

Peek at the Week ...

- ☺ Mon, 15 Mar – Human Rights Week
- ☺ **Tue, 16 Mar – Final Boys Hockey Trials, Tzaneen**
- ☺ Wed, 17 Mar – Winter Sports Friendly, Hockey, Rugby & Netball vs Southern Cross & Pecanwood
- ☺ **Wed, 17 Mar – 1st Round Maths Olympiad**
- ☺ Thu, 18 to Sun, 21 Mar – SA u15 Netball Tournament, Sun City
- ☺ **Thu, 18 Mar to Fri, 02 Apr – Grand Traverse Trek**
- ☺ Fri, 19 & Sat, 20 Mar – Potch 1st Teams Hockey Festival
- ☺ **Sun, 21 Mar – Human Rights Day**
- ☺ Sun, 21 Mar – Ebenezer Mile

WAY TO GO, TSHANDUKO!

Team Tshanduko (**Tarryn Brent, Stephan Bezuidenhout, Matthew Baleta and Ryan Garrett** – pictured below) competed in the Ystervark Adventure Race in Pretoria this past weekend. Tshanduko was the only school team competing against some very experienced senior teams. The technically demanding 80km navigational race started at 22:00 on Friday night under a moonless sky. The race consisted of mountain biking, hiking, swimming and included a 7m kloof jump at 03:00 in the morning into a freezing rock pool in total darkness. Tshanduko exceeded all expectations and surprised many of the more experienced teams by finishing 3rd after 12 hours of hard racing. Well done team!



MATHS OLYMPIAD 2010

Of the 154 pupils who entered the First Round of the Maths Olympiad held on Wednesday, 17 March, eleven Juniors and twenty-three Seniors [34 pupils in all] qualified for the Second Round, which will be held on Tuesday, 18 May.



Jackson Dando - Absent when photos were taken



Congratulations to **Francois Maritz** (Grade 11) and **Jackson Dando** (Grade 10) who both obtained 80% in the senior section and to **Joshua Selfe** (Grade 8) who obtained 75% in the junior section.

SLC ATHLETES EXCEL AT LIMPOPO ATHLETICS

Cassandra McGaffin (2nd Place in Javelin) and **Michaela McGaffin** (3rd Place in 400m) received a medal each at the Limpopo Athletics for Secondary Schools meeting that took place last Saturday in Mokgopong. Well done, girls!



WINTER WARM-UP FIXTURES

On Wednesday, 17 March, we participated in a number of fixtures against Southern Cross in Hoedspruit to get the winter sports season going. The U16 boys and girls played **Hockey** with the boys winning 5-0 but the girls going down 0-2. [The girls' teams pictured below]

SLC & Southern Cross u/16 Girls Hockey teams



[Photograph: Ant de Boer]

The 2nd SLC **Rugby** team played against the Southern Cross First Team. Our team played some fantastic flowing rugby, and won the game by a resounding 33-0. Francois Maritz was named Man of the Match. With such a good start, the boys will be working hard to ensure similar results in the season to come.

The **Netball** girls were lucky enough to fall in with the end of Pecanwood's tour of the area and so played matches against both Southern Cross and Pecanwood. The results were as follows:

U14s lost to Pecanwood 2-9 but had a narrower margin of 8-9 against an on form Southern Cross team. The U16s beat Southern Cross 13-11 but went down 7-14 to Pecanwood. For many of the girls it was their third match in a row in the Lowveld heat (1 hockey and 2 netball) so well done, girls, on your stamina. The 1st team only played against Pecanwood and had a comfortable 30-6 victory.

We look forward to many more exciting matches once the season begins in earnest next term.

DADS & LADS WEEKEND



The Dads and Lads weekend was attended by 27 fathers and sons associated with Stanford Lake College. Great fun was had by all. We thank all who supported the weekend and a special word of thanks must go to Vaughan and Sandy Van Niekerk for hosting this lovely event.

Events in the week ahead...

- ☺ Mon, 22 Mar – Public Holiday
- ☺ **Mon, 22 Mar – Sun City Tennis Tour [Girls] begins**
- ☺ Tue, 23 Mar – Lessons resume
- ☺ **Fri, 26 Mar – Term 1 ends**
- ☺ Fri, 26 Mar – Parent/Teacher meetings in the pupils' dining room after assembly
- ☺ **Fri, 26 Mar – Sun City Tennis Tour – Girls return**
- ☺ Sat, 27 Mar – Egypt Tour departs