

ASSEMBLY, Friday 26 April 2019

Introduction

Brass Band - Renaldo Wales will be announcing the performance pieces for today's assembly.

Sport

1st XI Hockey Tour

On Thursday 18 April, the 1st XI departed for Port Elizabeth to take part in the inaugural Grey High Hockey Tournament. Our first stop was Oakhill in Knysna where the team played a warm-up game against a very motivated Oakhill 1st XI. On Friday 19 April, we departed for Port Elizabeth. Grey High invited 5 schools to the tournament, Selborne College, Michaelhouse, Garsfontein, Paul Roos and Bishops. The tournament was played as a round robin of five matches with play-off games on the last day. After the five pool games, Bishops was top of the log winning all five games. It was thus down to a Bishops/Paul Roos final. After beating Paul Roos in the round robin stages, we fancied our chances but a well-coached and well-disciplined Paul Roos team outsmarted us to take the final 4-2.

Results were as follows: Oakhill 5 – 2; Selborne College 4 – 1; Grey High 2 – 1; Michaelhouse 6 – 1; Garsfontein 1 – 1 (won on showdowns 4-3); Paul Roos 5 – 2; Final against Paul Roos 2 – 4.

u16A Hockey Festival

The u16A hockey side travelled to Michaelhouse over the Easter weekend to complete in the ISHF. The Bishops team is made up of a majority of u15 players which bodes well for the future. Bishops played a total of five matches. The team had wins against Clifton, Crawford College (Midrand) and St Benedicts. The team drew to Kearsney College and lost to Michaelhouse. Bishops scored a total of 10 goals and conceded only 3 goals. It was a great tour and special mention must go to Ruru Msutu for his excellent coaching.

Golf

Golf results over the past few weeks:

Monday 8 April

1st team lost to Milnerton High School with Chris Gutuza picking up a good win in his match. 3rd team beat Wynberg convincingly with a score of 61 – 20. Cole Crawford top scoring with 20 points.

Monday 15 April

1st team narrowly lost to Reddam by half a point with Daniel Davidson and Chris Gutuza picking up wins and Jack Ritchie-Roux halving his match. 2nd team lost to SACS, also by half a point, with Ubaid Francis and Jack Lee winning their matches and Sebastian Dorward halving his match.

3rd team beat Jan van Riebeeck 64 – 47. David Brunt top scoring with 19 points.

Karate

Kai and Reyne De Klerk recently participated in a Karate South Africa National selection tournament and both were awarded Protea colours. This past weekend, they took part in a World Karate Federation KSA tournament in Bloemfontein. Kai achieved double bronze medals for individual and team kata, while Reyne was awarded double bronze for team kata and kumite. They are now eligible to represent South Africa at the All Africa Karate tournament and the World Karate tournament in Chile later this year.

Soccer Captain

Congratulations to William Vagn-Jensen who has been appointed as captain of Bishops Soccer for 2019. The vice-captain is Nic Cattell. Well done!

Sailing

Milnerton Aquatic Club's 24-hour sailing challenge is an event in which a team sails a boat around a set course. Bishops entered two teams – one sailing on a 420 and the other sailing a Sonnet. The 420 team came second in their fleet and the Sonnet team third in theirs. We are very proud of the Sonnet team who came third overall. There were twelve sailors involved from Bishops. Congratulations! Please would Peter Worthington-Smith come up to collect the trophy.

General

All Rounders Ties

Jay Sinha and Seth Nieburg are to be congratulated on being awarded All Rounders ties.