

## OLD STITHIAN NEWSLETTER

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## Message from the OSA Chair

Dear Alumni

With Easter on its way, we get to that very special time of year spent with friends and family, and an amazing **Easter Sports Festival**. This year the sports festival includes rugby, hockey, netball and tennis and it promises to be a fun-filled weekend for all. As is tradition, the Association will be running the hospitality tent as well as the catering in the hospitality tent. This extension will allow us to donate proceeds of the food sales to the College Rugby Development Program to help support the team in their efforts with the rugby at our school.

I am also looking forward to the **reunion in London on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March** and hope to see some faces I have not seen for a while and meet new friends who will help spread the word about the work we are doing in the OSA.

I would also like to invite you come and join us for all our home winter fixtures over the next few months. We will make sure we post both Boys' and Girls' College fixtures and welcome you all to come and join us after the game at the Higher Ground. Gary Heath and his team at the **Saints Supporters' Club** have done an amazing job at creating a festive home game feel and I would strongly encourage you to join us.

As many of you may know, **2013 is Piet Van Tonder's final year** at Saints after more than 3 decades worth of teaching. Piet has been a great support of the Alumni over the years as well as a huge part of the Saints community. To celebrate this, we have asked him to be our Guest Speaker at our **Alumni dinner** later this year. This will definitely not be the last time we see Mnr Van Tonder at the Higher Ground, but it will be the last time as a teacher. These seats are going to sell out fast so if you would like to book, please chat to Susannah soon.

I look forward to seeing you soon, hopefully either in London or at the Easter Sports Festival.

Warm regards

**Shaun Edmeston**  
**Chair**  
**Old Stithian Association**



**7 June 2013**

**Chapel Service, Walkabout and Lunch for the  
Founder Pupils of St Stithians College  
1953 – 1957**

**08h30 – Chapel Service**

**followed by a walkabout with the**

**Head of the Boys' College, Dave Knowles**

**RSVP : Toni Brooks : [tbrooks@stithian.com](mailto:tbrooks@stithian.com) or 011 577 6207**

**12h30 – Lunch at Higher Ground Restaurant**

**with the Chair of the OSA, Shaun Edmeston**

**RSVP : by 31 May 2013 to Susannah : [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com) or 011 024 0706**



[www.saintsfestival.com](http://www.saintsfestival.com)

**Rugby Teams :**

St Stithians Boys' College, Wynberg Boys' High, St Andrews College, St Albans College, Invitation XV, Windhoek, St Benedicts, SACS, Pretoria Boys' High, Hilton College, Bishops College, HS Helpmekaar

**Hockey Teams :**

Boys' teams : St Stithians Boys' College, Invitation, SACS, St Alban's, St Benedict's, Waterkloof.

TBC: Bishops, Falcon

Girls' Teams : St Stithians Girls' College, DSG (Grahamstown), Kingswood, St Andrew's, Alexander College (Ireland)

**Netball Teams :**

St Peters, St Andrews, Tholulwazi, Florida, Windhoek, DSG Grahamstown, Maragon, Kingswood, Redhill, Crawford Lonehill, McAuley House, Riebeeckrand and 2 teams from St Stithians Girls' College

**Tennis Teams :**

Grey College Bloemfontein, Afrikaans Hoër Seunsskool, Pretoria Boys' High School, Clifton, St Benedict's and St Stithians Boys' College

## Old Stithian London Reunion

You are invited to a reunion for all **Old Stithians living in the UK**, to be hosted by **Shaun Edmeston, Chair of the OSA** :

Date : Friday, 22 March 2013  
 Time : 18h30  
*Change in Venue* : *The Sterling – Enclosure - <http://www.thesterlingbar.co.uk>  
 30 St Mary Axe, London, EC3A 8BF  
 Tel: 0207 929 3641*  
 Dress Code : Smart  
 Cash Bar  
 RSVP : by 19 March 2013 to Susannah at [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com)

## OSA Overseas Contacts

The OSA, we would like to spread our wings to overseas countries and start reunions/branches there so please contact our OSA representatives in order to facilitate this initiative. If anyone is interested in helping in other countries not on the list below, please contact Susannah on [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com).

### Australia

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**Contact persons for  
Reunions in 2013**

**Boys' College Class of 1963**

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**Boys' College Class of 2003**

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**Girls' College Class of 2003**

had their reunion on 23 February 2013

**6 September 2013  
Old Stithian Association  
Annual Dinner**

**One & All Club  
19h00**

**Guest Speaker :  
Mr Piet van Tonder**

Mr van Tonder is retiring at the end of 2013

RSVP : Susannah [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com)

**Dates to Diarise for 2013**

**22 March 2013**

**London Old Stithian Reunion  
18h30**

*Change in Venue:* *The Sterling – Enclosure -  
[www.thesterlingbar.co.uk](http://www.thesterlingbar.co.uk)  
30 St Mary Axe, London  
Tel: 0207 929 3641*

Dress Code : Smart (but not formal)  
Cash Bar

Dinner will be served in cocktail style with rolling canapés throughout the evening.

RSVP : Susannah [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com)

**28 March 2013**

**St Stithians Girls' College  
Old Stithians Chapel Service  
& Walkabout**

**Chapel, 07h50 Walkabout 12h30**  
RSVP : Karen Prinsloo [kprinsloo@stithian.com](mailto:kprinsloo@stithian.com)

**7 June 2013**

**Founder Pupils' Chapel Service,  
Walkabout and Lunch**

**08h30 – Chapel  
12h30 - Higher Ground Restaurant**  
RSVP : Susannah [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com)

**8 June 2013**

**St Stithians College  
Founders' Day Service  
09h00**

RSVP : Sonia Willoughby [swilloughby@stithian.com](mailto:swilloughby@stithian.com)

**Old Stithian Association AGM  
One & All Club, 11h30**

**St Stithians College  
60<sup>th</sup> Celebration Gala Dinner**  
Venue and Time t.b.c.

**OSA Monthly Club Draw**  
**Thursday 11 April 2013**  
**R23 000!**

The next OSA Club Draw will take place on **THURSDAY, 11 APRIL 2013**. The amount will be **R23 000** and will jackpot every month, if not won, by R1000.00. The draw will be done on membership numbers, of which there will be a list to confirm any winners. The draw will take place at 7pm, and you need to be present in order to win. The Club Draw coincides with our **weekly Alumni Nights' special of a 20% discount from 6pm to 8pm every Thursday night**. There will also be prizes for those who attend.

The following names were drawn on 7 March 2013, but no-one was present to claim the prize :

Wesley Vercueil, Michael-John Hayward, Bevan Timm, Megan Nel, John van Wyk, Paul Shapiro, Alessandro Scalco, Gabriella Schoch, Mark Springett, Robert Shabangu

## **APPEAL**

### **Memories & Photos - OSA History for 2013**

As part of the preparations for the schools' 60th anniversary in 2013, we are putting together an extensive history of the OSA to be included in the information. We are looking for any history of the OSA, from our first OSA Chair in 1959, right through to today, so that we can compile an accurate account of our journey so far. Please help us with this initiative by sending anything you might have to Susannah at [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com), including:

1. Major events
2. People who have excelled in:
  - a. Sport
  - b. Business
  - c. The arts, including acting and performing singing and song writing
  - d. Social entrepreneurship
3. Memories and photos of:
  - a. The 'porta cabin'
  - b. The first One & All clubhouse
  - c. Sports teams
  - d. Dinners
  - e. Easter festivals
4. Any other facts or stories of interest that we can use to tell our story.

We have such an amazing opportunity to write our history into the record books of the school. Please feel free to send any information about Old Stithians who are overseas as well.

**Please send your new e-mail address  
 details to [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com)**



## Congratulations to the new parents :

Congratulations to Angeline & James Shirley (1993) on the birth of their son Jake on 4 February 2013.

## Old Stithian News



**Nick Serra's (2006)** journey began when the Rector's Newsletter featured an article about the Jubilee Sailing Trust last year. An organisation based in the UK that promotes the integration of physically disabled and able bodied people through the challenge and adventure of sailing a tall ship together and on equal terms. *Lord Nelson*, a unique tall ship, sailed by disabled and able bodied crew on a ground breaking voyage around the world, set sail from Durban for Kochi, India, on 3 March 2013 after a six-day visit to Kwa-Zulu Natal. The 55-metre square rigger is taking part in the Norton Rose Sail the World Challenge, a 50,000-mile journey designed to promote equality and inclusion in every port of call. The ship embarked on her 23-month voyage from Southampton in the UK on Sunday 21 October, riding the wave of success enjoyed by the London 2012 Paralympic Games, and arrived in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, on 9 December, before setting sail again for a second transatlantic crossing, this time to Cape Town, and a first-ever visit to South Africa, arriving on 2 February. Lord Nelson is scheduled to arrive in Kochi, India on 12 April 2013.

*"One of the crew setting sail on Sunday was 26-year-old Nicholas Serra from Johannesburg. Nicholas was knocked down by a school bus on his way home from school when he was ten years old, which left him in a coma for 40 days and with long-term cognitive difficulties. Nicholas took some of his international crew mates to the rugby where his team, the Stormers lost to the Sharks at Durban's Kings Park Stadium "It was quite funny because some of the guys needed me to explain the rules but we had an excellent time."*

As part of his pre-voyage training in Durban, Nick went aloft up up one of Lord Nelson's masts. "We went climbing and my heart was skipping a beat but it was an excellent view from up there and afterwards I felt like I could do anything. I went to the front of the ship and threw my arms out like on Titanic," said Nicholas, who has never sailed before. Nick will be taking a "Message in a Bottle" with him to drop overboard when he crosses the Equator. In it is a message of goodwill from South Africa and St Stithians College as well as his contact details. An exciting part of the adventure, as we wait and see where the bottle ends up and if and when the person who finds the bottle contacts Nick. Bon Voyage Nick!

**Esther Caddy (2006)** has been selected to attend SANDHURST military academy.

**Kineta Kunutu, head girl of the class of 2011,** has been accepted to study Performing Arts in the US.

**Sophie Harbour (2012)** completed her Cambridge International A-levels at St Johns' College with outstanding results.



**Kevin Anderson (2002)** pulled off the biggest upset so far at Indian Wells on Saturday 9 March 2013, ousting fourth-seeded Spaniard David Ferrer 3-6, 6-4, 6-3 in the second round. Ferrer, ranked fourth in the world, was playing his first match of the combined ATP Masters and WTA Tournament, in which the 32 men's and women's seeds receive first-round byes.

<http://m.news24.com/sport24/Tennis/ATPTour/Anderson-pulls-off-shock-win-20130310>

**Chris Williams (1971)** Chair of the Flyfishing Club, has just spend two weeks in hospital and we hope he is better soon and ready again for Flyfishing. Steady recovery Chris!

**Ronald Rankine (1956)** was the first old boy to get married in the St Stithians Chapel on 15 December 1962. Ronald and Margaret just celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary! Joe Webb, Chairman of the Transvaal and Swaziland District of the Methodist Church and St Stithians College Council Member at the time, married them. Joe passed away shortly after that from throat cancer and this was one of the last services he held.

**Graham Miller (1957)** writes "I was a student at St. Stithians from its second year of existence, and was amongst the second lot of matriculants (1957). Also, I was the second old boy to get married in the chapel, 48 years ago - why do I remember? - it was our 48th anniversary last week! We watched the chapel being built, and I recall putting a time capsule in the brickwork during the process." He also sent us two photos of the first official rugby and cricket sides, and says "we did not win too many games if I recall, but we enjoyed the friendship it all provided".



### In Memoriam

Please keep the following families in your thoughts and prayers as they mourn the loss of their loved ones :

**Dr Marc Thorp (1982)** passed away on 22 February 2013 in Newfoundland Canada. Our condolences go to his wife Clare and his daughters Julia and Nina and their families. RIP Marc. Notification sent in by Alun Frost.

**The St Stithians College Annual Remembrance Service will take place on 31 October 2013 in the Chapel.**

## Old Stithian Sport Crusaders Sport Contacts :

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### Contact Person for access to Sporting Facilities :

Sports Facilities co-ordinator, St Stithians College  
Mhlangabezi Nombewu, [MNombewu@stithian.com](mailto:MNombewu@stithian.com), Cell: 083 267 1867



Photo courtesy of Stephen Hickmore



## Old Stithian Trust

**Trustees :** Lee Astfalck, Colin Smith, Clive Douglas, Shaun Edmeston

**Master IT No :** 423/2012

The **Old Stithian Trust** launched on 2 June 2012. The Trust will seek to raise funds which can be channeled into the school for the betterment of all learners across the campus. The Trust already has over R2 million pledged towards projects in the school and will look to grow this number by donations from our membership.

The Trust itself under the guidance of the trustees will focus on:

- Financial support for the children of Alumni
- Improvements to the college, its facilities and new development projects
- Learner support for academic, sporting or cultural excellence
- The Thandulwazi Trust

As Alumni, we stand at the point where we have an opportunity to do something great for a school that gave us so much, an opportunity to ensure the sustainability of the College as well as be a support network for other Alumni and children, who may not have had the same opportunities as we have had. We also have an opportunity to make a difference in the future of the school, to take it to new heights and truly give to One and All.

**Shaun Edmeston**  
**Chair Old Stithian Trust**

### Old Stithian Trust Pledge Form

Full Name: .....

Postal Address: .....

.....

..... Postal Code: .....

E-Mail: .....

Cell No: ..... Matric Class Year : .....

a) I enclose my cheque made payable to the **OLD STITHIAN TRUST** to the amount of

R.....

**OR**

b) Please debit my Master/Visa Card for the amount of: R.....

Name on Card: .....

Card No: .....

CCV No (last 3 digits on back of card): ..... Expiry Date: .....

**OR**

c) I will deposit R..... directly into the **OLD STITHIAN TRUST** account as a  
once-off / monthly contribution for ..... months.

.....  
**SIGNED**

.....  
**DATE**

**Bank Account Details :** Old Stithian Trust, FNB, 623 5931 7312, Bryanston, 250017, Swift Code, FIRNZAJJ

Receipts will be issued for all contributions. These are tax deductible, pending our tax status which will be completed before the end of the tax year.

Please send the Pledge Form and your deposit confirmation to [alumni@stithian.com](mailto:alumni@stithian.com) or fax to 086 511 9883, so that we can acknowledge your contribution.



## Conferencing & Events at the One & All Club: 2011/12

higher ground



### Venue



Main Conference Room

The One & All Club at St Stithians College offers conveniently located conference facilities, seating up to a maximum of 100 delegates in our purpose-built conference centre, adjacent to Higher Ground Restaurant. Situated in private and secure surroundings of St Stithians College, the conference centre has its own deck and enjoys an amazing view over the Sandton skyline.

The spacious room benefits from natural light, quiet location and on-site bathroom facilities. Internet access, whiteboard, pens and flipchart are all included in the room hire. Extra equipment is available on request. In addition, there is a boardroom available for smaller meetings as well as the Library function room.

<b>Main Conference Room</b>	<b>max 100 delegates (cinema style)</b>
<b>Library</b>	<b>max 60 delegates</b>
<b>Boardroom</b>	<b>max 18 delegates</b>

### Facilities



Conference Room

#### Restaurant & Bar:

Higher Ground is the on-site restaurant, which is open to the public for breakfast, lunch and dinner, but can also be used for corporate or private functions.

Sports bar with adjacent braai facilities. Braai functions can also be arranged on request in our braai area. Secure parking at no additional charge.

#### Accommodation:

The Saints Guest Lodge offers accommodation on site should your delegates require. Four double bedrooms are available, all en suite, either twin or double beds, with selected DSTV, from R550pp, bed & breakfast. To book, log on to [www.saintsguestlodge.co.za](http://www.saintsguestlodge.co.za) or call Shirley on 082 408 8887.



### Rates



Saints Guest Lodge

Below are the half day and full day rates for conferences in the main conference centre.

#### Half Day Package

R150pp\* inclusive of 2 coffee breaks, served with either homemade biscuits or muffins, bottled water and juice.  
\*Minimum 10 delegates

#### Full Day Package

R355pp\*, inclusive of 3 coffee breaks served with a selection of homemade biscuits or muffins, a set lunch menu as well as bottled water and juice.  
\*Minimum 10 delegates

Venue hire for the Boardroom and Library function room available on request.

## Saints Guest Lodge



## One & All Club

The Saints Guest Lodge is situated at the One & All Club. A delicious full breakfast is served on the patio of the well known "Higher Ground Restaurant" adjacent to the Guest Lodge, offering sumptuous lunch and dinners too. The pub situated within the restaurant is fully licensed. The bedrooms have a separate entrance and have a 180 degree view of the Sandton and Johannesburg skyline. Secure parking is provided and entry to the Guest Lodge is via the Peter Place entrance. 24 hour security and camera monitored entrances make for a secure stay. The Saints Guest Lodge is a few minutes away from the Sandton Clinic as well as many major shopping complexes and the heart of the Sandton central business district.

#### Bookings and Enquiries:

Shirley Cell: 082 408 8887

Louise Cell: 082 922 3830

[info@saintsguestlodge.co.za](mailto:info@saintsguestlodge.co.za)

[www.saintsguestlodge.co.za](http://www.saintsguestlodge.co.za)

For further information and a bespoke quotation, please call our Events Team on 011 024 3444 or email: [events.higherground@gmail.com](mailto:events.higherground@gmail.com)

## St Stithians Boys' College Sports News

The St Stithians Boys' College Headmaster's Newsletters are available on the following link  
<http://www.stithian.com/index.php/newsletters-boys-college>

### Top South African school to contest Australian National Schoolboys' Eight

St Stithians Boys' College is sending a crew to contest the National Schoolboys' Eight event of the Australian Open Schools Rowing Championships, as well as the Under 17 Schoolboys' Double Scull, which will be raced at Penrith over 18-24 March. The St Stithians' head coach is former New South Welshman David Neuhaus. Coach Neuhaus has previously coached at the King's School in Parramatta, and St Stithians will be based at the King's School Boathouse in Putney until the championships start on March 18. Coach Neuhaus says the crew are focussed on racing, but they are also very excited at visiting Australia for the first time.



*St Stithians crew at Gauteng Provincial Championships with St Stithians Headmaster*

Members of the School boys eight crew will be from Stroke: Bryce Etter, Stuart Edwards, Dan Lambson, Morgan Hall, Brandan Durkan, James Freeman, Anele Madikizela, Alec Sutter, Darragh Meaker (coxswain), Reserves & U17 Double sculls: Mike Katsoulis, Max Silber. Coaches: David Neuhaus and Luke Hartley.

<http://www.rowingdownunder.org/index.php/en/news/news-articles/221-top-south-african-school-to-contest-australian-national-schoolboys-eight>

Copy thanks to Belinda Ryan

### Waterpolo

#### King Edward VII Water Polo Tournament 1<sup>st</sup> Team Tournament

St Stithians beat St Johns 9-6 in the final to win the Edwardian Cup

3 players in the tournament team – Claudio Fernandes, Luke Hunter & Lwazi Madi

#### U14 – Ken Short Jeppe Tournament

the U14 team lost 3-5 to Bishops on the Final

### Golf

The 1st Golf Team: victorious over Grey High School, Port Elizabeth, in their annual tour to the links courses of the Eastern Cape

### Cricket vs Jeppe

14A won by 9 wickets

15A Won on Duckworth/Lewis-Saints score 274/6 Jeppe 48/8

16A Won by 10 wickets

1<sup>st</sup> Won by 163 runs

Played 14, Won 10, tied 1, lost 3

### Rowing

#### South African Championships Results

**Gold Medal Winners** - U15 Double – **Jordan Peppermans, Michael Katsoulis**

**Silver Medal Winners**- U15 Quad - **Aiden Smith, Maximilian Silber, Michael Breytenbach, Jordan Peppermans, Michael Katsoulis**

**Silver Medal Winners**- U14 Double - **Thulo Serobe, Connor McDiarmid**





## St Stithians Girls' College

The St Stithians Girls' College Newsletters are available on the following link  
<http://www.stithian.com/index.php/newsletters-girls-college>

### Rowing

#### South African Championships Results :

- U15 Double Sculls - **Gold** medal - **Tegan Korevaar & Saskie Howie**  
 2nd Quad - **Gold** medal - **Joanne Etzinger, Emily Makhlouf, Steph Sanders, Shelby Bruce & Caitlin Cox**
- U15 single scull - **Silver** medal - **Tegan Korevaar**  
 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Double - St Stithians were placed first and second in South Africa - winning the **silver and gold** medals. **Holly Freeman** and **Michelle Knowles** - **Silver** medals **Kim Warriner** and **Ashleigh Dunlop** - **Gold** medals
- 1<sup>st</sup> Quad - **Silver** medal - **Holly Freeman, Ashleigh Dunlop, Michelle Knowles, Kimberleigh Warriner, Rain de Jager (cox)**
- 1st Single Scull - **Silver** medal - **Kimberleigh Warriner**

Based on these results, **Holly Freeman, Ashleigh Dunlop, Michelle Knowles & Kimberleigh Warriner** have been invited to participate in the **Elite Selection Trials** to tour to **Trakai, Lithuania in August 2013**.



1<sup>st</sup> Quad (L-R) Holly Freeman (Capt), Ashleigh Dunlop; Michelle Knowles, Kimberleigh Warriner (Vice-Capt), Rain de Jager (Cox)



2<sup>nd</sup> Quad (L-R) Imogen MacKie (2010) (Coach), Caitlin Cox, Stephanie Sanders, Emily Makhlouf, Shelby Bruce, Joanne Etzinger



## Powerlifting

On Saturday the 23rd of February, **Megan Leighton** competed in the SA Powerlifting Champs held at Saints. She succeeded with all nine lifts and set the SA records in her category. The weights were: Squat - 77.5kg; Benchpress - 40kg; Deadlift - 102.5kg. She won **gold** medals for Sub-Junior 57kg Powerlifting and Benchpress, **silver** medals for Junior 57kg Powerlifting and Benchpress and **bronze** medals for Senior 57kg Powerlifting and Benchpress. After lifting 220kg in total, **she qualified for World Champs in Russia this year!**



## Swimming

### Inter High Premier Swimming Gala

The combined results for Interhigh Aquatics (diving and swimming) were: 1st St Andrew's, 2nd St Mary's, **3<sup>rd</sup> St Stithians GC**, 4th Kingsmead, 5th Holy Rosary, 6th Pretoria GHS, 7th Brescia House & 8th Parktown GHS.

**Individual diving results:** Micaela Bouter is the **U19 diving** champion. Our team came 3rd on the day.

### Best results from the swimming:

St Stithian Girls' **U16/Open 4x 50m Senior Backstroke relay** - **came first with a new record time** of 2:15,03 - 2 seconds faster than the time set by St Andrew's in 2009. Congratulations to Sian Noble, Claire Featherstone, Ali Basel & Brittany Reeves.

**Ali Basel** won the U16 50m Butterfly race

**Julie-Anne Wagner** won the U14 50m Backstroke race

**The U16 girls**, Ali Basel, Claire Foster-Archibald, Caila Davids and Claire Featherstone won the 4x50m Freestyle relay.

## Golf

**Christina Botes** has been selected as a member of the Gauteng Ladies Golf Squad. In 2012 she captained the Bryanston golf club junior league team who have been promoted to the A league this season.

## St Stithians Girls' Prep

The St Stithians Girls' Prep Newsletters are available by clicking the link below

<http://www.stithian.com/index.php/all-in-one>

### Tennis

Congratulations to **Jessica Assenmacher** who played in the Gauteng Central School trials this weekend and she has been selected. The SA Schools tournament takes place in Bloemfontein from 20 - 25 March 2012. Best of luck for the tournament ahead! She also did extremely well in another tennis tournament the previous weekend: the Gauteng North Mini, she came 2nd in U14 singles and won the U14 doubles.

### Squash

Well done, to **Kathryn Humphrey and Amy Greig** played in the U13 Bloemfontein Open Squash Tournament at the weekend. Kathryn was placed 2nd in a very close final against the Free State #1 player. Amy was placed 8th overall.

### Karate

Congratulations to **Claudia Dobson** who competed at the Ekurhuleni Karate trials on 23 February 2013. Claudia won a **gold medal for kata and a silver for kumite**. She has also been chosen for the final team that will represent Ekurhuleni Karate at Gauteng trials on the 16 March. She also competed in the Botswana Open Karate Championships in Gaborone on the 9 March. Claudia won a gold medal and trophy for Kumite and a silver medal for Kata.

### Gauteng Hockey

Congratulations to the following girls who have made it through to the **Second Round of Southern Gauteng Hockey Trials**: Cayleigh de Sousa, Kimberley Owen, Kate Hinrichs, Taryn Rauff .  
 Congratulations to two Grade 7s: **Kimberly Owen and Taryn Rauff**, who were chosen to represent Gauteng hockey at the second round of trials on Sunday.

### District Hockey

Congratulations to the following girls who have been selected to represent **the U12 D10 District Team**: Cloé da Souza, Tannah Livingstone, Kiara Fitzhenry, Emma Tarr, Leigh Hudson, Megan Swallow & Becky Wallis.

### Swimming

**Catherine Phillips** swam in the CGA Level O Championships gala on 9 March 2013 and received two 2<sup>nd</sup> places for breaststroke and freestyle and one 3<sup>rd</sup> place in 100m back-stroke.

## St Stithians Boys' Prep

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### Tennis

**Justin Liebenberg, Michael Millard, Joshua Pilling and Michael Swart played in an U13 SA Schools Tennis Tournament** at Ellis Park at the beginning of March. They played two round robins each. The opponents were challenging and strong! All our boys played very well and congratulations to Justin who came second in the tournament.



Congratulations! **Mike Millard is our tennis captain for 2013.**



Congratulations to **Brett and Justin Liebenberg on receiving their tennis scrolls.**

A Karate camp took place at the beginning of March at the Bosco Youth Centre in the South of Johannesburg. Well done to the following medal winners for Kata and Kumite:



Back row	: Massimo Milanese and Matthew Pilling
Middle Row	: Vuyo Malinga, Sicelo Mahlangu and Mbongeni Malinga
Front Row:	Daniel Shumba, Liam Regenass and Nicholas Dobson
Absent	: Mikka Kmineck and Luke Dakers

The following boys also made it onto the team representing Ekurhuleni Karate at the Gauteng Trials:  
**Nicholas Dobson, Mikka Kmineck, Matthew Pilling, Sicelo Mahlangu, Mbongeni Malinga, Vuyo Malinga and Joshua Pilling**

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**8 June 2013**

**St Stithians College  
Founders' Day Service  
09h00**

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**8 June 2013**

**St Stithians College  
60<sup>th</sup> Celebration Gala Dinner  
Venue and Time t.b.c.**



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