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COLLEGE



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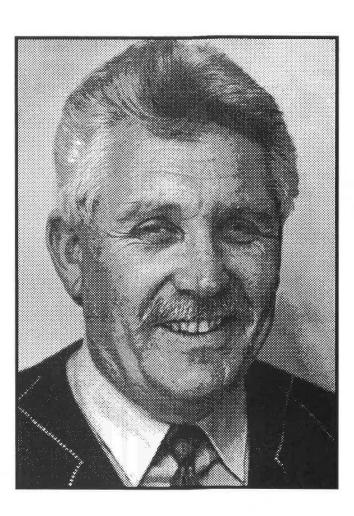
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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

E nga tauira, e nga kaiako, e nga matua katoa o te kareti o Spotswood Te Kura Tuarua o Ngamotu.

I am very pleased to present this my Eighth Annual Report.

The 1994 school year began on an interesting note without the ordered and structured presence of Mrs Rosalie Goldsworthy, who in the early part of the Christmas vacation was appointed Principal of Parkway College, a co-educational school in the Wellington region. A very well deserved promotion.

I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to Mrs Goldsworthy for her commitment, hard work and loyalty, both to the Board of Trustees and to the school over the seven years that she was a part of our senior management team. I have no doubt that the talents of this extremely gifted woman will soon be recognised by educators throughout the country.

As a consequence of this promotion the school was very pleased to welcome the appointment of Mr Chris Lynch to the position of Deputy Principal and Ms Robyn Moran to the position of Assistant Principal.

There will be a small number of changes to the staffing at Spotswood College at the end of the year. We farewell Mr Jason Smithies who will be moving on to greener pastures in Wellington, and after 12 years as Guidance Teacher/Careers Adviser, Mr John Mills will be moving on promotion to New Plymouth Girls' High School. John has been a most supportive

and hard-working member of our school. I know the talents of this quiet and industrious man will be missed by the whole school community.

We also farewell Ms Gaylene Kendrick, who has taken on an enormous challenge and will be working with the Volunteer Service Abroad organisation in Tanzania, Africa. We wish her well in this exciting new venture.

During the year Miss Kristen Abel was granted one year's leave of absence to travel overseas. Hopefully she will be returning at mid-term break 1995! Also missing from our ranks in 1995 will be Mrs Corrina Finch who has been awarded a one year study award at the Auckland College of Education. An exciting and productive year is surely ahead of her.

New appointments are pending in all vacant positions.

1994 saw a lower than predicted school roll of 1063 students. A steady decline in the Form 3 enrolments is a result of the low Form 1 and Form 2 numbers and this trend is still impacting quite dramatically on our school numbers. I anticipate a continuation of this decline to a roll of about 980 students in 1995. While these small numbers have affected our staffing levels we have not yet felt any impact on our broad curriculum structures. Obviously if the trend continues for any great length of time our curriculum could be affected. On a more positive note our school resources are now under less pressure and as a consequence there is an easing in their overall accessibility and availability.

One of the biggest areas of change noticeable during 1994 was the change to school resources and property. As a consequence of initiatives by our Board of Trustees the school returned to a complete upgrade of "A" Block, a new IHC unit on site, a new special needs laboratory, a major refurbishment to the library and a similar refurbishment of the upstairs of "B" Block. We all have good reason to be delighted with these dramatic changes to our school environment. Our next big focus will be a major revamp of our technical and technology facilities and also to the administration, hall and staffroom areas. An additional bonus for our students this year was the development of our second computer suite in "A" Block, an extension to our already substantive school network. In excess of \$100,000 was committed to both this addition and a number of discrete units which were purchased for individual departmental and student use. I believe that Spotswood College arguably now has one of the best computer facilities in the

Examination results for the year were mixed. Bursary and Scholarship students performed with great distinction with over 74% of our five subject candidates receiving an "A" or "B" Bursary. This result compares most favourably with the 58% success in 1992. In addition our senior students were awarded 13 individual scholarship passes in nine different curriculum areas. Excellent results by both our own and national standards. The School Certificate results were, however, quite disappointing. While there were some outstanding individual and departmental successes I was dissatisfied with our overall 50% pass rate. I know we can do better than this. Special mention must go to Paul Charteris, one of our 5th Form 1993 SC candidates, who, in his Workshop Technology paper received a perfect score of 100%. Obviously top in New Zealand and a very rare event in any school.

There were other great achievements by our students throughout the year, quite simply far too many to document in total. Here, however, are some of the more significant achievements of our students at a national level.

Leisa Adams-Broyd  $\sim$  2nd in New Zealand in the 1993 Scholarship Photography examination.

Claire Tompkins ~ New Zealand U21 and New Zealand Young Rider Eventing Champion.

Claire & Heelan Tompkins ~ Members of the Taranaki Team who won the New Zealand Dressage and Eventing titles.

Melanie Hansen ~ Selected for the Taranaki Womens' Soccer team.

Vaughan Robinson ~ 115th in the World U19 Squash Champs.

Dean Parkes ~ 35th in the World Triathlon Champs held in Dallas, Texas.

Teri-Anne Sole ~ New Zealand Secondary School Volleyball representative.

All 4 Volleyball Teams ~ Selected to represent the province at National level.

Bianca Wilks ~ 1st and 2nd prize-winner at the New Zealand Young Designer's Competition.

Anthony Batley and Paul Charteris, 2nd and 3rd in a New Zealand Graphics and Design competition.

Kathy Hill ~ Winner of the Taranaki Science Fair and winner of the New Zealand Royal Society prize for original research.

Jeremy Smith ~ Top 100 in the BNZ Maths competition and New Zealand Young Amateur Radio operator of the year.

Simon Hill ~ Top 30 in the National Bank competition.

Spotswood College Radio and Electronic Group ~ Winner of the New Zealand trophy for the second time in four years.

At the local and provincial level there have been a steady stream of highlights throughout the year; notably the successes of our Jazz and Concert Bands, the wonderful performance of Kapa Haka, our Cultural Group, the re-emergence of Spotswood College on the rugby scene and the inclusion of Leon Brown, Andy Murfitt and Daimen Lobb in the Taranaki Secondary Schools Rugby team, Jamie Banks winning the Taranaki Secondary Schools Speech competition and the successes of our students at the Science and Maths Fairs.

By no means a definitive list but an indication I believe of the fine group of young men and women in our school. Reminding us once again that they are able to compete most successfully at all levels over the full range of student endeavour.

The Spotswood College Board of Trustees had another extremely busy year working hard to develop and promote the school. Their support and guidance to the staff and Principal is always absolutely unconditional, an effective and pro-active team working co-operatively to obtain the best possible outcomes for our students. A very special mention must go to the outgoing members Mrs Diane Roberts, Whanau Chairperson Mr Denis Carr, Deputy Chairperson Mr Ross Fanthorpe, Chairperson Ms Elaine Gill and student representative Nikki Williams who have all indicated they will not be standing for re-election in 1995 or have completed their term of office. Their individual and collective abilities always

ensured that our school has a well balanced and practical base to its policies.

I am particularly pleased to congratulate John Eaddy on his appointment as Chairperson after a break of two years and Doug Hislop who takes up the position of Deputy Chairperson. I look forward to working with them and returning members Paul Goldsmith, Janice Gibb and Denis Ingram in 1995.

To all the staff I give my thanks for your support in the multitude of school initiatives and teaching processes, too many to individually single out but sufficed to say that the staff of this College in all areas of teaching, administration, management and service, form a team which collectively is critical to our successful and ongoing development.

I thank Zoe Priestley, Damian Johnson and all the prefects for their support of the school and wish them well for an exciting and prosperous future.

I look forward to an exciting year ahead in 1995 and would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a most prosperous and productive New Year.

Kia ora koutou katoa.

Barry Finch PRINCIPAL







## **STAFF 1994**



Back Row: Mr A Joe, Mr T Lanning, Mr C Gill, Mr M McGregor, Mr J Tuz, Mr J Hawkins, Mr I Wiseman, Mr D Plyler, Mr R Wood, Mr M Chivers, Mr D Lotter.

Fourth Row: Mr R Ward, Mr M Paling, Mr I Komene, Mr K Crawford, Mr S Greenhill, Mr P McCall, Mr N O'Keeffe, Mr P Smith.

Third Row: Mrs B Tait, Mrs A Hodges, Ms A Brooker, Mrs C Charteris, Ms S Rendall, Mrs A Larsen, Ms J Stallard, Mrs J Carnachan, Mrs S Mack, Mrs N Jonas, Mrs D Walker, Mrs B Rivers.

Second Row: Mrs M Gilbert, Mrs S Plyler, Mrs M Gaze, Mrs G Holland, Mr M Hill, Mr J Hodgkinson, Mr D Oliver, Mrs L Kreisler, Mrs S Domney, Ms G Kendrick, Mrs N Pryme.

Seated: Mrs C Finch, Mr D Ingram, Mr B Bradshaw, Mr K Gilmore, Miss D Andrews, Mr C Lynch, Mr B Finch, Ms R Moran, Mrs F Cooper, Mr B Bayly, Mr G Carnachan, Mr E Priestley.

Absent: Mr J Smithies, Mrs K Pirikahu, Mr J Mills, Miss K Abel, Mrs N Bushell, Mr L Stassen, Mrs J Moetara, Mr P Gayton, Mr I Gabites, Mr G Clarke, Mr A Peters, Mrs H Shannon, Mrs G Butler, Mrs J Beggs, Mrs C Laugesen, Mrs D Thomas, Mr G Woodhead, Mrs A Ward, Mrs L Mills, Mrs F Kemsley, Mrs P Byers, Mrs K Woodward, Mrs J Munro.

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPORT**

January 1994 saw the upgrading of "A" Block. Innovations provided an exterior link corridor to the upper classrooms and the provision of a study hall. This is now the venue of Board meetings and much school activity.

During the year assessment and reporting procedures were improved to provide students and their caregivers with more information about this progress in education.

As the year progressed documents have been received signalling major changes in the way the curriculum (subject material) is presented. One important area is Technology which now impacts on all our lives and a greater understanding of its many strands is essential in the modern world. Currently the staff and Board are working towards the introduction of a new

technology curriculum in 1996. It will require the building of a very different Technology Block.

Unfortunately the difficulties faced by many in the economic and social upheaval of the last decade - unemployment and poverty for some - have impacted on the school and required many hours of attention given to students whose caregivers have faced, often long standing, social deprivation. Regrettably there have been "flash points" which have been stressful for students and staff alike. The College and its Trustees continue to emphasise a non-violent, fair play policy for all.

This summer break will see the upgrading to "B" Block, but not to the extend of the work completed in "S" and "A" Blocks. There will be a repaint, and carpet provided. An innovation will be the provision of a lunch area for students on wet days. Earlier in the year this was a specific request from the

Student Council to the Board of Trustees.

This Board will shortly complete its three year term in office. Elections will be held on 31 March 1995 for a new Board. While some of the present members are available for reelection and re-appointment, four have decided to retire.

While some continuity would be desirable it is an opportunity for your parent or caregiver to be involved in making policy for the College - please approach them and ask if they would consider this important task.

Sadly we will say farewell to Elaine Gill (previous Chairperson), Ross Fanthorpe (previous Deputy Chairperson), Dennis Carr (Maori Representative) and Diane Roberts (Parent Representative). All have served with distinction during the transition from the government initiative of "Tomorrow's School" to "Today's College". So on behalf of the school community please accept our grateful thanks for all that each of you have done.

John Eaddy Chairperson

## WHANAU O WHAITATA

Kia Hiwa ra! Kia Hiwa ra! He Karanga hoki tenei o te roopu o te Whanau o Whaitata, me tena o te Komiti, nga tauira me era o nga Kaitautoko me nga matua. A ka huri nga whakaaro ki te hunga mate. Kei to noko a ratou wairua i waenganui o nga tupuna, i roto i nga ringaringa o te Atua Kaha rawa. Moe mai, moe mai, moe mai te hunga mate. Kia matou te Hunga Ora, noho mai i roto i te rangimarie. Ma to tatou Atua tatou Katoa e manaaki. Attention! Attention! This the voice of the committee of Whaitata Whanau, Consisting of students, parents and supporters. We turn our thoughts to our dearly departed. We rest with the thought that they are at rest with Their ancestors and in the hands of the Almighty. May they rest in Eternal peace. Those of us who still walk this Earth, may we do so In peace with the blessing of our God.

1994 has been a reasonably successful year for the committee. The climax of the year for the students culturally was the inter-college festival. Attendance and participation of schools from around Taranaki and Wanganui and special guests, Parkway College from Wainuiomata, were a delight to watch. Much, if not all of the preparations for the festival day were in

the hands of Mrs Kui Pirikahu and Mrs Muriora Avery.

Again kudos must go to these capable and tireless women of the teaching staff for the many projects they have arranged throughout the year. It was especially heartening to see the reformation of the Maori culture group which performed with credit at the inter-college festival. The sad part of the year was the passing of Mrs Pirikahu's father whose tangi was held at Waitotara and attended by the principal Mr Finch, several students and myself. The lighter moment was when we made moves to return home and found that the keys had been locked in the college van - not the fault of the driver, Mr Finch. One of the students had borrowed the keys to change to warmer clothing in the van and had inadvertently locked the keys in. Some of the locals showed their expertise in getting the doors open.

On this occasion, I was extremely proud of the manner in which the college group conducted themselves on this day.

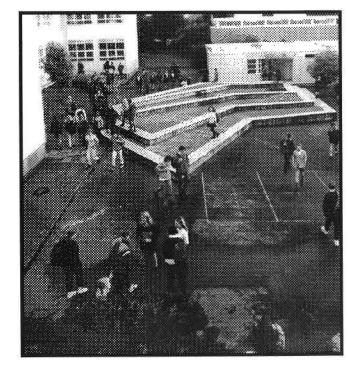
Through the year, the disappointments have been the suspensions of various students for serious forms of behaviour.

It has been my privilege to be associated with the college, the Board of Trustees and with those that I know of the teaching and administrative staff.

To Mr Barry Finch, Mrs Kui Pirikahu, Mrs Muriora Avery, the personnel with whom I have had regular contact, I thank you and consider it an honour to have been associated with you.

May God bless you all and grant you a successful year in 1995. To you, the students, Kia Kaha, Kia maia, Kia toa. It's a challenging world out there, but it is enjoyable with the right education and knowledge.

Dennis Carr Chairman Whaitata Whanau Committee







## **HEAD GIRL'S REPORT**

At the beginning of the year when Mr Finch asked the big question ... "Are you prepared to be the Head Prefect this year?", it seemed like the scariest thought to me and I was, to be honest, somewhat reluctant. Although I was extremely honoured, I was unsure as to whether I wanted to take on the responsibility and the 'label' associated with the position.

However, nine months later, I can say that I have no regrets. I have gained enormously being Head Girl of Spotswood College and it has given me many wonderful opportunities I will never forget. 1994 has definitely been the busiest, yet most rewarding year I have had at Spotswood College.

Meeting and talking with new and interesting people has been both fun and educational. The Board of Trustees I found to be a very professional group of people who were most willing to listen to and consider the student point of view on many issues.

Trying to 'control' the Senior Council and the College Council of Prefects was challenging at times! Yet, important matters were always discussed and events organised.

Attending several other secondary school balls was great fun although our ball was, of course, the most impressive of them all! However, this year it became more apparent that staff and student differences regarding ball night functions are yet to be resolved. Obviously, further discussion is needed by next year's senior students and staff regarding the ball night. Good luck!

Having this position of responsibility definitely involved a fair amount of stress at times for me. However, this helped me to understand the importance of good communication and organisational skills. I have also no doubt gained confidence in certain areas, learnt a lot and had fun!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank people who have worked with me. Damian, Shannon and Jamie - thanks for your support. Shannon, our deputy head girl, ably represented New Plymouth when she acted as an MP at the Youth Leader's parliamentary session in Wellington late this year. Thank you to all the other prefects.

Ms Moran has been wonderfully helpful and supportive. Also Mr Lynch, Mr Finch and Mrs Hodges, thank you for all the assistance.

I feel privileged to have held this position of leadership. It is one which many students could also have been capable of filling and gaining from. I would like to thank my fellow students for having the confidence in me.

Although I am looking forward to the new experiences which await next year, I am grateful for my five years at Spotswood College where I, along with other Seven Form students, have learnt, grown, made great friends and had so many valuable experiences.

Zoe Priestley Head Girl

## **HEAD BOY'S REPORT**

This year has been a year full of challenges and changes for me as Head Boy. Although my position was not as demanding as I had first thought, I would by no means say that it has been an easy year.

Being Head Boy was a challenge in itself with the responsibility and the expectations that people have of their head boy. But I took on these challenges willingly at the beginning of the year and, hopefully, I fulfilled these expectations and represented the College well.

One thing I have really gained this year is patience. I sat through some very long meetings but this has also given me the opportunity to meet and work with many new people. Attending the Board of Trustees meetings and working with the members has been an interesting experience and it showed me the very important job that these people do. Zoe and I also chaired the College Council and the Senior Council which was interesting, to say the least.

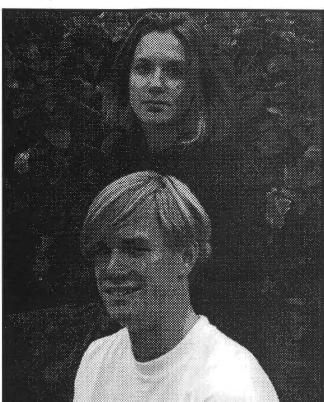
This year has seen many successes on the sportsfield for Spotswood College, something that the school has seen little of in the past. But more important than this has been the increase in the number of students participating in the many sports.

I know that this is always being said, but the Seventh Form year is a very enjoyable year. Of course, Bursary makes it a very important year but it is the last year of secondary school and there will never be another year like it. I would like to wish next year's Seven Formers all the good luck and enjoy the year while you can.

I would like to thank my fellow Head Prefect, Zoe, for being such a great help during the year. I would also like to thank Ms Moran, Mr Lynch and Mr Finch for the help and guidance they have given me. To the students of Spotswood College, thank you for the support you have given me.

I wish you all the very best for the coming year. Thank you.

Damian Johnson Head Boy



# SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE STUDENT COUNCIL

This year the College Council consisting of the 7th Form prefects, with the help of Ms Moran, managed to put their heads together to organise various school activities

The Council funds effectively managed by treasurer Dimetre Triadis, were donated throughout the year to various organisations both in and out of school. A mufti day was organised to raise funds to sponsor a child. The proceeds of another mufti day were donated to the Cancer Society. A Slave Day was also organised by the prefects which was a lot of fun at times but also embarassing however.

All of the committees did a great job in their particular fields. Thank you to all those 7th Formers and prefects who contributed towards the work of the following committees - the Ball Committee, the Social Committee, the Service Committee and the Common Room Committee. Great work, guys!.

A fabulous "60's" dance organised by the Social Committee and Service Committee (with helpers), was held on the night of the Fraser High School exchange and was a great success.

The College Council has also donated money towards helping school sports teams participate in national events. A donation has been made as a gift to the school from the College Council towards beautifying the school grounds. We have also decided to make the Common Room more attractive for next year's 7th Formers by financing the painting of the walls.

Zoe Priestley Damian Johnson

## STUDENTS' REPRESENTATIVE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

At the end of an extremely busy, somewhat hectic but enjoyable year, I can look back on my role as student representative on the Board of Trustees as an adventurous experience. It was an adventure which without the backing of the students and the outstanding support from teachers, I would not have been able to learn from and enjoy. Being a contact between the students and the Board gave me the opportunity to learn a great deal more about how much effort goes into the effective running of a school the size of Spotswood College.

It has been fulfilling for me to have had an input into so many important decisions on behalf of the student body. Even though it has been hard to be unbiased and wanting to please everyone, it has been worth the effort to be part of new ventures and to open the door for others.

My year has been full of many activities including attending the Board meetings, the sub-committee meetings and addressing College assemblies. It has been a great year and I would like to thank the many people who helped to make my job that little bit easier. Special thanks to Mr Finch, Mr Lynch, Ms Moran, Mrs Hodges, Mr Eaddy, Ms Gill and the rest of the Board. I will be forever thankful for the experience I have gained and for the confidence that the students invested in me.

**Nicky Williams** 







## SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE 1994

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES** 

Chairperson: Mr J Eaddy

Deputy: Mr D Hislop

Secretary: Ms A Riddle-Bovett Ms E Gill

Mr R Fanthorpe Mr D Carr Mrs D Roberts

Mr P Goldsmith Mr B Finch Mr D Ingram Mrs J Gibb

Student Rep: Nicky Williams

WHANAU Mr D Carr Mrs M Avery Mr M Hohaia Mrs H Te Awa Mrs R Treanor Miss L Falaniko Mrs K Pirikahu

## STAFF

Principal: Mr B Finch BSc Dip Tchg Associate Principal: Mr C Lynch MEd(Hons) Dip Ed Dip Tchg Assistant Principal: Ms R Moran BA Dip Tchg

Mrs F Cooper HOD TTC

Mr M Hill BSc Dip Tchg

**COMMERCE** 

Mr B Bayly HOD BA

Mrs M Gaze Dip Tchg

Mr P McCall Dip Ag Dip FM BCM Dip Tchg

Mr D Oliver PCY

Mrs D Walker

**ENGLISH** 

Mr K Gilmore HOD MA Dip Arts Dip Tchg

Mr K Crawford MA(Hons) Dip Tchg(Library)

Mr M Chivers Cert Ed

Mrs C Charteris BA Dip Tchg

Mr S Greenhill BA Dip Tchg

Mr D Lotter SecTD Dip Tchg

Mrs S McVicar VBA Dip Tchg

Ms J Stallard BA Dip Tchg

Ms C Reilly BA Dip Tchg

MAORI

Mrs K Pirikahu HOD BEd

Mr I Komene BEd Dip Tchg TTC

COUNSELLING AND GUIDANCE

Mr E Priestley HOD BA(Guid Couns) Dip Tchg Dip Guid Couns

HOME ECONOMICS

Mrs L Kreisler HTC Dip Tchg

Mrs T Farr BSocSc HTD

**LANGUAGES** Mr M Cooper HOD BEd Dip PE Dip Tchg

Mrs N Bushell

Mrs S Domeny TTC

MUSIC

Mr B Bradshaw HOD BA BMus Dip Tchg

Mr L Stassen LTCL FTCL Dip Tchg

**MATHEMATICS** Mr G Carnachan HOD BSc Dip Tchg

Miss A Brooker BSc Dip Tchg

Mrs N Jonas, BEd Dip Tchg TTC

Mr D Plyler BSc MEd Mrs S Plyler TTC

Mr H Rilkoff BEd Dip Tchg Dip Ed(Guid)

Ms S Rendall BSc Dip Tchg

Mrs B Tait (part-time)

COMPUTER

Mr M McGregor BA Dip Tchg

LIBRARIANS

Mrs M Gilbert, Mrs J Moetara

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mr P Gayton HOD Dip PE Dip Tchg

Miss D Andrews TTC

Mr A Joe BEd Dip Tchg Mr J Tuz BS Dip Tchg

SCIENCE

Mr I Gabites HOD BSc(Hons) Dip Tchg M Inst P

Mr G Clarke BSC(Hons) Dip Tchg

Mr J Hawkins BSc Dip Tchg

Mr A Peters BSc Dip Tchg

Mr J Smithies BSc Dip Tchg

Mrs H Shannon Dip HSc Dip Tchg

Mr R Wood BSc(Hons) Dip Tchg

Mrs G Butler Lab Tech

SOCIAL STUDIES

Mr J Hodgkinson HOS BA Dip Ed Dip Tchg

Mr T Lanning MA(Hons) Dip Tchg(Geography)

Mr C Gill BA Dip Tchg(History)

Mrs J Beggs BA Dip Tchg

Ms G Kendrick BA Dip Tchg

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Mrs C Finch HOD TTC

Mrs J Carnachan BEd Dip ECE

Mr T Fleming BSc Dip Tchg(Activities Centre)

Mrs H Brandon IHC Unit

Mrs C Laugesen Adv Dip Tchg Dip Tchg Spec Needs

Mrs S Mack Higher Dip Tchg Dip STN TTC

Mrs B Rivers Transition Asst

Mrs G Holland TTC

TRANSITION AND HEALTH

Mr J Mills HOD BEd Dip Tchg

Mrs J Beggs BA Dip Tchg

Mrs D Thomas TTC

**GRAPHICS AND DESIGN** 

Mr D Ingram HOD WWTC Adv TC Dip Tchg TTC

Mr N O'Keeffe Adv TC Dip Tchg

Mr M Paling BEd TC

Mr R Ward Adv TC(Joinery) TTC

Mr G Woodhead Adv TC TTC

ADMINISTRATION

Administration. Manager: Mr P Smith BA(Hons)

Principal's Secretary: Mrs A Hodges

School Secretary: Mrs A Ward

Services Manager: Mr B Sowman, Mr C Jarman, Mr C Sowman, Mr

G Adlam

Continuing Education (Night Classes): Mrs Chivers

Sports and Cultural Administration: Miss D Andrews Spotswood College Association: Mrs R White (Presidient, Mrs J

Govier (Secretary)

Ancillary Staff: Mrs L Mills, Mrs F Kemsley, Mrs P Byers, Mrs K

Woodward.

**DEAN OF FORMS** 

Form 3: Mrs S Mack, Mr D Ingram

Form 4: Mrs H Shannon, Mr G Woodhead Form 5: Miss D Andrews, Mr N O'Keeffe

Form 6: Mrs J Beggs, Mr M Cooper

Form 7: Ms R Moran, Mr C Lynch

School Nurse: Mrs J Munro

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND IHC TEACHER AIDES

Mrs N Pryme Ms R Harris

Mrs A Larsen Mrs V Dravitski

Mr J O'Keeffe

Mr P Andrews Mrs R Leuthard

Miss G Kilmister

Miss G Dalleston Mrs E Sutcliffe (Transition)

## FROM THE EDITOR ...

The hall, assembly time, whenever. When the college comes together as a body of eager young third formers on their first day as college students to the last day of college life when the new dux for the following year is announced. The hall is the focal point of where it all happens - end-of-term concerts, presentations, where you are praised, threatened, condemned, encouraged and where you can feel happy, sad, bored, enthusiastic or disinterested.

It was in that same hall this year that we had the once-ina-lifetime experience of seeing and listening to someone who has literally been out of this world. Ellen Baker, an astronaut with the Challenger Space Shuttle space programme stood on the very same stage where a fourth former stood to receive a certificate for coming third in the inter-house cross-country

Ellen told us how beautiful our world looked from out there in space. How precious and fragile that blue and green and white earth is and how, if we did not take care of it, what could happen. We saw Earth and even Mt Taranaki from a space

I am sure some of us envied her. Maybe some of us saw her only as the hero of our favourite TV or video space programme come to life. Some probably thought we could be like her and achieve as great in whatever career path we choose to follow. But we were still in the hall and the Challenger was a space shuttle and Ellen Baker an astronaut.

Reminds me of the prisoner who used to look out of her cell each day. She was so involved with her situation that whenever she looked through the bars, all she saw was the mud on the ground. Until one day she decided to look up, and saw the sky. That's it, the sky's the limit. Most seniors would have seen 'Dead Poets Society' this year. Remember 'Carpe Diem'? Yes, seize the day, make use of every opportunity. This is our one and only chance in life. Now, your future. We can reach for the stars or settle for being stuck in the mud.

You've heard it before. We have one life and we can make what we want out of it. When you pick up this magazine in ten years' time, only you will know whether you have seized the moment or not.

The contributors to this year's magazine have a fair idea, I think, of what life's challenge is all about.

Enjoy the read.





Ellen Baker, Challenger astronaut, presenting Mr Finch with a photo of her space shuttle launching.

## 1994 GRADUATES SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE

The following list includes some of Spotswood College's past students who have graduated this year.

The date shown is the student's last year at College.

## WAIKATO UNIVERSITY

Duff, Rangiauta - CertMSt (1965); Eaddy, Simon John -BSocSc(Hons) (1989); Edwards, Kim - BSocSc (1989); Jackson Laurel June - BEd (1990); Kemsley, Aylene Jeanie -BA (1991); Murphy, Kane Enoka George - CertMSt (1991); Neumann, Melanie Jane - BSocSc (1990); Sharp, Jennifer Marie - BSc (1990); Smart, Nigel Roy - BSocSc (1988); Smith, Louise Anne - BMS (1989); Wood, Brenda Maree - BMS (1989)

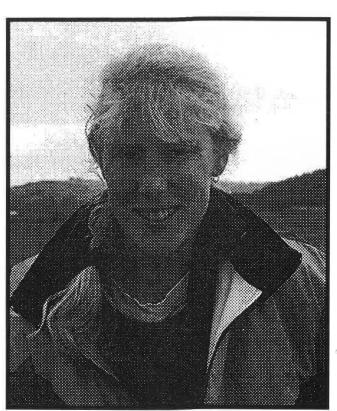
LINCOLN UNIVERSITY

Day, Carol Louise - BCM (1984)

MASSEY UNIVERSITY Kawana, Eve - BEd







TARANAKI TO TANZANIA

Yet another note in my pigeon hole, "Please ring Michelle VSA urgent!" I'd already tried to ring three times in the past week but she was always out. "The news was good" they said "please ring". That was Friday 4pm - Michelle was away for a long weekend. Try again Tuesday.

Now I finally had her on the phone. "The job's yours if you want it," she said. I groped for a chair, gave up and sat on the floor. School Office - Tuesday lunchtime, Mrs Ward and Mrs Mills watched bemused.

"If you want it" echoed in my ears. Did I? Would I? Could I? Another radical change in my life looming - yes or no? What about all I had here, my family, friends, soccer, flying - a job - a real job that paid money!!!

The job on offer was teaching English in a small secondary school in Dongabesh, Tanzania (see map attached). Dongabesh is an isolated village of approximately 4000 people, an hour's drive from Mbulu the nearest town. The nearest hospital, an hour's drive in the other direction. The school will provide a house on campus with piped water (a luxury), a long drop loo and a kerosene cooker - no electricity. Michelle is the Assistant Programme Coordinator for VSA.

VSA or Volunteer Service Abroad is a Non-Government Organisation that has been operating in New Zealand since the early 1960's. They aim to increase awareness within NZ of the social and economic issues regarding justice and human rights in the developing world.

They do this by sending specialists as requested by a variety of countries within the South Pacific, South East Asia and Africa. These specialists vary from educators, technicians, engineers, agriculturalists etc. The specialists volunteer their time and skills to the community aiming ultimately to leave behind a self-sufficient community who no longer require an import to do the work for them.

By volunteers, I mean volunteers. The Dongabesh job pays NZ\$40 per week and that is three times the local teacher salary (and is subsidised by VSA). VSA also pay a small set-up

allowance and resettlement allowance on my return but it is immediately obvious that I wasn't going to make any money off this. I was going to have to resign from Spotswood as they couldn't guarantee my job for two years. VSA would pay my expenses and a small allowance and that was that!

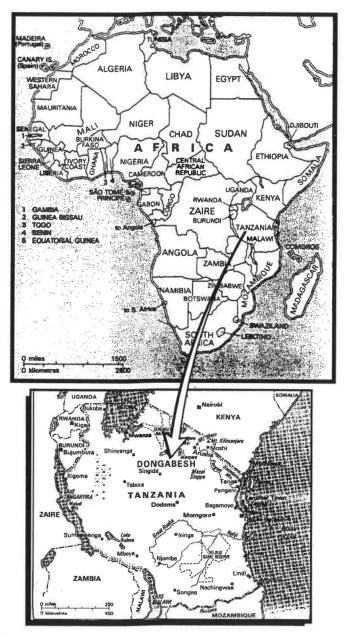
As I sat on the floor my mind raced through all those other reasons for going. To see Africa, to meet new and interesting people, learn a new language and test myself to the limit. It was also a chance to address a few bad habits of mine, like the chronic overuse of my credit card; eating packaged food and wasting half of it; taking NZ for granted and moaning because it wasn't perfect.

"I accept, of course" I said with a smile while my stomach dropped significantly closer to the carpet.

I don't imagine it will be easy and I'll miss everyone, even my students tremendously, but it's an opportunity for adventure that my soul quite simply can't refuse.

Thanks Spotswood for a magnificent four years, I've really enjoyed your energy, initiative and positivity, I take some grand memories with me.

## Gaylene Kendrick



## STUDENT EXCHANGE

### ARGENTINE EXCHANGE

Coming to New Zealand has been one of the best things that has happened to me. I've tried to make the most of my exchange and I've enjoyed every bit of it.

Trying to fit into a new culture is not always easy but it is interesting. I have a lot of fun whenever I look back and remember how disorientated I was when I arrived. I found myself having to deal with unfamiliar situations which were ordinary, everyday stuff to New Zealanders and therefore, what they took for granted, was not the same for me.

The language caused a few inconveniences at times, especially when people used slang and I took everything literally!

It has also been a challenge for me to try and pronounce some of the never-ending Maori words properly.

One of the most difficult things was getting up on time in the mornings to go to school. In Argentine I've been going to school in the afternoons ever since I've been five years old.

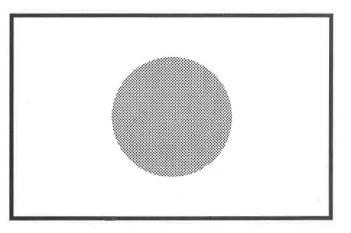
This year has been very fruitful. I learnt that New Zealand has a lot more to offer than just a beautiful hilly, green landscape, sheep and - rain! It has been great having had the chance to meet so many new people and to experience your way of life.

I see things in a new perspective and I approach situations in a different way now. I have become more independent and aware of my responsibilities.

I would like to thank Spotswood College for all the support and also all of you who got close to me and made my year so enjoyable. You have become a very important part of my life and I will miss you all very much.

## Leda Pedelini Argentine





## HANAE FROM JAPAN

My first impression of New Zealand was that it is 'a green and white place.' Now I think of New Zealand as a 'green, white and blue' country. New Plymouth is really beautiful too. When I arrived in Taranaki, I was surprised and delighted to see Mt Taranaki. It is so like Mt Fuji and really neat. In autumn I would often see a rainbow. That really impressed me too because in Japan we rarely see a rainbow.

To be honest, I did not enjoy the school life very much at first. School in New Zealand is very different to Japanese schools. The atmosphere is different and people are different ... But now, I'm enjoying Spotswood College very much.

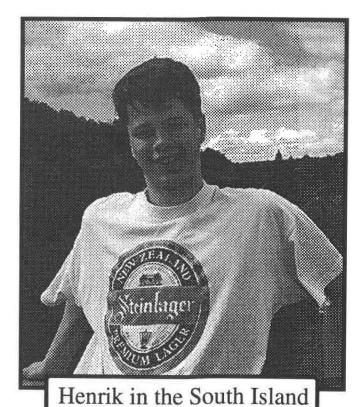
It was difficult to communicate with people in my English and it was hard for me to be positive. But I noticed that people were different. They were open and kind. I think I am lucky to have been able to come to Spotswood College. Sometimes I puzzled about friends, school ... but, of course, it is part of the experience.

I have learnt a lot. And now, I have only two months left in this beautiful country before I go back to Japan. I still have a lot to learn in that time.











SWEDISH EXCHANGE

To be an exchange student or not to be.

Did you know that 0.14% of all the people in the world are Swedish?

Hi, I'm Johan Henrik Hedqvist and in case you didn't know, I'm an exchange student from Kalmar, a town on the south-east coast of Sweden.

I arrived in New Plymouth in January this year straight out of a rough Swedish winter of -25degC and metres of snow. And believe it or not, when I arrived it was not even raining in Taranaki - something that is most unusual.

I have really enjoyed the exchange in New Plymouth and have found the people very friendly. Highlights of the year have included visiting the South Island and, of course, sampling your brilliant ski fields. I have picked up many great NZ customs that I will take back to Sweden but you can keep Marmite and 'Shortland Street'.

As you read this I have less than a month left of my exchange so I'm trying to get the most out of every day.

Catch you later.

PS. By the way, see you in Sweden where you will be most welcome but don't bring any Vegemite with you!

Live long and prosper.

## J. Henrik Hedgvist

### TAHITI EXCHANGE

Tireta was a friendly and happy Tahitian exchange student. Seen here with some of her 4th Form French class members, she stayed in New Plymouth for five weeks.

Every year students from Spotswood College have the opportunity to spend six weeks in Tahiti to improve their spoken French and to experience the excitement and colour of a French Polynesian island.





# JULIE-ANN TAKES TO THE SKIES

During the May school holidays I was lucky enough to attend the Air Training Corps' National Power Flying course at the RNZAF base at Woodbourne. The camp is designed for ATC members who want to fly, meet other cadets from around New Zealand and have fun at the same time.

On Thursday May 4, while most of my fellow students were dreaming of the holidays, I was on a bus heading towards Ohakea from where I flew to Christchurch on a special SATTS flight. This is a flight service between the airforce bases for all service personnel. From Christchurch it was a six hour bus trip up the South Island to Woodbourne. Thirty-three hours after leaving New Plymouth, I arrived at a very cold, dark Woodbourne wanting nothing more than a good feed and a long uninterrupted sleep. But that was asking too much. The next day and a half was spent meeting the other 29 intrepid fliers who all had the same goal as me and that was to fly solo. On the Monday afternoon the madness ended and the flying fun began. We were split into groups of five and given a plane and an instructor. I was assigned a Cessna 152 Aerobat which was the only plane in the fleet capable of performing aerobatics. There was great rivalry between the groups who all believed they had the best plane.

My instructor was Brian Davison of Paraparaumu who moonlights as an intermediate school principal during the week and flies as an instructor during the weekends. Brian would always say to me, "Don't worry, Julie-ann, there's a fence at the end of the runway and the plane is insured!" You can imagine how great that left me feeling.

We learnt all there was to know about pre-flights,

straight and levels, turns, circuits, stalls, engine failure, overshoots and by the last day, did we know how to clean a plane!

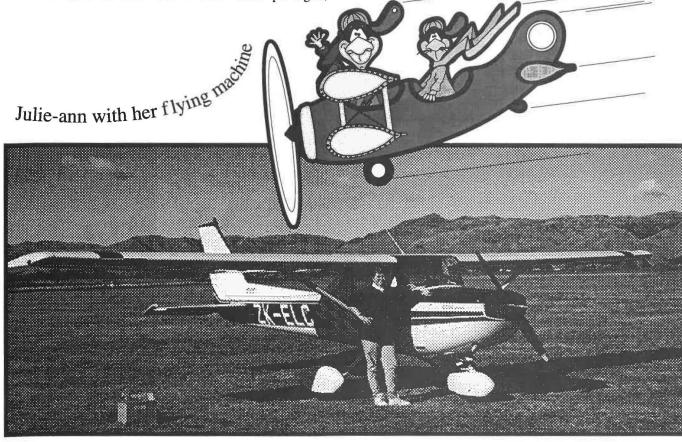
On the 8th flying day, I soloed. It was an amazing feeling, not that I remember much about it. We had been flying for half an hour when Brian told me to land. He gave me the talk, told me that I was ready and that was about it. He hopped out and I took off. It wasn't until I had landed and got congratulated from the control tower that it really hit me - I had flown solo. At the ATC when someone solos for the first time they are initiated. This is a simple ritual which involves the fully-clothed soloist and lots of ice cold water. My initiation followed soon after and as I was the first of the three females on the course to solo, the guys made sure that I got real wet!

The course kept progressing with everyone running up their flying hours and by the final flying day only two people had failed to solo. Ten days after the start of the course Brian hopped into our little plane and flew off into the sunset. Two days later it was our turn. Tears flowed as our closely knit groups said our goodbyes promising to do it all over again next year.

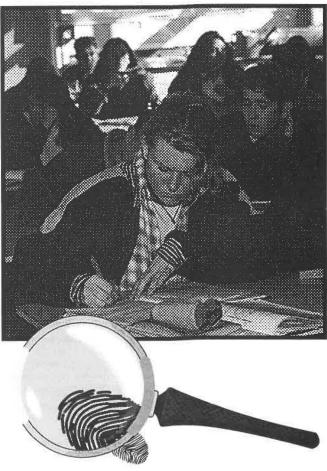
\$1000 seems a lot to spend on a hobby but that was petty cash compared to what it would cost on civvy street. I was fortunate to be awarded an Air New Zealand Scholarship worth \$500 to go towards the cost of my course.

The May holidays was an 'Off the Richter' experience for me and I am so glad I had this opportunity. Flying is an unbelievable experience. If you haven't tried 'hands on', give it a go. You may find yourself with a new passion, just like I did.

Julie-ann Wilson Form 7DL







# 6TH FORM LEGAL STUDIES TRIP

In late October, the 6th Form Legal Studies class went to Wellington. Mr McCall's intrepid driving got us safely to Wellington where we stayed at Trekkers, the best budget accommodation. That night we went to the movies. Getting up next morning was not easy but after scrambling for the showers and a hearty breakfast, we set off to visit the Wellington Central Police Station. Our tour around the station convinced us that breaking the law does certainly not pay. The cells were, to say the least, disgusting.

Our next call was to the Law Centre which was much more interesting. After lunch it was up to the Beehive which we toured as well as the Debating Chamber of Parliament. This was an eye-opener seeing the MPs constantly arguing. Winston Peters was asleep for most of the time while Helen Clark could not stop smiling. Our local MP, Harry Duynhoven, entertained us with afternoon tea and the chocolate biscuits went down a treat. Our final visit was to the office of the Ombudsman.

On our way back to the hotel we nearly lost our way. As usual, there were other highlights such as having to listen to Mr McCall's 'music' tapes, not forgetting to have to listen to his singing lessons, someone (Glenarr) locking her keys in the room and having to scale the fire escape, Claire Hodgkinson falling over in KFC, and sick people on trips (Hayley).

Not to worry, Mr McCall, we really did enjoy the trip and found it very informative.

## MATHEMATICS COMPETITIONS

As usual the Mathematics competitions were well supported with over 180 entries to various events.

There have been some outstanding successes this year with the highlights being:

## Synfuel Mathematics Spectacular:

- \* Form 3 team won the Taramath Trophy from all the other Taranaki schools in the quiz competition. Team members were Kate Hayward, Simon Hill, Gareth Fox and Ryan Cooper.
- \* Claire Shannon 1st Form 4 Math Art
- \* Erin McNeil 1st Form 4 Individual project
- \* Stacey Amor 1st Design

## CAXTON EDUCATIONAL MATHEMATICAL INVESTIGATION COMPETITION

\* Claire Shannon, Amy Bloor and Jackie Laugesen received a merit award.

## NATIONAL BANK MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

- \* Sarah-Jane Thorstensen
- Top 100 Awards Form 5
- \* Kathy Hill
- Top 100 Awards Form 5
- \* Simon Hill
- Outstanding Award (Top 30) Form 3
- \* Merit Awards (Top 15%)
- Form 3: Kate Hayward
  - Form 4: Fraser Richards
  - Form 5, Nicola Bell,
  - Politi 5, Nicola Bell,
  - Jamie Boulton, Litisha Jury

## WESTPAC AUSTRALIAN MATHS COMPETITION

Distinction awards:

Form 3 - Simon Hill, Kevin Bryant, Ryan Cooper, Michael Kemsley, Ben Gaastra, Jon Gaastra

Form 4 - Fraser Richards

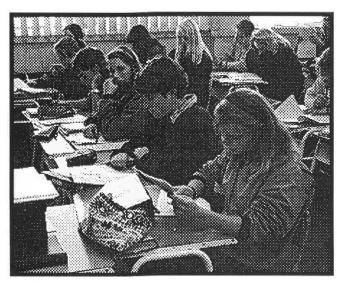
Form 5 - Sarah-Jane Thorstensen, Dana McKay, Litisha Jury

Form 7 - Jeremy Smith

There were also 20 merit awards.

## **BNZ SENIOR MATHEMATICS**

Jeremy Smith - Top 100 Award





## LIBRARY 1994

Everybody will be familiar with at least some of the changes that have occurred in the library this year.

Over the summer holidays the carpenters were busy and our new-look library emerged from beneath layers of plastic sheeting and carpenter's dust. We hope you like the new layout, the attractive furniture, the natural lighting that the glassed-in balcony gives you, and the division of the downstairs into a non-fiction study area and a fiction recreational-reading zone. It's your library so please use it, enjoy it, and look after it.

Computers are a cliché these days but the library is currently following the trend and going hi-tech. We're installing the Catalist library system at the moment, with the generous help of Spotswood old-pupil librarian, Marie Gilliver, and we hope to have the system fully operational about the middle of 1995. It should make your use of the library much more efficient and effective. CD Rom is coming soon, too.

Though our book numbers have fallen a little, to around 10,000, the quality of books continues to rise. This is due to the huge number of old or outdated books we have had to 'retire' and to our policy of purchasing new books. We continue to focus on material to support your learning needs - a lot of money has been spent in the areas of science, technology, social issues, history, art and craft and language, as well as statistical material. We intend to improve sport and recreation significantly, too.

You have been served this year by a number of pupillibrarians to whom our thanks, on your behalf, go to Jaime, Daniel, Vanessa, Tracey, Lara and Maria. We also thank Nancy for her cheerful work on the counter. If you would like to join in and help us in 1995, why not talk to Mrs Gilbert or Mrs Moetara about it?

Well, this year has certainly flown past. Make sure you have safe and happy holidays, find time for lots of holiday reading, and see you all in '95.

Mr Crawford

## **SOCIAL STUDIES**

For many years the Social Studies Department has beavered away over in the top floor of B Block out of sight and almost out of mind with the conditions being somewhat rundown. We returned at the start of this year with all the class rooms having completed a facelift. Carpet on the floor, paint where it mattered, display board space and whiteboards!!! It certainly led to a much more enthusiastic start to the year.

In a world where we have become quite self-centred it is important that we keep looking outside of ourselves and attempt to understand what is really happening in the "world around us". Asking questions like ... Is Spaceship earth terminally ill? Can people really make a difference? What does it mean to be a New Zealander? What does the Treaty of Waitangi really say?

To achieve all of this students have developed a range of research skills as well as being able to process information and come up with a well presented conclusion. There are important skills in the "Skill New Zealand" campaign. Many of these skills have shown through in the work completed in our senior Geography and History classes.

Again there have been many excellent special studies completed at all levels. I am continually amazed at the incredible amount of work and skill that goes into these studies. They are at a level far beyond anything we ever achieved at school (not too many years ago!!) which tended to be write down notes, learn them off by heart and then regurgitate them (if you could!!) If you are a parent of a student who has done History or Geography this year have a look at what they have achieved. No wonder these students are well prepared for tertiary studies.

A continuing strength of Social Studies is the teaching staff. Unfortunately we are losing Gaylene Kendrick from our department. Ms Kendrick has made an outstanding contribution to both Social Studies and History with many students benefiting from her hard work and skill in preparing relevant and thinking programmes of work. We are sure that Ms Kendrick's time with VSA in Tanzania will be as challenging and rewarding as teaching at Spotswood College.

John Hodgkinson





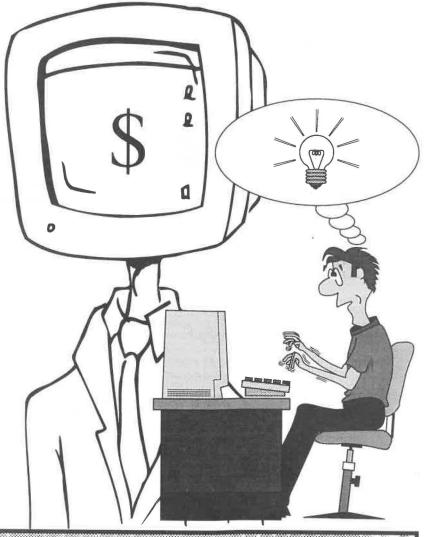


## **COMPUTER CLUB**

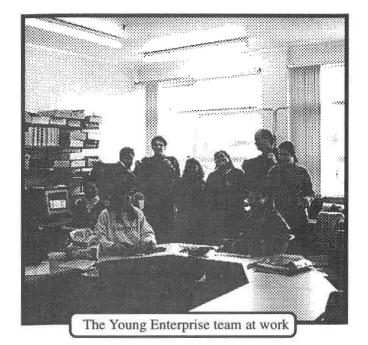
Well, what a year! The computer club got off to a rip-roaring start with lots of interest but no money. As the year progressed membership grew (along with money) with the junior college making up most of the numbers. With talented programmers in the club, they were able to teach others what to do. Some programmers were rewarded for their efforts by getting placings in this year's Technics competition. Congratulations to Matthew Cruikshank, Simon Hill, John Gabites, Alistair Tippett and Kate Hayward.

Most of the money from membership was spent on ink for the printers. Of course, there was the need for senior students to supervise the club. This was done very well with only a bit of slacking off towards the end of the year. A big thanks to the supervisors for the time that they put into the club. With the upgrade from DOS to MS Windows, the computers became a more friendly environment with which to work making learning easier.

This year's computer club has been a huge success thanks especially to Mr McGregor and Ms Rendall whom we could not have been without.







## **BUSINESS STUDIES**

This year's 7th Form Business Studies class kicked off to a slow start. It took us two long months to think of a successful product to market for the 1994 year. We decided to call our business SPECTRUM as we thought through a wide spectrum of items we could market. We narrowed it down to jewellery, music tapes, hacky sacks and T-shirts. We split into groups to investigate through business plans the feasibility of each product. This involved supply, production costing and market research. Our plan was to import jewellery and T-shirts from Bali but we found communication and the cost of faxing a problem. The music tapes ran into copyright laws and the hacky sacks were not economical so, as you can see, we were left with a problem ... NO PRODUCT ...

Luckily, we had an idea to fall back onto. We used last year's product which we found through our market research did not realise its potential last year as a lot of students were unaware of the product, were not given the opportunity to buy it and did not know the medical implications of not wearing Boxas.

Our company was made up of Sarah Paul (managing director), Jodi Autridge (production manager), Henrik Hedqvist (finance director), Kyle Ratapu (personnel manager), Kirsty Gudopp and Duane Ratapu (marketing directors), Katherine Bublitz and Tracey Perrett (secretary) and Damian Brouwers (sales director). Everyone had to apply for the position they wanted and a vote was taken by the class as to who got the positions.

We all found Business Studies a really enjoyable subject to study and recommend it to anyone interested in it next year as a subject.

Thanks to Mr Bayly for the motivation and hands-on experience.

## BUSINESS MANAGEMENT GAME

The Business Management Game is a nationwide computer simulation game run by a Wellington-based consulting firm where teams run their own company with the main goal to maximise profits.

The whole game centres on effective teamwork and strategic decision-making eg marketing, pricing, consultants. Round One involved the selling of frozen meat with 'Aurora' finishing third out of our five teams, earning 3 points. Round Two saw a change of product - water. A general improvement in results had the team finishing a very close 2nd and earning 4 points out of a maximum of 5.

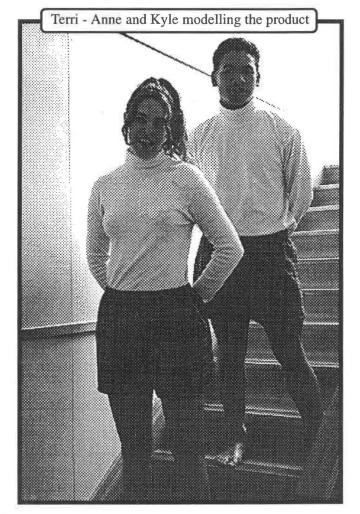
Unfortunately the team did not accumulate enough points in Round One and for the second year running, narrowly missed the cut for the school's final.

The game is very beneficial for senior Commerce students with important decision-making attributes being developed as well as gaining some knowledge in the running of a multi-national company.

Good luck to next year's team.

**Team:** D Blackler, S Marsh, K Laurence, D Triades, G Steffenson

**Kane Laurence** 







# NEW ZEALAND YOUTH PARLIAMENT DAY

Earlier this year I was lucky enough to be 'selected' (my name was pulled out of a hat) to be New Plymouth's MP in New Zealand's inaugural Youth Parliament held to commemorate the lowering of the voting age to eighteen.

On Monday the 19th of September I found myself on a 7am flight to Wellington where I would spend the day eating, giving speeches, eating, discussing New Zealand's foreign affairs, and eating - just like a real politician!

My day in the Beehive began, in the Beehive, with a welcome by the Hon Roger McClay who, as Minister of Youth Affairs, had organised the event. The leaders of the major parties then spoke to us briefly (sadly Winston Peters could not make it) before we were ushered into the foyer for the first of many 'coffee breaks'. By then quite a few TV cameras and reporters had arrived (including those from 'Holmes' and 'What Now') and were interviewing some of the other 98 youth MPs. Many of the 'real' MPs were also there taking advantage (as New Plymouth's 'real' MP Harry Duynhoven had predicted) of the good publicity.

From here we were split up to attend very brief, but very interesting, select committee meetings. I was on the Foreign Affairs and Trade committee where we discussed New Zealand's increasingly important role in world politics and trade. These meetings were followed by - lunch.

During lunch I rubbed shoulders with Jenny Shipley and Helen Clark while Paul Holmes spoke to us about the strange relationship that exists between politicians and the media. This part of the day left me with two lasting impressions, one - Paul Holmes is very short, and two - politicians are obviously not used to having pizza for lunch.

After lunch the Youth Parliament began. The New Plymouth seat is at the back on the left side of the debating chamber between Onehunga and ... Horowhenua, making me a true backbencher. The Parliament began with questions being put to various ministers followed by a general debate. During this debate Youth MPs spoke on topics ranging from youth suicide to Maori land claims to education, and some very interesting points were raised.

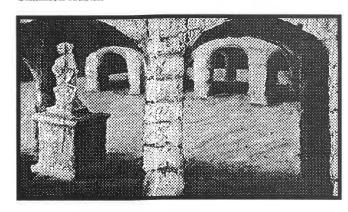
The main focus of the day was, however, on the debating of, and then the voting on, whether or not the legal drinking age should be lowered to 18. A total of 14 Youth MPs gave speeches on this topic, putting forward arguments that aimed to make us decide whether to vote for or against the passing of the Sale of Liquor Amendment Bill. Those for the lowering of the drinking age argued that under-age drinking occurred anyway, and pointed out the inconsistencies of laws that allowed young people to vote and fight in wars but not to drink alcohol legally. Others pointed to the already disastrous effects of alcohol on young people as an excellent reason for maintaining the current age limit, while some even suggested having it raised. My speech differed from the others in that it raised the point of the need for educating young people about the fatal effects of alcohol no matter what the legal drinking age. The vote that was carried out after the often heated debate saw the Amendment

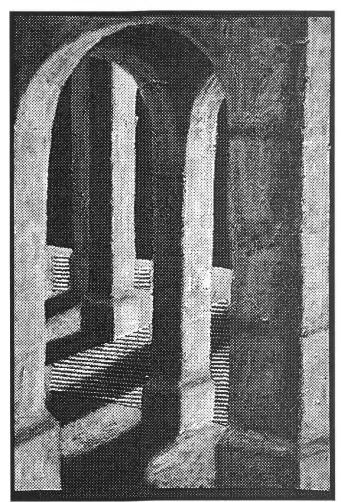
Bill passed by 69 votes to 30.

After a few more thank you speeches, presentations of certificates and photo opportunities, my day as a politician ended when we were taken either to the airport to catch a flight home, or to the Park Royal to spend a night in luxury at the taxpayers' expense. Wait a minute ... I'm a taxpayer!

In my opinion New Zealand's 1994 Youth Parliament was a huge success, and something that I both enjoyed and learnt a lot from. Although I don't see myself as having a career in politics, other Spotswood College students certainly do, and I would suggest that those students aim to be an MP in next year's Youth Parliament. They will gain an insight into the lives of those much maligned politicians and may even get the chance, as we did, to play a part in changing a law. If not, I can recommend the food!

### **Shannon Austin**





## DEBATING

## TRUE LOVE Taranaki Winning F7 Speech - Jamie Banks

In the forthcoming minutes, I will expose the intricacies and the outricacies of a topic whose originality on a scale of 1 to 10, would be no greater than negative three. I will be talking about something priceless, something powerful, something everyone wants desperately. No, it's not me - it's true love.

In today's world, this is associated with the bond uniting a woman and her man. In their toddler years, however, years characterised by two and a half word vocabularies, and paddling pools with slightly yellowish water, there are few indications of any love at all between the male and female species. In fact, excessive drooling and slobbering over each other is the only sign of any deep and meaningful relationship.

Nevertheless, this mild attraction doesn't last longer than three years, after which time girls' germs make girls untouchable to boys, and boys' germs make boys untouchable to girls. They will even go so far as to say "No bags" in order to miraculously protect themselves from the life-threatening bacteria evidently teeming over the members of the opposite sex.

At the age of about 10, a startling change occurs in their respective attitudes, as they finally begin to treat each other in a loving, well, sort of loving manner. This is expressed in the form of words that sound like insults, that feel like insults, that look (glance across to Ms Stallard) like insults, and even smell like insults, and are in fact, you guessed it - compliments. During the early teens this love/hate rivalry disappears and the first glimmering of true love can be discerned, though strangely it is up to the poor helpless male to do something about it.

It is often upon such an occasion as an innocent party that the male specimen first fulfils this vital role. After doing the real man's thing, drinking a few glasses of beer and later drinking the beer itself, his attention is caught for a moment by the breathtaking beauty of a young woman standing right across the other side of the one metre long room. Her eyes catch his, and after she throws them back, he realises he has only a millisecond to formulate a devastatingly witty pick-up line. But his heart leaps into the back of his throat, his skin crawls with tension and his toe-nails quiver with anticipation and he can utter nothing but: "Hi". Then they go out with each other, get married the following day, have 2.3 children and live happily ever after.

Minus the exaggeration and the slight sarcasm, you will agree that this scenario represents the path taken by most normal humanoids in the world today.

But what is all this strange behaviour the result of? - I hear everyone but this person ask. It's nothing more than physical lust and infatuation. We often try to make ourselves look good by claiming that it is attraction to personality, that exterior doesn't matter if the heart is beautiful. Who do we think we're kidding? I can assure you that on a sunny midsummer day at the beach, people are not gazing about with open mouths at glistening semi-naked personalities.

And if we truly think the heart is all-important, if we

want others to love us for our inner selves, why do we spend hours and hours and minutes on renovating and excavating our faces, and on ensuring that every one of our 546,987 head hairs are perfectly aligned? And why do we try to be sexy by smothering tanning lotion over body parts which the rays of the sun have never seen, or by wearing invisible clothing where there would usually be visible clothing? It's because these lotions, these hair sprays and gels, these lipsticks and eyeliners and the glamorous clothing we wear, all serve to hide our inner faults. If, in our quest for true love, we were attractive enough on the inside, we wouldn't need to impress people with all these petty masks.

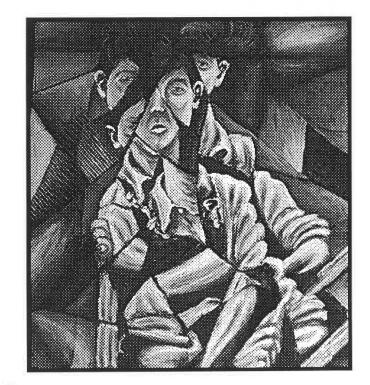
Consider also, the hollowness of our love. We love those who are good-looking, those who are funny and those who are exceedingly intelligent like me. We worship the very dust these people walk on, and adore the very things they touch. And yet are they responsible for their good-looks, are they the cause of their own intelligence or the cause of their own wit which merely represents how quickly they are able to think? Of course not!

True love goes far beyond all these meaningless physical boundaries. It is not the love of sexy legs and big blue eyes, nor the love of sexy eyes and big blue legs. Seriously though, it is not true love that makes the beautiful popular and the insecure friendless. True love is the love of inner beauty, the love of kindness and compassion, and the love of tenderness and mercy. It is a love that extends to every single human being.

So, please, in future try to be a joy to those in sadness, a friend to those who are lonely, and a source of happiness to those who have been rejected by an ignorant society. For this, my friends, this is true love.

Jamie Banks

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## SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE DEBATING TEAM

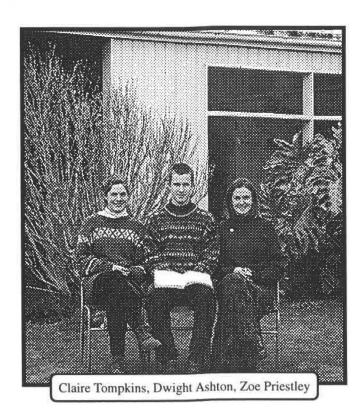
Speed, Life, Sex ... Let's Debate!

Oh, the times we've had, the places we've been and the nerds we've met!

This year the Spotswood College debating team hit it off with an interesting start. We were to argue that "Speed cameras are not good for the community" against Sacred Heart. Our attempts at pretending to be confident were not overly successful and although we presented a well researched argument, the judges were not entirely convinced. We learnt, however, about the necessities of being arrogant, scary and slightly over-confident ... some of us didn't have to try very hard to achieve this.

The team indeed gained confidence and skill against Fraser High arguing that "A girl's life is better than a boy's life". Our heads were high, our rebuttal impressive and performance somewhat remarkable - unfortunately, the judges didn't think so, and again, we lost. This time we learnt that a damn good debate





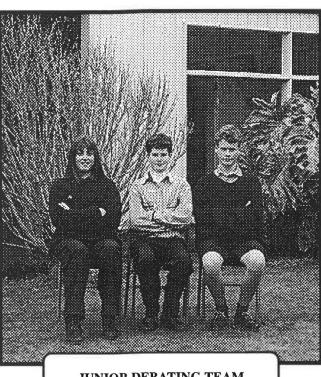
takes teamwork, a convincing performance and expert knowledge from the only male team member about the dangers of male zippers! Hey, debating is fun!

Last but not least, a close encounter of the third kind was had at the Secondary Schools Speech and Drama Festival. We were rather stunned by the opposing team's basic nasty tactics to put across very shallow-minded views. However, one cannot expect much more from an all boys Catholic school. We fought back with confidence and charisma, the adjudicator had ears and the best sports (with the best argument!) came out on top. YAY FOR SPOTSWOOD!

Extra thanks to our coach Mr Crawford who helped keep us sane. His wonderful world of knowledge, terrific talking talent (including the tangents) and helpful advice assisted in making our experience more rewarding and interesting.

So next year - get into DEBATING! It's a confidence booster, a learning experience and we can assure you that you sweat as much as in any other sport.

## Zoe, Claire and Dwight



JUNIOR DEBATING TEAM Kate Hayward, Martin Emo, Ben Shaw

Earlier in the year the Junior Debating team consisting of three Third Formers Martin Emo, Kate Hayward and Ben Shaw took part in the Speech and Drama Festival at New Plymouth Girls' High. We competed against Sacred Heart as the affirmative team arguing that 'Families Do Come First'. Unfortunately, the debate was won by Sacred Heart but we all had a great time competing.

## Kate Hayward

## MUSIC

## SYMPHONIC BAND

This year's Spotswood College Symphonic Band consisted of approximately 30 musically talented beings ranging from the 3rd to the 7th form. As Spotswood's largest band we are noted for our cosmic green cummerbands. The Symphonic Band played at two performances in New Plymouth this year. The first was the Australia vs New Zealand Women's Soccer game and the second, the Opera House book sale.

However, the major event this year was our unprecedented week-long tour of the south of the North Island. This tour saw us performing at, and being hosted by, secondary schools mainly in the Wellington region and it ended with our attendance at the 1994 National Concert Bands Festival in Hastings. Our performance here was enjoyable and our talents recognised by the enthusiastic applause of the audience. For the band this trip was unique, memorable and positive in promoting the Spotswood College band scene.

This trip and the very existence of the Symphonic Band would not be possible without the hard work and dedication of Mr Stassen and the very valuable input made by Mr Bradshaw. Acknowledgements must also be made to our parents and the Band Boosters organisation. Thank you for your support.

This year we bid farewell to the 7th form members Jodi, Tammy, Brad and Julia. We thank them for their musical input and wish them well for the future.

The greatest thanks of all though belongs to us, the members of the Symphonic Band for without our hard work and our regular attendance at 8 o'clock morning practices, the band would not exist.

## Fiona Corrigan

## SENIOR JAZZ BAND

The Senior Jazz Band is made up of a group of talented musicians from the junior right through to the senior level of the college. There has been an average of 16 members throughout the year with new members joining and others learning their instruments.

We are known throughout New Plymouth and New Zealand as 'Hatrix' - 'the band with the red hats'. These red hats are complemented by green waistcoats and black bow ties.

'Hatrix' has played at various venues around New Plymouth - the Art Gallery, primary school galas, the Opera House and at college events. The highlight of the year was the annual Tauranga Jazz Festival where we had a great time mixing with other students and 'musos' from around the country. There were no special awards for us this year but we shocked the richer, private Auckland schools by snatching a second equal place in this the largest secondary schools jazz competition.

Every year the sound of 'Hatrix' has improved and we can say a big thank you to Mr Stassen, our conductor, for this. The band would also like to thank Daniel Smart for helping us out earlier this year on the bass.

Two of the original members of the band are leaving this year. We thank both Brad Wood and Tammy Thompson for their superb musicianship and leadership that have enhanced the band both in playing and character.

### **Duncan Emo**

## CONCERT/JAZZ BAND TRIP

This year's big trip which was held during the last week of Term 2, included a concert tour of schools in the Central and lower part of the North Island, culminating in our participation at the National Concert Bands Festival at Lindisfarne College, Hastings. The schools we visited included Wanganui High School and Parkway College (where we had the pleasure of again meeting Maree Munro and Rosalie Goldsworthy, ex-Spotswood teachers), Porirua College, Hutt Valley Memorial College and Tararua and Central Hawkes Bay Colleges. The Selwyn by-election was, however, poorly timed from our point of view. The parliamentary recess which followed it put paid to our plans to perform at the Beehive! Nevertheless the trip was enjoyed by all and the fine playing and appearance, and the enthusiasm and good behaviour of our students drew favourable comment wherever we went.

Highlights of the trip are worth recording. They include a night on a marae at Porirua College, a launch trip across Wellington harbour followed by an afternoon's shopping and sightseeing in the Capital (where two of our members got themselves temporarily - lost!) and the Band Festival itself. The improved standard of playing of our Symphonic Band at the Festival was noted by the judges, but we were unfortunately unable to gain better than another Bronze Award. Here's hoping for a Silver, or better still, a Gold in 1995. We will certainly be working hard towards it!

It remains for me to thank Robyn Moran, Chris Haywood, Barry Bradshaw, and Lou Stassen who accompanied the students on the trip and who helped to organise it. The success of our first big venture outside Taranaki has inspired us to more ambitious plans for next year. We will let you know in due course what these are!







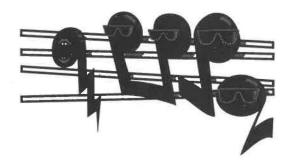
### **3RD FORM BANDS**

Spotswood College is privileged to have two new 3rd Form bands this year with a wide range of instruments played by 25 learners and a few more experienced players to help them.

We had a successful concert at a PTA meeting and we are practising extremely hard for the Good Vibrations concert and the Junior Prizegiving later in the year.

We thank all the itinerant teachers for their patient teaching and a huge thank you to Mr Stassen amd Mr Bradshaw for all their help and support in taking the bands through their paces.

### Martin Emo



## PERSWAY - A NEW MUSIC GROUP

'Persway' is a group of four Pacific Island boys, Les, Sam, Hemi and Foti. We formed our group to perform at the College's 1993 End-of-Term concert. We later took our talents to the streets of New Plymouth to gauge the public's reaction to our brand of singing. It is known as a capella singing which is vocal harmonising without instrumental accompaniment.

Our performances must have been something new and interesting as people stopped to listen to our music. Since then we have also had the experience of singing at the Girls' High School Ball and at a few weddings. We have also had the opportunity of doing some studio work but we turned this down as most of our songs were cover-ups. Since then we have arranged six original songs.

This has been a pretty good year for us but we don't know what the future holds for us.

Foti Vaafusu



## **3RD FORM BAND**

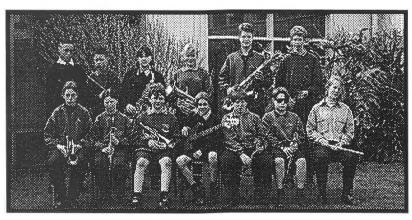
Back: Morgan Krutz, Alban Childs, Martin Emo, Shaun Brooking,

Serena King, Richard von de Vril

ront: Suzanne Walker, Claire Grant, Nyssa Hall, Katie Rutherford,

Katie Bool, Redmond Hanlon, Heydon Paul

Absent: Mr Bradshaw, Broni Knightly, Nikki Counihan



## **3RD FORM BAND**

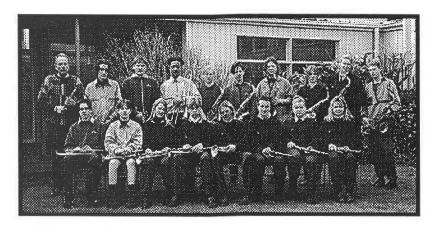
Back: Maren Huntley, Asher Davies, Amy Stenner, Rowena Howard,

Alistair Tippett, Julian Pitman

ront: Meren Roberts, Joanna Jackson, Antony Williams, Tim Brown,

Tony Rice, Shaun Corrigan, Fiona McIntosh

Absent: Mr Stassen



### 4TH FORM BAND

Back: Mr Bradshaw, Phillip Brandon, Brent Howard, Sioli Malili,

Angela Thompson, Dylan Coutts, Luke McLachlan, Jessica Vosseler, Michelle Turner, Clayton Tylee

Front: David Charteris, Matthew Gaze, Kylee McIndoe, Brendan Henchman, Daniel Fanthorpe, Jeremy Flower,

Debbie Clearwater, Renee Murch

Absent: Daniel Kereama, Kyle Cooke

## 1994 SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE BALL

It took the Ball Committee only two weeks of intensive organisation to get the ball underway. In that short time, the committee led by Dwight and Bridget managed to put on quite a night which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The Ball is a very special social event for the senior students of the College not only for the actual night but also for the fuss and preparation leading up to it. First-time ball-goers soon learned that it is an occasion where you have to make fun for yourself.

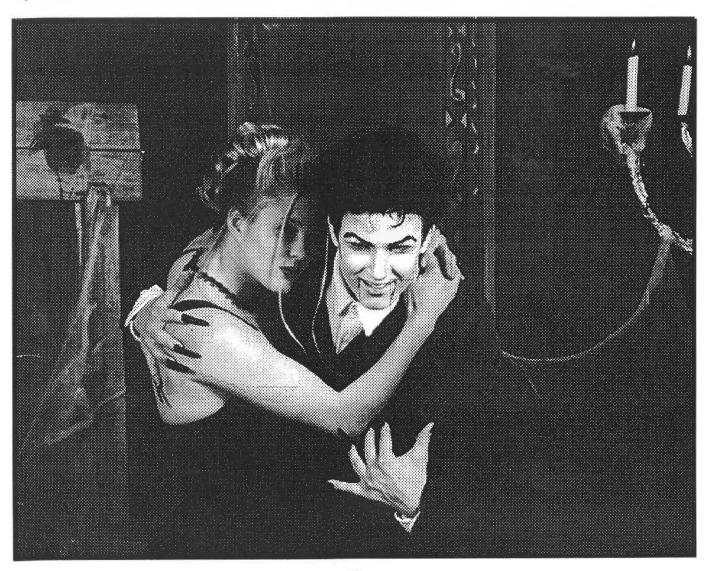
The students turned out in their best dress and it was pleasing to see that so many dressed in the theme - The Medieval Dracula Ball. It went off without a hitch (almost) but then nothing goes perfectly. The band organised by Jamie Robertson was fantastic and everyone enjoyed those 'old' rock numbers. Some people may think that the ball is an out-dated tradition not really enjoyed by our generation. Sure, times have changed. The younger *think* they are older but you just have to look at the photos by Dean Riddick to see how much the ball was enjoyed by everyone.

More needs to be said about the organisation for it would be unfair to underestimate the hard work put in by the chairpeople Bridget Ellis and Dwight Ashton who led the organising team splendidly to produce an absolutely fabulous occasion. Organising a ball is tricky because of the pressures which do not appear at first. You have to please over 500 people. Now that's even scarier than Kathy's hair-do on the night. The team decided to spare no expenses and only the best was provided with fabulous decorations and lavish catering.

A special thanks to Lisa Collins' mother who provided transport when it was vital to zip back and forth all over Taranaki to find the perfect cobwebs, and thank you, too, to Ms Moran for the Aliens from Mars. Bridget and I hijacked her office frequently to experiment with different ticket pricings. The management of the Quality Inn was also most helpful with the organising although a particular tape recorder is still lost in the abyss of the hotel!

Thank you also to Julia Scrimgeour and Glenys Horsfall for trying their best to improve the co-ordination of a few ballgoers. And to the frazzled and stressed chairpeople who, after weeks of fuss and bother, slipped into their glad rags and joined the other 500 appreciative young people for a night to remember.

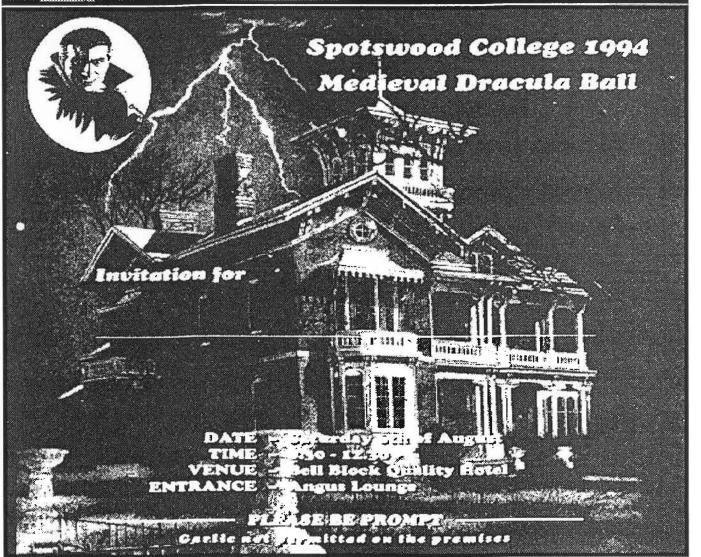
The Spotswood College Ball was held on Saturday, 6 August 1994.















## SPECIAL NEEDS UNIT

PRIMITIVE POTTERY

During their craft lessons with Mrs Butler they made various

Mark Grigg and Bruce Corbett prepared a pit of one cubic

metre. Once the pit was ready, sawdust was placed in the

bottom and around the pots. A mixture of chemicals (iron

which produces a rust colour and copper sulphate which

of the pottery then larger pieces placed on top until the pit was

filled. Mrs Butler lit the fire and put a lid of corrugated iron on

top so that it wouldn't burn too quickly. Mrs Butler returned to

the pit the next morning to make sure it had worked, which it

lifting the pottery. The mixture of chemicals gave the pottery a

produces pink) was also placed around the pots.

professional bright and colourful finish.

firings since the first term.

pots of different shapes and sizes.

In April this year 3, 4, 5 and 6B planned a pit firing.

The pots first had to be fired in the kiln to be bisqued.

Small pieces of wood were very carefully placed on top

We had to then wait for everything to cool down before

3, 4, 5 and 6B have achieved two more successful pit

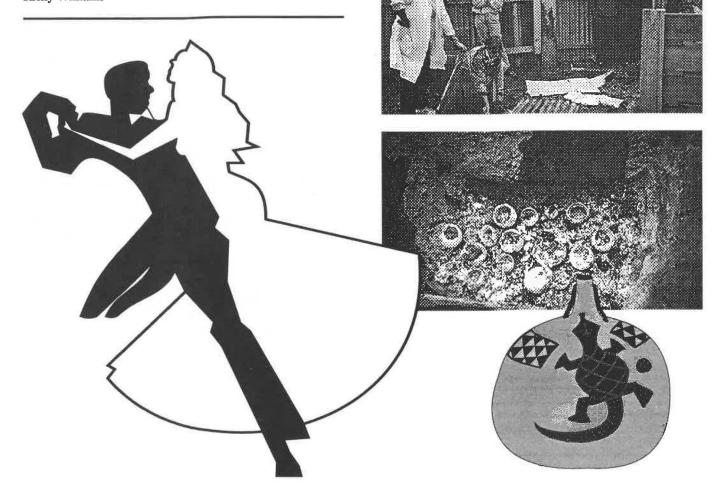


## **B18 AT THE BALL**

Everyone in B18 for the first time attended a school ball. Everyone was looking forward to it. The boys all had a suit on with a tie and some smart looking shoes. When they all arrived there they all looked to be having a good time. Everyone was dancing and singing. Before long it was just about time for everyone go home. Some people went on to the after-ball function.

We would like to congratulate those down at the Special Needs Unit for the pre-ball function, the pot luck tea and helping the students to get ready. The girls looked absolutely stunning too!

## **Ricky Williams**



## **SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE**

If you are into meeting people and pushing yourself to the limit, this is an experience you should not miss. Ten days of full-on exertion is what you get, whether you like it or not. This includes swimming at 6 in the morning. You especially won't like it when it has been snowing in the night and there are 5cm of snow on the deck . . . just kidding! However, it does get very cold and if you're a winter voyager, make sure you have lots of warm socks.

Apart from the fact that the boys' bunks are separated from the girls', all forms of privacy cease to exist. On waking in the morning with all 20 of you stumbling from your bunks, you find you have room only to stand, let alone bend over and open your drawer (notice 'drawer' in the singular!).

However, by the 9th day you will have managed to have got into the routine of waking at 6am and going for a swim. In fact, whether it's because you smell so badly and your body instinctively makes you want to wash or you have become so exhausted you no longer know what you are doing - you actually begin to look forward to the swim.

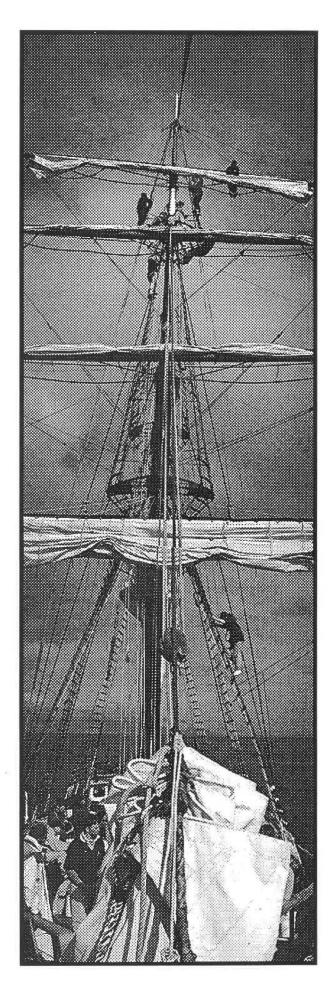
You might be wondering what the food is like. Well, all that I can say is that there is more than enough. You are served three generous meals a day and no snacking is allowed between meals. The exception is cabin bread which is a dry water cracker that absorbs the acid in your stomach to stop it coming into your mouth . . . Anyway, the food is delicious and includes bacon and eggs, mince pies, hamburgers, marinated/crumbed chicken, lasagne . . . and the list goes on. Desserts would include apple/apricot pies, fudge cake, steamed pud, chocolate cake, chocolate eclairs, caramel sauces, and caviare with smoked salmon (only on Tuesdays and Thursdays).

Sailing a tall ship calls for teamwork and there is a great emphasis on this. You'll find yourself being put into leadership positions and learning how to organise a team. You'll learn the basics of sailing the ship and the safety procedures that go with it. Near the end of the voyage you will elect a captain, navigator, cook, engineer and sail the ship without any help from the crew (this can be interesting!)

The 'Spirit of Adventure" guarantees you a very good time and if you are unsure because of the cost, don't let that stop you from going. For what you get out of it, the cost isn't worth worrying about.

Risking legal action from Nike, 'Just do it'.







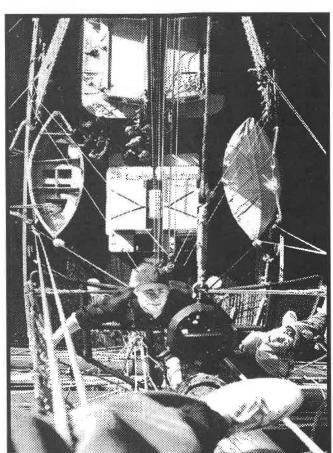
## MY LIFE AS A SAILOR

My life (or at least ten days) as a sailor began with a bus trip to Auckland. On arrival it was my responsibility to get to the ship. A taxi seemed the best option. So I parted with more money than the fare cost taking up the driver's offer to show me the sights of Auckland. My tour over, I arrived at the dock at last. I hoped I wasn't late but the frenzied activity on the deck of the 'Spirit of Adventure' suggested that I was. This thought was soon confirmed by a crew member telling me that I was late.

Within the next five minutes, I was issued with a fashionable yellow raincoat, a small place which was supposed to be my bed and a tiny drawer into which I was to fit all my belongings. No sooner had I settled in when a call came down that everyone had to be on deck and be ready to cast off. 'Hold on,' I thought, 'I'm not that keen to part from land this soon.' I, however, rushed up on deck and was introduced to the crew in my watch. After exerting much energy and effort, we sailed away from the dock and around the corner where we anchored. This short distance did not seem ample reward for all the energy we had expended. We all felt cheated.

It was dark by the time we had finished packing up the sails and this was my first clue that all was not going to be plain sailing. After dinner and safety instructions, we retired to our bunks. Sleeping proved difficult. The gentle rolling motion was different from the rocking motion that had seen many of us safely to sleep not so many years ago.

At 7 o'clock we were disturbed from our awakeness and it was up on deck for physical exercise (what other exercise is there!) and a wee swim. Returning from this ordeal, I felt that suicide seemed the only honourable thing to do. However, the



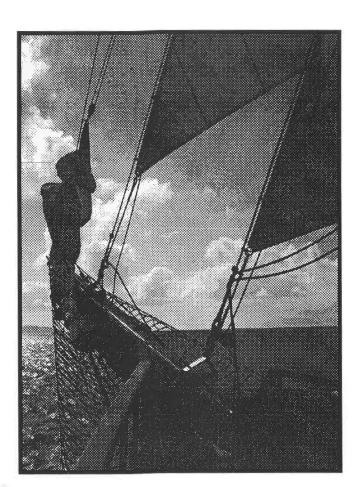
call for breakfast lifted my spirits somewhat and saved me and others in the crew from an early demise. After breakfast it was cleaning up time. Even though the deck seemed to repel any speck of dirt, it had to be scrubbed every day. An hour later we were ordered to prepare for sailing and three hours later we were underway. It felt great to be out on the ocean and even though some crew looked green (already!), we unanimously agreed that it was good to be finally sailing.

The next few days were a relatively calm period and sailing duties were minimal. However it was on the fourth day that things started hitting the fan. Three metre swells and 40 knot winds (a sailor's dream) battered our tiny ship. This proved hard work and I concentrated on not falling overboard. The prize at the end of this eventful passage was the calm bays of Great Barrier Island. A relative oasis in the desert for some, but for hardened sailors like me, it was a good place to repair sails and what not.

After a few days cruising around the bays and a walk to the highest point on the island, I yearned for the rise-and-fall motion of a ship on the open seas. This was an opportunity for many of the crew to play guessing games but I was not so keen preferring the fresh smell of the ocean.

After ten nights, ten early morning dips and one shower of 60 seconds duration, the time came for us to disembark. Amid tears, hugs and kisses, I left with two crew members from Taranaki. On the bus home I felt great. I had made many new friends, had done a lot of new things and had just experienced the best time I can remember. I keenly wait for another opportunity to sail as the sea-water is now in my salty veins.

### **Mathew Rilkoff**



## SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE'S RADIO STATION

## TRIPLE XOS

Triple XOS is a relative newcomer to Spotswood College. Originally, the station broadcast four shows daily but this has since been reduced to two shows during interval and lunchtime. The broadcasting studio is located in the music suite. This has proved to be a good location as it allows easy access to students who wish to request songs or want messages broadcast.

The idea of setting up the radio station was originally mine and with the assistance of fellow student, Daniel McNamara, the radio station was established. Mr Finch was very supportive of the idea and he readily assisted with the supply and funding of equipment such as tape decks, amps, speakers and CD player.

The original DJ's were basically anyone who was interested in the station. Since then the team has been narrowed down to three full-time announcers, Alison Aim, Kirsty Gudopp and myself. We are also the management team and we are currently recruiting new DJ's for 1995.

The system is operated by a P.A. system. Each DJ is scheduled a set day and time to present their shows. When the station went to air in late 1993, the music selection was somewhat limited. Thanks to Mrs Goldsworthy who boosted our supply, the collection has become more substantial. At the beginning of this year, a deal was established with the music shop 'Good Vibrations' in Centre City to provide us with new releases to market survey. We are certainly indebted to them for their assistance and many thanks. We now have a steadily growing stock of music.

Triple XOS is also used by teachers to broadcast important messages. This has proved a very successful service.

All in all, Triple XOS is a station for the students by the students. It relies on the support of the students and their comments are welcomed to help us to create a better station for the college.

This has been a most enjoyable year on the station and I would like to wish the team for 1995 all the best.

Justin Graham Station Manager





### HAYLEY'S EXCHANGE YEAR IN GERMANY

Halfway through 1992, I made a decision to go on a year's exchange to Germany through an organisation called STS. I must admit that I never realised what to expect and it didn't really hit me that I was leaving behind everything that was familiar to me for one year in a strange country. It was only when I arrived in my 'home town' of Korbach, a historical town with a population of 24,000, that reality set in.

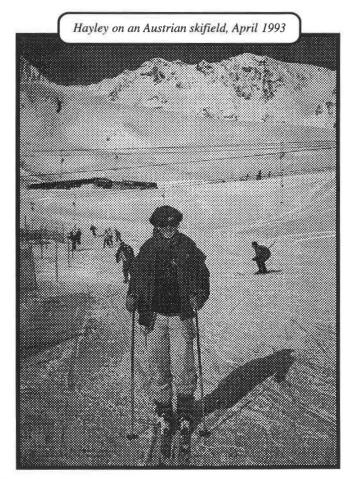
At first it was quite a shock to the system - a new language, a new culture and new friends. Just about everything was a novelty (except for McDonald's). But believe me, one soon gets used to new things and surroundings. By the end of the year I was wondering where the time had gone.

1993 was one of the best years of my life. I improved my German although not without making mistakes. I can remember once when I had a haircut and my host parents asked me what my friends thought of my new hairstyle. I meant to say that they really liked it but what came out instead was that they had raped me! I can still see the shocked faces of my host parents.

I also got the chance to travel extensively through Austria, France, Norway and Switzerland. I have everlasting memories, made a lot of friends and certainly learnt much about myself.

It was a simply fantastic year and one that I will treasure forever.

## **Hayley Cunningham**







## **SCIENCE FAIR**

### ROBOTIC ARMS

Our project for the Science Fair was based on Robotics. The project consisted of two robotic arms, a display and design work. We made each of our robotic arms during the Fifth Form in Workshop Technology. The design work and the robotic arms took approximately eight months to complete.

We decided to enter the Science Fair because we had already constructed the robotic arms and only a small amount of research was required to complete the project. We were rewarded for our efforts by being judged runners-up and receiving the Methanex Trophy, the Engineering Prize, and the Keith Lockett Memorial Prize for the best display in Senior Physics at the Taranaki Science Fair.

We concentrated on bringing out and displaying the physical and engineering properties of our project. We studied the scientific principles which made our project work as they were supposed to.

Airbrushing and technical illustration were used in the presentation of the working drawings and the scientific data obtained from experiments with the robotic arms. Each arm was designed and built individually and was constructed mostly during lunchtimes in the workshop room.

The Scientific Fair which we attended in September in Rotorua was more than just displaying our project. We were fortunate to sample the tourist side of Rotorua as well. We went white-water rafting, visited the geysers, rode the luge and toured the Forestry Research Institute. Other highlights included banquets and breakfasting with Robert Rakete (host of TV's 'In Focus').

It was an exciting week enjoying the variety of activities and meeting people from all over the country.

A big thank you to Mr Clark and Mr Gabites for their help and support as we worked towards the Science Fair competition.

## Paul Charteris Anthony Batley



### KATHY HILL AND CICADAS

As I had been studying cicadas for many years, when I heard that the Taranaki Science Fair was coming up, I decided to enter my research on the two biggest species of New Zealand cicadas. I was amazed at the number of entrants. There were over 700 entrants from Form 1 to Form 7 covering journalism, experimental research, inventions and models.

Entrants were judged over 10 to 15 minutes by scientists from around Taranaki who asked all sorts of questions about their projects. The fair was then opened to the public.

It was very exciting to be chosen 1st from all the exhibitors. This enabled me to compete in the National Science Fair in Rotorua. I spent more time on my project and then I was ready for the week in Rotorua.

On arrival in Rotorua we set up our exhibits and got to know the other 48 entrants from all over New Zealand. All the projects were very interesting and a lot of hard work had obviously gone into each of them. It was interesting that most of the exhibitors were from the intermediate schools and the senior college area.

Judging was carried out by scientists with interests in our different topics. Since entomology is a very specialised subject, I had a judge from a zoo and another judge who was an animal specialist. The level of judging was tougher than at the Taranaki Science Fair and I was thoroughly questioned on all aspects of my project.

With judging over, we were let loose to enjoy the attractions of Rotorua for the next few days. On the morning of the prize-giving, we went to Taupo where we visited the hydropower projects, had a swim in a thermal spa and sampled some of the products of the Prawn Farm.

The evening of the prize-giving was nerve-racking with a crowd so large that those who could not get into the hall had to watch the proceedings on a TV screen outside. There was a slide and a brief description of each entrant's project, and lots of speeches. Thank goodness Robert Rakete of TV3 kept up the humour throughout the night. It was a great surprise and an honour to me when I was announced the winner of a \$2000 tertiary education award from the Royal Society.

After spending the next few days visiting Mt Tarawera, maraes, cultural workshops and the Buried Village, it was sadly time to leave. It was a great experience to be associated with so many people with a real interest in Science.

## **Kathy Hill**



## GRAPHICS AND TECHNOLOGY

There was a good start to the year with Tina O'Keeffe's major project, the Buzzy Bee, winning the National Competition. The presentation was held in Wellington. This year three units of work were entered - the Spitfire aircraft by Simon Tennant, the Airbrush by Paul Charteris and the Smith and Weston pistol by Anthony Batley. This year's work is of an extremely high standard of skills and presentation. We are pleased to report that Anthony's entry gained 2nd place and Paul's 3rd. These achievements are very prestigious because it means that they are the national runners-up for 1994.

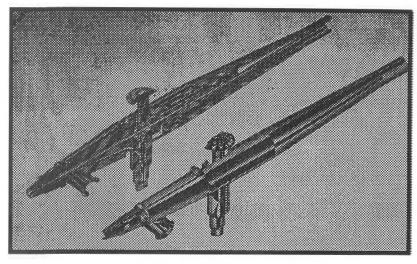
The upgrading of T6 has continued with the new chairs to complement the desks and the interior has a new coat of paint, a nice attractive change.

This is the last year of SC Technical Drawing. Next year Graphics will be taught from Form 3 to Form 7 and Bursary. SC Graphics has an internal assessment and an external examination incorporating formal drawing skills with design elements and rendering techniques. This will be a big change with computer draughting being a component of Graphics. Previously we have been linked with the Polytech for the 6th and 7th Form. The 5th Form will also need to use computers as part of their course and this is being addressed at present.

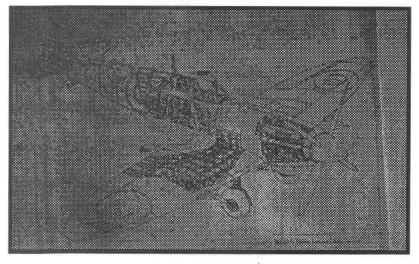
New types of paper, card, pen, pencil modelling and presentation techniques are being taught expanding on skills which students will use in formal drawing. Design and rendering allow students to produce original solutions to the problems.

This year has been a busy one with the introduction of the modular assessment system, reports, assessment and subject changes. The development of the subject will continue next year for the enjoyment and achievement of our students

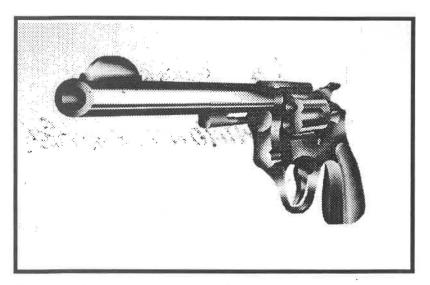
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Airbrush drawn in isometric, sectioned with airbrush rendering by Paul Charteris



Simon Tennant's Spitfire drawn in pictorial cut-away sections.

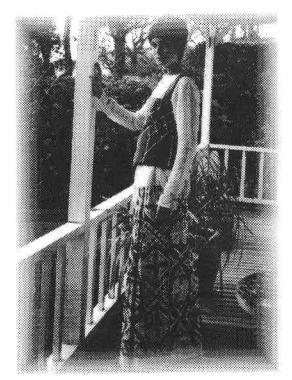


Pistol drawn in perspective, airbrush rendering by Anthony Batley.





Bianca Wilks wearing her Ethnic High Fashion Award entry.



TEXTILES

This has been a very successful year in Textiles with several students achieving recognition for their designing skills with national awards.

Bianca Wilks gained two placings in the New Zealand Secondary Schools Smokefree Young Designer Awards. She was placed first in the Ethnic Art Object and second in the Ethnic High Fashion Award. Tina McGregor and Joanne Wills were also finalists and Sharon Thompson and Sasha McGregor's garments were included in the highlights parade.

Bianca, Tina and Sasha travelled to Christchurch to attend the finals. These were held in the Christchurch Town Hall. It was a glittering, stylish event - exciting for all those present. In fact, many students attended the finals from secondary schools throughout the country. Awards gained by students included scholarships for tertiary education worth \$5000 each and substantial cash awards for winners in each category.

During the third term, four 4th Form students competed in the Lane Walker Rudkin Gold Sock wearable art awards. To enter, they were required to design garments for different occasions based on socks. Their garment designs were selected for the finals and they each received a large box of socks to make up their garments.

The garments were made by stitching, plaiting and manipulating socks into wearable items. The students who participated in this event were Chinta Tambunan, Chantelle Avery, Emma Corkill and Rebecca James. Tirena Baird entered another competition involving designing and making original underwear. The results were not available when this report went to print

In the second term this year a group of senior Textile students attended a Link course at the Taranaki Polytech. The course comprised life drawing and fashion designing. This proved to be an enjoyable and valuable learning experience. Students said afterwards that they wanted to get more involved in drawing as a result. Many students are looking forward to developing a career in this area.

Mrs L Kreisler

Joanne Wills in her fantasy design.



**WORKSHOP** 

The year started successfully for Workshop students with Paul Charteris, Anthony Batley, Leon Christensen, Alex Bool and Andrew Fisher all achieving outstanding results in the 1993 School Certificate examinations. Special mention should be made of Paul who obtained a 100% pass which is a first for Spotswood College. Stephen Hodson also achieved outstanding results in the Sixth Form. The standard of work done by these students was quite outstanding.

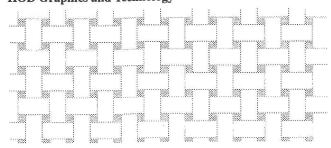
Workshop continues to be a demanding course at School Certificate level but it can also be very rewarding. Every student in this subject takes home projects which are of real value. We are constantly upgrading our programmes and we really appreciate the input from parents and students on ideas for projects.

There is an on-going effort to maintain traditional craftskills and at the same time giving students an opportunity to work in a range of materials. This is an area that will be developed over the next few years. Technology is also becoming a very important part of the curriculum and attempts are being made to introduce robotics, electronics and hydraulics as well as other areas into the programme.

There is still a concern over the small number of girls taking this subject. It is disappointing that many girls and parents still see Workshop as a boy's subject.

Thank you to my staff for their outstanding work with the students.

Dennis Ingram HOD Graphics and Technology



# THE SEVENTH FORM OPC EXPERIENCE

The week started off wet, the campus was crowded but we were in good spirits as we were introduced to our instructors. Then we were straight into the activities such as swinging on an oversized flying fox, a 15 metre-high swing and rock climbing. The day ended with us hiring skis for the next day on Whakapapa.

This was to be the highlight for most of the group. We were up at the crack of dawn and by 8.30 we were in Happy Valley enjoying ourselves. Later, some of the more experienced skiers went higher up the ski slopes for some serious skiing. Some of the less competent skiers such as Corey McGregor and Cathy Curd found that their vocabulary had been reduced to swear words while Daniel Fitzsimmons was adamant that there was something seriously wrong with his legs. Most of the group benefited from the day on the slopes and we retired for the night after having to experience Cynthia's wonderful new age recipe for white sticky stuff!?

The next two days were also spent on the mountain and on the Thursday each group tunnelled into the snow constructing snow caves where we were to spend the night. This was an exciting experience for all and especially for our Swede, Henrik, who was intrigued by the nocturnal noises emitted by sleeping Kiwis (of the human kind!).

OPC was a great time for all and the fun was heightened by carrying out the usual gags such as placing gladwrap on the toilet seats and barley sugars in the showerheads. The trip home proved once again that the male constitution is weaker than the female's. The number of times that the bus had to stop for male comfort stops was amazing!

Thank you to Mr Ingram who helped to organise the trip. It was a great time of eating, laughing, falling over and wet bottoms. People remembered to keep themselves safe by watching the doorknobs. (The significance of this will be appreciated by those who were on the trip!).

It was a very enjoyable experience and I am sure next year's 7th Formers will enjoy OPC as much as we did.

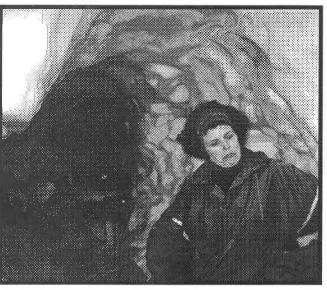
Kristie Boyd



Helaina and company on Whakapapa.



The gang enjoying themselves.



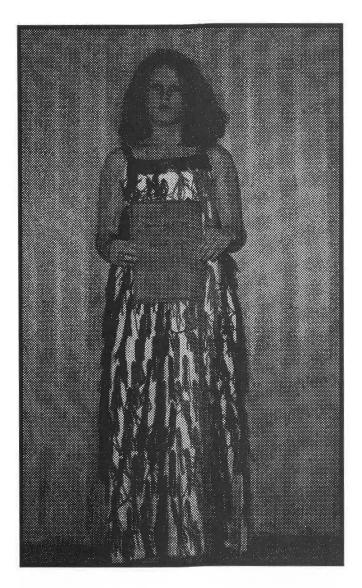
Snow Caving - a freezing experience for Mrs Mills.



Cathy and Rachel, the speed demons.







## NGA MANU KORERO

The Maori Speech competition is held every year. The aim of the competition is to encourage the speaking of Maori by the young. Non-Maori students may enter the English section of the competition but it is compulsory for them to compete in the Maori section as well. There are four sections, Junior and Senior Maori, and Junior and Senior English.

The regional competitions are held throughout the country and there are very few secondary schools which do not participate. Successful regional competitors then enter the national competition which is held over three days. Some of our students of the kapa haka (Maori culture) will be attending the nationals in Christchurch.

We would like to congratulate Bronwyn Knightly for her successful speech in the regionals. It was an emotional time for all of us who supported her. At the end of her speech we sang a waiata with great kaha (strength). The singing of a waiata is to show support for the speaker. Unfortunately, Bronwyn did not win the competition but she did extremely well to gain high marks

We would like to thank Mrs Avery and Mrs Pirikahu for the way they built up our spirits and for organising us so well.

**Racheal King and Chantelle Avery** 

## MAORI CULTURE GROUP

We have decided that 1995 will be the year that the Maori Culture group will participate in the National Speech competition. To this end we have begun our fundraising. It will cost us a lot of money to attend the competition which is held over three days. So we will need funds to cover the costs of travel, accommodation and meals.

Te Kura Tuarua O Ngamotu has never attended the national competition although Bronwyn Knightly has represented the school on three occasions and has done very well indeed. While we have attended and participated in the regionals on several occasions (the last which was held in Opunake this year), we still have to attend a national Korimako competition which is now called 'Nga Manu Korero'.

Our cultural festival held in the second term was a big fund booster for us. Along with raffles and car washes, we hope to raise sufficient money to be able to buy uniforms as well as the necessary resources so that we can represent our school with honour and esteem.

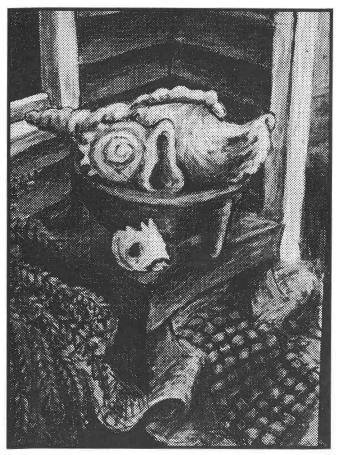
## **BAHA'I CLUB**

Every Tuesday at 12.20pm while the majority of Spotswood College's inhabitants were happily devouring the contents of their lunch-boxes, a number of youth (including the sprightly Mr Chivers) gathered in the drama room to discuss issues related to the Baha'i Faith, a world religion which originated in Persia in the last century and which presently has six million followers from more than 160 countries across the globe.

Some of the topics we talked about included life after death, the importance of education, the oneness of the world's major religions, the history of the Baha'i Faith, the importance of love and unity and of recognising the value of others' cultures, and, of course, the prospect of World Peace. Although these issues may all sound highly boring, the discussions were lively with plenty of jokes thrown in for good measure, and as always, we were privileged to hear the opinions of many non-Baha'is as well which added further interest to our conversations.

Spotswood is the most prolific school in the country for the number of Baha'is it houses, and as a result the Baha'i Faith has many admirers in the school (including a few teachers) some of whom have attended our lunch-time meetings during the year. We hope to see even more in 1995.

"Beware of prejudice; light is good in whatsoever lamp it is burning. A rose is beautiful in whatsoever garden it may bloom. A star has the same radiance whether it shines from the East or from the West." ('Abdu'l-Baha)



## **CONVENIENT SCAPEGOAT?**

maybe i don't miss you but you **are** a convenient scapegoat

perhaps it's just that i don't really know what i want, yet it seems that i am expected to

and what you want from me is still a mystery so why am i frightened to ask?

and though it always seems that i'm surrounded by people i'm lonely

i just need to feel some kind of link with someone i'm truly sick of being alone

so, even if i did kind of miss you what good would it do?

Tanja Clarke

## MY FIVE DAYS AWAY FISHING THE TONGARIRO

In the first week of the holidays I went fishing for trout in the Tongariro. The first pools I wanted to fish was the shag pool and the Red Hut pool but when I got there the river was in flood. I went across the Red Hut Swing-bridge to get down to the tail of the Red Hut pool and fish. When I got to my spot there was another fisherman there so I fished below him. Just as I started fly-casting the man above me hooked a good rainbow trout. After hooking the fish, it took him down stream before he could land it. After the fisherman went home I moved into my favourite spot. After about five casts my indicator shot under water and I had a lot of slack line. When I struck I fell over, I saw a fish shoot in near the bank so I tightened my line and set the hook. I followed the trout downstream. I side-strained it into slow water where I could land it easily. It was a beauty, a six pounder. Later in the day I managed to catch an even bigger one than the first trout. I went back to the house happy with my day's catch.

Stephen Rowe





## JANA'S BIRTHDAY

One Sunday morning Jana Wilson was sitting in bed thinking. She was excited but she knew she wasn't allowed up till after 6am. So Jana sat, staring at the clock, watching the minutes tick by, thinking today was her birthday.

She was now 13, no, 13 years and two hours. Little details like that mattered to Jana. You see, Jana was different.

As soon as the clock showed six, Jana rushed into Sally's room. Sally was Jana's younger sister by four years but she was already past Jana's class at school because, you see, Jana was different

Sally woke up to see Jana's smile beaming down at her. She wondered what was wrong, then she remembered.

"Happy birthday, Jana," she laughed, and gave her a hug.

Jana's smile grew wider, then wider still as she spotted
the present on the windowsill.

"Yes, it's yours, Jana," Sally said, "Go and put it next to Mum's."

Sally grew sad as she watched Jana stumble down the stairs, the small present clutched tightly in her hands, excitement written all over her face.

Mrs Wilson was standing in the kitchen making herself a hot drink. She, too, saddened as she heard Jana. She and Sally both knew that there wouldn't be a party that year. They didn't have enough money to give Jana a big party. Not that she usually had big parties. Jana had only two friends.

People didn't want to be Jana's friend as they were afraid. They laughed and pointed to her as she was different.

Jana's Dad had walked out on them when she was five, when it became obvious that she was different.

Mrs Wilson had lost her job then. To make things worse, Mr Wilson left the country last year and refused to pay any more towards Sally and Jana's upbringing. So, Mrs Wilson was having trouble making ends meet.

But Jana was unaware of the troubles. She was bubbly and happy as she stared excitedly at the two small presents. After she had opened them, Sarah brought in the birthday cake. It was in the shape of a balloon.

Jana did not see the already-used candles, or the old and tattered birthday decorations nor did she see how small it was. Jana thought the cake was the most beautiful thing she had ever seen because, you see, Jana was different.

### Elizabeth Buttimore

## FOOL'S GOLD

We are sentinels of the lowest order, Guarding with lighted vigilance the Treasures of our character Lest saintly thieves uncover Those diamonds that do not sparkle.

For in our green gems
- Emerald flames do flicker
And in our crimson jewels
Ruby fires leap for freedom.

We are the sentinels of the lowest order,
Guarding with lighted vigilance the
Treasures of our character
Lest friendly spies perceive
The copper which gleams so much like gold.

### **Jamie Banks**



## TWO POEMS ~ TANJA CLARKE

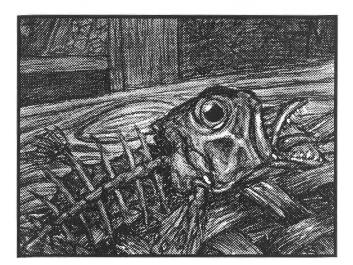
is this
another seduction?
or perhaps, is it less than that.
is it not an attempt to
find a soul
among all the dead minds.
if it were,
i would have left
long ago.
are you and i, meant for this?
or if not,
then what? and
where do we begin to seek?

## AN EMPTY BED AND AN EMPTY SOUL MAKE FOR BAD BEDFELLOWS

i slept alone that night, as any other night. i knew at last i had truly lost everything.

maybe i once had known a path but now little faith or belief remained in that old way. i had become a vessel for the most convenient trauma.

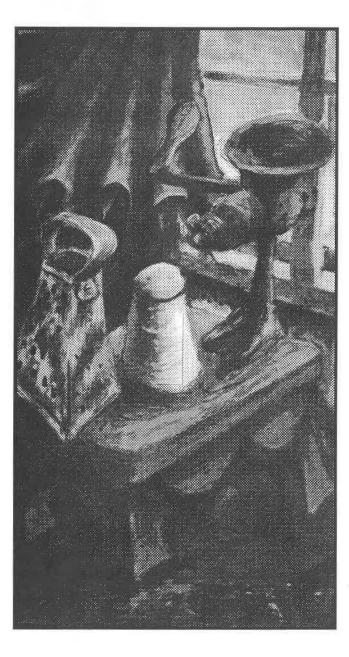
then a door opened wide and the devil invited me in, with a smile. now i will sleep alone no longer.



## **RECIPE FOR GOOD TIMES**

1 cup of love
A dash of family
Mixed with 1 drop of parents
Add 2 oz of giving
Add 1 can of friends
And a handful of holidays
Combine together
Sprinkle with hope
And pour over fun
Mix them together
On a hot summer day
And you will be happy
In every way.

Kate Hayward F3







## THREE POEMS ~ DAVID COLLINS

## REQUIEM

Crushed velvet sings Lactose stirs The waves form long smiles along the shore While the higher octave Flattens against the dust

It started in BC And ended with World War 3 Fallout rises

No mammal will survive this day

Ironic isn't it?

One out of 6 Billion Decided whether we lived or died -

I guess that's democracy for you

## **MELANOMA**

The speed of light Reflection - refraction Blue shines through No white Only the sizzling Of blistering pigmentation

## THE INSECT

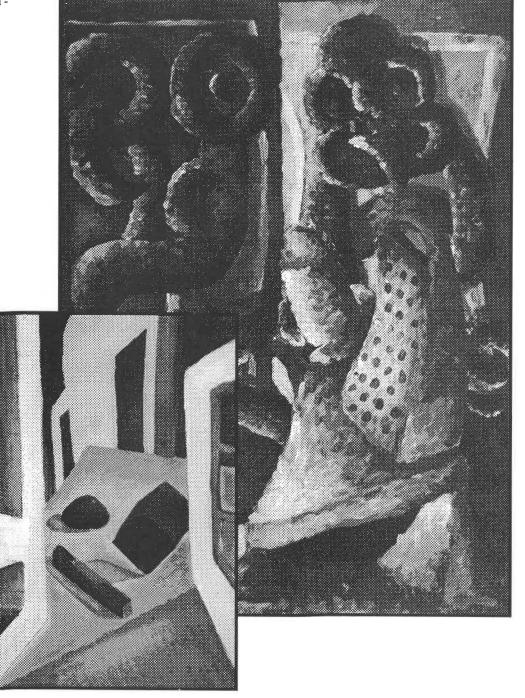
Crumbled earth Gloosy horns Spiked with vengeance Armadillo fever Hydraulic tension Robust plates Nature's oracle

## **ONE LITTLE VOICE**

Banging on a trashcan Drumming on a streetlight Strumming on my banjo One little voice is calling me - calling me One little voice is calling me

Knocking on a mailbox Rapping on the pavement Banging on a trashcan One little voice is calling me - calling me One little voice is calling me

Anon



## SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING 1993

## MERIT CERTIFICATES IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION

### Form 3

3A Candice Manukonga-Scott

Natasha Schrader 3B

Melanie Eynon 3D

Adam El-Agez 3E

3F Chantelle Avery

Fraser Richards 3G

3L Robert Takerei

3M Joseph Rowe

3R Darren Rogers

Isiah Reynolds

### Form 4

Bruce Corbett 4B

Nicola Johnson 4C

Tony Taula 4G

Kathy Hill 4H

Robert Webber

Zane Bosson

4N Hayley Johns

Lawrence Leaf

Quinton Brown

### MERIT CERTIFICATES IN ATHLETICS

Junior Boys: Junior Girls: Lawrence Te Awa

Chantelle Avery

## MERIT CERTIFICATES IN CROSS COUNTRY

Junior Girls:

**Emma Parkes** Junior Boys: Dion Pigott

Intermediate Girls: Nicola Johnson

## MERIT CERTIFICATE IN BADMINTON

Taranaki Secondary School Junior Boys: Roderick Eales

### MERIT AWARDS IN CRICKET

Form 3

**Dylan Coutts** 

**Daniel Sinclair** Form 4

## MERIT CERTIFICATES IN SWIMMING

Junior Boys:

Junior Girls:

Duane Rore Travis Murdoch

Vanessa Rowe

Gemma Perry

## INTER HOUSE AWARDS

### DARNELL

Chris Hamil Cup in Softball Morine Cup in Athletics

Phil Gayton Cup in Volleyball

## RICHMOND

Ballinger Cup in Cross Country

## INTERHOUSE SHIELD

Barrett

## SPECIAL SPORTS AWARDS

## **MORRISON TROPHY**

Most Improved F3 Netball Player: Dearnna Riley

## RICHARDSON CUP

Most Improved F4 Netball Player: Debbie Williams

## ANDREW RUSSELL TROPHY

Volleyball Player of the Year - Junior Boys: Mark Rutherford

## RHYS WILLIAMS TROPHY

Most Improved Volleyball Player of the Year - Junior Boys: Dion Cowley

## **DEBBIE RICHARDSON TROPHY**

Volleyball Player of the Year - Junior Girls: Sarah-Jane Thorstensen

### JACKSON TROPHY

Most Improved Volleyball Player of the Year - Junior Girls: Jill **Tippett** 

## WEST NEW PLYMOUTH ROTARY CLUB FAIR PLAY AWARDS

Form 3: Ataria Thompson- 3rd Form A Netball

Ataria has the respect of all team members, officials and opponents. She always plays fairly and with determination.

Form 4: Mark Rutherford - Volleyball

Mark has respect for players, officials and opponents on and off the court.

## ACADEMIC AND CULTURAL AWARDS

Ropu-O-Whaitata

Lead Kaitakitaki Lawrence Te Awa

Merit Kaitakitaki Kenny Mita Maraea Ritai

Junior Kaea

Senior Kaea Debbie Williams

## SPEECH AWARDS

Form 3 Form 4

Fraser Richards Alisha Parsottam

## MOST DILIGENT BAND MEMBER

Debbie Clearwater

## **CARNACHAN TROPHY**

Most Improved Brass Player - Deanna Waters

## JUNIOR DRAMA TROPHY

Claire Franklin



## MERIT AND DILIGENCE CERTIFICATES

## FORM 3

Subject	Merit	Diligence
BAND	Inga Boyd	Brent Howard
COMPUTER STUDIES	Colin Charman Claire Shannon Sacha McGregor Fraser Richards David Fox	Richard Berry Steven Turner Amanda Hales Colin Willoughby Gemma Wiltshire
ECONOMICS	Gemma Wiltshire Sarah Schilperoort	Hilary Blackstock Jaime Ward
ENGLISH	Fraser Richards Claire Shannon Hilary Blackstock Sarah Schilperoort Hannah Krutz Alisha Rea	
FRENCH	Fraser Richards	Amy Bloor
GRAPHICS AND DESIGN	Amy Frewin Stacey Amor Stephen Petter Roderick Eales	Stephen Rowe Angela West Phillip Reid Jaime Ward
HOME ECONOMICS	Tracey Hogg Hilary Blackstock Rachael Russell Rebecca Grundy	Isiah Reynolds Richard Wooffindin Anna Willetts Roderick Eales
HORTICULTURE	Mathew Mayhead	Neil Stacey
JAPANESE	Stephen Millward Tracey Jacobsen	Jared Olsen Leanne Smith
KEYBOARDING	Holly Hanscombe Sarah Schilperoort Fraser Richards Angela Thompson	Taryn Lobb Claire Shannon Vanessa Brownrigg Erin MacNeil
MATHEMATICS	Fraser Richards Angela Thompson Sarah Schilperoort Gemma Wiltshire Matthew Hughes Rachael Russell Richard Berry Patrice Whitehead	Hilary Blackstock Roderick Eales Julia Hobby Maria Li Brent Howard Jaime Ward Alisha Rea
MAORI	Ataria Thompson Gemma Wiltshire	Anna Willetts Maria Li

MUSIC	Angela Thompson	Euan Ross
PRACTICAL ART	Vanessa Rowe Taryn Lobb	Gemma Wiltshire Jaime Ward
SCIENCE	Claire Shannon Richard Berry Cameron Bayliss Jeremy Flower Sarah Schilperoort Stathie Triadis Gemma Wiltshire Stephen Millward	
SOCIAL STUDIES	Inga Boyd Fraser Richards Alisha Rea Hilary Blackstock Tracey Jacobsen	Rachel Cowley Sarah Schilperoort Rachael Russell Gemma Wiltshire Emma Corkill
SPANISH	Claire Shannon	Euan Ross
TEXTILES	Tracey Jacobsen Amy Frewin	Leanne Smith Sarah Schilperoort
WORKSHOP TECHNOLOGY	Brent Howard Richard Peters Stacy Amor Thomas Goudie	Natasha Peters Andrew Nicholls Joe Govier Richard Wooffindin
3B		Chrissie Trye

## FORM 3 PRIZEWINNERS - BEST IN SUBJECT

3M

BAND	Julia Hobby	MAORI	Maraea Ritai
COMPUTER STUDIES	Leanne Smith	MATHEMATICS	Shay Lattimer
ECONOMICS	Holly Hanscombe	MUSIC	Jane Rollo
ENGLISH	Amelia Gaffy	PRACTICAL ART	Alisha Rea
FRENCH	Erin MacNeil	SCIENCE	Rowan Chivers
GRAPHICS AND DESIGN	Alisha Rea	SOCIAL STUDIES	Claire Shannon
HOME ECONOMICS	Sarah Schilperoort	SPANISH	Richard Berry
HORTICULTURE	Euan Ross	TEXTILES	Renee Murch
JAPANESE	Maria Li	WORKSHOP TECHNOLOGY	Roderick Eales
KEYBOARDING	Gemma Wiltshire	w.	9

John Laires





## FORM 3 AGGREGATE AWARDS ATTAINMENT IN ENGLISH, SOCIAL STUDIES, SCIENCE AND MATHS

3A	1st	Rachael Russell	3R	1st	Patrice Whitehead
	2nd	Stephen Millward		2nd	Alisha Rea
3E	1st	Sarah Schilperoort	3S	1st	Gemma Wiltshire
	2nd	Colin Charman		2nd	Maria Li
3F	1st	Richard Berry	3D	1st	Hilary Blackstock
	2nd	Tracey Jacobsen		2nd	Angela Thompson
3G	1st	Inga Boyd	3M	1st	Iain Banks
	2nd	Fraser Richards		2nd	John Laires
3L	1st	Hannah Krutz	3B	1st	Justin Moodie
	2nd	Mathew Hughes	Excellence in	n Keyboarding,	Gina Harris
			Textiles and	Home Economics	

## FORM 4

Subject	Merit	Diligence
BAND	Laurren Winmill	Russell Maunder
ECONOMICS	Nancy De Bueger	Banh Nguyen
ENGLISH	Litisha Jury Nancy De Bueger Deanna Waters	Lisa-Marie Cowley
	Kathy Hill Jill Tippett	
	Ellen Somerton Rachel Carley	,
	Racher Carley	
4B		Tina Williams
4M		Pani Falaniko
FRENCH	Reuben Uncles	Deanna Waters
GERMAN	David Collins Ellen Somerton	Helen Gaston
	Ellen Somerton	
GRAPHICS AND DESIGN	Blair Collie	Talia Eaton
	Sarah-Jane Thorstensen	Sharon Thompson
	Katharine Adam	Melanie Hansen
HOME ECONOMICS	Cameron Lucas	Josephine Smith
	Quinton Brown	Nicola Tooley
	Susan Bromfield	Simon Kingsbury
HORTICULTURE	Ellen Somerton	Stephen Bishell
JAPANESE	Robert Webber	Lisa-Marie Cowley
KEYBOARDING	Odessa Owens	Dion Pigott
	Melanie Hansen	Robert Webber
	Sharon Thompson	Karen Needham

MATHEMATICS	Sarah-Jane Thorstensen Jill Tippett Litisha Jury Alana Glentworth Dion Pigott Jamie Boulton Adele Gichard	Banh Nguyen Corey Lynds Robert Webber Tawera Phillips Shannon Novak Nicola Johnson Lawrence Leaf Quinton Brown
MAORI	Fiona Corrigan	
PRACTICAL ART	Claire Franklin Amanda Tennant	Josephine Smith Katharine Adam
SCIENCE	Sarah-Jane Thorstensen Josie Roberts Julie Alexander Carolyn Alldridge Katrina Jensen Gerard Tooman Aaron White Joanna Long	
SOCIAL STUDIES	Jill Tippett Sarah-Jane Thorstensen Melanie Hansen Ellen Somerton Josie Roberts	Jay Millar Kate Morgan Sharon Thompson Joanne Mitchell Carolyn Alldridge
TEXTILES	Nancy De Bueger Kate Morgan	Karla Hodges Kelly Gilbert
WORKSHOP TECHNOLOGY	Melanie Hansen Cory Simkin Leif Warren David Collins Rachel Donald	Dean Avers Dana Hamilton Clinton Kahotea Phillip Smith Gavin Moss

## FORM 4 PRIZEWINNERS - BEST IN SUBJECT

## FORM 4 AGGREGATE AWARDS

	Certificate	4G	1st	Heather Callingham
	Certificate	40	2nd	Joanna Long
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BAND	Deanna Waters	4H	1st	Dana McKay
ECONOMICS	Jill Tippett		2nd	Jill Tippett
ENGLISH	Dana McKay	4K	1st	Aaron White
FRENCH	Kathy Hill		2nd	Nicholas James
GERMAN	Alana Glentworth	40	1st	Jay Millar
GRAPHICS AND DESIGN	Kathy Hill		2nd	Gerard Tooman
HOME ECONOMICS	Carolyn Alldridge	4C	1st	Katrina Jensen
HORTICULTURE	Kathy Hill		2nd	Nicola Johnson
JAPANESE	Shannon Novak	4N	1st	Carolyn Alldridge
KEYBOARDING	Jill Tippett		2nd	Corey Lynds
MAORI	Quinessa Sullivan 1st=	4P	1st	Sharon Thompson
	Anna Jessep 1st=		2nd	Helen Gaston
MATHEMATICS	Kathy Hill	4M	1st	Hayden Walsh
PRACTICAL ART	Julie Alexander		2nd	Nathan Johns
SCIENCE	Jill Tippett 1st=	4J	1st	Josie Roberts
	Dana McKay 1st=		2nd	Ben Fitzpatrick
SOCIAL STUDIES	Dana McKay	4B	1st	Nancy Reed
TEXTILES	Sarah-Jane Thorstensen	Excellence at Wo	ork Experience	Jason Taylor
WORKSHOP TECHNOLOGY	Chris Batten			





## 1994 SENIOR PRIZEGIVING

## SPORTING AWARDS

SERVICES TO THE SCHOOL-NETBALL, HOCKEY, RUGBY, LEAGUE Katie Holland, Cheryl Cottam, Foti Vaafusu Kyle Ratapu, Foti Vaafusu, Joshua Walker, Ross MacNeil FOR SERVICES TO THE SCHOOL IN COACHING BASKETBALL FOR SERVICES TO THE SCHOOL IN COACHING VOLLEYBALL Mark Rutherford, Mathew Thomson THE TALO-MANU NETBALL TROPHY FOR SERVICES TO THE SCHOOL IN COACHING NETBALL Leanne Kemsley, Tracey Eru **EXCELLENCE IN ATHLETICS** Terri-anne Sole, Daimen Lobb, Laurren Winmill, Hemi Manukonga **EXCELLENCE IN SWIMMING** Jolene Kindberg, Bruce Gabites, Simon Plant, Michelle Cronin, Travis Murdoch Jolene Kindberg, David Cowley, Nicola Johnson, Daniel Sinclair **EXCELLENCE IN CROSS COUNTRY EXCELLENCE IN VOLLEYBALL** Gavin Moss, Nathan Jones **EXCELLENCE IN BASKETBALL EXCELLENCE IN CRICKET EXCELLENCE IN HOCKEY EXCELLENCE IN NETBALL** Katie Holland, Emma Third

### SPECIAL SPORTS AWARDS

1ST XV TROPHY - BEST ALL ROUND TEAM MEMBER Steve Clark THOMSON CUP FOR CAPTAIN 1ST XV PLUS SPOTSWOOD UNITED RUGBY CLUB MINIATURE **Andy Murfitt** TONY STUTHRIDGE MEMORIAL FOR MOST CONSCIENTIOUS TEAM MEMBER Danny Govier BOYS INDOOR BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR Nathan Coombs GIRLS INDOOR BASKETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR Katie Holland DOWELANCO CUP FOR THE MOST DEDICATED GIRL CRICKETER Tina O'Keeffe BRODIE CUP FOR MOST IMPROVED GIRLS VOLLEYBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR Sarah-Jane Thorstensen MATTHEW COLEMAN TROPHY SENIOR BOYS VOLLEYBALL - MOST IMPROVED PLAYER Matthew Thomson ANTONY JOE TROPHY SENIOR BOYS VOLLEYBALL PLAYER OF THYE YEAR Mark Rutherford WILSON TROPHY - SENIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR Dianne Avery L.J. TROPHY SENIOR NETBALL PLAYER OF THE YEAR Anna Looney THE DOUG HISLOP SAILING CUP Caine Jackson LIFESAVING CUP Simon Plant GAYLENE KENDRICK SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE PREMIER WOMEN'S SOCCER AWARD Hayley Cunningham LISA ROPER TROPHY FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN SOCCER Nicola Domney TRINA COWLEY TROPHY FOR SPORTING EXCELLENCE Dianne Avery SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR TROPHY DONATED BY MR & MRS HALE, FOR EQUESTRIAN \* Taranaki Senior Dressage Champion 1994, \* NZ Pony Club (Under 21) Dressage Champion April 1994, \* Captain Taranaki Team 1st NZ (2nd individually seniors), \* NZ Pony Club EventingChampionship May 1994 Team =1st (Individual A1 Cup =1st), \* NZ Horse Trials Taupo 3 Day Event, 1st Young Rider (Under 21) Claire Tompkins

## **INTER HOUSE AWARDS**

R & N MONG CUP IN BASKETBALL MORINE CUP IN ATHLETICS PHIL GAYTON CUP IN VOLLEYBALL BALLINGER CUP IN CROSS COUNTRY CRAIGMYLE CUP IN SWIMMING FAYE HILL CUP IN NETBALL HONNOR CUP IN RUGBY

Richmond Barrett Atkinson Richmond Atkinson Richmond Atkinson

First in Subject

**JAPANESE** 

**GRAPHICS & DESIGN, FRENCH** 

Terri-anne Sole

**Bruce Gabites** 

Cheryl Cottam

### ACADEMIC AWARDS

## **FORM 5 PRIZE WINNERS**

Sarah-Jane Thorstensen Joelene Marsden Nancy de Bueger Deanna Waters Gemma Perry Kate Morgan Kathy Hill Dana McKay Jill Tippett Robert Webber

**TRANSITION** HISTORY, WINNER OF THE MARGARET HURLEY PRIZE FOR TOP STUDENT OF ENGLISH, MATHEMATICS, ACCOUNTING **MUSIC** PRACTICAL ART **TEXTILES** HORTICULTURE **ECONOMICS** SCIENCE, GEOGRAPHY

Kelly Vincent Susan Bromfield Kelly Gilbert Nancy Reed Anna Jessep Hayden Walsh Talia Eaton Adam Nicholls Kelly Hudson

Kara Lobb

Sarah Edlin

Tracey Clearwater

HOME ECONOMICS= MAORI 5M KEYBOARDING TARANAKI SCIENCE **HEALTH STUDIES** 

First in Subject

**FRENCH** 

MATHS APPLICATION

HOME ECONOMICS=

**NZMC** 

## FORM 6 PRIZE WINNERS

IN FOCUS CUP FOR PHOTOGRAPHY Natalie Piper Cathy Campbell PRACTICAL ART **DESIGN TECHNOLOGY** Shane Jones Glenarr Huntley **MAORI ELECTRONICS** Matthew Ruddick Karla Gichard **ACCOUNTING** Patrick Watson **MUSIC** 

## FORM 7 PRIZE WINNERS

First in Subject Glenn Steffensen ACCOUNTING **Dimetre Triadis** ECONOMICS, CHEMISTRY GEOGRAPHY, MATHEMATICS WITH STATISTICS, ENGLISH Zoe Priestley **BUSINESS STUDIES** Sarah Paul Jeremy Smith NEW ZEALAND INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS PRIZE AWARDED FOR -DILIGENCE AND ADDITIONAL ENDEAVOUR IN SOME SELECTED AREA OF PHYSICS Marina Murrow **HOME ECONOMICS** PHYSICAL EDUCATION Suzanne Hooper Bianca Wilks TEXTILES, PRINTMAKING

COMPUTER Sam Fancourt WORDPROCESSING Sally McLean Kelly Hutton **TRANSITION** Leda Pedelini **PAINTING** 

FRENCH, CLASSICS **Shannon Austin** M.J. HICKEY TROPHY FOR EXCELLENCE IN FRENCH Claire Tompkins **HISTORY** 

Dion Blackler MATHEMATICS WITH CALCULUS, PHYSICS Rebecca Plunkett **PHOTOGRAPHY MEDIA STUDIES** Andre Hansen

**ART HISTORY** Madeleine Kingsbury A & M HUTCHINSON PRIZE FOR SENIOR BIOLOGY Dianne Avery MUSIC Jodi Reader

## SPECIAL SUBJECT AWARDS

Claire Tompkins HELEN J. BACON AWARD, MERIT IN GEOGRAPHY & HISTORY HARRY M. BACON MEMORIAL PRIZE (BEST ALL ROUND PERFORMANCE IN ARTS) Zoe Priestley Cheryl Cottam FAY LOONEY ARTS AWARD (EXCELLENCE IN ANY FIELD OF THE ARTS) Bianca Wilks D.J.P. INGRAM TECHNOLOGY AWARD EMO AWARD FOR THE MOST CONSCIENTIOUS PERFORMER IN THE CONCERT BAND Fiona Corrigan

## SPEECH AWARDS

Melanie Hansen F5 Petrina Paxie F6 Jamie Banks F7 Nancy de Bueger IMPROMPTU SPEECH





## **Special Awards**

B.O.T PRIZE FOR SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL Deputy Head Girl and Deputy Head Boy THE JOE GREENWOOD MEMORIAL PRIZE FOR SCHOOL SERVICE Shannon Austin, Jamie Banks Daniel Vandenberg MARJAN Van PAASSEN AWARD FOR ENTHUSIASM ABOUT LEARNING SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES PRIZE FOR B.O.T. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE AND SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE PRIZE FOR HEAD GIRL AND Shannon Austin Nicky Williams Zoe Priestley BOARD OF TRUSTEES AWARD FOR SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL L.M. MOSS PRIZE FOR HEAD BOY AND Damian Johnson BOARD OF TRUSTEES AWARD FOR SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL BRUCE WALKER PRIZE FOR ENDEAVOUR AND LEADERSHIP Dianne Avery, Katie Holland THE EMILY CANNELL MEMORIAL CUP FOR EXCELLENCE IN ACHIEVEMENT Claire Tompkins THE R.S.A. - DR GEORGE THOMPSON AWARD Zoe Priestley PROXIME ACCESSIT (Runner Up to the Dux) AND WINNER OF THE BLUME CUP AND WADSWORTH LONDON BOOKSHOP PRIZE Shannon Austin THE A.L. McPHAIL DUX MEDAL AND THE DUX CUP Zoe Priestley= Dion Blackler=

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ART HISTORY	Dwight Ashton	
BIOLOGY	Shannon Austin	Natasha Petter
BUSINESS STUDIES	Damian Brouwers	Tracey Perrett
		Katherine Bublitz
CHEMISTRY	Dianne Avery	
	Dion Blackler	
CLASSICS	Joanne Wills	Cressy Wells
	Bianca Wilks	Jodi Reader
	Madeleine Kingsbury	Natasha Petter
COMPUTER	Sally McLean	
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	Claire Tompkins	
GEOGRAPHY	Claire Tompkins	Katie Holland
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PRINTMAKING	Cheryl Cottam	Wattha Wallow
PHOTOGRAPHY	Cheryl Cottam	Suzanne Hooper
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## SPECIAL EDUCATION

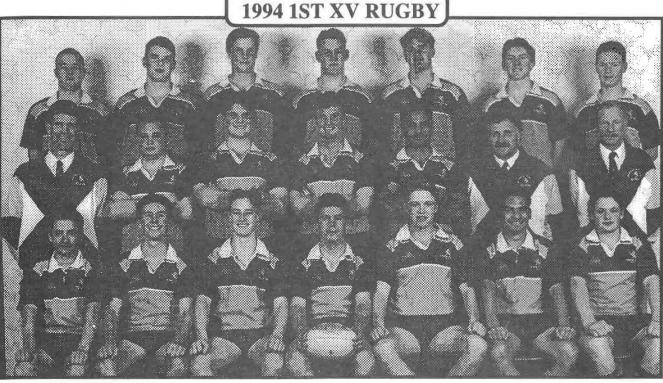
Michael Thornhill (7MC) Mathew Walsh (6JS) Heidi Armstrong (6JC) - for outstanding attitude and excellent progress in all areas.

- excellent progress in reading and social skills.

- excellent progress in personal development and language skills.

(Some results were not available at the time of going to print. Ed.)

## JOHN LOBB ELECTRICAL



Back: Steve Clark, Mathew Rilkoff, Daniel Maitland, Leon Brown, Damian Johnson, Caine Jackson, Blair Riddick
Middle: Mr Peter McCall (coach), Dean Avers, Danny Govier, Abe Chamberlain, Foti Vaafusu, Mr Gary Murfitt (manager),
Mr Jim Avers (coach)

Front: Jared Trott, Daimen Lobb, Leon Christensen, Andy Murfitt (captain), Josh Walker (vice-captain), Kyle Ratapu, Brad Bayliss

Definitely a year to remember for Spotswood College rugby. A year which produced the best team scene in 20 years. With the team coached by Jim Avers and Peter McCall, this was always promising to be a very successful season. This well-balanced team, with strengths in all positions, consistently produced open, running and high-scoring games. Finishing 3rd in the A Division, there were many high points but the occasional low kept us down to earth (from time to time).

Some of the outstanding memories will be the 35-27 victory over Francis Douglas College as a curtain-raiser to the Taranaki vs Western Samoa game at Rugby Park. The honourable game against St Stephens of Bombay, South Auckland who had earlier in the season gained third place in the World Colleges Championship, was another high point in the season. Their reputation did not daunt us but helped us to rise to the occasion as we managed to score three tries against an awesome defensive team.

From our three interprovincial games against top teams from Thames Valley, King Country and Wellington we deservedly won all three games.

Hauraki Plains (Thames) - 22-20 Tongariro (King Country) - 50-37

Aotea (Wellington) - 35-27

We also beat Fraser High (Waikato) 34-16.
From this team Andy Murfitt, Daimen

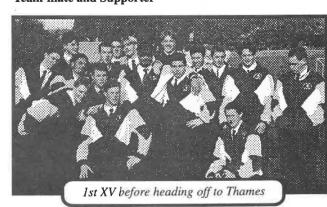
From this team Andy Murfitt, Daimen Lobb, Foti Vaafusu, Leon Brown and Dean Avers all represented Taranaki in tournaments in their respective grades.

Many thanks must go to our major sponsors John Lobb Electrical for their much appreciated support. To our coaches goes our appreciation for the sharing of their vast knowledge of the game and also to all the supportive parents especially to those who supported us every week. Without all these people we would not be what we are today.

Cheers fellas, great season. Good luck for next year.

Team Member Position Comment Andy Murfitt (c) Fullback A substantial season Dan Maitland Second-five Classic smart mouth Daimen Lobb Wing You're just a legend Blair Riddick Halfback Big tackles for a big guy Joshua Walker Look for a try next season Lock Damian Johnson Lock At least he tried Kyle Ratapu Wing Too much! Foti Vaafusu Centre Not bad, bit skinny Helped Maitland get smart Leon Christensen 1st Five Too big, too strong Leon Brown No 8 Flanker Mobile, fit and fast **Brad Bayliss** Dean Avers Harder than steel Prop Jarod Trott Wing On ya Trotty Daniel Sinclair Wing/Fullback Big future Danny Govier Prop Dedicated, big heart Abe Chamberlain Lock Likes to blow kisses Matt Rilkoff Hooker Silent contributor Steve Clarke Flanker Spot ya later Caine Jackson Flanker Total meathead

## Team-mate and Supporter





## **1ST XV COACHES REPORT**

The John Lobb Electrical Spotswood College 1st XV can be very satisfied with its results this year. We started the year with a new playing strip thanks to our sponsors. The team played some very open and attractive rugby. We had a front row which was never bettered at all throughout the season. We had a very competitive loose forward contingent with three locks competing for the positions which meant that they gave their all throughout the season. The backs were a very fast and skilled unit. Our game plan was to play it out wide and excellent service from the inside backs and centres meant we scored many tries out wide.

Apart from the first up win against FDC another highlight was the 60-13 win against Stratford High where we played the definitive 15 man game. Our entry into the Northern Regions Secondary Schools competition was also something to remember.

We finished third in the local competition, playing 14 games and winning 10. This is an improvement on last season's seventh position and we also reached the quarter-finals of the knock-out competition. In the final analysis we played 21 games, won 16, lost 5, scored 762 points and had 434 scored against us.

Congratulations to Andy Murfitt, Daimen Lobb, Foti Vaafusu and Leon Brown who made the Taranaki Secondary Schools team and to Dean Avers for making the U16 team.

The team would like to thank its sponsor John Lobb Electrical for their assistance, the Tukapa RFC for allowing us the use of their facilities for training, Gary Murfitt for his support throughout the season, and the many parents who helped and supported us.

## Jim Avers and Peter McCall

## SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

It has been a great first year for the Spotswood College Rugby Football Club. Under the astute guidance of chairman Graeme Riddick and a very dedicated committee, the College's Rugby Club got off to an excellent start.

This year saw the college field four teams in the Taranaki competition, an increase of one from last year. The committee has worked hard trying to make sure that each team had a coach and manager. In return each team has performed creditably on and off the field. A downside has been the demise of the women's rugby team due to the lack of a willing coach. Hopefully we can rectify this next year.

The club has been fortunate in that it has been able to raise sponsorship for some of its teams this year. From John Lobb Electrical our major sponsor of the 1st XV through to Coca-Cola for the drink bottles at halftime, we have received excellent support. Other sponsors include New Zealand Towel Services for the regular washing of the teams' jerseys and McCurdy Engineering for our new goalpost pads. Also thanks must go to the Spotswood United Rugby Club for supplying the college with a scrum machine. A much needed coaching accessory.

### Peter McCall



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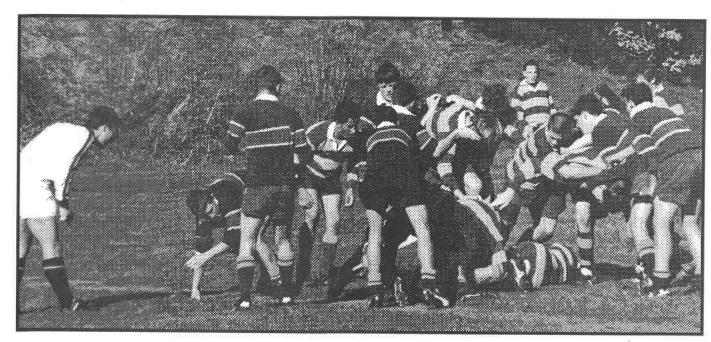
## 2nd XV RUGBY



Back: Mr W O'Neil (coach), Lyndon Peterson, Paul McCurdy, Stephen Sheath, Bradley Wood, David Cowley, Joe Govier, Tristan Krutz, Alistair Hodgkinson, Shane Jones

Front: Stephen Casey, Daamon Solomon, Jay Millar, Duane Ratapu, Jade Morgan (captain), James Robinson, Patrick Watson, Greg Shramka

Absent: Carl Jones, Christian Parkinson



The season started off with a hiss and a roar with a huge win of 124-0 against a not so strong Hawera side. The team was brought back to reality by a shock loss to Opunake early on in the season. But we battled back with exciting team work to play well. A win against Francis Douglas brought the team the honour of achieving the 'Top Dog Shield'.

The team continued to play exciting, attractive football to retain the Shield but a disappointing loss in our final game against Francis Douglas saw us losing it. However, the boys can still hold their heads high as we all played a good season and

retained the honour of gaining the B2 Division Championship.

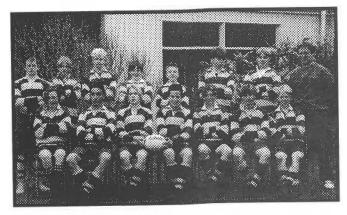
Congratulations to Tristan Krutz for an outstanding season and to Alistair Hodgkinson for being the top try-scorer and to the rest of the team for their excellent contributions.

All credits go to our coach, Wayne O'Neil, our manager Alan Amstad, the boys and our supporters for making the season a productive and enjoyable one.

Our condolences go to Wayne O'Neil and his family for the sad loss of Graham O'Neil who was highly respected in the rugby world.



## D GRADE RUGBY



Back: Damon Conaglen (captain), Jon Waters, Regan McMillan, Tony Rice, Danny Carley, Kerry Rea, Reuben White, Mr D Rogers (coach)

Front: Lucas Gordon, Joshua Williams, Fraser Richards, Brendon O'Keeffe, Adam Maulder, Darren Rogers, Alan Wilward

Absent: Conan Woods, Kevin Bryant



## **3RD GRADE RUGBY**

Back: Mr Peter McCall (coach), Duane Rore,

Daniel Wilkinson, Jonathon Graham, Rhys Clark, Daniel Kereama, Rowan Cairns, Mr G Kereama

(coach)

Front: Sioli Malili, Alistair Tippett, Simon Hill,

Daniel Spittal, David Charteris

Absent: Rhys Danaher, Glynn Danaher, Jeremy Maxwell

(captain), Waa Kimura

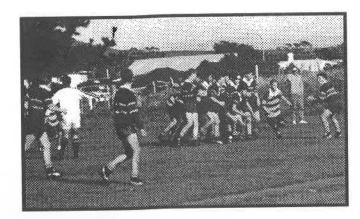
## D GRADE REPORT

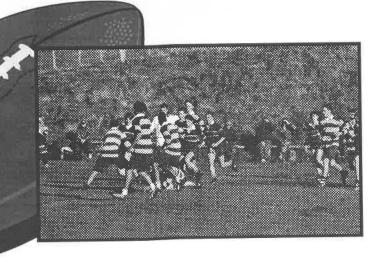
We started the season playing all the hard games. About halfway through the season, the D Grade was split into two grades. It was sort of like an A and a B grade. Each grade consisted of four teams. Our team which was in the new B grade started to find the games easier as we got more skilful and more determined.

Our first game in the B Grade was against Boys' High which we had previously lost by 5 points. This time we thrashed them by 80 points to nil. We won all the other games we played. We were second on the table and had to win our last game to be champions in our grade.

Our last game was against Opunake which we thought would be a walk-over. But we were to be proven wrong. Opunake scored a try which we believed was about a metre away from the tryline. We matched them point for point throughout the game until with about 5 minutes remaining, the scores were locked 15-all. As much as we tried, we could not break the deadlock. This draw saw us ending our season second in our grade.

## **Danny Carley**





## BASKETBALL

## BOYS SENIOR A BASKETBALL

This year we played in the local Basketball Association competition while also contesting several secondary school games. In the association competition we went through the first round undefeated and after the second round, qualified second for the play-off. We lost our first semi-final but won the second convincingly against Waitara High to qualify for the final. This was played the Sunday after our return from our trip to Aotea College in Porirua. Needless to say our tired team lost in the final to the K.K. Oilers.

In the Taranaki Secondary Schools competition we finished seventh but could have easily finished third. In the round robin we lost first up to Francis Douglas but came back to defeat our toughest competition Hawera 51-50 in overtime. This victory meant we qualified for the regionals provided we beat Waitara. Unfortunately we summed up our whole season by losing to a team we should have beaten and we could only wonder what might have been.

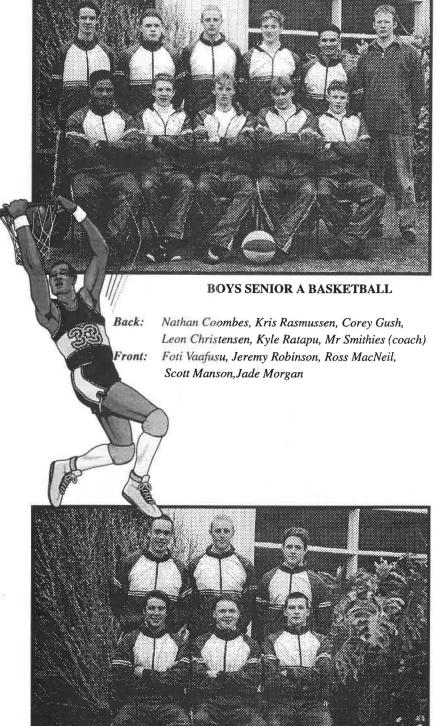
The only consolation was that from funds raised we could afford a trip away to Aotea College. This proved to be very enjoyable and we capped the trip off with a convincing 111-89 victory with Nathan Coombes hitting 45 points. Everyone contributed a big game sometime during the season showing the depth we had in the team.

Thanks to Mr Smithies for coaching us this season.

## THE ROCKETS

The Rockets had an enjoyable season with Ryan (vice-captain) having a great 3 point season. Daryn was a legend down on the baseline while Corey had a great rebound season. Simon played with fire and flair. Jeremy had a fantastic start until his knees let him down. Roy with his skill and agility gave the team much pleasure. Steven and Brad combined well when the commitment was there. Kris, our captain, had a superb season on and off the court.

Thanks to our coaches and parents for their great support noisy as it was coming from the sidelines.



THE ROCKETS

Back: Roy Jamieson, Corey Gush, Ryan Olsen
Front: Simon Toll, Kris Rasmussen, Jeremy Maxwell

## **WOOM BA JAZZ U18**

This year was a fun-filled season with high scoring fast paced games. We entered as a team solely to have fun and this relaxed us to finish third at the end of the regular season. The highlight was a last gasp 65-63 victory over the top Francis Douglas team which propelled us into third place.

In the semi-finals we played Boys' High Celtics. We led from start to finish and won 48-45 in a game that was nowhere near as close as the final scoreline showed.

In the final the team continued their relaxed style and played very well only to lose to the top Francis Douglas team by a mere 10 points.

All team members put in good performances with consistently big games coming from Ross MacNeil and Scott Manson. Damian Johnson also contributed week in and week out, crashing the boards and guarding the opposition's strongest players. Kyle Ratapu and Foti Vaafusu could not play every week as they had to coach a lower grade girls team.



The Hawks played in the boys under 16 basketball competition at Francis Douglas College on Friday nights. We played quick, aggressive and attractive basketball and finished a very creditable second on our side of the draw. This qualified us for the top six which was a very competitive section featuring the best, including New Plymouth Boys' High and Francis Douglas College. The team performed well in this group and finished the competition a well deserved third.

Thanks to our coach John Hawkins.



**WOOM BA JAZZ U18** 

Back: Duane Ratapu, Damian Johnson, Foti Vaafusu, Kyle Ratapu Front: Jeremy Robinson, Ross MacNeil, Joshua Walker, Scott Manson



**U16 HAWKS** 

Back: Brendon Main, Kane Moses, Simon Bevington, Mr Hawkins (coach)
Front: Dion Piggott, Duane Rore, Nathan Coombes, Lyndon Young

## **U16 HORNETS**

We are stoked about our season which saw us with many a fine win. Our proud standing of 6th placing out of 18 was due to amongst others Leif and Harley who provided good defence skills for the team. Steven Ramsbottom showed us what true dedication can do and worked hard at his game all season.

With a late entry into our team Mark Rutherford provided some precious points and added to our team's strength. Emmett Jordan (not related to Michael Jordan despite what he might think) was our big man on the inside providing some good power moves up front.

Nathan (Bob) Lovell gave the team high spirits and always provided a laugh, while on the serious side he was dragging rebounds offensively and defensively giving the team the winning edge. Gavin (The Man) Moss was a great point guard. He had amazing ball handling skills and a good three point shot. Nathan (Mr Gusto) Johns showed awesome talent with (almost) perfect ball handling skills and he could shoot the ball from almost anywhere.

Thank you to our coach Bill Warren for making our team what it is today. We also boast having Nathan Johns and Gavin Moss reaching the high honour of representing us in the Taranaki U16 basketball competition.

## **U14 SPURS**

The U14 Spurs strived to be the top U14 basketball team in the College and to beat their close rivals the Supersonics coached by Maren Huntley's father.

With the coaching of Quintin King and the captaincy of Sandy Pattison and Josh Paurini team spirit and charisma were built up which helped the team reach 4th place on the league table, just 2 points away from making the semifinals when we were beaten by the Waitara Saints.

Congratulations to all the Spotswood Basketball teams and hoping that they can all do as well as if not better than 1994.

Sandy

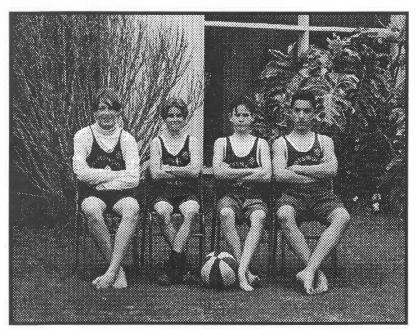


**U16 HORNETS** 

Back: Steven Ramsbottom, Nathan Johns, Emmett Jordan,

Mark Rutherford

Front: Leif Warren, Harley Taylor, Gavin Moss, Nathan Lovell



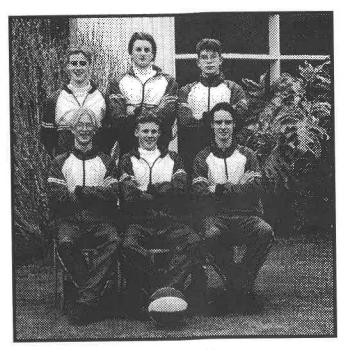
**U14 SPURS** 

Adrian George, Tim Brown, Joshua Paurini, Joshua Williams

Absent: Adam Priest, Dylan Spencer, Sandy Pattison, Brendon Holswich,

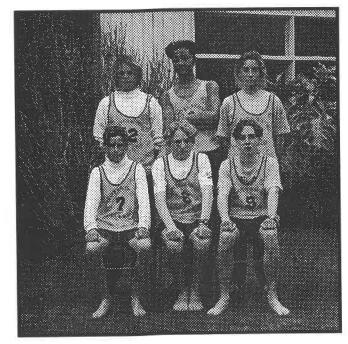
Hayden Tompkins





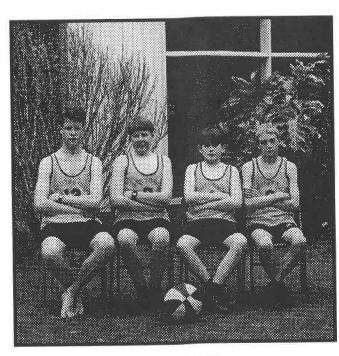
**U18 BULLETS** 

Back: Leon Christensen, Nathan Strachan, Daniel Burton Front: Simon Priestley, Jade Morgan, Nathan Coombes Absent: Trent Parkes, Terry Pattison, Simon Hill



**U16 LAKERS** 

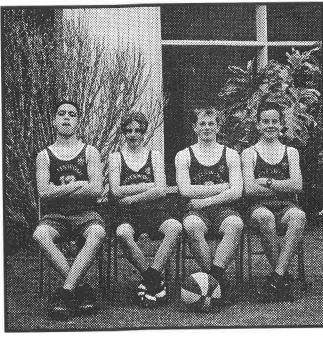
Back: Daniel Fanthorpe, Sioli Malili, Gareth Hill Front: Joel Scott, Dion Cowley, Ben Masters



**U14 ALL STARS** 

Alistair Tippett, Trent Martin, Fraser Ross, Craig Sharpe Absent: Hayden Seed, Aaron Meijer, Alan Millward,Ryan

Cooper



**U14 SUPERSONICS** 

Jayden Wilson

Raymond Edwards, Adam Maulder, Damon Conaglen, Brendon O'Keeffe Absent: Gareth Smith, Maren Huntley, Richard Knuckey,

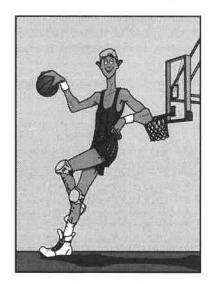
Joanne Wills

## SENIOR A GIRLS BASKETBALL

We started the season in the Premier Women's division playing against bigger and more experienced women. With no coach and lots of injuries we suffered some heavy losses.

The second half of the season was more successful - playing in the Premier Reserve. The team improved with every game and we missed out by just one point on making the semi-finals. We also played in the Taranaki Secondary Schools tournament and against the visiting Fraser High team. We played a great team game against them to win 65-38.

Many thanks to our coach Mr Hawkins who took over the role in mid-season and to our parents and other supporters. Thanks also to Mr and Mrs Carnachan and Mr Bayly who helped out when needed. Good luck to next year's team.

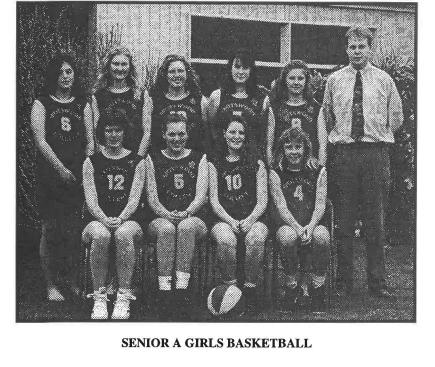


ASTRO GIRLS U18 BASKETBALL

Astro Girls Under 18 basketball team went through a challenging season. Our team was made up of 7th formers, 6th formers and one 3rd former but it was a winning combination. Losing only one competition game, we qualified for the semis. After putting up a brilliant fight we unfortunately lost by only 4 points. Not that it dampened our spirits, we ended up finishing 3rd in our league.

Every single player deserves credit for our success. Everyone played together as a team, each with their individual skills that developed through the season. The significance of Astro's success is that we had no coach, so everything we achieved was due to our own determination and commitment.

I would like to thank Mr Bayly for helping out with the refereeing and good luck to all the team members trialling next year.

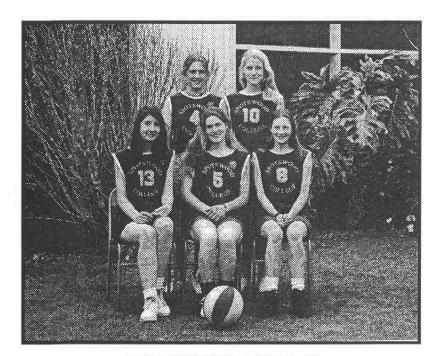


Back: Angela Kirby, Heidi Richardson, Dianne Avery, Sarah Paul,

Elizabeth Mayhead, Mr Hawkins (coach)

Front: Hayley Cunningham, Katie Holland (captain), Jodi Autridge

Sarah Greenbank



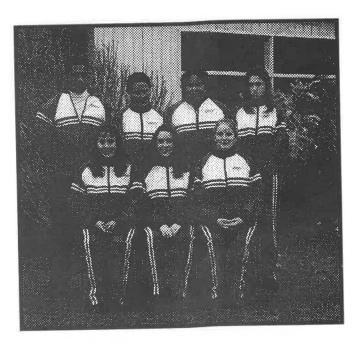
ASTRO GIRLS U18 BASKETBALL

Back: Heelan Tompkins, Joanne Wills

Front: Lucie Goudie, Claire Tompkins, Cherie Pollard

Absent: Tina McGregor, Sasha McGregor





## BRAVES BASKETBALL

Back: Foti Vaafusu (asst coach), Margie Avery, Lio Tafa,

Marisa Davies

Front: Tawera Phillips, Carissa Sutherland, Sarah Peters

Absent: Kyle Ratapu (coach)

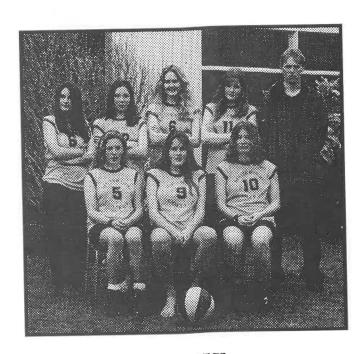


## **U14 MAGIC**

Michelle Thorstensen, Meika Perry, Lisa Snowden,

Waveney Corry

Front: Bridgette Wilson, Sarah Greenbanks, Anita Kumar



## **U16 CELTICS**

Back: Amy Christiansen, Tamsin Corkill, Vanessa Brownrigg, Hayley O'Keeffe, Ross MacNeil

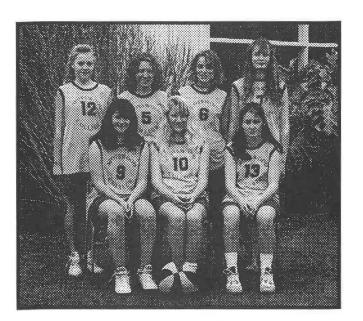
Front: Rebecca Grundy, Holly Hanscombe, Tracey

O'Sullivan



**U16 ATOMICS** 

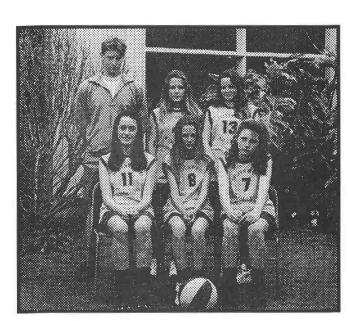
Back: Mr Colin Scott, Jane Aitken, Kate Morgan, Kylie Hale Front: Nicola Johnson, Carolyn Alldridge, Gemma Perry



## **U14 ROCKETS**

Back: Kylie Sisarich, Karyn O'Sullivan, Samantha Phillips,

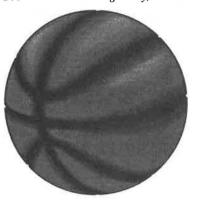
Front: Megan Riddock, Katie Rutherford, Karyn McDonald



**U14 LAKERS** 

Leon Christensen (coach), Renee Penman, Jenna Quay

Front: Alicia Montgomery, Jenna Pillette, Chaya Runciman



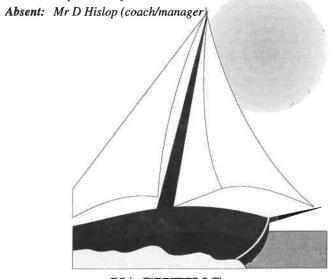


**YACHTING** 

Back: Daniel Le Breton, Shane Jones, Caine Jackson

Front: Russell Maunder, Anna Hislop, Carla Hodges,

Stephen Casey



## **YACHTING**

The College yachting team this year competed in the Inter-Secondary Schools Teams Racing competition in Wellington in May.

Our team consisting of Caine Jackson, Shane Jones, Daniel Le Breton, Anna Hislop, Russell Maunder, Karla Hodges, Steven Casey and coach Doug Hislop was hoping to improve on last year's 10th position when we got off to a good start with three wins on Day One. Race four was to be the disappointment of the Regatta when Daniel Le Breton was knocked out and unable to compete in the remaining races. Reserve Steven Casey was brought in.

Though we enjoyed ourselves in the remaining races, sadly it was all downhill. We were able to finish only 11th equal. Westlake Boys High won the Regatta and continued their success by beating Australia in the Inter-Dominion Series.

The team would like to thank coach Doug Hislop and helpers Alison Hodges and Peta Hislop.





## **SURFING**

The Taranaki Intersecondary School Surf Championships were held at Fitzroy Beach on 1 March this year. This is an annual event from which a representative Taranaki Regional team is selected to compete in the National competitions. Finally a team is selected for the World Scholastic competition held at some faraway exotic location.

After a long selection process, a team was selected for the regional event. The conditions at Fitzroy were good with pumping 3.5 foot waves and minimal winds. Competition in these conditions was very close.

Charlotte Fanthorpe gained second place in the women's section. The boys made it to the semi-finals and overall Spotswood gained 5th place out of the 10 competing schools.



**SURFING** 

Back: Charlotte Fanthorpe, James Robinson, Mr Peters, Simon Toll,

Front: Daniel Fanthorpe, Richard Wooffindin, Jamie Harding,







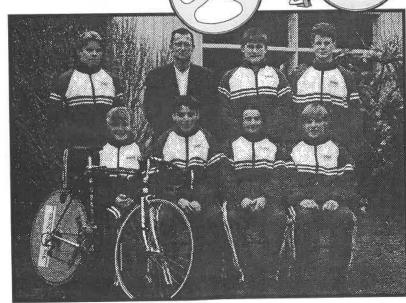
The school cycling team had a successful season with the junior team being placed second in the Taranaki Time Trial championships at Inglewood. Our two senior riders Dean Parkes and Robert Peters were placed first and second respectively in the individual time trials. Rowena Howard gained second place in the individual women's event.

**CYCLING** 

Two riders competed in the Mansfield Individual events held in August. Craig Peters finished 12th out of a large field and Robert Peters was unable to finish because of mechanical failure.

The Fraser High visit was especially successful. On the first day a time trial was held with Fraser winning by just 90 seconds. A handicap individual time trial was held on day two with Robert Peters making the fastest time.

Over the season the team was coached by Mr Shane Peters and Mr Peter Cox.

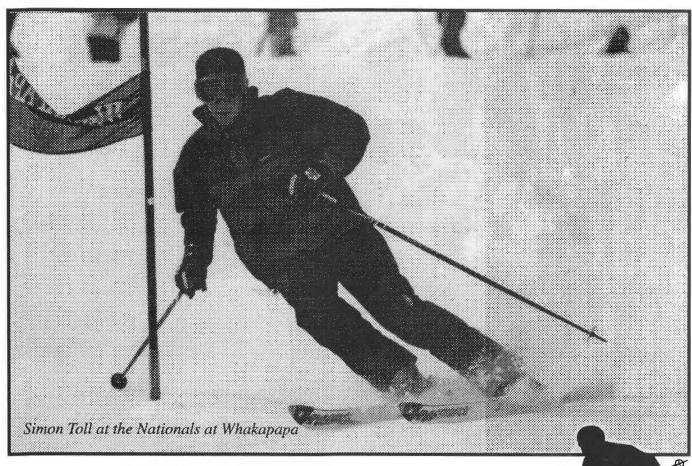


**CYCLING** 

Back: Ryan Cox, Mr Peters, Brent Howard, Alistair Tippett Front: Rowena Howard, Robert Peters, Dean Parkes, Craig Peters



## **SKI CLUB**



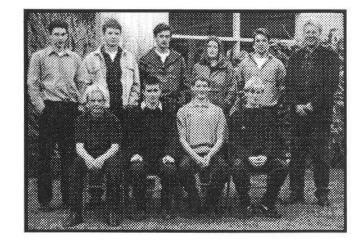
1994 was an outstanding year for snow. There were heaps of it! Unfortunately, it was also an abysmal year for weather and we seldom had the chance to take advantage of the record snowfalls!

The ski club had two school-time excursions for new skiers which were as usual a time for hilarious fun for all concerned, especially those observing the chaos. Ask anyone who has been on these trips and they will tell you the opportunity to learn to ski is not to be missed.

The ski team had one training day and competed in two major events. In the Taranaki champs on Mount Taranaki, we finished a very creditable second with the whole team completing their two runs successfully. Simon Tennant won the Senior Boys division with Simon Toll fourth. Henrik Hedqvist finished fifth with Nicole Freeman in the same position in the Senior Girls.

These four skiers and Mandy Tennant made up the team for the New Zealand championships on Mt Ruapehu. Despite poor weather causing the cancellation of two out of the three days racing, Spotswood managed to finish in the top half of the 128 teams in 60th position.

Skiing is a lot of fun and new members are always welcome. There is a tremendous interest as shown by the heavy demand on our ski hire facilities. This season we had over 80 hires. As far as we know, we are probably the only school in New Zealand offering this facility to students and their families. So take advantage of it and get the big ski bug next year.



**SKI TEAM** 

Back: Daniel Le Breton, Matthew Rilkoff, Sam Dixon, Nicole Freeman, Simon Toll, Mr Carnachan (coach) Front: Richard Wooffindin, Simon Tennent, Stefan Freeman,

Andrew Nicholls





## **EQUESTRIAN**

Back Row: Claire Tompkins, Jessica Goldsmith, Elizabeth Mayhead, Patrick Watson, Angela Kirby, Heidi Richardson, Anna Looney.

Front Row: Christine Egarr, Michelle Turner, Jacqueline Laugerson, Heelan Tompkins, Inga Boyd, Jessica Vosseller.



## **EQUESTRIAN**

This year Spotswood College hosted the annual Taranaki Interschool One Day Event. Schools from all around Taranaki entered the competition with Spotswood being represented by four teams.

It was a successful day at Waitara with fine weather, no major accidents and some participants trying out the sport of eventing for the first time. Spotswood skillfully managed to come 2nd and 3rd. The first placegetters have the honour of hosting next year's competition so good luck to Stratford.

The College was ably represented at Nga Tawa's One Day Event in Marton and at the Wanganui High School's Show Jumping Day in April. Throughout the season a number of riders competed individually at various events held throughout the North Island. They enjoyed considerable success with Angela Kirby, Anna Looney, Christine Egarr, Heidi Richardson and Heelan and Claire Tompkins all making the finals for positions in Taranaki teams.

Claire and Heelan both won selection in the Taranaki Eventing team and contributed vital scores to the teams with winning performances at the New Zealand Pony Club Championships at Masterton in May.

Spotswood College could well have had a third member in this team had it not been for Heidi breaking her ankle in a game for the Senior A Basketball team. Heidi proved once and for all the wisdom of carrying out your sport on four hooves instead of on two feet.

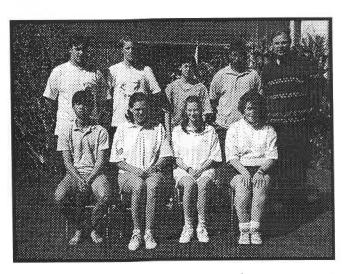
## **TENNIS 1994**

In March of this year Spotswood College competed in the BP Secondary School Championship. This year we entered a team of four girls. We competed against Patea High School, New Plymouth Girls' High and Inglewood High.

We came second in the competition beating Inglewood High on a count-back of games after drawing three games all but lost to Girls' High in the final.

The other interschool fixture was against Stratford High where a team of six boys and six girls competed. Unfortunately Stratford were too strong for us on the occasion and ran out convincing winners.

## **Team Captain**



Back Row: Travis Stewart, David Cowley, Corey Lynds, Jamie Sanson, Mr Mills. Front Row: James Li, Katie Holland, Cherie Pollard, Nicola

Hodges.



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## **ATHLETICS REPORT - 1994**

## RESULTS OF THE SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD AT PUKEKURA PARK TUESDAY 1st MARCH 1994

JUNIOR GIRLS:	1st	2nd	3rd	TIME/DISTANCE
100m	Tennille Yandle (B)	Michelle Walker (B)	Wendy Garcia (R)	13.89 secs
200m	Tennille Yandle (B)	Michelle Walker (B)	Natasha Peters (R)	30.41 secs
400m	Melanie Eynon (A)	Daria Clark (D)	Shana Walker (R)	1 min 17.68 secs
1500m	Rowena Howard (B)	Daria Clark (D)	Silalia Walkel (K)	
	and the same of th	T 1 (F)		6 min 25.44 secs
Shot Putt	Wendy Garcia (R)	Lesley Te Awa (D)	Natasha Whiting (B)	6.90m
Discus	Karina Stewart (D)	Michelle Thorstensen (D)	Karyn McDonald (D)	17.40m
Javelin	Lesley Te Awa (D)	Karen O'Sullivan (A)	Jenna Pillette (B)	14.90m
Long Jump	Karyn McDonald (D)	Karina Stewart (D)	Michelle Walker (B)	4.00m
Triple Jump	Rowena Howard (B)	Sharna Walker (R)	Samantha Brill (D)	6.94m
High Jump	Michelle Walker (B)	Sharna Walker (R)	Tennille Yandle (B)	1.26m
4 x 100m	Barrett	Darnell	Richmond	58.97 secs
4 X 100III	Darrett	Danien	Richmond	38.97 secs
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JUNIOR BOYS:	C 1 D (D)	D C 1 (D)		10.01
100m	Sandy Pattison (D)	Damon Conaglen (B)	John Gabites (A)	12.84 secs
200m	Damon Conaglen (B)	Sandy Pattison (D)	John Gabites (A)	26.99 secs
400m	Damon Conaglen (B)	Sandy Pattison (D)	John Gabites (A)	1 min 04.95 secs
800m	Damon Conaglen (B)	Kerry Rea (B)	John Gabites (A)	2 mins 26 secs
1500m	Craig Sharpe (B)	Kerry Rea (B)	Alistair Tippett (D)	5 mins 13.02 secs
Shot Putt	Sandy Pattison (D)	Damon Conaglen (B)	Rhys Danaher (R)	9.90m
Discus	Sandy Pattison (D)	Richard Berry (D)	Damon Conaglen (B)	24.65m
Javelin				26.56m
	Dylan Coutts (A)	Sandy Pattison (D)	Brendon Holswich (B)	
Long Jump	John Gabites (A)	Sandy Pattison (D)	Damon Conaglen (B)	4.61m
Triple Jump	Damon Conaglen (B)	John Gabites (A)	Adam Styles (R)	9.52m
High Jump	Jeremy Flower (R)	David Charteris (B)	Damon Conaglen (B)	1.25m
4 x 100	Barrett	Atkinson	Darnell	54.89 secs
INTERMEDIATE GIRLS:				
100m	Leanne Smith (D)	Nicola Holub (A)	Deanna Riley (A)	14.18secs
200m	Angela West (D)	Laurren Winmill (B)	Hayley Johns (R)	29.84 secs
400m	Angela West (D)	Angela Kirkpatrick (R)	Nancy de Beuger (B)	1 min 13.80 secs
		Aligeia Klikpatlick (K)	Nancy de Beuger (B)	
800m	Jolene Shearer (B)			3 mins 18.37 secs
1500m	Nicola Johnson (B)			6 mins 00.25 secs
Shot Putt	Wendy Jackson (A)	Lio Tafa (R)	Jolene Shearer (B)	7.76m
Discus	Jill Tippett (R)	Stephanie Tikitiki (D)	Angela Thompson (R)	22.25m
Javelin	Chantelle Avery (D)	Karina Robinson (B)	Mere Tikitiki (D)	18.02m
Long Jump	Laurren Winmill (B)	Leanne Smith (D)	Jolene Shearer (B)	4.30m
Triple Jump	Laurren Winmill (B)	Jolene Shearer (B)	Linda Kirkpatrick (B)	8.80m
High Jump	Leanne Smith (D)	Laurren Winmill (B)	Ataria Thompson (R)	1.31m
4 x 100m Relay	Darnell	Barrett	Atkinson	58.86 secs
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100m	Daamon Solomon (D)	Hemi Manukonga (R)	Nicholas Gibb (B)	12.88 secs
200m	Daamon Solomon (D)	Hemi Manukonga (R)	Myles Davis-Waite (B)	25.90 secs
400m	Kane Moses (B)	Dion Hosking (R)	Arana Jacobs (R)	1 min 00.14 secs
800m	Dion Pigott (R)	Daniel Sinclair (D)	Harley Taylor (R)	2 mins 25.37 secs
1500m	Dion Pigott (R)	Harley Taylor (R)	Chris Batten (A)	4 mins 57.23 secs
Shot Putt	Lawrence Te Awa (R)	Nickolas Demetriou (D)	Michael McLeod (A)	9.90m
Discus	Michael McLeod (A)	Clinton Kahotea (R)	Lawrence Te Awa (R)	29.90m
Javelin		Emmett Jordan (A)		20.02m
12,1779 30-0190	Simon Tennant (B)	and the second s	Johnny Seko (D)	
Long Jump	Hemi Manukonga (R)	Myles Davis-Waite (B)	Simon Tennant (B)	5.24m
Triple Jump	Hemi Manukonga (R)	Arana Jacobs (R)	Clinton Kahotea (R)	10.52m
High Jump	Jamie Gilbert (D)	Clinton Kahotea (R)	Hemi Manukonga (R)	1.56m
4 x 100m Relay	Barrett	Richmond	Atkinson	51.62 secs
SENIOR GIRLS:				
100m	Tina O'Keeffe (R)	Joanne Wills (R)	Natalie Winmill (D)	14.08 secs
200m	Claire Tompkins (R)	Joanne Wills (R)	Tina O'Keeffe (R)	30.61 secs
400m	Claire Tompkins (R)	Terri-anne Sole (R)	Heidi Richardson (A)	1 min 09.23 secs
800m	Nikki Williams (R)	Claire Tompkins (R)		2 mins 54.29 secs
			Leah Smythe (B)	
1500m	Nikki Williams (R)	Claire Tomplins (R)	Megan Baird (A)	5 mins 58.99 secs
Shot Putt	Terri-anne Sole (R)	Claire Tompkins (R) & Corri		7.72m
Discus	Terri-anne Sole (R)	Corrina Rore (D)	Leah Smythe (B)	20.40m
Javelin	Terri-anne Sole (R)	Liz Mayhead (D)	Kristie Boyd (R)	23.52m

Long Jump Triple Jump High Jump 4 x 100m	Natalie Winmill (D) Liz Mayhead (D) Heidi Richardson (A) Richmond	Nikki Williams (R) Terri-anne Sole (R) Liz Mayhead (D) Barrett	Leah Smythe (B) Claire Tompkins (R) Terri-anne Sole (R) Atkinson	3.87m 8.50m 1.42m 59.63 secs
SENIOR BOYS:				
100m	Daimen Lobb (B)	Dimetre Triadis (A)	Damien Johnson (A)	11.37 secs
200m	Daimen Lobb (B)	Dimetre Triadis (A)	Cory Gush (A)	22.62 secs
400m	Daimen Lobb (B)	Dimetre Triadis (A)	Jamie Banks (A)	51.18 secs
800m	Vaughan Robinson (D)	David Cowley (R)	Dean Parkes (B)	2 mins 17.80 secs
1500m	David Cowley (R)	Dean Parkes (B)	Brad Wood (R)	4 mins 40.36 secs
Shot Putt	Joshua Walker (D)	Daniel Maitland (R)	Mathew Rilkoff (B)	10.40m
Discus	Leon Christensen (A)	Leon Brown (A)	Joshua Walker (D)	29.80m
Javelin	Andy Murfitt (R)	Mathew Rilkoff (B)	Shane Hosking (A)	37.90m
Long Jump	Daimen Lobb (B)	Leon Christensen (A)	Dimetre Triadis (A)	5.52m
Triple Jump	Dimetre Triadis (A)	Daimen Lobb (B)	Leon Christensen (A)	11.52m
High Jump	Cory Gush (A)	Daimen Lobb (B)	Dimetre Triadis & Dani	el Maitland 1.58m
4 x 100m Relay	Atkinson	Barrett	Richmond	48.03 secs

## OVERALL POINTS FOR THE INTER-HOUSE TROPHY - MORINE CUP

Barrett	1156 1/2 points	1st
Richmond	1108	2ne
Atkinson	933	3rd
Darnell	905 1/2	4th

## TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1994 annual Taranaki Secondary Schools Athletic Championships were held at Jubilee Park, Inglewood on Saturday 12th March. The results for Spotswood College athletes were:

## JUNIOR BOYS:

Sandy Pattison

2nd Shot Putt

JUNIOR GIRLS:

Michelle Walker 3rd High Jump

**INTERMEDIATE BOYS:** 

Michael McLeod 1st Discus 33.16m
Clinton Kahotea 2nd Discus
Michael McLeod 2nd Shot Putt

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS:

Nicola Johnson 3rd equal 1500m

**SENIOR BOYS:** 

Daimen Lobb

1st 100m 11.5 secs

1st 200m 22.4 secs (Record equalled with 1989) 1st 400m 51.6 secs (Record equalled with 1983)

David Cowley 2nd 1500m

Dimetre Triadis 2nd Long Jump 5.77m

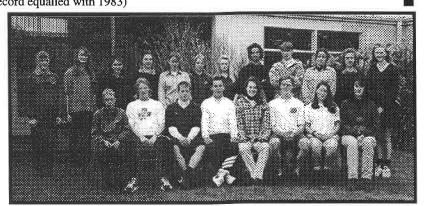
Leif Hickman 3rd Discus

4 x 100m Relay team 2nd

SENIOR GIRLS:

Heidi Richardson 1st High Jump 1.45m Terri-anne Sole 1st Javelin 21.39m

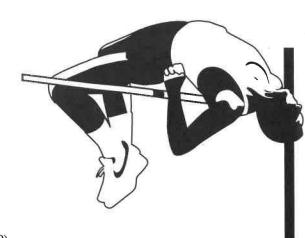


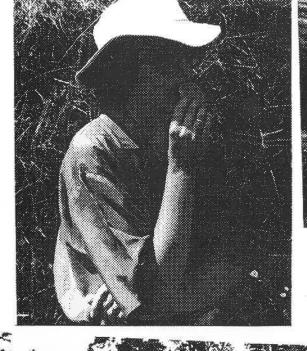


## ATHLETICS TEAM

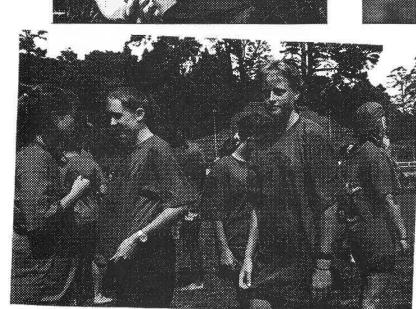
Back Row: Rowena Howard, Tennille Yandle, Karyn McDonald, Michelle Thorstensen, Karina Stewart, Angela West, Karina Robinson, Clinton Kahotea, Scott Manson, Laurren Winmill, Elizabeth Mayhead, Heidi Richardson.

Front Row: Craig Sharpe, David Cowley, Damon Conaglen, Andy Murfitt, Terranne Sole, Daniel Maitland, Jodi Autridge, Sarah Paul

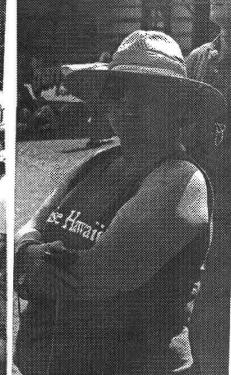
















# CROSS COUNTRY COLLEGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1994 annual College Cross Country day was held on Friday 29th April in fine conditions. This year's format was the same as for the previous few years with three separate activities offered to all students - the walk, the Iron-Person event, and the competitive age-group cross country races.

JUNIOR GIRLS: Melissa Green (Barrett), 16 mins 25 secs (1), Daria Clark (Darnell) (2), Angela Kirkpatrick (Richmond) (3). HOUSE EVENT: Richmond (1), Barrett (2), Darnell (3), Atkinson (4).

JUNIOR BOYS: Craig Sharp (Barrett) 13 mins 27 secs (1), Phillip Rose (Atkinson) (2), Damon Conaglen (Barrett) (3). HOUSE EVENT: Atkinson (1), Barrett (2), Richmond (3), Darnell (4).

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS: Nichola Johnson (Barrett) 15 mins 48 secs (1), Leanne Smith (Darnell) (2), Marnie Carter (Atkinson) (3).

HOUSE EVENT: Atkinson (1), Barrett (2), Darnell (3), Richmond (4).

INTERMEDIATE BOYS: Daniel Sinclair (Richmond) 16 mins 13 sec (1), Steven Casey (Richmond (2), Dion Pigott (Richmond (3).

HOUSE EVENT: Richmond (1), Barrett (2), Darnell (3), Atkinson (4).

SENIOR GIRLS: Jolene Kindberg (Atkinson) 16 mins 39 secs (1), Dianne Avery (Richmond) (2), Joanne Wills (Richmond) (3).

HOUSE EVENT: Richmond (1), Atkinson (2), Darnell (3), Barrett (4).

SENIOR BOYS: David Cowley (Richmond) 15 mins 02 secs (1), Steven Waipouri (Richmond) (2), Brad Needham (Atkinson) (3)

HOUSE EVENT: Richmond (1), Darnell (2), Barrett (3), Atkinson (4).

IRONPERSON - GIRLS: Hayley Johns (Richmond) 38mins 35 secs (1), Cheryl Cottam (Richmond (2), Dana Casperson (Darnell) (3),

HOUSE EVENT: Richmond (1), Darnell (2), Barrett (3).

IRONPERSON - BOYS: Vaughan Robinson (Darnell) 27 mins 36 secs (1), David Carter (Richmond) (2), Cory Lynds (Atkinson) (3).

HOUSE EVENT: Atkinson (1), Darnell (2), Richmond (3), Barrett (4).

INTER-HOUSE OVERALL PLACING FOR THE PAUL BALLINGER TROPHY:

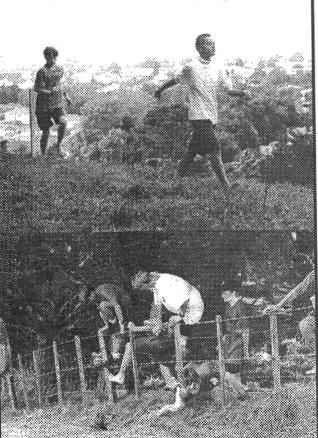
 Richmond
 28 1/2 points
 1

 Barrett
 25 1/2 points
 2

 Atkinson
 24 points
 3

 Darnell
 21 points
 4





## TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1994 annual Taranaki Secondary Schools Cross Country Championships were held at Francis Douglas College on Wednesday 1st June. The races were held in overcast conditions but a very cold and strong southerly wind blew making the day rather unpleasant for the runners.

Spotswood College was represented by a team of 43 runners with our girls team in particular having good numbers (Juniors - 8, Intermediate - 10, Senior - 10). The response from the junior and senior boys was poor with only four runners in each team.

While all runners gave their best effort, the best individual performances were recorded by Claire Tompkins (5th in senior girls), Nicola Johnson (8th in intermediate girls) and David Cowley (9th in senior boys).

In the team events that was based on the first six finishers from each school, Spotswood recorded two fifth and two sixth places.

The Spotswood results were:

JUNIOR GIRLS (3 km): Daria Clark 18th, Melissa Green 37th, Maree Tooman 38th, Fiona McIntosh 40th, Miranda Short 52nd, Dana Casperson 53rd, Sharna Walker 67th, Bonnie Gaudry 68th, (68 runners).

Team Event = 238 points - 6th.

JUNIOR BOYS (3 km): Craig Sharpe 11th, Kerry Rea 34th, Logan James 52nd, Martin Emo 53rd (58 runners). No team placing due to insufficient runners.

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS (3 km): Nicola Johnson 8th, Hayley Johns 18th, Angela Kirkpatrick 32nd, Odessa Owens 40th, Michelle Cronin 50th, Lauren Winmill 56th, Leanne Smith

59th, Marnie Carter 60th, Hilary Blackstock 65th, Kylie McIndoe 66th (66 runners).
Team Event = 204 points - 5th.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS (4.5 km): Steven Casey 19th, Leif Warren 46th, Phillip Rose 52nd, Robert Webber 53rd, Mathew Mayhead 55th, Dion Hosking 57th, Daniel Sinclair DNF (61 runners).

Team Event = 283 points - 6th.

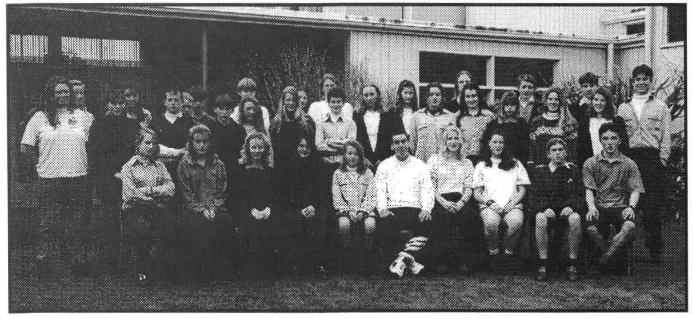
SENIOR GIRLS (3 km): Claire Tompkins 5th, Jolene Kindberg 14th, Cheryl Cottam 23rd, Suzanne Hopper 27th, Stephanie Hodgson 29th, Dianne Avery 32nd, Joanne Wills 38th, Joanne Bromfield 40th, Kelly Vincent 46th, Shannon Austin 48th (49 runners).

Team Event = 130 points - 5th.

SENIOR BOYS (4.5 km): David Cowley 9th, David Carter 24th, Rhys Clark 30th, Patrick Watson DNF.

Team Event - No team placing due to insufficient runners.





### CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

Back row: Dianne Avery, Marnie Carter, Joanne Bromfield, Leanne Smith, Damon Conaglen, Craig Sharpe, Kerry Rea, Logan James, Hilary Blackstock, Suzanne Hooper, Kylie McIndoe, Odessa Owens, David Cowley, Martin Emo, Jolene Kindberg, Stephanie Hodson, Laurren Winmill, Steven Casey, Michelle Cronin, Dana Casperson, Daniel Sinclair, Claire Tompkins, Mathew Mayhead, Kelly Vincent, Patrick Watson.

Front Row: Fiona McIntosh, Cheryl Cottam, Maree Tooman, Miranda Short, Daria Clark, Andy Murfitt, Joanne Wills, Jody Autridge, Phillip Rose, Rhys Clark.

Absent: Martin Emo, Melissa Green, Sharna Walker, Leif Warren, Dion Hosking, Robert Webber.





## **VOLLEYBALL - 1994**

It is again with pleasure that we can report on another successful year for both girls and boys Volleyball teams representing Spotswood College during last twelve months. Despite losing a large number of senior players at the end of 1993, the players involved this year have recorded numerous successes throughout 1994. In brief the major highlights have been:

- \* Terri-anne Sole was selected in the North Island Secondary School senior girls team that competed at Roturoa in July in the inaugural trans-Tasman quadrangular tournament against Queensland, New South Wales and the South Island.
- \* The senior girls squad won the Taranaki regional qualifying series undefeated, to represent Taranaki in the Division One national tournament.
- \* The senior girls were placed tenth at the New Zealand Secondary Schools Division One Championships held at Tauranga.
- \* The senior boys team were runners-up in the Taranaki regional series and qualified to play in the Division Two national tournament also held in Tauranga, finishing twelfth.
- \*The senior girls and junior girls both won the Taranaki Secondary Schools Championships undefeated. The junior boys finished second, and the senior boys third.
- \* The fourth form boys team won the New Plymouth Winter League C grade.
- \* The fourth form girls team finished second in the New Plymouth Winter League D grade.
- \* Six of the senior girls squad were members of the Spotswood Volleyball Club's senior women's team that finished tenth at the New Zealand Club Championships, (Terri-anne Sole, Dianne Avery, Erin Rayner, Sarah-Jane Thorstensen, Jill Tippett and Odessa Owens).
- \* The senior girls team was again sponsored throughout 1994 by SMOKEFREE.

The following report contains more details of tournaments that our Spotswood teams have competed in during the last twelve months.

# 1993 NORTH ISLAND JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 1993 North Island Junior Boys and Girls National Championships were held in New Plymouth for the first time. An innovation was that a Division Two championship was played at the same time. Fifty teams entered the tournament with our girls playing in Division One at the TSB Stadium and

the boys in Division Two at the YMCA.

Our squads were:

GIRLS: Hayley Richardson, Nicola Tooley, Sarah-Jane Thorstensen, Jane Aitken, Jill Tippett, Josie Roberts, Kyla Williams, Nancy de Bueger, Odessa Owens and Melanie Hansen.

BOYS: Mark Rutherford, Vaughn Crowther, Brad Bayliss, Mathew Thomson, Toby Avison, Dion Cowley, Adam El Agez, Reuben White, Darren Rogers, Daniel Spittal, Daniel Berger, Brendon Henchman.

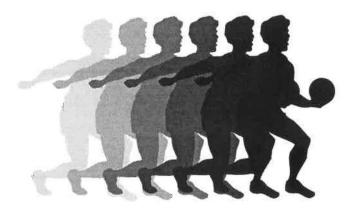
The girls team finished 9th recording wins over Tamatea High School (Napier), Awatapu College (Palmerston North), Kelston Girls' High School (Auckland), Te Aroha College and Auckland Girls' Grammar. The boys defeated Waitara High School, Tikipunga High School (Whangarei), Horowhenua College (Levin), Hastings Boys' High School and Makoura College (Masterton) to finish a creditable third in Division Two.



SENIOR BOYS VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: Blair Withers, Ross Goldfinch, Damian Johnson,
Adam El Agez.

Front Row: Mathew Thomson, Dion Cowley, Mark Rutherford
(captain), Ross MacNeil
Absent: Blair Riddick





Seven teams represented Spotswood in the 1993 New Plymouth Spring league. The results were:

Senior Boys: Senior Girls: 4th Form Boys: 4th Form Girls: 3rd Form Spike:

1st in B grade 9th in C grade 10th in C grade

9th in A grade

3rd Form Spike: 8th in D grade
3rd Form Hearts: 9th in D grade
3rd Form Diamonds: 11th in D grade

## 1994 TARANAKI REGIONAL SENIOR QUALIFYING SERIES

This year our senior girls B team again won the B grade tournament to qualify to play in the round one series of the regionals. Our teams for this year's series were:

GIRLS A: Terri-anne Sole, Dianne Avery, Erin Rayner, Hayley Richardson, Jill Tippett, Sarah-Jane Thorstensen.

GIRLS B: Nicola Tooley, Odessa Owens, Nancy de Bueger, Josie Roberts, Jane Aitken, Kyla Williams.

BOYS: Mark Rutherford, Blair Riddick, Mathew Thomson, Brad Bayliss, Blair Withers, Ross MacNeil, Ross Goldfinch, Damion Johnson, Adam El Agez, Dion Cowley.

The girls A team recorded seven consecutive wins to finish top after the first round with the B team managing just one win for 7th place. The boys won four of their five matches to finish second. At the final top-five tournament the girls A team won all four matches to take this year's regional series and therefore qualify for the national Division One championship. The boy's team narrowly defeated NPBHS in their final set to secure second place and a berth at the national Division Two tournament. Overall, the senior girls A team played 11, won 11, won 22 sets and lost one set. The senior boy's team played 9, won 7, lost two, won 15 sets and lost six sets.

## 1994 NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

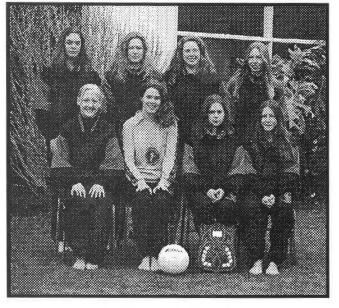
The 1994 Smokefree New Zealand Secondary Schools senior boys and senior girls championships were played in Tauranga from 20th - 23rd April, with Spotswood representing Taranaki in the girls Division One tournament and boys Division Two tournament. For the national's tournament our girl's squad was reinstated to eleven players (the A and B regional teams) with the ten player boy's regional squad. Our results were:

The girls won against Matamata College and Avondale College (Auckland) and lost to Otumoetai College (Tauranga), Ellesmere College (Christchurch), Bayfield High School (Dunedin), Kawerau College and Manurewa High School (Auckland). Played seven, won two, lost five, sets for eight, sets against 16. The girls finished in 10th place in Division One, down three placings on the 1993 seventh placing.

The boys lost to Dannevirke High School, Fraser High

School (Hamilton), Christchurch Boys' High School, Rongotai College (Wellington), Whakatane High School and Hastings Boys' High School. Played six, lost six, sets for four, sets against 18.

The boys finished in 12th place in the Division Two tournament.



SMOKEFREE SENIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: Jane Aitken, Sarah-Jane Thorstensen, Dianne Avery, Josie Roberts.

Front Row: Nancy de Bueger, Terri-Anne Sole (captain), Jill Tippett, Odessa Owens.

Absent: Hayley Richardson, Nicola Tooley, Erin Rayner.



4th FORM BOYS VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: Daniel Burger, Joel Scott, Stefan Freeman.

Front Row: Gareth Hill, Dion Cowley, Adam El Agez, Ben
Masters.

Absent: Brendon Henchman.



### 1994 TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS SENIOR **CHAMPIONSHIPS**

This year's senior boys and girls championships were played at the TSB Stadium on Thursday 7th April. The teams were the same squads that played in the regional qualifying series. Our senior girls team recorded wins over Stratford High School, Waitara High School and Opunake High School in section play. They beat Ingewood High School in the semi-final and defeated NPGHS in the final to retain the championship title for the fourth year in succession. In section play the senior boys beat Opunake High School, Stratford High School and Waitara High School but lost the semi-final to NPBHS to finish third equal.

### 1994 NEW PLYMOUTH WINTER LEAGUE

This year's winter league was played at the TSB Stadium on Sunday nights from 20th March through until the grand finals on 21st August. Spotswood had six teams entered in this vear's winter league:

SENIOR GIRLS A: Terri-anne Sole, Dianne Avery, Eric Rayner, Hayley Richardson, Jill Tippett, Sarah-Jane Thorstensen.

SENIOR GIRLS B: Nicola Tooley, Nancy de Bueger, Odessa Owens, Josie Roberts, Jane Aitken.

SENIOR BOYS: Mark Rutherford, Mathew Thomson, Brad Bayliss, Blair Withers, Ross MacNeil, David Carter.

4th FORM BOYS: Dion Cowley, Adam El Agez, Stefan Freeman, Ben Masters, Joel Scott, Daniel Berger, Brendon Henchman, Gareth Hill.

4th FORM GIRLS: Holly Hanscombe, Hayley O'Keeffe, Vanessa Brownrigg, Tracy O'Sullivan, Rebecca Grundy, Inga Boyd, Taryn Lobb, Hannah Krutz.

3rd FORM GIRLS: Michelle Thorstensen, Wendy Garcia, Kylie Sisarich, Kate Hayward, Carla Saville, Megan Riddick.

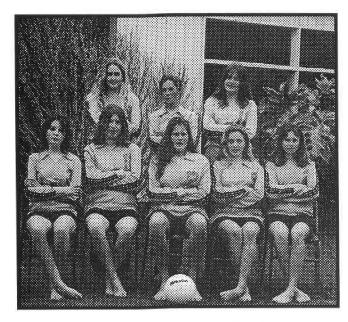
Our final results were: 9th in A grade Senior Boys: Senior Girls A: 10th in A grade 1st in C grade 4th Form Boys: 7th in C grade Senior Girls B: 4th Form Girls: 2nd in D grade 5th in D grade 3rd Form Girls:

### 1994 TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS JUNIOR **CHAMPIONSHIPS**

This year's junior boys and girls championships were played at the TSB Stadium on Thursday 20th October. Spotswood as host school was allocated a second berth in the girl's championships as an odd number of entries was received. Our results were:

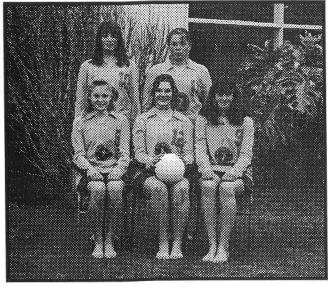
Girls A won against NPGHS, Stratford High School, Waitara High School and Opunake High School. They beat Hawera High School in the semi-final and Inglewood High School in the final. They played six and won six to win the junior girls title for the sixth year in succession.

Girls B lost to Inglewood High School, Hawera High School, Sacred Heart and St Mary's Diocesan. They beat Stratford High School in the play-off to finish in 9th position. The boys won against Patea High School, Waitara High School and Inglewood High School. They beat Hawera High School in the semi-final but lost to NPBHS in the final.



4th FORM GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: Vanessa Brownrigg, Taryn Lobb, Hayley O'Keeffe. Front Row: Hannah Krutz, Tracey O'Sullivan, Holly Hanscombe, Rebecca Grundy, Inga Boyd. Absent: Rawinia Hare.



3rd FORM GIRLS VOLLEYBALL Back Row: Katie Hayward, Carla Saville. Front Row: Kylie Sisarich, Michelle Thorstensen, Megan Riddock. Absent: Wendy Garcia.

### INTER SCHOOL FIXTURE - FRASER HIGH SCHOOL

This year Fraser High School travelled to New Plymouth and played against our senior girls' team on Tuesday 26th July with Spotswood running out the winners.

### 1994 NEW PLYMOUTH SPRING LEAGUE

This year four teams have been entered in the New Plymouth Spring League that is being played during term three.

4th FORM BOYS: Adam El Agez, Dion Cowley, Ben Masters, Gareth Hill, Joel Scott, Brendon Henchman, Daniel Berger. Stefan Freeman.

4th FORM GIRLS: Holly Hanscombe, Hayley O'Keeffe, Vanessa Brownrigg, Tracey O'Sullivan, Inga Boyd, Taryn

3rd FORM BOYS: John Gabites, Alastair Tippett, Blair Cox, Hayden Tompkins, Joshua Parini, Sam Whiteman, Brendon O'Keeffe, Jayden Wilson,

### 1994 TARANAKI REGIONAL OUALIFYING SERIES

This year's Taranaki regional junior qualifying series was played over a three-day double-round robin format with competition points counted over all three days. In the eight team girls grade our fourth form team played through undefeated winning all fourteen games to qualify for the Division One tournament at the North Island Junior national Championships to be played in Auckland in late November.

The boys team finished as runners-up to NPBHS and will represent Taranaki in the Division Two tournament. The teams

GIRLS: Holly Hanscombe, Rebecca Grundy, Hayley O'Keeffe, Vanessa Brownrigg, Inga Boyd, Tracy O'Sullivan, Taryn Lobb, Rawinia Hare and Michelle Thorstensen.

BOYS: Adam El Agez, Dion Cowley, Gareth Hill, Ben Masters, Joel Scott, Brendon Henchman, Daniel Berger, Stefan Freeman

As can be seen from this report, 1994 was another busy and successful year for students playing Volleyball for Spotswood College. I am sure that you have all gained many pleasures from those hours of training over the year - in the end you only get out of life what you are prepared to put into it.

My thanks to Mr Joe, Mr Terlinden and Michael McLorinan for their assistance with coaching during the year and to those parents who have supported the various teams at tournaments and at Sunday night league games.

May you all get involved in the coming Beach Volleyball season over the summer months and to those returning next year - give it another best effort.

P. Gayton

# **BOYS HOCKEY**

1994 will not go down as a monumental year for the Spotswood College 1st XI boy's hockey team. The young but maturing team often felt the sting of defeat.

We started off the year with a mediocre performance at the opening tournament. The first round of competition saw us lose all but one of our matches which we drew with Boys' High. Unfortunately we lost all the second round games and dropped down to the second division for the third and final round. It was in the second round that we achieved relative success winning all but one game.

The need for experienced players became apparent to this largely young team. Michael Streeter and Brad Needham played consistently well while also providing encouraging support and advice for the newer players. Nicholas Gibb and Michael Streeter added an extra incentive to our team by gaining representative status.

Congratulations to all our players who turned out on Saturdays in inclement weather to field a team.

Thanks to the following businesses which sponsored us this year: Guize Menswear, Moturoa Footwear, Trading Post, Moturoa Books, Alpha Services, Athletic Attic, Kash Trick and Treat, YMCA, Caltex St Aubyn St, Caltex Eliot St, Kingsway Downtown, Bob O'Dowda, Hannahs, Para Rubber, Headquaters, Reach the Beach.



3rd FORM BOYS VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: Hayden Tompkins, Alastair Tippett, Brendon O'Keeffe.

Front Row: Joshua Parini, Tim Brown, John Gabites. Absent: Blair Cox, Sam Whiteman, Jayden Wilson.



### **BOYS HOCKEY**

Back Row: Michael Streeter, Sam Coxhead, Peter Coxhead, Andrew Gibb, Brad Needham, Nicholas Gibb. Front Row: Ben Gaastra, Jon Gaastra, Redmond Hanlon, Andrew Bedford, Cory Simkin, Christopher Greenhill. Absent: Dion Hosking.



#### **GIRLS HOCKEY**

Back Row: Rowena Howard, Amy Bloor, Michelle Thorstensen, Melanie Haseltine, Brenda Cottam, Amanda Berry, Emily Whiteman, Hayley Johns.

Front Row: Lisa Malcolm, Fiona McIntosh, Helaina Bain, Cheryl Cottam (captain), Sally Johns, Jodi Burt, Karen Needham.

Absent: Mr C Bloor (coach).



### SWIMMING RESULTS

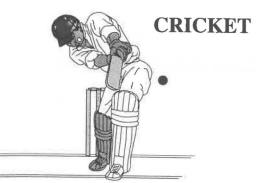
### 1994 SPOTSWOOD COLLEGE ANNUAL SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS - TUESDAY 15th FEBRUARY 1994

THIRD FORM GIRLS:	1st	2nd	3rd	TIM
25m Freestyle	Megan Riddock (A)	Monique Daffill (R)	Sally Johns (R)	16.42 se
50m Freestyle	Megan Riddock (A)	Meika Perry (B)	Monique Daffill (R)	35:69 sec
100m Freestyle	Megan Riddock (A)	The Mark Mark Control		1 min 59 sec
25m Backstroke	Megan Riddock (A)	Meika Perry (B)	Kate Hayward (A)	20.99 sec
50m Backstroke	Megan Riddock (A)			45.00 sec
25m Breaststroke	Megan Riddock (A)	Meika Perry (B)	Kate Hayward (A)	27.81 sec
50m Breaststroke	Meika Perry (B)	Kate Hayward (A)		52.89 sec
25m Butterfly	Monique Daffill (R)	Megan Riddock (A)	Meika Perry (B)	17.32 sec
5 x 25m Relay FHIRD FORM BOYS:	Richmond	Darnell	Barrett	
25m Freestyle	John Gabites (A)	Raymond Edwards (D)	II. Tompling (A)	10.41
50m Freestyle	Alistair Tippett (D)	Hayden Tompkins (A)	Hayden Tompkins (A) Adam Moulder (D) Julian Pitman (R) Gareth Christensen (A) Gareth Christensen (A)	16.41 sec 40.07 sec
100m Freestyle	Alistair Tippett (D)	Raymond Edwards (D)	Julian Pitman (R)	2 min 17.68 sec
25m Backstroke	John Gabites (A)	Josh Williams (R)	Gareth Christensen (A)	21.82 sec
25m Breaststroke	Hayden Tompkins (A)	Julian Pitman (R)	Gareth Christensen (A)	24.56 sec
50m Breaststroke	Hayden Tompkins (A)	Gareth Christensen (A)	Julian Pitman (R)	59.50 sec
5 x 25m Relay	Darnell	Atkinson	Barrett	37,30 30
FOURTH FORM GIRLS:	Danien	ALKHIOGH	Dalleu	
25m Freestyle	Jackie Laugesen (R)	Vanessa Rowe (D)	Kirsten Olsen (R)	16.91 sec
50m Freestule	Vanessa Rowe (D)	Inga Boyd (R)	Kirsten Olsen (R)	41.98 sec
25m Backstroke	Angela Kirkpatrick (R)	Leanne Smith (D)	Kinsten Olsen (II)	23.28 sea
25m Breaststroke	Vanessa Rowe (D)	Inga Boyd (R)	Rebecca James (D)	22.50 sec
60m Breaststroke	Candice Manukonga (D)		Redecta Junes (D)	1 min 45.53 sec
6 x 25m Relay	Richmond	Darnell	Atkinson	1 11111 45.55 560
FOURTH FORM BOYS:	With the same		ZIEMSON .	
25m Freestyle	Chris Greenhill (D)	Adam McLeod (A)	David Charteris (B)	15.82 sec
50m Freestyle	Chris Greenhill (D)		pario Charteris (B)	39.36 sea
100m Freestyle	Jeremy Flowers (R)	Richard Wooffindin (B)	Thomas Goudie (B)	2 min 09.0 sec
25m Backstroke	Jeremy Flowers (R)	Stefan Freeman (B)	30000 (2)	20.83 sec
5 x 25m Relay	Richmond	Barrett	Darnell	
FIFTH FORM GIRLS:				
25m Freestyle	Michelle Cronin (A)	Gemma Perry (A)	Emily Whiteman (A)	16.10 sec
50m Freestyle	Michelle Cronin (A)	Gemma Perry (A)	Emily Whiteman (A)	35.0 sec
100m Freestyle	Michelle Cronin (A)	Gemma Perry (A)		1 min 56.48 sec
25m Backstroke	Michelle Cronin (A)	Gemma Perry (A)	Emily Whiteman (A)	19.78 sec
25m Breaststroke	Gemma Perry (A)	Michelle Cronin (A)	Emily Whiteman (A)	21.27 sec
50m Breaststroke		Michelle Cronin (A)	Kirsty Bracegirdle (R)	47.53 sec
25m Butterfly	Gemma Perry (A) Gemma Perry (A) Afkinson	Michelle Cronin (A)		18.45 sec
6 x 25m Relay	Atkinson	Barrett	Richmond	
FIFTH FORM BOYS:				
25m Freestyle	Travis Murdock (B)	Simon Kingsbury (R)	Bryn Harvey (R)	15.13 sec
50m Freestyle	Travis Murdock (B)	Daniel Sinclair (R)	Simon Kingsbury (R)	34.85 sec
100m Freestyle	Travis Murdock (B)	Bryn Harvey (R)		1 min 58.05 sec
25m Backstroke	Bryn Harvey (R)	Corey Strawbridge (A)		21.28 sec
25m Breaststroke	Jarod Trott (A)	James Robinson (A)	Bryn Harvey (R)	21,90 sec
50m Breaststroke	Jarod Trott (A)			53.74 sec
25m Butterfly	Travis Murdock (B)	Cameron Lucas (A)	Dion Hosking (R)	17.83 sec
6 x 25m Relay	Darnell	Barrett		
SIXTH/SEVENTH FORM G				
25m Freestyle	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Anna Looney (A)	Tansi Erueti (D)	15.27 sec
50m Freestyle	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Tansi Erueti (D)	Nicola Domney (B)	33.28 sec
25m Backstroke	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Tansi Erueti (D)	Nicola Domney (B)	18.12 sec
25m Breaststroke	Tansi Erueti (D)	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Claire Tompkins (R)	21.05 sec
50m Breaststroke	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Tansi Erueti (D)	Claire Tompkins (R)	47.78 sec
25m Butterfly	Tansi Erueti (D)	Jolene Kindberg (A)	Nicola Domney (B)	18.27 sec
6 x 25m Relay	Atkinson	Richmond	Darnell	
SIXTH/SEVENTH FORM B	OYS:			
25m Freestyle	Daimen Lobb (B)	Simon Plant (A)	Leif Hickman (A)	13.99 sec
50m Freestyle	Daimen Lobb (B)	Simon Plant (A)	Leif Hickman (A)	31.07 sec
100m Freestyle	Chris Allen (B)			2 min 06,45 sec
25m Backstroke	Cory Gush (A)	Roy Jamieson (R)	Steven Gaudin (D)	18.53 sec
50m Backstroke	Dwight Ashton (D)	Vaughan Robinson (D)	Steven Waipouri (R)	43.15 sec
25m Breaststroke	Bruce Gabites (B)	Steven Waipouri (R)	David Carter (R)	21.57 sec
50m Breaststroke	Bruce Gabites (B)	Steven Waipouri (R)	David Carter (R)	48.23 sec
25m Butterfly	Simon Plant (A)	Steven Gaudin (D)	Bruce Gabites (B)	20.96 sec
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The final placings for the Craigmyle Cup for Inter-house swimming. 1st: Atkinson (460 pts), 2nd: Richmond (307 pts); 3rd: Darnell (271 pts), 4th Barrett (240

### INTER-SCHOOL SWIMMING COMPETITION

An enthusiastic and supportive group of students represented the college at the Inter-school Swimming Competition at Opunake earlier this year. All the competitors gave of the best with formal recognition coming in the relays. Both the intermediate and junior girls teams were placed. Thanks to Mr Gabites and Mr Greenhill for their time and support.



#### **1ST XI CRICKET**

The 1st XI cricket side had a steady if unspectacular 1993/94 season. Playing in the North Taranaki third grade division, the team performed admirably considering its inexperience, and finished seventh out of fourteen teams. The season highlight was B. Rigby's 98 against Woodleigh while the low point was a twelve ball over from an unnamed, extremely good-looking seventh former.

S. Hodson, K. Laurence and B. Bayliss performed well with the ball, and there were many useful batting contributions from J. Trott, B. Rigby and B. Gabites, while James Beggs performed miracles fielding at silly mid-on.

The traditional interschool game against Stratford to conclude the season, resulted in a resounding defeat for Spotswood. Stratford, fielding second, and having dismissed our first nine batsmen for little more than 50 runs, had to bring on its 'unskilled' bowlers to give the team a chance of actually scoring a century between them. Spotswood lost by over a hundred runs.

Jamie Banks

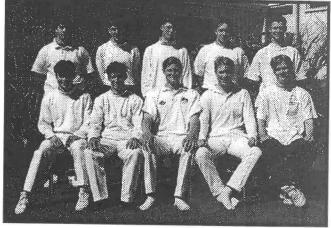
### WOMEN'S CRICKET

The 1993-94 season was one of highs and lows for the Spotswood College Women's Cricket team. The season started well when, for the first time in living memory, we had the luxury of a 12th person at every game. All the new members fitted in well with the team both in skill and spirit and have since become valued and talented players.

Bowler/batswoman Alisha Parsottam and wicketkeeper Kelly Bell both improved immensely throughout the season. Third Former Rowena Howard also proved to be a consistent bowler and an excellent fielder - our secret weapon! Melanie Hansen continued to excel in her cricketing career, sauntering casually to the rescue at many a nervous moment. The batting heroics of Cheryl Cottam, Diane Avery and Tina O'Keeffe also contributed to some exciting games while Frances' fielding was an inspiration to us all.

Despite having these and many other talented members, the team was not able to pull off a grudge match victory against Stratford High's (softball) team late in the season. Thanks though to Liz Mayhead for her valiant attempts to 'befriend' the umpire.

The mid-season game against Hawera was a huge disappointment as we travelled all the way there to find that no field had been provided. The game was, however, replayed later and Spotswood won!



Back: Kane Laurence, Bruce Gabites, Tristan Krutz, Travis Stewart, Vaughan Robinson Front: Jamie Banks, Daimen Lobb, Daniel Maitland, Joshua Walker, Damian Johnson

### SECOND XI CRICKET

Under the courageous captaincy of Dan Maitland, the 2nd XI had a classic 93-94 season in which winning was not the important issue and having fun was the ultimate goal.

With team members such as we had, the team battled it out at the bottom half of the table but we were by far the most enthusiastic team in the grade. Of course, we had our special moments such as Dan Maitland's record-breaking 143 and his aggregate of over 800 runs for the season. There were centuries from Vaughan Robinson, Glen Roper and, of course, from Dan. Steve Walsh came up with some spectacular catches and dives. There was great leg-spin bowling by bright prospect Dave Walsh and, well, at least Guy turned up for matches.

So don't be surprised if these names Head, Nobs, Lobby, Riddler and the Walsh Twins end up being commonly known around the New Zealand cricketing circuit in the near future.

Great season, loverly boys!



Back Row: Rowena Howard, Kelly Bell, Cheryl Cottam, Dianne Avery, Elizabeth Mayhead, Lisa Jury. Front Row: Susan Bromfield, Francis Whitaker, Shannon Austin (captain), Tina O'Keeffe, Alisha Parsottam. Absent: Melanie Hansen, Kelly Hudson.



### NETBALL

### SENIOR A NETBALL

The Senior A netball team this year had a mixed season which started with grading games. We ended up in the Third Grade. From here we improved and played some excellent games to remain unbeaten to win this grade - a great effort. Unfortunately, we were then unable to contest the Taranaki Club Championships because of our trip to Aotea.

In the Pak 'n Save Secondary Schools' League we produced some very good games and some not so good ones to finish in 7th place. Our two interschool matches were against Fraser High and Aotea College. We comfortably won the match against Fraser 30-21. Against Aotea we played very well despite challenging conditions. The official score was 34-31 to Aotea. Hopefully, the organisation and 'fair play' will be improved in future trips to Aotea so as to ensure a fair result.

The team would like to say a huge thank you to our coach Doug Turirangi. Thanks to Miss Abel, Mrs Laugesen and all the parents for their support and help with transport. Also thanks to regular fill-ins Fiona Spranger and Jenny Tudor-Cole who helped us out and became part of the team.

Good luck for next year's team.

### SENIOR B GIRLS NETBALL

During the 1994 season, Senior B both won and lost games. Thanks to Moana-Jane Scott for coaching us and to the reserves we borrowed for the season. Thanks to the team for an enjoyable season.



SHOOTERS

Back Row: Jolynne Mancer, Rebecca Hosking, Cherie Pollard.
Front Row: Carmel Jacobs, Sarah Morris, Leanne Kumar,
Joanna Coombes.



SENIOR A NETBALL

Back Row: Elizabeth Mayhead, Christine Egarr, Jasmine
Reynolds, Emma Richardson.

Front Book Language William (Captain) Emm

Front Row: Laurren Winmill, Katie Holland (captain), Emma Third, Anna Looney.



SENIOR B GIRLS NETBALL

Back Row: Chantelle Avery.

Front Row: Susan Bromfield, Fiona Spranger, Jenny Tudor-

Absent: Debbie Williams, Margie Avery, Melanie Te Au.

### **SHOOTERS**

This year we had an enjoyable season with mixed results. All team members had a good season with everyone playing hard. Sarah Morris especially stood out in the defence area. Thank you to Mrs Hosking for giving up much of her time to coach us. We appreciate all the work she put into the team.

### **3A NETBALL**

This netball season was a tough one. We had our fair share of wins and losses and competing against adults in our grade was extremely challenging, but good team spirit kept us going.

Our coach, Kath Yandle, was hard on us but we learnt a lot of new skills and techniques resulting in many of our wins. Our team had hopes of making the final play-offs but without enough wins, we were unable to.

At the end of the season, two trophies were awarded to our captain, Wendy Garcia, for most consistent player and to Diane Sinclair for being the most improved player.

### Karyn McDonald



F5 SOCIAL NETBALL

Back Row: Mariana Kearvell, Carissa Sutherland, Kate Morgan, Carolyn Alldridge. Front Row: Tawera Phillips, Kylie Hales, Karina Robinson,

Sarah Peters.

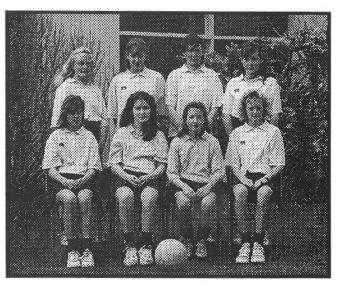


STRIKERS NETBALL

Back Row: Katie Bool, Katie Rutherford, Delwyn Kennedy, Jenna Pillette, Chaya Runciman, Lisa Snowden.

Front Row: Emma Collie, Bridget Quinlan, Nicola Beattie, Marie Tooman.

Absent: Trina McDonald (coach).



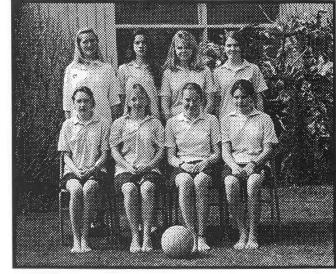
3A NETBALL

**Back Row:** Dianne Sinclair, Karina Stewart, Natasha Whiting, Suzanne McCarthy.

Front Row: Dana Casperson, Karyn McDonald (captain),
Daria Clark, Amanda Hall.

Absent: Mrs K Yandle (coach), Wendy Garcia.





4B NETBALL

Back Row: Marnie Carter, Gemma Wiltshire, Renee Murch, Angela West

Front Row: Claire Shannon, Erin MacNeil, Dearnna Riley (captain), Angela Kirkpatrick.

Absent: Leanne Kemsley (coach).





Back Row: Daniel Wong, Simon Tennant, David Cowley, Simon Plant (vice-captain), Rod Eales, Mr O'Keeffe.

Front Row: Jaime Ward, Tracey White, Tina O'Keeffe (captain), Maria Li.

Absent: Sean Townsend, Duncan Emo.



# **BADMINTON**

The badminton season started with many enthusiastic new players and many keen graded players supporting the club and looking forward to representing the college. Club games were played on Monday afternoons and it was pleasing to see players progressing with their skills and understanding of the game.

A squad of juniors was sent to play against Hawera. They won the tie which got the season off to a good start. Fraser High of Hamilton was our next tie which we won convincingly by 14 games to two. This was another pleasing result but more importantly, the tie was played in an excellent spirit.

The Taranaki Secondary Schools tournament was our next challenge. This was held at New Plymouth Girls' High. The squad played well with Rod Eales winning the junior boys single - a repeat of last year, and Rod and Sean Townsend were runners-up in the doubles. Tina O'Keeffe won the senior girls singles and Tina combined with Tracey White to take out the doubles. This was the second year in succession that Tina has been successful in the doubles.

The successes were good for the college, the club and the development of the players. A big thank to all the squad and we look forward to seeing most of you back next season.

Mr N F O'Keeffe

### **TOUCH RUGBY**

The 1993-94 season has been a very successful one for both the two boys and two girls touch rugby teams. The girls ended the season in third and fourth places while the boys teams finished first and fourth in their competitions. All teams represented the college well as they competed fiercely and fairly. The college was also represented in the annual Graham Vesty Secondary Schools Touch Rugby Tournament at Francis Douglas in late October.

The senior girls, captained by Marino Talo, finished the tournament in fifth place. The boys also did well. Captained by Kyle Ratapu, they ended the tournament in third place. The girls squad was coached by Jody Cursons and the boys by Benji McAlister. A huge thanks must go to both coaches for the time they gave up to develop the teams.

At the end of the tournament the trial teams for the Taranaki representative teams were named. Moana Klenner and Moana-Jane Scott were selected and John Bolger, Daimen Lobb and Kyle Ratapu made the boy's representative squad. Congratulations to all of them and especially to Kyle Ratapu who finally made it to the boy's Taranaki representative team.

Good luck to all those playing touch rugby in the 1994-95 season. Keep in touch.





Back Row: Mr Benji McAlister (coach), Foti Vaafusu, Patrick Watson, Jeremy Maxwell, Duane Ratapu. Front Row: Hemi Manu-Konga, Kyle Ratapu, Jay Millar.

### **WOMENS 1ST XI SOCCER**

1994 saw the combining of the A and B divisions of women's soccer in Taranaki. This meant that the College's 1st XI women's soccer team found themselves with some very tough competition. However, through hard work, dedication and the positive attitude of the players (including the crazy antics of our two exchange students), we did very well. Combined with the skills of our coach, Lisa Roper, and manager, Gaylene Kendrick, we were able to not only win half of our games but also to win the Secondary Schools tournament and the Fair Play Award of the Year.

We had three very successful school soccer exchanges. We lost against Fraser High 2-1, drew against Aotea College 0-0 and beat Aotea College 4-0 in a later match.

We would sincerely like to thank Gaylene Kendrick and Lisa Roper for their support, devotion to soccer and for the contributions that they have made to the team.

On behalf of those team members moving on next year, we hope that women's soccer at Spotswood College will continue to prosper not only next year, but for many years to come.

Hayley Cunningham (captain)



Back Row: Angela Thompson, Cheryl Cottam, Tabitha Arthur, Nicola Brooking, Hayley Cunningham, Nicola Domney, Shaana Walker, Joanne Bromfield.

Front Row: Ms Kendrick, Jana Adlam, Miranda Short, Leda Pedlini, Maria Persdotter, Samantha Brill, Anna Winther. Absent: Lisa Roper (coach), Melissa Kearvell, Donna Perrett, Lisa Allen.

### SENIOR BOYS RUGBY LEAGUE

This year's rugby league team was coached by Kevin Peters and Foti Vaafusu. We did not really have the size to compete against the other schools but had the speed and skills to take out the Taranaki Secondary Schools Regional Tournament Championship. Last year's winners, Boys' High, were beaten by Opunake in the first game of the tournament.

Our first game was against a strong Waitara side. Although it was the first time most of our team played league, we beat Waitara by four points. Strong running by the forwards and the good combination between vice-captain, Leon Christensen, Daimen Lobb and centre Daniel Maitland gave us the determination to beat Opunake in the final. Daimen was the player of the day for Spotswood.

Daimen, Leon, Damien and Foti were selected for the tournament team. A special thanks to our coaches Foti and Kevin.

### GIRLS RUGBY LEAGUE

The Girls' Rugby League team had a rocky season this year but under the wing of our coach, Duane Gwiazdzdinski, the team showed potential. We lost our first game of the season to Sacred Heart 25-20 with our captain, Larissa Badland, being carried off with a knee injury. Sadly, after that game many of the girls could not take the rigours of the game and pulled out.

On October 1 a rugby league tournament was held at Pukekura Raceway. We combined with Sacred Heart and Girls' High Schools to make up a team. The first game against Girls' High saw Tracey Sattler being head-high tackled and leaving the field. She returned later to score a try but we lost the match 24-4.

The second game against Opunake seemed to be the best game though there was only one try scored by Renee Grindlay. The game was enjoyed by everyone except Linda Kirkpatrick who suffered a crunch tackle and was taken to hospital with strained back muscles.

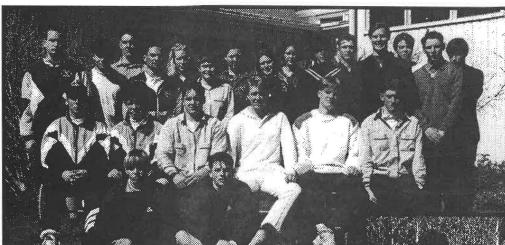
The last game against Patea was very rough. Again our sole try-scorer was Tracey and we lost 28-4. Tracey was selected to play for the Taranaki Secondary Schools Girls' Rugby League team. Top players were Tracey Sattler, Vera Grindlay, Larissa Badland and Renee Grindlay.







### TARANAKI REPRESENTATIVES

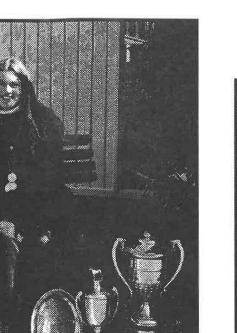


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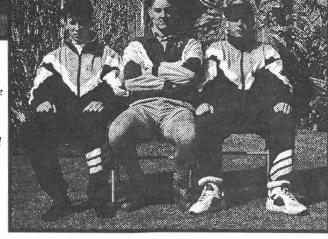
Standing: Dean Avers (rugby), Jamie Banks (1st Taranaki speech contest), Leon Brown (rugby), Kyle Ratapu (basketball), Leah Smythe (women's rugby), Melanie Hansen (soccer), Katie Holland (tennis), Claire Tompkins (equestrian), Tina O'Keeffe (badminton), Hayley Cunningham (soccer), Vaughan Robinson (squash), Daniel Maitland (cricket), Gavin Moss, Robert Peters (cycling), Nathan Johns (basketball)

Seated: Andy Murfitt (rugby), Daimen Lobb (rugby), Travis Stewart (soccer), Joshua Walker (cricket/rugby league), Damian Johnson (rugby), Tristan Krutz (cricket)

Front Row: Craig Peters (cycling), Damon Conaglen (athletics)
Absent: Sandy Pattison (rugby league), Waa Kimura (rugby league)

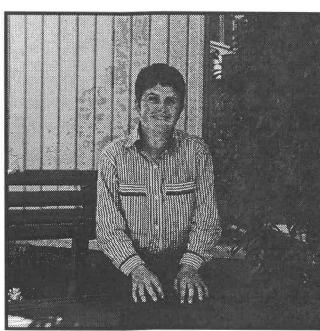


Claire Tompkins, champion equestrian, with her awards as New Zealand Individual and Team Champion 1994



TARANAKI SECONDARY SCHOOLS RUGBY REPRESENTATIVES

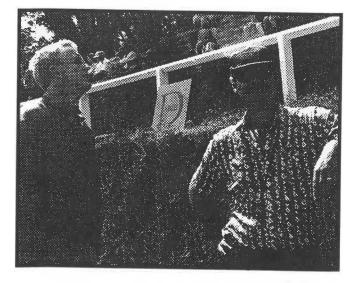
From left: Daimen Lobb, Leon Brown and Andy Murfitt.



Melanie Hansen, Taranaki representative in the Women's Senior and U19 soccer teams.

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### **HOUSE REPORTS**



### **ATKINSON HOUSE**

The year began with a huge 'shibang' with Atkinson being victorious in the inter-house swimming competition. Atkinson's totally dedicated cheerleading squad raised the members and participants' spirits to fantastic heights and we succeeded in blitzing the field.

That really set the pace for Atkinson House's achievements this year. We had good participation in all the sporting events and our positive fun attitude has made the house sports really successful this year.

Thanks to everyone who joined in and had a go!

Megan Baird, House Leader

### **BARRETT HOUSE**

This year was a very successful year for Barrett House The participation in all events was particularly good especially by the third and seventh formers. The all-round efforts from every member was commendable. In the athletics not only did everyone participate, but they also had the quality that just outclassed their rivals resulting in a victory for Barrett.

The Cross-country, Ironman and Walk were also events in which Barrett gave it their all and ended second overall. Barrett boys did very well in the swimming but the reluctance of the girls to get into their togs let us down slightly in this event.

Thanks to the Barrett House members who participated during the year and a special thanks to Mrs Charteris and Mr McCall who helped out heaps.

Leah Smythe, House Leader

### DARNELL HOUSE

Again Darnell House had the usual distinguished start to the sporting year with all the house members turning up in their red gear and red-painted faces and other body parts.

There was an exceptionally good effort by the junior members this year. They did very well by winning the junior inter-house quiz and performing very well in other events. Keep it up, juniors. This is an encouraging sign for the future.

The senior house members were keen competitors and tried hard, were a little outclassed but not disgraced, and some good results were achieved.

Thanks to Tammy Thompson for her help and enthusiasm.

Darnell - Deadly in Red!

### RICHMOND HOUSE 94 - 'THE GREENEST YEAR EVER'

Yes, 1994 was yet again another dominated by the mean, green, fighting machine - Richmond. Our Superior leader - the one and only Mr Bruce Bayly, once again started the year at our first house meeting with a speech that touched the hearts and souls of everyone that was present. He reminded us of our power, our dominance and our superiority in the sporting arena. He told us that when we let the other houses win to be graceful second place-getters.

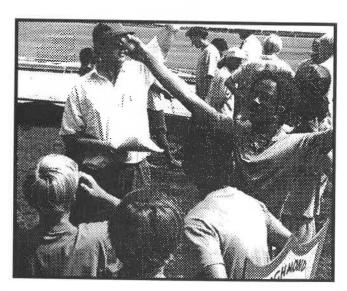
This year Katie and I (Andy) were very privileged to lead this wonderful house and for that we are grateful. 1994 saw the return of dominance on the netball court, basketball court, in the swimming pool and on the athletics track.

We hope that everyone in this mighty green family enjoyed the year's festivities as much as we did. But we all know there can be only one winner and three losers - namely, Barrett, Atkinson and Darnell.

Finally, we would like to thank the Big Green Team for all your efforts this year and to wish the two leaders in '95 the very best of luck.

Thanks for the great times and memories.

Andy Murfitt, Katie Holland, Mr Bayly





### FRASER HIGH EXCHANGE

During two days in July a sports exchange was held between Spotswood College and Fraser High of Hamilton. It was a great success with all students participating in the games in the true spirit of the Fair Play code.

For the last seven years Fraser and Spotswood have been travelling between Hamilton and New Plymouth to give students the opportunity to engage in friendly sporting rivalry between the two schools.

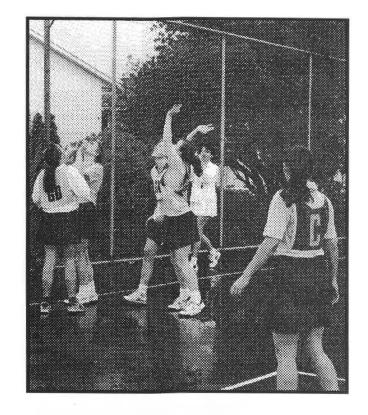
This year Spotswood again showed that although students are academically high achievers, they also have talents in sport. We need only look at the results.

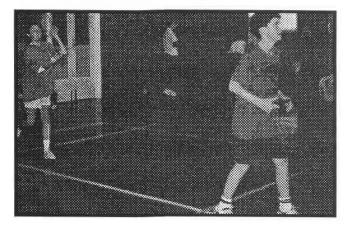
Hockey	Boys	lost 3-0
•	Girls	lost 4-0
Basketball	Boys	lost 58-43
	Girls	won 55-54
Netball	A	won 40-15
	В	lost 44-16
	Social team	won 24-23
Badminton		won 14-2
Volleyball	Girls	won 3-0
	Boys	lost 3-0
Soccer	Girls	lost 6-0
Debating		lost
Cycling		lost

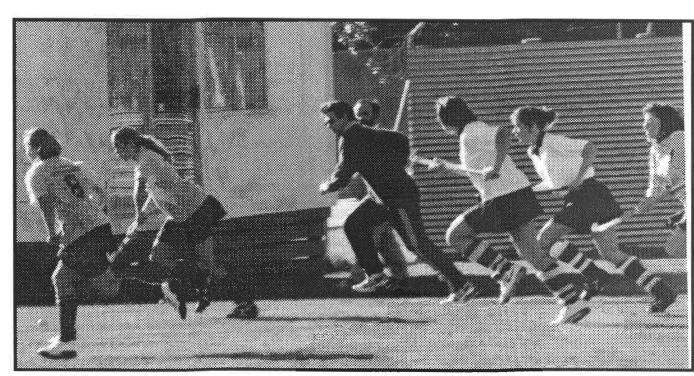
To those teams who did extremely well, the exchange will be an occasion to remember. For those who were not so successful, hold your heads up high and stand tall because winning is not the be-all and end-all. Playing fair and to the best of your ability is all one can ask.

Many thanks to those who helped referee the games and special thanks to those who billeted our visitors. Acknowledgments go to the organiser, Dot Andrews, without whom the exchange would not have been possible.

Other exchanges during 1994 were between Hawera High, St Stephens (Bombay, South Auckland) and Aotea College (Wellington).







# SEVENTH FORM PROFILES

(NN Nickname, FS Favourite Saying, L Likes, DL Dislikes, PO Possible Occupation, PD Probable Destination)

### **Tabitha Arthur**

NN: Tab, Tabby, Spinner

FS: What have I got now? I'll be fine as long as I don't have

L: Having money

DL: Not having money, scooter accidents, sore knees

PO: Rich and famous media personality

PD: Workng at Hatters

### **Shannon Austin**

NN: Shannonon, Shanny, 'The Shankser'

FS: Excuse me, but do I look like I care? Anything sarcastic

L: Chris Cairns, cricket, Superman (alias Chris C)

DL: Anything Maddy likes, feminists, maroon hats

PO: Highly successful diplomat in the South of France

PD: Mrs Cairns

### Jodi Autridge

NN: TNL

FS: What's everyone doing this weekend?

L: Having to rule the school. Double up nites with Terri

DL: No food, no money. New World. No matz, aye girls?

PO: Specialised checkout chick

PD: Doubling up with Terri at Waikato trying to find that darn key!

### **Dianne Avery**

NN: Di

FS: Once upon a time

L: Sleeping, holidays

DL: Stupid drivers who don't see cyclists

PO: Doctor

PD: Shelver at Patea Public Library

### Jamie Banks

NN: Jamiel, Danny Boy

FS: If you haven't got any lollies, don't eat them

DL: Saying 'Petrocop' instead of 'Petrocorp' in senior assembly

PO: Professional idiot

PD: Suspiciously muscular Miss America contestant

### **Dion Blackler**

NN: Dee, Digit Ho

FS: That's something to do this weekend

L: Cows named Muriel, Bjork

DL: Computers, Georgie Pie

PO: Distinguished one hour-a-week lecturer

PD: Something to do with abstract painting and toe-nails

### **Rachel Bond**

NN: Rach

FS: Standard, really

L: Sleeping, socialising, eating, summer, Jeremy

DL: Working, Ailsa's driving

PO: Doctor, lawyer

PD: Full-time New World checkout operator

### Tania Booker

NN: Tarn

FS: Yeah right

L: Coca Cola

DL: Buying shoes

PO: Lawn mower driver

PD: Egypt

### Kristy Boyd

NN: Krispy, Crusty

FS: -

L: Rainbows, chocolate, laughing, Cynthia's secret recipe

DL: Contradiction, superstition

PO: Anthropoly something, grave digger

PD: In Italy enjoying it

#### Joanne Bromfield

NN: Jo

FS: And ... wasn't meeee ... RUDE

L: Nice bikes, so long as they are not red (unless they're Ducatis), marshmallows

DL: Guacamole, rainy days, windy days, Woolworths skirts, calculus, exams

PO: Pharmacist

PD: Full-time check out chick at Woolies

#### **Damian Brouwers**

NN: Dingle Mouse

FS: Keen as, because it goes off

L: My purple goldfish, Tracey, my car, sunny days

DL: Classical music, rotaries, minis

PO: Supermarket Manager

PD: On the streets of Taiwan making the cheap rubbish toys your kids are going to play with

### Vicki Bryant

NN: Vickitar, Pantyhose, Joker

FS: Shall we go ... Marina

L: Summer, Friday nights in Waitara

DL: Belair Ave hill, Ailsa eating bananas

PO: Rachel's assistant

PD: Crazy taxi driver

### **Andrew Butler**

NN: Buts

FS: That's Nice

L: Computers, Cats

DL: 3rd and 4th formers

PO: Computer Technician/Analyst

PD: Primary School Teacher

### Abe Chamberlain

FS: Surf, See ya next period

L: Surfing, Food

**DL:** On-shore winds, fat chicks

PO: Rich hotel owner in Tahiti

PD: Bumming round the coast

Tanja Clarke

NN: Freak

FS: Life is short and love is always gone in the morning

L: Being a freak, death, destruction, violence

DL: Rugby players, happy endings, John Walker

PO: Child psychologist in England

PD: Psychopathic, sado-masochist, mass-murderer, homicidal maniac

**Tracey Clearwater** 

NN: Tray, Tricycle, T-Bag

FS: I Believe You

L: Lasagne, Ren, Stimpy, Damian

DL: Suzanne Paul, Mr Blobby, Coleslaw (KFC)

PO: Primary School Teacher

PD: Head Supervisor at Bulk Foods NEW WORLD

**Ailsa Collins** 

NN: Gonzo, Else, Barbara

**FS:** What ... is there something wrong with me?

L: Socialising, Sun, '72' OPC

DL: Burning in Biology, Noses

PO: Travel and Tourism Industry

PD: AA Counsellor, Ronald McDonald

**Cheryl Cottam** 

NN: Elle-babe Shirley, Wench, Chez

FS: I need a man!

L: Guys (big ones), things that start with M

DL: English, rev handles

PO: An in-demand artist living in a shack

PD: Art student for life/College art teacher

**David Cowley** 

NN: DC, Gingermick, Red head

FS: Excuse me, Don't think so

L: Scuba diving

DL: Nights I can't remember

PO: Leader of Man Power Australia

PD: Fulltime worker for the Government (dole)

**Hayley Cunningham** 

NN: Hales, Haze, Boogs

FS: Ach du scheibe

L: Travelling, languages, Europe, ice-skating

**DL:** Dogs, heights, distance between Germany and New Zealand

PO: Part-time English teacher in Germany

**PD:** Shovelling snow in Oakura

**Kathy Curd** 

NN: -

FS: Waaahoooo, poor Dan!

L: Corey

DL: Not being a cheerleader

PO: Teacher

PD: Washed up cheerleader married to a crazy Opunakian

Sam Dixon

NN: Enthalpy of formation

FS: Who stole the forgotten fauna posters?

L: Long weekends, vast quantities of snow

DL: Taranaki weather

PO: Crushing grapes with my feet

**PD:** Travelling the world (probably a nomad)

**Bridget Ellis** 

NN: Bridge, Birdie and Birdseed

FS: Dayyan, Deeyean, ah babe

L: OPC, water fights with Dan and Dean, Socialising, Summer and smiling

DL: Ailsa beating me up

PO: Smile Therapist

PD: Leader of the Pak 'N Save gang

**Tracey Eru** 

NN: Shorty, Stimpy

FS: Really, is that so

L: Models Inc, Mariah Carey

DL: Heavy Metal

PO: Personal assistant

PD: Wellington

Che Evans

NN: Che Guevara

FS: Aye, Hi Honey, 64 lanes!

L: Natalie, freaks

DL: Rugby, Josh W, boredom, Craig P

PO: House husband

PD: Bumsville

**Samuel Fancourt** 

NN: Sam, Fish

FS: Fascist, Get Neil!!!

L: Sicilian cheesecake

DL: Large shoulder pads, work

PO: NW Siberian igloo architect

PD: Otis on 'Shortland Street'

**Daniel Fitzsimons** 

NN: Bob the Beedle, Bop Tummy Roll

FS: Jim's Inglewood Chicken rule

L: Insane purple bubbles yelling 'Bartholomule'

DL: Smelly elephants

PO: Rubbish collector

PD: Ethiopia

Natalie Forrester

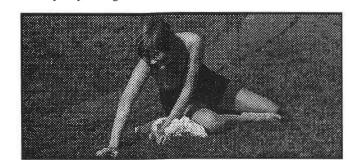
NN: Nattie, Nuttles

FS: Should I go to class ... nah

L: Che, Man Power, Lynx ad

**DL:** Compliments, red leather **PO:** Photographer for models inc

PD: Sydney's Kings Cross



Stephen Gaudin

NN: Cheesey

FS: I'll toss you for it. No, this is how it happened!

L: Black silk shirts

DL: Self-designed shirts

PO: Manager of KFC coleslaw department

PD: Cheese factory worker

**Ross Goldfinch** 

NN: Fish, roof fitter

FS: I'll beat you in my next test, Emma

L: Sexy nurses

DL: Taking tablets, getting up before 10am

PO: Multi-millionaire businessman

PD: Becoming a sexy nurse

**Justin Graham** 

NN: Gus

FS: Food, get out of my way

L: Junk food, Good music, Good parties

DL: Vegies, Bullies, Anything that makes me mad

PO: Air force Armourer

PD: Dole Bludging

**Kirsty Gudopp** 

NN: Kirtain, Krusty, Kirt

FS: Guys, Wait up!

L: Grainwaves, PHT

DL: Breaking my ankle skateboarding

PO: A media-type person

PD: A waste management person in the wop wops

Andre Hansen

NN: Smug

FS: You're wrong, I'm right. Bosch is God

L: Being right, normal, Flemish paintings

DL: Everything else

PO: Gallery curator raking in the millions

PD: Under a bridge in Otara



Henrik Hedqvist

NN: The Mad Swede

FS: At grot och do L: Skiing

DL: Taranaki weather

PO: Archaeologist

PD: A wax figure

Jayne Henry

NN: Demon

FS: I am not a demon!

L: Porsche 911, money, men with money, me with money

**DL:** Pink minis, certain squash racquets

PO: Environmental lawyer

PD: Permanent resident 7th form Calculus/chemistry student

Nicola Hodges

NN: Nic

FS: Jayne how do you do this one?

L: End of calculus, acounting, spending other people's money etc

**DL:** Beginning of calculus, accounting, and spending my

PO: Promoting New Zealand Tourism overseas

PD: A driver for Nicky's Moving Company in Whangarei

**Katie Holland** 

NN: Kate, Henry, KJ

FS: Cut it out

L: Neville the fish, eating

DL: Cats, goldfish, birds PO: Sports psychologist

PD: Play School presenter

Kim Holub NN: Kimmy, Kimberly

FS: There's nothing going on between me and Sam!

L: Chit Chats, Aquatic Centre, Sam

**DL:** Mr Blobby, handcuffs and flagpoles **PO:** Reporter for Cosmopolitan

PD: Handcuffed to Sam

Suzanne Hooper

NN: Suzie
FS: I'll start studying tomorrow

L: Fine days, Free flake bars in McDonald's flake bars. Happy people and spare time

DL: Tattoos on people's foreheads, Unfriendliness, Early Mornings, and Student wage rates

PO: PE Teacher or Florist

PD: As long as a student loan will cover the cost of an airfare, I don't care where I go!

Joseph Horo NN: Satch, Joey, Joefiss

FS: Go away, No I'm not L: Playing at gigs

DL: Blowing Clutches (Stinky)
PO: Electrical Engineer

PD: A mirage in Egypt

Caine Jackson

NN: Jacko

FS: -L: Getting to school late

DL: Arriving at school

**PO:** Wine sampler **PD:** Gym trainer

Theresa Joe

NN: Treesa Weesa

FS: Ha ha ha ha, No L: Weekends, rain, Art History sarcasm

DL: Calc, Mondays, making decisions

PO: Sales marketing and advertiser

PD: Freelance freelancer in Greenwich Village





Leanne Kemsley

NN: Custard, Lee

FS: Guess what ..., Ha ha ha

L: Chocolate, nachos, chocolate, nachos

DL: Calculus, English

PO: Primary Teacher

PD: Calculus and English Teacher in the backblocks of some faraway country.

Madeleine Kingsbury

NN: Mad, Maddy

FS: hmmmm, brrrrr, grrrrr (teehee, teehee)

L: Sun, sand, sea, summer

DL: Winter and anything Shannon likes. Getting 5% less than Shannon

PO: Beach dwelling psychologist not having to work 'cos I'm

PD: Dirt poor bum living on the beach

**Kane Laurence** 

NN: Big Man, Kano

FS: It's stupid to buy too many cars

L: Cricket, canteens, computers, alliteration

DL: Sneezing, school heaters on a hot day

PO: Accountant

PD: Man O'Man Eketahuna 1995

Daimen Lobb

NN: Lobby, Carkus, Skinless

FS: Peace, I'm out, You used to be my mate, Hey ba-ha

L: Stuff, a few quiet ones, runners, tries, a few more runners

DL: Stuff, Ho's, magic eye vests

PO: Electrician, All Black

PD: All Black

Ross MacNeil

NN: Mickey, Rozza Mac, Rossy Dods

FS: There it is, Ya Damn Ho, Waz Up

L: Basketball, my girl, three point shots, X-Files

DL: People not paying up debts (Smudge) and Damn Ho's

PO: Landscape Architect, NBA Coach/Player, Mafia head

PD: Six feet under, Heaven or Hell, with my hoochie queen

Corey McGregor

NN: JB

FS: Oooh, sweet hey. Who's been?

L: Opunake fish shops, runners, school-leavers

DL: OJ, gangsters, farming with Dean

PO: Tractor racer, Opunake carnival

PD: Bed warmer

**Daniel Maitland** 

NN: Head, Cheesy, Anti-matter, Wrestlin' Fan Maitland

FS: Bong me, Lovely boys/girls, Hop it Hopper

L: Kipping, closeouts, one man gang ie Akeem, Runners

DL: Two faced hoppers, wise guys, ice cream heads

PO: Making frozen yoghurt which I call froghurt

PD: Farming with Cliff and Nick

**Scott Manson** 

NN: Scotty, Manson

FS: -

L: Christine's horses

DL: KK Oilers basketball team

PO: PE teacher at Spotswood College

PD: Soccer trainer for Moturoa U8's

Leslie Manu

NN: Les

FS: You go girl! Wuz up

L: Chicken music, parties

DL: TV, getting older, HO's

PO: Repo Man

PD: Sitting in the unemployment office with Foti, Duane and Kyle

**James Morrison** 

NN: Jim, God

FS: I am the lizard king, I can do anything

L: Women, poetry

DL: Sobriety, lawsuits

PO: Singer, poet

PD: Radioactive dust

Sandra Morrison

NN: Sundried Tomato Plant

FS: So sue me

L: Pubs, Elliot, Barry

DL: School

PO: Social worker

PD: Bum

**Andy Murfitt** 

NN: Ange, Leslie, Cap-i-tan

FS: Shot please ref, Give me a sport

L: Rugby 1st XV 1994, Mr Lynch's office

DL: Dan's, Dean's, Lobby's, Riddles's driving antics

PO: Stand in for a sasquach

PD: Wherever Katie is

Marina Murrow

NN: Nigger, M&M, Marines, Rean

FS: I'll be keen

L: Dark guys, summer

DL: Doing the solo on the bus

PO: Being the town clown

PD: Collecting money on Thursdays

Sean Norling

NN: Sean, Seant, Prawny, Corny

FS: Ask Neil about the 7pm special

L: Darth Vader, Light Han Solo's

DL: Han Solo's big toe

PO: CIA, IRA, IRB, TAB, UB

PD: Some obscure Irish Village

Tina O'Keeffe

NN: Teens, Pippi

FS: Don't stress, woman!

L: Black CRX's, rich men in black CRX's

DL: Rich men in black CRX's with girlfriends, being called a turkey!

PO: Pharmacist

PD: Road work Go/Stop sign turner

**Dean Parkes** 

NN: Wesil, Deano, Big Benis Deanis

FS: I'll never crash, I'm too lucky

L: Runners, hackey, 4 Square, frogurt, Jennie Garth

DL: Spending Sunday fixing letterboxes and clotheslines

PO: Crafting precious gems

PD: Head honcho Shakely deliverer

Sarah Paul

NN: -

FS: Party at my place, I'm hungry

L: Taupo Bungy, food

DL: Cynthia's secret recipe (OPC)

PO: Selfmade millionaire

PD: Fulltime New World girl

**Natasha Peters** 

NN: Tash, Tasha, Knit Knat

FS: I'm not going with that geek (brother)

L: Going out, spending (others) money, smashing pumpkins

DL: Doing nothing, brussels sprouts, my turn to cook tea

PO: Free travel and making lots of money at the same time PD: New Plymouth's next bag lady or 20 years on still deciding

**Simon Plant** 

NN: Si. Planty

my future

FS: Not here for a haircut, Watch it, punk

L: Holidays, studying

DL: Old ladies with beards, assembly

PO: Manager at the Warehouse

PD: Shoe man at the Warehouse

Craig Plyler

NN: -

FS: I fixed it. The Networks Down. True!

L: Pentiums, Junk Food, Whare Kai, Trains

DL: 286's XT's, PS/1's, Slow Drivers

PO: Highly Paid Computer technician in big firm

PD: 25th Year 7th

**Zoe Priestley** 

NN: Ms 'Politically Correct'

FS: I disagree

L: Sleep, sun, Sinead, books, having absolutely nothing to do

DL: Rugby, Barbie, alarm clocks, stress

PO: All Black

PD: Melrose Place

**Duane Ratapu** 

NN: Manu Samoa, Don King, Stokes

FS: Test-tube baby, Bol

L: Same as Foti (except for Marina)

DL: Same as Foti

PO: Criminal

PD: Crime Watch

Kyle Ratapu

NN: Solei, Ratz, Maori Boy

FS: Bol, Bowdy, Ah what!?, Got any food?

L: Emma, basketball, touch, pumpkin seeds DL: No Bewaaz, Emma's jokes

PO: Working at McKechnies, NBA player

PD: Emma's house

Blair Riddock

NN: Riddles, Riddler, Lawn mower Legs

FS: Do you want a fight?

L: The odd sip, rugby, married women, starting trouble

DL: Losing rugby, Sunday mornings in Dan's toilet

PO: Electrician, All Black

PD: All Black

William Ries

NN: Will, Bill, Billie, Billbob, Phil

FS: I need a smoke L: My trench coat

DL: School, 1st XV, Study PO: Lawyer (some how)

PD: Six feet under

Mathew Rilkoff

NN: -

FS: You Bogan

L: Chainsaws (Eager Beaver Model)

DL: Anything blunt, corn on the cob and glue

PO: Quality control for Watties Baked Beans PD: Hitching across the globe

**Andrew Rivers** 

NN: Andy, B1, Rivers FS: Lets implement plan A to copious amounts

L: Barrells, women

DL: Onshores, school

PO: Land surveyor on Gold Coast or beer taster PD: -

**Jamie Robertson** 

NN: Beefa, Gummie Bear FS: Who was he?

L: -DL: -

PO: Manager of trolley department at Pak 'n Save

PD: Professional liposucker





Jeremy Robinson

NN: Smudge, Rongi, Jerms

FS: Whaaaat!, Yo ho, Go nood

L: Good Ol' Hoochies - especially mine, basketball

DL: Anything that slacks me off and Damn Ho's

PO: Architect or exotic love slave

PD: Parents place or exotic love nest

Vaughan Robinson

NN: Dylan, Brandan, Pretty Boy

FS: That's a fallacy (phallicy)

L: All females excluding Tim and Frank

DL: Stephen's KFC coleslaw

PO: World class squash legend married to a loaf of bread

**PD:** Try hard squash player making money installing blinds, going bald

**Nick Rowe** 

NN: Nix

FS: Belt's going off. Charge the coast!

L: Summer, surfing, beach

DL: Kinas, Sunday/Monday mornings, westerlies

PO: Teaching at Whangamomona Primary

PD: Living in a tent and out of an esky at the beach

**James Satherley** 

NN: What do you think my nickname would be?

FS: Man, I'm wicked. It's never enough

L: A \$1m vision thing, Good parties

DL: Gothics who wear black fingernail polish

PO: Keno runner for the DDR

PD: Detonation Boulevard

Jeremy Smith

NN: Jez, Tiny

FS: But calc's fun

L: Tall doorways, big cars

DL: Supermarkets, losing 'Bags not'

PO: Telecommunications technologist

PD: Mr Plyler's calculator

**Terri-Anne Sole** 

NN: Chucky-Anne, Aff, Terri

FS: No thanks, I never drink! Did I really do that?

L: Being locked in cupboards, being Dan's hairdresser

**DL:** Falling down thorn-infested cliffs. Dan being my hairdresser

PO: Hooker, hey girls!

PD: Waaahoooo girl for the Otahuhu cheerleaders!

Glenn Steffensen

NN: Glenn

FS: That must have caused a bit of an uproar

L: Minis, smorgasbords

DL: Waiting, Calculus last period on Fridays

PO: Accountant

PD: Subject of an Audit Office investigation

Juita Tambunan

NN: Ju, Juliet, Jit, Osmosis (from Mr Greenhill)

FS: What? Ry-an!!! Whaddayamean?

L: Ryan, Ryn, Tin, Rynny

DL: Mess, being away from Ryan

PO: A famous (really famous) director and author

**PD:** Ryan's wife and since Kim will be living with us, I'll be their housekeeper

**Tammy Thompson** 

NN: The Tamster, Tammy T

FS: Just relax everybody, Ya what?

L: Scottish/English/American accents, Sicilian cheesecake

DL: Trying to say purple with a Scottish accent

PO: Rich and famous musician

**PD:** Assistant left hand spotlight operator for band supporting RFM

**Claire Tompkins** 

NN: Clarey, Clairence (Hayley only)

FS: -

L: English, History, Horses, competitions, Art

DL: Standing on the bus, TV, catching the bus, Statistics, buses

**PO:** Commercial lawyer/Manager of a vast Wyoming cattle ranch USA

**PD:** NZ Historian confined to NZ Room, New Plymouth Public Library

Foti Vaafusu

NN: Vusu's Footwa, Touch

FS: No Kyle, I haven't any food

L: Chicken, Marina

DL: Burnt chicken, gold hair

PO: Chef at Vusu's kitchen

PD: Dishwasher at McDonalds

**Chris Vork** 

NN: Snowy, Vorky, Mork

FS: Ha, ha, ha

L: Rock 100

DL: Flushing problems of toilets

PO: Alaskan landscape architect

PD: Professional toilet flusher

Josh Walker

NN: Maxy, Josie, Hose

FS: Codpiece

L: Allison, clean undies

DL: Freaks, clipping nose hairs

PO: Lunar technician on Uranus

PD: A black hole or the outer badlands of ancient Mongolia

Amanda Watkins

NN: Manda, Mandy, Pandora

FS: Where's Corey

L: Corey, my beach, liqueurs, study period(s)

DL: School, people on my beach, Mondays

PO: Jeweller

PD: Beach bum with Corey

Francis Whitaker

NN: Fran, Francey, Peggy

FS: Males suck. No, I never did that

L: Milky Bar man

DL: Male egos, rumours, squash racquets

PO: Rich architect

PD: Star of 'Indecent Proposal'

**Bianca Wilks** 

NN: -

FS: I won't say no, Believe that one

L: Shady tricks, dreads, clothes, money, black, Thursday

afternoons

**DL:** Hiddybeasts, crazy taxi drivers in Auckland, having no car when it's raining

PO: Textile designer

PD: Doing shady tricks somewhere in the Solomons

Julie-Ann Wilson

NN: Julz

FS: It was off the RICHTER, mate

L: Busy Media Studies periods

DL: Everyone asking when the paper is due out

PO: Public Relations Offices for DOC

PD: Cleaner at New Plymouth Airport

**Natalie Winmill** 

NN: Baty

FS: I wasn't drunk really ... I was just happy

L: Black Sambuka, Guys in red Holden Toranas

DL: 'Da Boyz' 'TAS'

PO: Marine Environmental Microbiologist

PD: Drunk Drain cleaner in Calcutta

**Blair Withers** 

NN: Witho

FS: Lemon, Goobers, Are we colouring in today, Mr P?

L: Simpsons, 2L time

DL: Lemons

PO: Engineer

PD: Bus driver, cleaner, farmer

Brad Wood

NN: Atma, Javed

FS: Pert

L: Jazz festivals, white drum kits

DL: Duncan's piano solos

PO: Next drummer for 'Dire Straits'

PD: Deepest darkest Pakistan

### Nicky Williams

NN: Nic, Budu, Funi, Biscuit

FS: I don't think so, Tim

L: Weekends, PHT

DL: Racism, Scary Teri, Glennon, Brussel Sprouts, moving

PO: Freelance Photographer with National Geographic

**PD:** Furniture Removal Company Manager (with Nicola Hodges)

### **Andrew Wilson**

NN: Andy

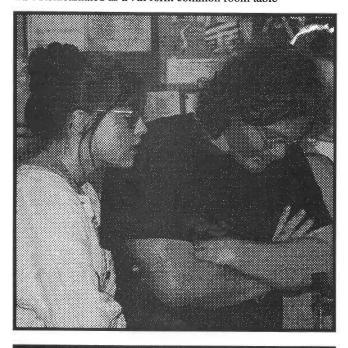
FS: What's my favourite saying?

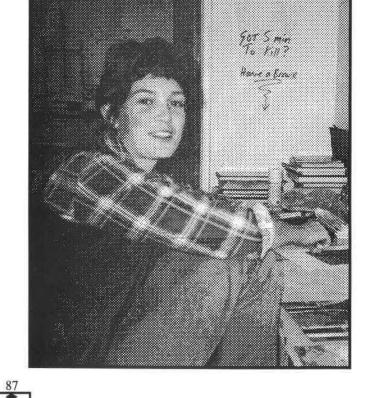
L: Not school

DL: Stats, English, Geography, History and Economics

PO: Regional planner

PD: Reincarnated as a 7th form common room table









### GRANDAD

It was school holidays, Wendy wanted to spend time with her friends having heaps of fun. But instead she had to visit her senile old grandfather. He was old and grumpy and he bored her to death with his war stories.

She reluctantly approached the door and tapped twice. A voice said, "Come in, dear!" When the welcoming was over she went to unpack. She unpacked very slowly, it meant less time with grandfather. She didn't call him Grandad or Poppa like many affectionate grandchildren. The truth was, Wendy did not even like her grandfather. She was not aware that grandfather knew this and was deeply hurt by her feelings. When she was done she went downstairs and sat at the table.

Over tea grandfather launched into one of his war stories. About the 'good old days in Nam'. Wendy was bored to death. The truth is, grandfather was not as old as Wendy made him out to be. In fact, he was quite young. But from the loss of a limb and being crippled with rheumatism he appeared old. But Wendy didn't care. Who knows what her friends were doing? She fumbled with her feet, fiddled with the table cloth and drummed her fingers. After two weeks of listening to this she would go mad. Grandfather sensed her discomfort and felt hurt. So he said, "Bed time, Wendy".

The next morning at breakfast, he said, "Today we shall go somewhere". "Oh, no," thought Wendy. Grandfather's idea of fun was going to the art gallery or the museum.

Grandfather strode onto the train at the end of the street like a proud soldier going to war. And Wendy tagged behind like a small forlorn puppy.

Grandfather was silent on the trip and Wendy was curious about their destination. They stopped at the war memorial proudly displayed in the centre of the square. Grandfather took her over to the monument that should never have been built. He said, "These were the brave men that fought for their country by my side ... these are all my friends that didn't make it."

Wendy saw a tear glint in her grandfather's eye, then slowly meander down his cheek. She took his hand, then realised that he was just a lonely old man looking for love.

"Come, Grandad," she said.

Kate Hayward

## RECIPE FOR BAD TIMES

A dash of creamed school homework

And a small dose of crabby parents

A cupful of the washing machine eating my socks

Combined with a sprinkle of annoying insults

A cupful of pimples tossed in with

A scoop of bad hair days!

An ounce of stormy rainy days

All this crammed together with

No social life.

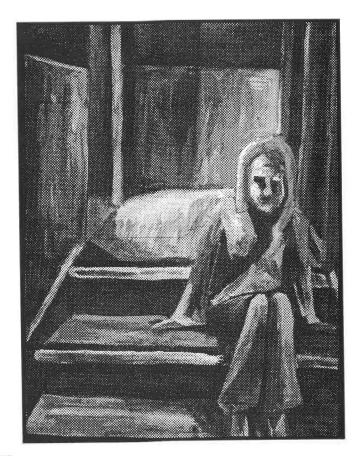
**Shannon Honeyfield** 

Perhaps we are meant to be or perhaps i dream

My involvement
with this
sordid arrangement
so like many
of my others
becomes tiresome
and i know not
where to go next
i don't have any purpose
anymore, except that
of escape
from this existence
which much less
than pleases me

And perhaps you have given me some time and maybe it meant something, somehow and maybe i just want to mean more to you and i need somebody

Tanja Clarke



# TURNING A BLIND EYE

It's ok if you are young
You don't really understand
It hurt in your teens
That's when you need them most
It's not so bad later on in life
Cause you're grown up and left

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

First come the small fights Which never mend Then comes the violence Which never ends Last is the break up Which hurts the most

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

Next is the court case Fighting for custody You and your family Are torn to pieces Your mother gets three And father gets two You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

Then is the hatred Between mother and father Followed by hatred Between the children Which causes distress And a lot of pain

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

One of mother's
Decides to rebel
And one of hers
Leaves and gets on with life
The third of them
Is stuck in the middle

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

Everything calms down
Everything's alright
Then when everyone's home
It all starts again
Starting with anger
Followed by hurt
You just turn a blind eye

Pretend you don't care

Mother's rebel
Is driven away
The one who left
Is only to blame
The third of them
Is torn between the rest

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

Mother's rebel
Is father's anger
The one who left
Has gone again
The other one is left
To pick up the pieces

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care

Now all that's left
Is mother and one
And a home
Full of memories
And two souls
Bonded yet torn apart

You just turn a blind eye Pretend you don't care But you do!

**Torva Sayed** 

THE HELICOPTER

The lovely valleys and blue sky, the horizon so clear what a stunning way to see the world! The town looks so different when you are flying through the sky. You can't hear the traffic - it's so far away. Everything appears so small that houses seem insignificant and are the size of crumbs. Streets look like handfuls of tangled string.

Fields of farming land are marked out by rows of toothpicks containing grass so lush, clean and rich that the shades of green contrast perfectly with the bright blue sky.

After flying over the mountain range, we hovered over a cliff edge where tussocks cling precariously to the steep slope. As the helicopter came in to land on the hilltop, it skidded on the tussock and we lurched sideways for a moment until settling unsteadily on the ground. The uneasy landing made the pilot concerned about the safe take-off. Two of the passengers got out and waited on the hillside to get picked up on the return trip.

As I opened the door, a blast of wind from the helicopter blades buffeted me and as I ran clear, the pilot yelled, "Keep

your head down!" We were left there together surrounded by a vast alpine landscape. Far beyond, the lake glistened in the morning sun and the snow-capped mountains spread as far as the eye could see.

Silence began to settle. No birds or insects flew, leaving just the sound of the helicopter fading into the distance. I had never been surrounded by such solitude. There was no one to be seen except ourselves for miles. I sat on the mountain top and gazed out over the captivating scenery. It was barren, rocky and windswept. The tussocks were permanently bent because the rocks gave little shelter.

Finally the helicopter appeared in the distance and became noisier until it was hovering nearby. We lowered our heads and ran for the door. Safely aboard, we launched off the hilltop and out over the lake, winding our way slowly back to the rest of the passengers.

**Amy Cruikshank** 





### WHAT FRIENDS ARE FOR

Alex sleeps quietly beside a basket of yet to be folded washing. He could have been a porcelain statue except for the shallow rise and fall of his chest. Occasionally a drowsy eyelid would rise at a sudden sound or movement but then close again. A stuffed rodent lies quietly beside him. Its felt ears and long ribbon tail shredded from the day's activities.

This time the sound is alarming. Enough to brighten those once drowsy eyes and perk those once sleeping ears.

Does he recognise those cries? Are they the distress calls of a friend? He must investigate.

Quick to his feet, he is gone from the room. The velvet mouse is disturbed by the sudden exit. He can hear her clearly now. The cries even more terrible by their closeness. She senses the urgency by his immediate arrival. She is no longer alone. Even the sleeping light senses the commotion and surrounds her with its embracing light. He can leave now that she is calm.

He moves away from the light, casting shadowy tiger stripes on his body. From his door he looks back. It's black now.

He returns to his spot by the still yet to be folded washing, oblivious to the patiently waiting mouse.

The dogs are both neighbours and friends.

### Sam Whiteman

**Katie Bool** 

### LIFE AT THE TOP

The golden man stands above the world,
Looking down on all of them laughing.
He doesn't care what he looks like,
And you can still see the shoes of people
Who tried to conquer him.
His teeth are white
Sharp,
Drooling with anger.
He keeps his son in his jaws,
He doesn't eat him,
He just keeps him there,

Safe from harm.

The skeleton woman is his mother, Her flesh hangs off her body like a tree in Autumn.

She is dying to live.

The beautiful people are there too,

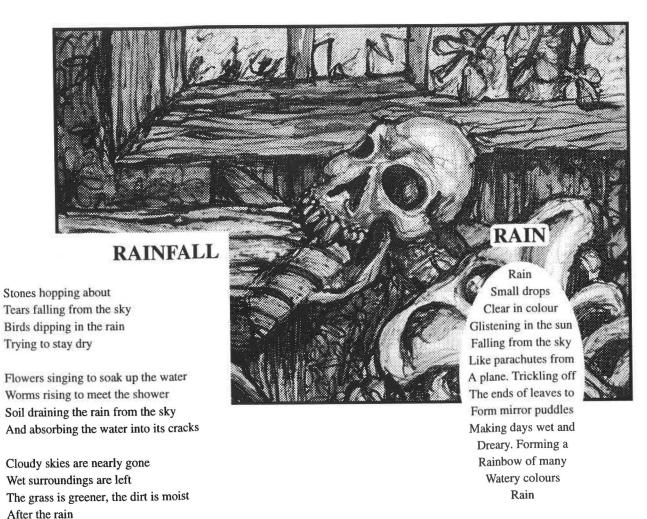
Just smiling away at nothing.

They are just beautiful faces,

With no minds and no bodies.

We will all be there one day.

### Peter Hignett F6 CV English



#### Melissa Green

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### **FORM THREE**

#### FORM 3CN

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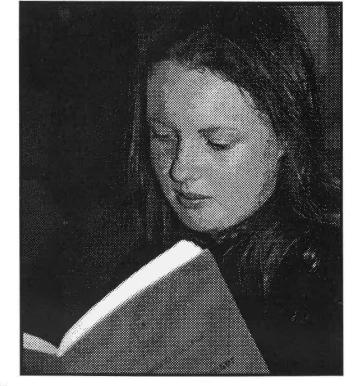
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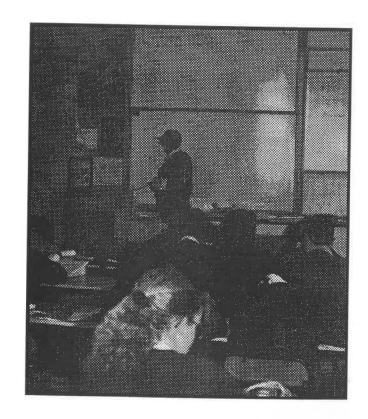
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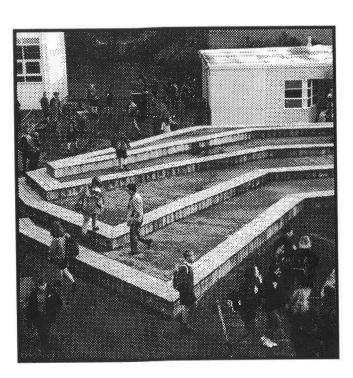
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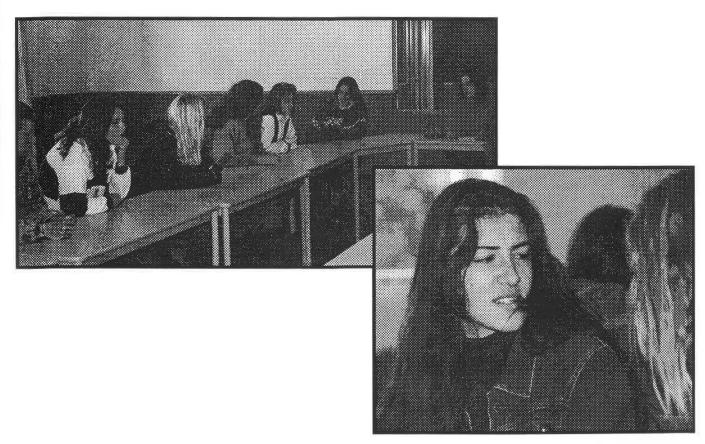
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