEADING

Leadership and Excellence: Leigh Cozett
Commitment and dedication to the team: Kirsten Davids
The vivacious and enthusiastic award: Summer Jardim

CHESS

Dedication and Commitment: Shaafee Begg
Dedication and Commitment: Basheer Hamit

CRICKET

Service and Commitment: Lloyd Williams
Service and Consistent Performances: Jaydee Rossouw
Service to Cricket: Tariq Fillies
Most Improved Senior: Ebrahim Cassiem

GOLF

Dedication and commitment: Kian Wright
Golfer of the year: Christan Booysen

HOCKEY

Service to Hockey: Carmen De Wet
Service to Hockey: Kelly Aspeling
Service to Hockey: Crystalle Davel
Service to Hockey: Verenique Stevens
Most Improved: Jade Abels
Team man of the Year: Dean Paulse
Most Consistent: Jadon Gideon
Most Improved: Tom Dinan

NETBALL

Loyal service and commitment to Netball: Melissa Scholtz
Dedication and Initiative: Timia September
Positive team spirit: Yolanda Sitembile

RUGBY

Dedication and Commitment: Lloyd Williams
Most promising Junior: Aidan Williams
Commitment and Perseverance: Regan Johnson
Consistent Performances In Several Positions: Luke Williams

SOCCER

Most consistent performer: Connor Lee

SQUASH

Most Improved: Connor Dixon
Dedication and Commitment: Amber Ing

SWIMMING

Most influential Swimmer: Isabella Van Der Rede
Commitment, Perseverance and Consistency: Malcolm Redpath
Pure Excellence: Jamie Williams

TENNIS

Most Improved player: Darren Hopley
Most outstanding player: Darren Woolf

SPECIAL MEDALS

Dewaldt van Rooi - SA U/19 Karate Champion 2016
Girls 1st Team Squash: Winners of the "C" League 2016
Boys 1st Team Hockey: Winners of the 1st League 2016





This past week Bergvliet High School went all out to support two very worthwhile charities, The Sunflower Fund and CHOC (Childhood Cancer Foundation).

Learners and teachers helping to make a difference, well done to all those who supported!



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SPOTLIGHT ON AMBER

Amber Ing in grade 11 has been a very busy young lady. Here are some of the adventures and achievements she has experienced over the past year.

Junior Ranger for San Parks of Table Mountain National Park.

Amber has been involved with San Parks since being in grade 9

She learnt about poaching and caring for the environment, which they often put into practice by organising a pick up litter day.

Two Ocean Aquarium

She is a member of Sea Fans and has completed grade 9 & 10 courses, achieving diamond & gold certificate on the grade 10 course.

Amber recently completed the grade 11 course and she has received certificated for all of the above.



Green Pop

Green Pop is a non-profit organisation which organises for students to plant trees and helping with disforestation along with educating people about the importance of planting trees.

Amber was selected to take part in this programme and visit Zambia after writing an essay about conservation and how to make a difference.

Top photo: Amber(2nd from the right) in Zambia where she helped with the planting of 600 trees.

Whilst in Zambia she also helped paint schools, played with children and attended Conservation courses.

Scouts & Cubs

Amber has been with the Scouts and Cubs for 10 years.

Amber's ambition is to become a wild life vet in the National Parks and aim to decrease wild life poaching, along with educating on risks and responsibilities of keeping our plant clean and safe for wildlife.



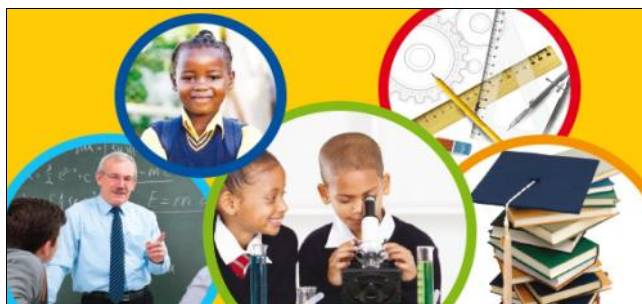
Amber keeling in the front with the scouts during a beach clean up.

KIA CUP— SOCCER



PROMOTION FOR BOYS HOCKEY

The First boys' hockey team deservedly won their league and have gained promotion to the Premier League in 2017. Well don't gentlemen!



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With this in mind, we have set up a **BERGVLiet HIGH SCHOOL BUSINESS DIRECTORY**. This will provide an excellent opportunity for you to market your business/services not only to our school family but also to the broader community. Take a look www.bhs.org.za

If you are interested please complete the application form and return it to kwarne@bhs.org.za

The cost of belonging to the Business Directory will be R50 per annum.

We at Bergvliet are very excited about working together to strengthen the Bergvliet High School community!

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<http://www.bhs.org.za/component/content/article/10-school-news/921-business-directory-listing>



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