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Sport Round-Up

7 September 2019

Weekend Sporting Achievements

This week saw College start some of their summer sports programme. There were waterpolo, cricket and basketball matches on the go, as well as athletics at the Menlo Park Trials at the local stadium. Our 1st XI took part in the St David's Cricket Festival up in Gauteng.



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Cricket

Maritzburg College 1st XI took part in the St David's Festival up in Gauteng over the weekend. Arlier in the week we played Hilton College in a T20 match. We also played 12 matches against Glenwood winning all 12 with some excellent batting and bowling performances across the teams.

1st XI vs Hilton - T20

The Maritzburg College 1st XI took on a strong Hilton side at the varsity oval on Tuesday night which saw the College boys come away with a well-deserved 27 run win. College won the toss and chose to bat first. Chad Fortmann was the pick of the batsmen at the top of the order with some clean hitting getting him to a score of 41. There were some other valuable contributions in the 20's getting the team to a very respectable 132/5 in the allotted 20 overs. The bowlers started brilliantly and gave nothing away. They bowled very tightly and were supported well by the fielders and kept the pressure on the Hilton batsmen. The pick of the bowlers was paceman Mondli Khumalo (2/16 in 4 overs) and Michael King (1/5 in 3 overs).

St David's Festival

Our 1st Cricket team travelled to Johannesburg to participate in the St David's Cricket Festival where they played two matches. The first game was against St Stithians. After losing the toss and being asked to bowl, the bowlers found it tough going on a pitch that was great for batting. Saints ended their 65 overs on 308/4. The College boys came out to bat and a partnership between captain Jacques van der Walt and opener Tristan Elam saw them end the day on 138/2 with Elam on 74 and van der Walt on 44. Day 2 saw the batsmen continue, scoring freely and with great control. After a partnership of 184 Elam fell for a well-played 87. van der Walt down kept scoring with ease and reached his century. He would end his innings on a superb 150, retiring hurt due to a back strain. Other contributors to the innings were Ross Klusener (53 not out) and Chad Fortmann (23 not out). College took a 44 run lead before declaring on 352/4. Saints came out to bat with their only intention to bat for the rest of the day, which they did, getting to 235/3 with Michael King being the pick of the bowlers (2/18). The match ended in a draw.

The 2nd game of the festival saw Maritzburg College take on a strong St Johns team. After winning the toss and inserting the opposition on a sticky wicket, the College bowlers didn't hit their lines and lengths and went unrewarded. The wicket got better and better as the day went on and a combination of average bowling and some brilliant batting, St Johns posted a mammoth 424/6 after their 70 overs. The pick of the College bowlers was seamer Dean Dyer (3/83). College then set out to put in a similar performance with the bat on a good wicket. Opener Andrew Todd was in great touch and got to the end of day 1 on 58 with the score on 117/3. Day 2 started poorly losing 2 wickets early. Todd (58), Ross Klusener (50) and Dyer (49) were the main contributors before being bowled out for 273, 151 runs behind St Johns' 1st innings total. St John's chose to enforce the follow on College threw away wickets at regular intervals and were reeling at 15/4. College went to tea on 100/7, still 51 behind and an hour left of play to survive. Todd (31) who had played with exceptional maturity was very unlucky to get out just after tea. Chad Fortmann and Mondli Khumalo then set out to bat for just under an hour and did a great job until Khumalo was out. This left youngster Andile Simelane with the big job of sticking it out for 15 minutes with senior partner Fortmann until the close



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of play. Everyone was kept on the edge of their seats as Fortmann (27 not out) managed to see out the last over of the day to earn a draw out of the game.

Summary of other scores

Team	Opposition	Results
2nd	Glenwood	won by 73 runs (Ngcobo 128, Saayman 60, Laithewaite 3-26)
4th	Glenwood	won by 4 wickets (Pascoe 4-28)
5th	Glenwood	won by 9 wickets (Ishmael 51*)
15A	Glenwood	won by 44 runs (Van Zyl 114, Bharath 4-15, Van Zyl 4-38)
15C	Glenwood	won by 104 runs (De billot 100, Meisegeier 3-11)
15D	Glenwood	won by 108 runs (Van Vuuren 50, Freemantle 7-7)
14A	Glenwood	won by 77 runs (Pascoe 58, Brokensha, Armstrong 5-32)
14B	Glenwood	won by 8 wickets (Khumalo 3-8, Nkabinde 3-24)
14C	Glenwood	won by 8 wickets (Thomson 3-2)
14D	Glenwood	won by 54 runs
14E	Glenwood	won by 5 wickets
14F	Glenwood	won by 10 wickets



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Basketball

Our basketball teams had a number of fixtures over the weekend. Due to late cancellations, many of the matches were internal ones and were used as trials for many of the coaches. However, there were seven filler games played against St Charles College. Our 1st term played a match against a team made up of players who play for various clubs in and around Maritzburg.

The young schoolboy players found the game rather daunting but in their defence gave 100% throughout the encounter. The experience of having played in the Basketball National League for the Marlins was evident in players like Siyabonga Mahlinza and Langs Mbhele who were able to find the hoop on many of their drives into the circle. The College team kept within range during the second quarter, being 13 – 19 at the end of this period and also outscored the visitors 20 – 15 in the final quarter. The middle period of the game where the College team found it difficult to score many points resulted in them losing 43 – 64 against a very seasoned side. The experience gained however, was invaluable.

The matches against St Charles were closely fought encounters with College winning four of the seven games played. All in all a very enjoyable start to the basketball season.



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Summary of results

Team	Opponent	Score	Result
1st	Club	43-64	Lost
2nd	College 3rds	57-11	Won
3rd	College 2nds	11-57	Lost
4th	St Charles	15-23	Lost
5th	St Charles	25-29	Lost
6th	St Charles	28-12	Won
16A	College 15A	17-28	Lost
16B	St Charles	35-17	Won
16C	St Charles	17-19	Lost
16D	St Charles	34-33	Lost
15A	College 16A	28-17	Won
15B	College 14A	31-13	Lost
15C	College 14B	31-34	Lost
15D	St Charles	32-5	Won
14A	College 15B	31-13	Won
14B	College 15C	34-31	Won
14C	College 14D	18-23	Lost
14D	College 14C	23-18	Won



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Waterpolo

The U14A and B, U15A and 1st, 2nd and 3rd teams played against Glenwood earlier in the week. There were good wins for the U15A and U14A with the U14b drawing their game. The 3rd, 2nd and 1st teams all secured good wins, with College winning 5 of the 6 matches played.

For the 1st team it was a very cold and wet Thursday afternoon, for the trip to Glenwood. College started off slow and were trailing the opposition, having to play catch up polo. The boys worked hard, and their efforts were awarded in way of a penalty, unfortunately not converted as the shot went wide. It was in the third chukka of the game where College managed to take the lead. In the final chukka, both teams were giving there all in attempts to increase their goal counts on the scoreboard. In the closing minutes of the game Glenwood were awarded a penalty, which was saved by College. This gave the team the chance to close out the game and College were victors 10-8.

Summary of Results

Team	Opposition	Score	Result	Coach	Format
15A	Glenwood	7-6	Won	Sutherland	4 x 5 running
14A	Glenwood	7-1	Won	Waters	4 x 6 running
14B	Glenwood	6-6	Drew	Croeser	4 x 6 running

Team	Opposition	Score	Result	Coach	Format
1st	Glenwood	10-8	Won	Sheriff	4 x 8 playing
2nd	Glenwood	6-5	Won	Makhathini	4 x 6 running
3rd	Glenwood	10-3	Won	Booyesen	4 x 6 running



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Athletics

Our boys took part in the KZN and Menlo Park Trials over the weekend. A highlight was Neo Mosebi's win in the U15 100m in a record time of 10.94. Other results were as follows:

J Kayembe	U14 100m	2nd				
N Mosebi	U15 100m	1st	10.94	New Record	U15 200m	1st
Z Moore	U15 800m	3rd				
S Harvey	U16 800m	1st	U16 1500m	1st		
O Higgins	U16 1500m	2nd				
A Mbambo	U16 HJ	1st	U16 LJ	1st	U16 TJ	3rd
L McDaniel	U16 3000m	1st				
N Makanye	U17 100m	1st				
N Ndlovu	U17 100m	2nd	U17 200m	1st		
C van Rooyen	U17 3000m	1st				
	U17					
B Pepworth	1500m	2nd	U17 3000m	2nd		
R Will	U17 SP	1st	U17 JT	2nd		
K Tedder	U17 LJ	3rd				



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Cycling

College won the Spur School Series and posted some excellent results overall as well as in the 4th round held over the weekend. Overall Daniel van der Walt was 1st in the Youth U16 category while Nic Burczak was 1st in the Youth U15 category.

Spur Series #4

Juniors

6th A Sellick
9th M Foster
11th B Symons
12th K Tullis
14th S Westerdyk

Youth U16

3rd D van der Watt
5th C McDaniel
21st K Bullock

Youth U15

1st N Burczak
9th J Slabberts
13th J Anastasis
18th B Frodsham
22nd M Chapman

Sub Junior

2nd E Kock
5th J Stephens
11th R Berriman
13th T Truter
14th N Bulter
15th C Curtis
19th L Findlay
21st A de Bruin
22nd A Nzimande
29th A van Dyk

Overall Spur Series Results

Youth U16

1st D van der Watt
3rd C McDaniel



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Youth U15

1st N Burczak

Sub Junior

3rd J Stephens

4th E Kock

Boys High School

1st Maritzburg College



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Canoeing

College paddlers took part in the Capitol Caters Kayak Centre Inter-schools Dargle Dash at Lions River over the weekend.

Under 18

- D. Evans – 1st
- S. Little – 6th
- J. Cumming 8th
- B. Lawson 10th

Under 16

- B. Tarr – 1st
- K. Rhodes 11th