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## Upcoming Events

- ◆ Cricket / Basketball vs Clifton
- ◆ JUNIOR PRIZE GIVING
- ◆ Music Lunch Hour Concert
- ◆ Gr 11 Business Studies Excursion
- ◆ Cricket / Basketball / Water Polo vs Kearsney (a)
- ◆ DHS Open Evening : 17h30 : 13 February

## Nonpareil Academy

The Nonpareil Academy has begun 2018 with a great deal of activity, learning and understanding of the modern approach of 'autonomous learning'.

This style of learning is more experiential and requires a type of learner to 'manage' his learning style. A facilitator and learner engage with the main concepts rather than the standard teacher only approach. This entails research to be done by the learners on their laptops in their own time enabling accelerated learning for those that show the initiative and creativity to advance their knowledge.

This Academy covers two assessment programmes. The Cambridge International Assessment is offered as well as an Extension of the Education

Department's syllabus. Both these programmes are run simultaneously with groups broken up into different areas of the venue to either do learning with a facilitator, collaborative learning as a group or their own research in cubicles.

It has been an exciting start with all of us having to change mind-sets to enable further learning. The young gentlemen have been very positive and are embracing the new style with enthusiasm.

I have had some parents comment that it is the first time their sons have said they wish they could stay at school longer!

Ms Carolyn Dickinson  
Director of Nonpareil Academy



*Ms Dickinson with members of the Nonpareil Academy*



*Learners in the Nonpareil Academy*



*It was a full house at the Electives Open Evening!*



*Congratulations to the Heads of House & House Prefects were announced in Assembly this week*



*The Inter-House Gala was won by Langley and the House Leaders were delighted!*



*Our Head Boy looking fierce!*

## Electives Open Evening

Mr Bryan Adam, Head of the Electives Programme, hosted an Open Evening this week to give parents and boys the opportunity to find out more about the Electives which are going to be offered at Durban High School, as well as how the electives will be incorporated into the school day.

The evening was well attended by interested boys and their parents, as well as the companies and staff members who will be running the various electives.

The Electives on offer for the first semester are:  
Languages (Zulu; Portuguese; French)  
Entrepreneurship  
Practical Courses (First Aid;

Sailing Course, Rocket Building)  
Tertiary readiness course through Varsity College  
Online Learning Programmes  
Information Technology Literacy  
Community Engagement  
Public Speaking and Toastmasters  
Videography & Photography  
Academic Support Classes

Registration forms for the Electives have been circulated to the Boys and are also available to download from the D6 Communicator. The forms need to be returned asap, and before the 7 February. Places in the Electives are on a first come first serve basis.

The Electives will commence on Monday 5 March 2018.

## Heads of House & House Prefects

Well done to the following young men of Durban High School who have been appointed as Heads of House and House Prefects for 2018:

### Blackmore House:

Head of House: Donovan Adam  
House Prefects: Martin Mugoni  
Tiangan Terreblanche

### Campbell House:

Head of House: Dylan Harris  
House Prefects: Zakariya Adam  
Nkita Mhloma

### Grice House:

Head of House: Cameron Diedricks  
House Prefects: Lutho Ndamase  
Sikhumbuzo Sithole

### Langley House:

Head of House: David Whitfield  
House Prefects: Ethan Mack  
Cameron Tomlinson

### Payn House:

Head of House: Bryson Boekhoud  
House Prefects: Dhishant Hariram  
Vishal Nagin

### Swales House:

Head of House: Santhiran Pillay  
House Prefects: Devash Ishwarlall  
Seitlheko Ntsebe



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## Sport Results

### CRICKET vs MARITZBURG COLLEGE

1<sup>st</sup> XI DHS 170/7  
(DHS Top Batsman - Zimhindo 61 N.O.)  
College 298/4  
Match abandoned due to rain

2<sup>nd</sup> XI DHS 105 All Out  
(DHS Top Batsman - Ismail 42)  
College 106/3  
DHS lost by 7 wickets

U16A DHS 156 All Out  
(DHS Top Batsman - Naicker 50)  
College 158/2  
DHS lost by 8 wickets

U15A DHS 120 All Out  
College 120/4  
DHS lost by 6 Wickets

U14A DHS 159/7  
(DHS Top Batsman - Ndondo 33)  
College 224/9  
(DHS Top Bowler - Tsanwani 4/35)  
Match abandoned due to rain

### WATERPOLO vs MARITZBURG COLLEGE

DHS	Score	College
1 <sup>st</sup>	4	1 <sup>st</sup>
2 <sup>nd</sup>	0	U16A
U15A	3	U15A
U14A	9	U14A
U14B	6	U14A

### BASKETBALL vs MARITZBURG COLLEGE

	DHS	Score
1 <sup>st</sup>	75	68
2 <sup>nd</sup>	7	46
U16A	30	47
U16B	21	23
U15A	18	30
U15B	9	10
U15C	13	15
U15D	3	11
U14A	13	45
U14B	9	10
U14C	5	51
U14D	12	2

## Inter-House Gala

A fiercely contested Inter-House Gala was held on Wednesday morning ... it was so close that the winning house changed from one race to the next and the winner was only known when announced after the final race.

Congratulations to Langley who were the eventual winners!

## Sailing Club

Our first dinghy sailing day for 2018 was held on Sunday 28 January in the strangest weather conditions! The boys had to contend with wind, a downpour, no wind, and then the blazing sun - those who were out in the harbor when the wind dropped had a long slow drift back to shore - but this is all part of learning to sail.

We welcome some new faces to the sport this weekend and welcome back the team from last year - many of whom have progressed to sailing as a team on the L26 class and crewing on the keelers. We are also

The final points were as follows:

Langley	73
Campbell	70
Swales	61
Blackmore	56
Payn	52
Grice	19

The points earned at the Gala will be used towards the Cockhouse Inter House Trophy which is won

fortunate to have access to 4 halcats which can be used for training on as well as the volunteered services of Mrs Jennifer Weyer who coaches the boys.

On Wednesday night there was a great race in the Bay, with some new faces. Although the conditions were very windy, the crew sailed with level heads and very few mistakes were made. The new members had lots of fun and even learnt a few things like a knot called a bowline and a few small but important parts of the boat such as the outhaul and kicker. The newcomers are



by the House which accumulates the most points at the end of year through participation in Inter House events.

Well done to the staff for their support and for organising the event as well as the swimmers who made the morning a successful and festive one. And thank you to the parents who came along to support.

showing a great deal of interest and have a lot of potential to become great sailors. The DHS sailing has a bright future.

Ms Steytler  
and Josh Crickmore



Night Sailing!



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## Lutendo Gets a Hat Trick!



*Congratulations to Lutendo Tsanwani who got a hat trick and 4/35 in his game against Maritzburg College on Saturday. Lutendo plays for the U14A team.*

## Moms Who Care

The Moms Who Pray meet once a week to pray and they would like to invite DHS parents to join them.

They meet every Friday morning from 07h30 to 08h15 in the Bill Payn Boardroom.

For further information please contact: Bronwyn Owen on 082-578 9737.

## The Weeks Ahead

### Friday 2 February

Cricket & Tennis vs Clifton  
Poetry Open Mic : Seabrooke's  
Theatre : 15h00-16h30  
Staff Meeting  
DHS Cricket Coaches Clinic : 14h00  
-16h30

### Saturday 3 February

Cricket / Basketball vs Clifton (h)  
Basketball : U16 Tournament @  
Michaelhouse  
Alan Burt Swimming Gala @ St  
Stithians

### Sunday 4 February

Golf KZN S/Coastal Qualifying  
(Kloof)  
Umlazi Swimming Trials (Arena  
Park Pool)

### Monday 5 February

Presentations by The Guardian  
Golf vs Northwood @ Durban CC

### Tuesday 6 February

Water Polo vs Clifton (h)

### Wednesday 7 February

**JUNIOR ACADEMIC PRIZE  
GIVING : 09h30 : DC**

### Thompson Hall

Lessons as normal after the  
ceremony

Cricket : 1<sup>st</sup> XI vs Thomas More :  
School T20 (a)

### Thursday 8 February

Music Lunch Hour Concert :  
Seabrooke's Music Centre : 12h50  
Debating Juniors @ PBHS  
Bouldering Southern Rock

### Friday 9 February

Grade 11 Business Studies Excursion  
to ABI Bottling Plant  
Basketball Regional Trials @  
Westville  
Swimming Gala @ Westville

### Saturday 10 February

Cricket / Basketball / Water Polo vs  
Kearsney (a)

### Sunday 11 February

Midmar Mile

### Tuesday 13 February

DHS Open Evening : 17h30 : DC  
Thompson Hall

## This Weekend's Fixtures

### CRICKET vs CLIFTON COLLEGE : Friday 2 February 2018

Team	Time	Venue	Format
3 <sup>rd</sup> XI	14h30	Theobald Oval (h)	20
U14C	14h30	Durban North College(a)	20

### TENNIS vs CLIFTON COLLEGE : Friday 2 February 2018

Team	Time	Venue	Players
3 <sup>rd</sup> XI	15h00	Berea Tennis Club (h)	6

### CRICKET vs CLIFTON COLLEGE : Saturday 3 February 2018

Team	Time	Venue	Format
1 <sup>st</sup> XI	09h30	Goldstones Oval (a)	50
2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	09h30	Theobald Oval (h)	50
U16A	09h30	Barns (a)	50
U15A	09h30	Durban Collegians (h)	50
U14A	09h30	Snows (a)	50
U14B	09h30	Nicholson (a)	40

### BASKETBALL vs CLIFTON COLLEGE (a) : Saturday 3 February

Team	Time	Venue	Team	Time	Venue
1 <sup>st</sup>	12h30	DHS Court 1	2 <sup>nd</sup>	11h30	DHS Court 1
U16A	10h30	DHS Court 1	U16B	11h30	DHS Court 2
U15A	08h30	DHS Court 1	U15B	09h30	DHS Court 1
U15C	10h30	DHS Court 2	U15D	10h30	DHS Court 2
U14A	08h30	DHS Court 2	U14B	09h30	DHS Court 2
U14C	08h30	DHS Court 3	U14D	09h30	DHS Court 3



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# OPEN EVENING

13 February 2018

17h30

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