

### Peek at the Week ...

- ☺ Saturday, 28 August - 1<sup>st</sup> Boys Team Cricket at Eric Louw in Musina
- ☺ **Monday, 30 August - Junior & Senior Boys Soccer at SLC**
- ☺ Tuesday, 31 August - Girls Soccer at Northern Academy in Polokwane
- ☺ **Wednesday, 1 September - Girls Soccer at SLC & Girls Cricket at Mitchell House in Polokwane**
- ☺ Friday, 3 September - Grade 9 Adventure Camp begins
- ☺ Friday, 3 September - Grade 8 Trek: Serala begins

### Stanford Lake College Adventure Race – Saturday, 28 August

SLC hosted the annual 60km Adventure Race on Saturday. Nine teams entered: 1 from SLC, 7 from Noordheuwel in Krugersdorp and 1 from Birchleigh in Kempton Park.

The race started at 07:00 with a briefing and then went into a 4km kaskar stage. After this the teams of 4 were split into two. Two members paddled via the beach to the Trout Club and the other 2 members ran to the Trout Club, where they changed disciplines.

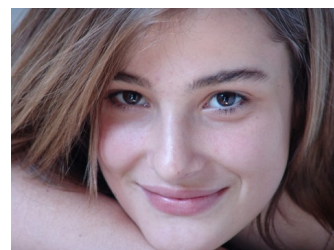


Back at the starting point they faced a few obstacles and then over to the mountain bike stage of 33km.

It was a close race in the beginning between us (Team Ubuntu: Stuart Hillary, Kayla Janke, Emil Fenske and Andrew Dawson) and one of the Noordheuwel teams but Ubuntu managed to kick some butt on the paddling and the mountain bike stages. Ubuntu beat the second placed team by more than half an hour! Well done, Team Ubuntu!

### FAREWELL, ANNIN

The Stanford community is mourning the passing of Annin Snyman [July 1993 to August 2010]. We shall miss you, Annin, but you will live on in the lovely memories we have of you.



### ROUND SQUARE SERVICE PROJECT 2010

Following one of the pillars of Round Square, students from all over the world came together at Stanford Lake College in the name of mankind and service. One student each from St. Phillips, Armidale and Ballarat Grammar School (Australia), Mayo College Boys and Vivek High School (India), Hotchkiss School (USA) and Chadwick School (Canada) came to SLC for their exchange programme in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Term. These students took part in a service project at the school, building frames for the jungle gyms for the other schools nearby. Their work was continued by another group, which was at SLC during the 3<sup>rd</sup> term.

A group of 30 students who attended the annual Saint's Trek from St. Stithians Boys and Girls College, Johannesburg, [along with two exchange students from The Indian School, Oman and Ballarat Grammar School, Australia] was joined by students from SLC going to the RSIC 2010 in Thailand, Rothesay Netherwood School (Canada), Lawrence School, Sanwar and Vidya Devi Jindal School (India) and St. Mary's School (Australia). They went to Appel School and painted two of the class rooms there and decorated them with a Mathematics theme and the other with a Music theme.



The group worked at Appel School for the first three days and then went to Mabasho School and did the same with two other classrooms there. There were students who stayed back at SLC working on the jungle gyms and then put them up at Mabasho School and Mmaweshi School. The principals, staff and students reflected their gratitude towards all the people who worked at their school for such a noble cause. It was a delight seeing all the children's smiles as they played in the classrooms and on jungle gyms.

We are very grateful to MBS Tours for providing us with transport throughout the service project. Last but not the least, we find ourselves very fortunate to be a part of the project, as we helped the less privileged and we thank SLC for organising such events for students.

Mr Thias Taute [RS Representative]

### CYCLING NEWS



Tarryn Brent finished 5th overall in the Ladies 45km Half Marathon in a time of 2h 06min in the Cullinan MTN National MTB Series on Saturday, 28th August. She has maintained her lead in the Series and wears the Pink Leader's Jersey. There were 863 cyclists in her event. Well done, Tarryn!

### EQUESTRIAN NEWS

The following riders did SLC proud and were chosen for the Limpopo Equestrian Team to participate at the National Schools Competition to be held 23 - 27 September 2010 at Kyalami:

Mikayla McDonald:	Equitation Level 5 with her horse Gi-Gi
Mika Schoeman:	Show Jumping Level 2 with her horse Olga
Marelize Vermeulen:	Equitation Level 4
	Showjumping Level 5 and Dressage
	Level 2 with her horse Monsieur Le Grande

### THANK YOU

The staff, pupils and management of the College would like to extend a sincere word of thanks to Willette Engelbrecht and her team of counsellors who stepped in at such short notice to assist this week. They were invaluable in providing support and guidance in such a difficult time. A word of comfort, a shoulder to cry on, or simply an ear to listen provided us with sense of community and belonging, we truly did feel that we were not alone in our grief. A special word of thanks also goes to Mrs. Shirley Jack for her efforts in coordinating counselling sessions and keeping watch over all of us.

Parents are reminded that they can contact Mrs. Jack at [sjack@stanfordlakecollege.co.za](mailto:sjack@stanfordlakecollege.co.za) if they would like to arrange further counselling for their children.

### The Week ahead ...

- ☺ Saturday, 4 Sept - Cricket League vs Capricorn
- ☺ **Sunday, 5 Sept - Grade 10 Tour departs**
- ☺ Monday, 6 Sept - Prelims: Physical Science I [3 hrs - am]
- ☺ **Monday, 6 Sept - Grade 11 Focus Week begins**
- ☺ Tuesday, 7 Sept - Prelims: Life Science II [2½ hrs - am] and Life Science III [Practical: 1½ hrs - pm]
- ☺ **Wednesday, 8 Sept - Prelims: History I [3 hrs - am] and Maths III [2 hrs - am]**
- ☺ Thursday, 9 Sept - Prelims: Afrikaans II [2½ hrs - am]
- ☺ **Friday, 10 Sept - Prelims: Maths II/ Maths Lit II [3 hrs - am]**
- ☺ Friday, 10 Sept - Grade 8 Trek/Grade 9 Adventure Camp/Grade 10 Tour return and Grade 11 Focus Week ends