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Congratulations!

Daniel Bennett wins GOLD for South Africa!!

Congratulations to Daniel Bennett and the South African Junior Protea Golf Team who won Gold at the All African Junior Golf Championships in Cairo, Egypt!

To sum up Daniel's month of March, he achieved the following:

- 1 • Winner of the KZN Midlands OPEN Championship
- 2 • Winner of the 2022 KZN Players Championship
- 2 • Winner of the 2022 Royal Durban Golf Club Open
- 3 • Gold Medal at the All African Junior Golf Championships

We truly are in awe of your ability Daniel! You continue to make the DHS Family extremely proud with your ongoing achievements.

Keyontae Raynard - the best in South Africa!

Keyontae Raynard achieved a lifelong dream by winning a Gold medal in the U16 200m butterfly event at the Swim SA National Championships in Gqeberha.

As a result, Keyontae is now ranked No.1 in SA in his age group!

Keyontae is another current DHS pupil who is ranked number 1 in South



Daniel Bennett wins GOLD for South Africa!

Durban High School
Head Master : Mr A D Pinheiro

Africa for his respective Sport, which is a huge testament to all the hard work being put into Sport as a whole at School.

Congratulations Keyontae, you have done the DHS Family exceptionally proud.

Achievements in Music

Congratulations to the following boys who have been selected for the KZN Jazz Band:

Sabastian Marimuthu
Ezra Munien
Ethan Duki
Kiralin Moodley
Litha Mpondo
Neo Mkhize
Unaye Mndau

Congratulations to the following boys who have all achieved KZN selections in Music:

Lucas Peria - KZN Youth Choir
Sabastian Marimuthu - KZN Youth Orchestra
Ayush Sewpaul - KZN Youth Orchestra

Well done on these fine achievements, Gentlemen!

The DHS Music programme, under the expertise of the incredible Ms Rungan, is truly out of this world and we are so proud to see the continuous success of our musicians year in and year out.



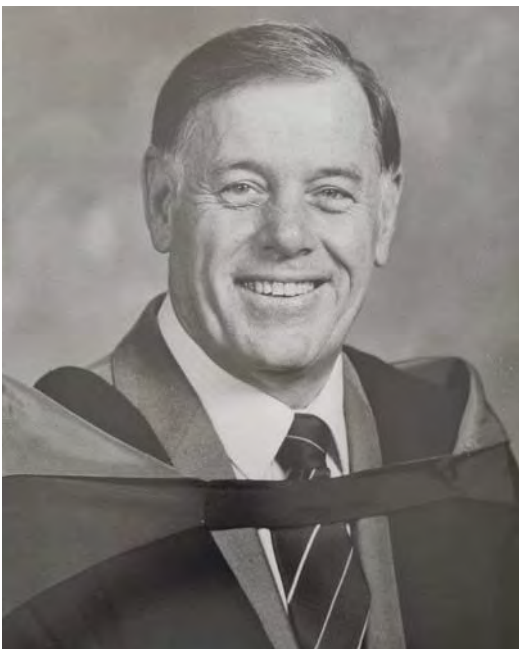
Keyontae Raynard, South African Gold Medalist, with his coach, Graham Hill



KZN Jazz Band Achievers!



*KZN Youth Choir and Youth Orchestra Achievers
(Sabastian Marimuth (left), Ayush Sewpaul and Lucas Peria*



The Late Allan Wilkinson

DHS @ Kearsney Easter Rugby Festival

The DHS 1st XV Rugby team will be participating in this year's Standard Bank Kearsney Easter Rugby Festival at Kearsney College from 14 to 18 April.

Some of the country's top rugby schools will be participating in the Festival and we look forward to very exciting rugby. The Festival will be live streamed on YouTube through SuperSport Schools. The

link for Day one of the Festival is as follows:

<https://youtu.be/J2f7DOnSSU8>

The DHS fixtures are as follows:

14 April vs Waterkloof @ 10h45
16 April vs Dr EG Jansen @ 12h00
18 April vs Monument @ 12h00

Photos for each game will be available on the Kearsney FB page.

Tribute to the Late Allan Wilkinson

DHS Old Boy and former teacher at School, Mr Allan Wilkinson passed away unexpectedly on Friday, 26 March 2022. Allan taught Mathematics at DHS for 11 years during the 1950s and 1960s. He was the son of Maurice Wilkinson a famous woodwork teacher at DPHS. Allan taught generations of boys maths and is remembered with great respect by DHS Old Boys, as an excellent teacher and a fine, caring character.

He was regarded by the boys he taught as an outstanding teacher and those who found themselves in his class group at the beginning of each year, counted themselves as lucky. The atmosphere in his classes was always one of learning. He achieved this by creating a sense of disciplined calm in an environment that was always structured and organized.

Kindly as he was by nature, Allan was not a teacher to be trifled with in any way. Chaotic as some DHS classrooms were in the 60s, 'Mathematics with Wilkinson' was never anything but 'work in progress'. Homework was always completed, and his outstanding results were his reward for commitment to his charges. During those years he was regarded as one of the best Mathematics teachers in the Province. My two years in his

class were both enjoyable and successful.

After leaving DHS in the late 1960s, Allan went through several promotions, including becoming the second Headmaster of Beachwood Boys' High School. After a relatively short spell at Beachwood, he was promoted again to Headmaster of Northlands Boys' in 1976. Here he served the Durban North community with distinction and was rewarded with a promotion to Head Office in Pietermaritzburg at the beginning of 1985.

As my predecessor as Head of Northlands/Northwood, I got to know him, and his dear wife Annette, particularly well during my tenure as Head. The Dux Trophy at Northwood School is named the A J M Wilkinson Shield in his honour. A fitting tribute to a gentleman and committed educationist.

Our condolences, and the condolences of the Class of 1964, go to Annette and family.

A memorial service dedicated to Allan Wilkinson was on Friday, 1 April at the Presbyterian Church, Main Road, Howick.

*Ian Corbishley
DHS Old Boy
Class of 1964*

Sport & Cultural News



U16A Hockey @ Keith Fairweather Festival



2nd XV Rugby @ Glenwood Festival



U16A Rugby @ Glenwood Festival



U15A Rugby @ Glenwood Festival



U14A Rugby @ Glenwood Festival

Watch the Kearsney Easter Rugby Festival on YouTube with SuperSport Schools

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J2f7DOnSSU8>

DHS Rugby and Hockey teams participated in various festivals during the recent holidays and we are proud and delighted to say that not one team lost a game ... our U14A Hockey side went unbeaten at the Westville Hockey Festival, the 2nd XV, U16A, 15A and U14A Rugby teams were unbeaten at the Glenwood Rugby Festival and our U16A Hockey Team remained unbeaten at the Keith Fairweather Hockey Festival.

Hockey

The DHS U16A Hockey participated in the Keith Fairweather Hockey Festival. They started like a house on fire, playing and winning their three games convincingly on Day 1.

DHS beat Zwartkop 6-0
DHS beat Jim Fouche 4-0
DHS beat Parel Vallie 5-0

The continued their fine form on Day 2, with another three wins from three games:

DHS U16A beat Eldoraigue 6-0
DHS U16A beat Nelspruit 2-1
DHS U16A beat Sentraal 7-0

The team finished the Festival unbeaten, playing two games on the last day with the following results:

DHS U16A drew with Merensky 0-0
DHS U16A beat Oosterland 8-0

A massive congratulations to the boys and coaches as we played 8 games, won 7 and drew 1!

This team also made the DHS Family exceptionally proud, not only for their outstanding results, but because of their behavior and sportsmanship which were a true testament to the Mission Statement of School.

The following message was sent to School by a spectator:

"I would just like to congratulate the

DHS U16 boys who participated in the Keith Fairweather Hockey tournament.

Boys, your manners were impeccable, you greeted all adults that you came in contact with, and certainly made your school proud.

I post this because no other school over the 3 days greeted his parents, only the DHS boys!

Keep up the great work on raising our future!"

Rugby

The DHS 2nd XV, U16A, U15A and U14A Rugby teams all participated in the Glenwood Rugby Festival and all teams were unbeaten!

2nd XV

DHS beat Grey Bloem Invitational 17-12

The match was an absolute humdinger!

DHS beat Goudveld 1st Team 15-10
What a game! Trailing 8-10 with 5 minutes to go, the boys never gave up and scored a try from 85 meters away from their try line, taking the final score in Schools' favour!

DHS beat Wesvalia 1st Team 7-5
The 2nd XV won another titanic battle against Wesvalia.

U16A

DHS beat Wesvalia 64-5
Our boys played some scintillating Rugby today and managed to beat a very physical Wesvalia team.

DHS beat Volkskool Heidelberg 64-0

The team played a great mix of running and physical Rugby which managed to blow the opposition away.

DHS beat KZN Development 105-0
Our U16A were just too strong for the KZN Development team.

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Weeks Ahead

Thursday 14 April

Rugby: 1st XV vs Waterkloof @
Kearsney Easter Rugby Festival

Friday 15 April

PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Good Friday

Monday 18 April

PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Easter Monday

Thursday 21 April

Movie Night for Grade 7 Boys

Saturday 23 April

Rugby & Hockey vs Maritzburg College
(a)

Wednesday 27 April

PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Freedom Day

Thursday 28 April

Shine - Music Concert @ DHS

Friday 29 April - 2 May

Rugby - 1st XV @ Wildeklawer
Hockey - 1st XI @ Grey High Festival

Monday - 2 May

PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Workers Day

Wednesday - 4 May

Rugby - KZN U18 & U16 Trials

Saturday 7 May

Rugby & Hockey vs Hilton College (h)
Mother's Day Breakfast @ DHS

Sunday 8 May

Mother's Day

Wednesday - 11 May

Rugby - KZN U18 & U16 Trials

Saturday 14 May

Rugby & Hockey vs Michaelhouse (h)

Saturday 21 May

Rugby & Hockey vs St Charles (h)

Monday - 18 May

Grade 9 isiZulu Excursion to
Phansi/Phezulu

Founders Week - 23 to 28 May

Founders Day - 28 May

Rugby & Hockey vs Westville (h)

Thursday 2 June

Electives Programme Ends

Saturday 4 June

Rugby & Hockey vs Northwood (a)

Monday 6 June

Exams Commence

Thursday 16 June

PUBLIC HOLIDAY - Youth Day

Friday 17 June

SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Sports & Cultural News cont'd

U15A

DHS beat Jim Fouche 76-0
DHS beat Volkskool Heidelberg
53-0
DHS beat Amanzimtoti 76-0

U14A

DHS beat Montana 43-0
DHS beat Jim Fouche 43-7
DHS beat Wesvalia 19-0

These victories ensured that all four participating teams remained unbeaten at the Festival. What an incredible effort from all players and coaches.

A huge congratulations to all involved, you have done the DHS Family so proud! Thank you for all the tireless work being put in by our amazing coaches, leadership of the School and, most importantly, the effort of our boys!

We would also like to say a massive thank you to the parents of our boys who supported in large numbers. Many of our parents visited from afar and did not miss a single day or minute of play. It is this type of love and passion for our boys that makes the DHS Family so incredibly special.

KZN Schools Jazz Festival

DHS also hosted the KZN Schools Jazz Festival during the holidays.

The performances were unbelievable and the talent on display had the audience in awe.

Watch the video on the link below for a taste of the magical live performances:

<https://fb.watch/cmGc5Z5p0Y/>



DHS INVITES YOU TO SPEND
THE MORNING WITH US

Mothers Day Breakfast

7 May, 2022

7:30am

Cost: R100 pp

DHS - Seabrookes

Theatre Foyer



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