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HUTCHINS



Mr and Mrs Dean during the Principal's Commissioning Service by the Bishop at St David's Cathedral in July 2007

Firstly, may I extend a hearty "Thank you" from Catherine and myself to all well-wishers for extending to us such a warm welcome to the Hutchins School and to the City of Hobart.

In 2008 the Hutchins School will develop a Strategic Plan for consideration by the Board of Management and from that a Master Plan for building facilities to take us into the next 10 years and then 20 years hence.

Such a strategic plan will be ambitious but will always be based on the School's vision, mission and core values. The traditions and history that have been the basis of the Hutchins School's significant reputation and good name will remain the corner stone of our planning.

The demands of a rapidly changing world will require and expect graduates from the Hutchins School to embrace the concepts and realities of globalism, climate change, radically different work practices in different work places, altered expectations of the capacity in individuals to form relationships, to be outstanding communicators and above all able to be complex problem solvers.

This will require us to be prepared to inculcate in students not only the necessary knowledge from discipline-based subjects, but also to acquire the skills and attributes related to active citizenship, interdisciplinary thinking and meta-cognition, personal learning, interpersonal development and health and physical development, high order communication skills and the creative and intelligent use of information, communication and technology.

Throughout 2008 staff will undertake a sequence of training and professional development days in curriculum design and writing and participate in training related to teaching and learning best practice. This will develop further the potential for the School to deliver such teaching and learning outcomes.

The expected outcome is that in 2009 the Hutchins School will have a seamless curriculum framework and learning outcome statements for all year levels and levels of learning.

Accompanying this framework will be an assessment and reporting framework that will enable boys, staff and parents to identify the scope and sequence of a boy's personal development in knowledge, skills and personal attributes at each year level throughout his life at the School.

To facilitate these initiatives it will be necessary to provide appropriate teaching and learning environments. In some instances this will require planning for refurbishment of existing School facilities, in other instances more imaginative and significant building projects will be proposed.

As well as developing enhanced capacity of the Hutchins School to deliver a robust and imaginative teaching and learning curriculum, the capacity of the School to respond to the challenges of education in the 21st Century will be met by our great advantage – we are one school from Kindergarten to Year 12 with three mini schools on one site, each aimed at specialising in delivery of excellence in education to boys.

Warwick Dean
Principal

JOHN GOODWIN - CHAPLAIN

Thus is the World Magenta and Black

I showed my Year 9 Religious Studies class *The Mission* – an award-winning film starring Jeremy Irons and Robert de Niro. It's about the Jesuit missions in South America, and how they protected the native Guarani people from being enslaved by Spanish and Portuguese slave-traders in the 1700's.

A political power play in Europe sends shockwaves that reaches these far corners of modern-day Brazil, and a Cardinal comes from the Pope to close the Jesuit missions and to break the news to the faithful, who are bitterly disappointed. The priests refuse to leave the mission and one (Jeremy Irons) leads his people in worship as troops arrive and attack, while the other priest (Robert de Niro) rallies the natives to fight. There is great slaughter, and the Spanish and Portuguese win hands down.

In a scene at the end, the Cardinal is having drinks with representatives of the two European powers and asks whether the slaughter of his priests and their people was necessary. He is told, "Thus is the world". To which he replies, "No, señor. Thus have we made it" and he ends with a barely audible whisper, "Thus have I made it".

He realises the part he has played in the cruelty of the world, and he dares to whisper the truth of that.

He sees the excuse "Thus is the world" as a sham; a lie; a cop-out. He knows that the world doesn't have to be like that, and that if good people act in Godly ways it wouldn't be like that.

"Thus is the world" is used by those who despair of it ever being different; it is also used by those in power to justify their deeds. Neither position witnesses to life and hope.

So I say "Bravo!" to people who do not wave the white flag of surrender in the face of difficulty and despair.

"Bravo!" to Teresa Hinton and others in Anglicare's Social Action

and Research Centre. They released a report recently called *Forgotten Families – Raising Children with Disabilities in Tasmania*. I went to the launch of the report, and had my eyes opened.

The study looked at families with disabled children aged up to 16, and found that in Tasmania there are 8,300 children with disabilities living with their families, and of these 5000 belong to low-income families. The extra financial burden placed on already struggling families is crippling. Some parents have had to give up their jobs to care for their children and while there is some support, it is insufficient.

"I am very grateful for my \$90 a fortnight but personally I don't think \$90 a fortnight is a great deal. They are getting away with it quite easy. If we had to put the children into care it could cost ten times that. We can accept that they are our children and we take responsibility for them and it's great that people will support us with wheelchairs and stuff. We accept we have to buy nappies and certain foods, and drive extra time for appointments, but what really bugs us is that with everything going up at what point, what do we do, do we share one nappy between the three of them?" (Sheila and Tony)¹

There are other costs, too - healthy brothers and sisters face the stress of the daily grind which impacts so much on their parents. Time away from home is rare.

"It's a very lonely life. You don't tend to make many friends. If you

do have friends that come round they spend their time looking at him. So you tend to become very isolated... The only people you have anything really to do with are people associated with his care, medical professionals or other parents with disabled children. That's about it and most of those parents don't do a lot of socializing because they are all very busy and no one has energy." (Dawn and Gary caring for Tony aged 8 with multiple disabilities)¹

Against those who say, "Thus is the world", we need to stand up and say, "No - it mustn't be like that".

The students at Hutchins are told often that they can make a positive difference in the lives of others, and that therefore they should. We need to keep telling them that even if their contribution is like a drop in the ocean, if they do nothing that drop will never be there.

Fr John Goodwin
Chaplain

¹*Forgotten Families – Raising Children with Disabilities in Tasmania.*
Teresa Hinton, Anglicare 2007



ANNIVERSARY WEEK 2007

We started the week with the traditional Old Boy v Student debate. The topic was *That Old Age is the New Age* and the Old Boy team of **Tony Park** (1974), **Natasha Cica** (1985) and **Damon Thomas** (1967) (who took the negative side) won convincingly.



Dr Natasha Cica in debating mode

Middle and Senior Schools both held celebration lunches during the week.



Mr Dean cutting the Anniversary Cake organised by the SRC at the Senior School Anniversary Lunch

This year marked the 161st birthday of the Hutchins School, and we celebrated it in style.



Senior Prefect Alastair Roberts-Thomson and Chaplain Fr John Goodwin at the Anniversary Service



Staff member Mrs Jane Heazlewood leads the boys in singing "Happy Birthday"

We held a special Cathedral Service to mark the week, with the sermon being delivered by a great friend of the School, Bishop Phillip Newell AM.



Bishop Newell delivering the sermon at the Anniversary Service



Mr Steve Smith (1976) addresses the Anniversary Assembly

The Hutchins Foundation hosted a Chapel Service and Lunch for its members and supporters.



Old Boys' President Josh Munnings cuts the cake with the youngest (Cale Hine) and oldest (Manoli Marios) boys in Junior School.



Dr Julie Rimes and Mrs Di Troon who were guests at the Foundation Anniversary Week Luncheon

We had Assemblies on Anniversary Day itself, including the traditional Anniversary Cake at Junior School, again baked by Mrs Pru Tallboys. The Senior School Assembly featured an address by Old Boy and 2006 Iviad Tower Winner Steve Smith and the presentation of Anniversary Ties.



Anniversary Tie recipients 2007

TOP TCE RESULTS AGAIN IN 2007

Hutchins students achieved excellent results in the 2007 Tasmanian Certificate of Education.

Harjeevan Narulla was the equal top ranked student in Tasmania, with a Tertiary Entrance Rank (TER) score of 99.95, while Matthew Besley, Luke Chik, Skanda Kumble, James Peters, David Ransley, Nicholas Tan, Sam Thompson, and Alexander Tucker all ranked in the top 100 students in the State.

This is the second consecutive year that a Hutchins student has achieved the top

score, and follows on from last year when ten students ranked in the top 100, despite the 2007 year group being significantly smaller.

The result is an outstanding one, especially given that we are an open entry school.



Harjeevan Narulla

DIAL A MOVIE

A group of students from Hutchins joined with a team from Rosetta High School earlier this year in an innovative project to create short videos about “Our Hobart”. Boys from each School were divided into pairs, and sent out to film and edit their views of our city on mobile phones. The project was carried out by Dr Natasha Cica, and has not only illustrated the use of modern tools but has also created some interesting insights into our City.



Hutchins student Bodane Hatten (right) with his Rosetta High counterpart in the “Our Hobart” project.

DEMOCRACY AT WORK

During second term the Senior School became very involved in “Democracy Week”, and conducted a mock referendum. The topic of the referendum was whether or not there should be a cable car up Mount Wellington.

As part of the process, speakers were invited from both sides of the argument, and the final ballot was conducted under the supervision of the Australian Electoral Commission.

The result was a significant vote in support of the cable car concept, and the boys gained a greater appreciation of the democratic process.



ELC NATIVITY

The boys were kept busy and the parents were entertained with this year's Nativity play, which was partly written by the boys themselves and which was very appropriately performed in the Chapel.



HUTCHINS SPORT SHOOTING TEAM

The Hutchins Sport Shooting Team was recently donated a wonderful perpetual Trophy for our Highest Scorer in competitions for the year. George Burbury (Year 9) has won it this year and will be presented with the trophy early in 2008.

The Roberts Family have kindly donated the trophy on behalf of their son Christiaan (2007 leaver) who was instrumental in working with Mr K Moore (Staff) to get the Sport Shooting Club up and going. The trophy is called the 'Christiaan Roberts Perpetual Sport Shooting Award'



Pictured is Christiaan presenting the Trophy to Mr Wayne Brown (Director of Sport)

MOVEMBER

During November the boys and staff in Junior School really got behind the Movember project – a number of the staff were sponsored by the boys to grow moustaches, and around \$700 was raised to support men's health issues, in particular Prostate Cancer research and Beyond Blue.

A selection of Junior School Moustaches



KEN DOWNIE

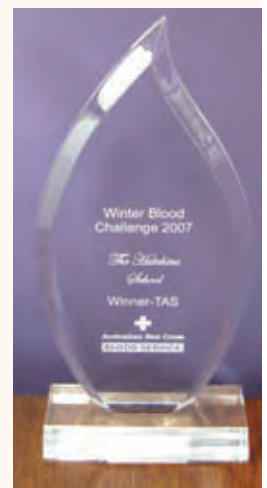


The Hutchins community was saddened to learn of the passing of Mr Ken Downie in October. Ken was a former Chairman of the Board of Management and was also actively involved in the Hutchins Foundation and its Bequest Committee. In addition, Ken was also very actively involved in the general life of the School, attending Grandparents' Days and other events such as the Webber Lecture on a regular basis.

Ken Downie pictured with Hutchins Business Manager Jenny Self at a School function earlier this year

RED CROSS CHALLENGE

Boys from Hutchins have been making regular blood donations during 2007, and it was great to learn that the School managed to win the Red Cross Challenge for the most donations. Well done to Fr John and his team for a great effort.



MIDDLE SCHOOL PROJECTS

A key part of the Year 8 curriculum in recent years has been the individual project, where each boy is expected to take on a major project and work with a mentor to complete it.

It is fantastic to see the range of projects the boys have undertaken. This year they included designing a new football jumper, planning a new golf course (complete with diorama), restoring a rowing scull, repairing an old motorbike, designing a hockey stadium (with working model), building various models of yachts and cars, building an entire wooden dinghy, researching a family holiday, producing a full scale cookery book (complete with recipes, photos and sample menus), building a garden bench, and developing a mini wind turbine generator.

The projects allow the boys to explore something which really interests them, but at the same time they learn valuable lessons in research skills, working with a mentor and time management (there is a deadline!).

One of the projects undertaken this year was the design and production of a large Perspex sign bearing the emblem and name of the School. We were pleased when its creator, Emmanuel Marios, decided to donate his final product to the School.

Emmanuel Marios explaining to Mr Dean how he created his project.



James Francis-Smith chose to study ancient mosaics, and produced this baby lion mosaic.



Henry Goodfellow built a large model yacht



Medieval Armour produced by Alex Kenworthy-Neale



Wilson Mure spent over 200 hours building this boat called Red Dog

ART & TECHNOLOGY

The creative side comes out strongly in the works produced from both the Art and Technology departments of the School, as the following selection of works shows.



David Houbaer



Lucas Saunders



Harrison Hughes



Jeremy Yung



Sean Bradley



Josh Downie

Winner of the
Prefects of 1989
Art Award



Harry Friend



Claude Alcorso



Mitchell Dwyer

JUNIOR SCHOOL GRANDPARENTS' DAY

The Junior School Grandparents' Day was held in August and was exceptionally well attended. The guests were entertained by a concert featuring every grade from Years Three to Six, including a presentation of the Wakakirri Dance Festival piece by the boys. After the concert the Grandparents visited the boys in their classrooms.



Max Sheppard (Year 3) with his grandparents Jan and Rod Barren.



Mrs Helen Terry, Mrs Helen Dickinson and Mr Robin Terry enjoying morning tea at the Junior School Grandparents' Day. As well as being a Grandparent Mr Terry is also an Old Boy of the School.



Part of the Wakakirri performance by Year Five.

CAT IN THE HAT

The ELC took part in a nationwide book reading in August. The book chosen was *The Cat in the Hat*, and it was great to see the Principal, Mr Dean (who read the book to the boys) and other staff really getting into the spirit of things.



Photos of Principal Mr Dean and Stephens Librarian, Mrs Margaret Headlam, wearing funny hats while reading to the boys in ELC.

“..many fears are born of fatigue and loneliness..
do not go alone - go together..”

At the end of 2007 I asked students to spend time reflecting on their experiences. I asked them to remember a tough time, a challenge, and to think of the people that helped them overcome this challenge.

This year was the first of the new Year Nine ‘challenge’ program. Students were given up to twelve options from which to choose their challenge. Many students undertook a journey and worked together to “shorten the road” in wide ranging conditions - snow, sleet and cold water, high winds and hot sun. Other students undertook the challenge of leadership, spending time on Junior School camps, setting a good example and mentoring. Groups of students were able to achieve success as they cycled from school to the bottom of Bruny Island,

walked along the Overland Track, mountain-biked on Maria Island, paddled to the mouth of the Huon River, and overcame fear as they climbed and abseiled the cliffs of Freycinet.

Each challenge was different; they went to different places, experienced different weather and undertook different activities. Despite this, their journey was the same. With others to walk beside, students were able to overcome the physical challenge, help each other through the tough times and gain an experience which will help them take on the next challenge, in whatever area of life.

This concept of taking up a “challenge”, participating as a member of a group and attempting to achieve the same objective lies at the very core of outdoor education.

On the journey we work together to improve our confidence, tolerance, leadership, persistence and resilience.

Students often ask “Why do we need to walk up this mountain?”

After some discussion, we reach a point where I say “once you make it to the top of this one, you will realise that this wasn’t the hardest thing you’ve had to do and you’ll be able to climb a bigger one next time. You will also know that the friends you’re walking beside will be able to help you get to the top of that mountain as well”.

It is risky not to take on the challenge. If you don’t take the challenge, the challenge might take you.

Todd Blackhall
Director of Outdoor Education



OLD BOY LIFE MEMBERS

Two Honorary Life Membership Awards were presented to Old Boys recently.

The first was to **Darby Munro** (1957). Darby is a former Honorary Secretary of the Old Boys' Association, and he has also been involved in football and cricket coaching and administration. Darby received his Life Membership at the Fifty Year Reunion Dinner in November.

Robert Dick (1953) became only the third Old Boy to receive a Bar to his Life Membership (the others were "Minty" Johnson and Ray Vincent). Robert has just finished his fiftieth year of service on the HSOBA Committee. He was originally made an Honorary Life Member of the HSOBA in 1980, and has continued as an active and involved member of the Committee. Robert's award was, fittingly, presented at this year's Ray Vincent Lunch.

Darby Munro receiving his Life Membership



HSOBA President Tony Park presents Robert Dick with his Life Membership Bar.

FAREWELL DR JIM

The end of Term Three saw the departure of one of Hutchins' modern institutions, Dr Jim Ludwig, after thirty years of teaching at the School. Jim clearly has enjoyed his time here, as he's barely aged in the last thirty years, as the photographs attest.



Dr Jim Ludwig at his last Speech Night, with former staff member Mrs Rossie Roberts-Thomson

SPEECH NIGHTS 2007

JUNIOR SCHOOL PRIZE LIST 2007

Accepting on behalf of School House the shield for Cock House of the Junior School
Ryan Neal

Certificates for commitment and participation

CLASS 3B Michael Gentile
Benjamin Goodwin
Andonis Pavlides
Thomas Skalicky
James Taranto

CLASS 3P Rainjan Blakers
Josh Brown
William Burgess
Louis Duckett
Jong Heon Jeon

CLASS 4E Benjamin Johnston
Liam Johnston
Hector Morgan
James Sonneveld
Connor Spaulding

CLASS 4J Asher England
Andrew Hudson
Lachlan Paul
Ayrton Rose
Thomas Sonneveld

CLASS 5Mi Jonathon Kearney
Marco Lubiana
Jock Mure
Darian Turner

CLASS 5Mc James Burgess
Henry Garrett
Nicholas Graver
Benjamin Robinson

CLASS 6D Richard Davidson-Lim
Oliver De Vriese
Rajat Rao

CLASS 6L Michael Fraraccio
Brendan Hay
Oliver Prero-Wilson

CLASS 6P Timothy Adams
Callum Norris

Certificates of academic merit

CLASS 5Mi Henry Johnston
James Thompson

CLASS 5Mc Andrew MacKay
Phillip McKay

CLASS 6D Thomas Jones

CLASS 6L Joel Wheeler

CLASS 6P William Cui
Angus Davie

The Hutchins Prize for character, commitment and involvement in the life of the Junior School

Sam Ashton-Jones
Edward Burrows-Cheng
Samuel Goodwin
William Sander
Andreas Souvleris
George White

The Parents' Association Prize for the boy who demonstrates compassion, humility and quiet achievement in the life of the School

Samuel Padgett

The Robert Swan Memorial Prize for character and leadership
Cameron Brumby

The Prize for the Dux of Junior School
Roshan Karri

MIDDLE SCHOOL PRIZE LIST 2007

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 7

Prasanna Boddupalli
Arjun Dubey
William Hughes
James MacLeod
Nicholas McVilly

Certificates for academic merit in Year 7

Tom Beadle
Darryl Ding
Peter Graver
Thomas Johnston
Michael Manthey

The SRC Prize for academic excellence in Year 7
Matt Young

The Middle School Prize for academic excellence in Year 7
Samuel Crofts

The prize for Dux of Year 7
Samuel Johnston

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 8

Matthew Allanby
Yuxiang (Allen) Chen
Zachariah Lieutier
George Vafakos
James Wheller

Certificates for academic merit in Year 8

Nanak Narulla
William Polglase
Anton Roberts
Callum Sinclair-Gibson
Henry West

The Parents' Association Prize for the boy in Middle School who shows compassion and quiet achievement
Justin Hennessy

The "Rusty" Butler Memorial Prize for service to the Middle School and sharing the Tony W R P Salisbury Prize for development through Drama
Nicholas Forbes-Smith

The R E Richardson Memorial Trophy for the best sportsman of the Middle School
Rory Middleton

The RM and RA Swan Memorial Prize for the boy who demonstrates determination, courage and enthusiasm
Bradley Tilbury

The SRC Prize for academic excellence in Year 8
Thomas Dobie

The Middle School Prize for academic excellence in Year 8
David Lord

The Ramsay Prize for the Dux of Middle School
Charles Haward

The Hutchins Middle School Shield for Cock House academic achievement
Thorold House

SENIOR SCHOOL PRIZE LIST 2007

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 9

George Burbury
Jamie Clark
Alexander Elford
Michael Healy
James Roberts-Thomson
Ehsan Soltani

Certificates for academic merit in Year 9

Jacob Davey
Sarawood (Gab) Dejanipont
Edward Langdon
Tomos Lelong
Christopher Ryba

Sharing the Tony W R P Salisbury Prize for development through Drama
Shervin Aflatooni

The prize for Dux of Year 9
Lawrence Owen

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 10

Hamish Coupe
Rohan Langford
Jordan McCreary
Raajaan Ram
Luke Tucker

Certificates for academic merit in Year 10

Samuel Allender
Samuel Hookway

A certificate for academic merit and the Parents' Association Prize for a boy in Years 9 to 12 who shows character, humility and quiet achievement
William Colvin

A certificate for academic commitment and the Centre for Excellence Prize for outstanding work
William Heath

A certificate for academic merit and sharing the Geoffrey T Stilwell History Prize
James Lord

The FM Young Memorial Prize for Geography (Year 10)
Shaun Thomas

A certificate for academic merit, the Buckland Memorial Prize for European Languages in Year 10 and sharing the Geoffrey T Stilwell History Prize
Angus Ware

The prize for Dux of Year 10
Matthew Kang

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 11

Jacob Crane
James Johnston
Thibaud Pavlovic-Hobba
Andreas von Plotho

Certificates for academic merit in Year 11

Tedman Chau
Lewis Franks

The Bruce Lachlan Brammall Memorial Prize for English Communications and the John Cameron Prize for academic interest at Year 11
Samuel Chan

Sharing the Jim Wilkinson Prize for Sport Science
Reid Daniels

The Prefects of 1989 Art Award
Joshua Downie

Sharing the prize for Art Production
Harry Friend

A certificate for academic commitment and the Buckland Memorial Prize for European Languages
Timothy Green

The Old Boys' Lodge Prize in memory of Wynne Hay for Craftsmanship in Design in Wood
Kyle Joyce

A certificate for academic commitment and the prize for Excellence in Vocational Education and Training
William Lelong

The Gedye Prize for Asian Languages
Ian Meyer

The prize for Information Systems
Patrick Moore

A certificate for academic merit and the Watchorn Memorial Prize for English Studies
Alistair Park

A certificate for academic merit and the N M D Jack Memorial Prize for application, achievement and conduct in Year 11
Alexander Quinn

The O H Biggs Memorial Prize for Mathematics Methods 5, sharing the prize for Art Production, the prize for Physical Sciences and the prize for Dux of Year 11
Timothy Graver

Certificates for academic commitment in Year 12
James Peters
Luke Ranson
Jian Xiong (Stuart) Zhao

Certificates for academic merit in Year 12
Matthew Besley
Skanda Kumble

Graduating with High Distinction
Joshua Archer

Graduating with High Distinction and the D A Wilson Prize for Computer Graphics and Design
Angus Ashton

Sharing the prize for Craft
Alec Balcombe

The Old Boys' Lodge Prize in Memory of Wynne Hay for Craftsmanship in Design in Metal
Thomas Calvert

A certificate for academic commitment, Graduating with High Distinction and a Special Hutchins Prize for Service Learning
Alistair Chong

Graduating with High Distinction and a Special Hutchins Prize for service to Burbury House
Christopher Downie

The prize for Audio Design
James Excell

Graduating with High Distinction and the Class of 1994 Prize for English Writing
Adam Godleman

Graduating with High Distinction
Patrick Green

Sharing the prize for Music
William Hewer

The prize for Computer Science
Daniel Hocking

Sharing the prize for Craft
David Houbaer

A certificate for academic merit and the prize for Religion and Philosophy
James Hunn

Graduating with High Distinction and sharing the C I Wood Memorial Prize for Biology
W Ranjith Jayasinghe Rendon

Graduating with High Distinction
Benjamin Jones

Graduating with High Distinction, the "Minty" Johnson Memorial Prize for Business and Finance and the Sinclair Trust Prize for Entrepreneurship
Cameron McDougall

Graduating with High Distinction
Edward Morris

A certificate for academic merit, Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for Psychology, the Rev Dr Geoffrey Stephens Memorial Prize for the Best Graduation Essay in Religious Philosophy, the Edward Webster Senior Orator Prize and sharing the prize for Health Studies
Harjeevan Narulla

A certificate for academic merit, Graduating with High Distinction and a Special Hutchins Prize for service to ICT
David Ransley

Graduating with High Distinction
Christiaan Roberts

Graduating with High Distinction
Michael Sorrell-Saunders

The Prize for Housing and Design
Timothy Stoklosa

Graduating with High Distinction
Timothy Studley

The Joe Cowburn Memorial Prize for Outstanding Literary Achievement
Chung Yeu (Cyton) Tong

The A L Butler Memorial Prize for History and the Parents' Association Prize for a boy in Years 9 to 12 who shows character, humility and quiet achievement
Alexander Willows

The Harry D Hewer Memorial Prize for Accounting
Che Chun (Daniel) Wong

Graduating with High Distinction
Adam Wylde-Browne

The George Rowntree Memorial Prize for Design Graphics
Not awarded

The prize for Drama
Not awarded

The Roberts Ltd Prize for Science of Natural Resources
Not awarded

The prize for Performance
Not awarded

The prize for Best All Round Arts Student of the School
Not awarded

AWARDS OF SPECIAL DISTINCTION

Sharing the prize for Health Studies and the P K Rogers Prize for best all-round sportsman in the School
Thomas Allwright

A certificate for academic commitment, Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for Mathematics Applied and the John Player Memorial Prize for character, courage, leadership, determination and example
Jack Beardsley

A certificate for academic commitment, Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for Environmental Science and the Alan Field Payne Prize for loyalty and leadership
Hugh Burbury

A certificate for academic merit, Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for ESL and the Hutchins Old Boys' Lodge Prize for service to the School
Wun Ching (Luke) Chik

A certificate for academic merit, Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for Sociology, the McDougall Prize for Legal Studies, the H D Erwin Prize for Senior Debater, the Harrison Prize for Economics and the Economic Society of Australia – Tasmanian Branch Book Prize and the Stuart Galbraith Memorial Prize for a boy who at Year 11 or 12 shows endeavour and achievement in the life of the School
Samuel Thompson

Graduating with High Distinction, sharing the Jim Wilkinson Prize for Sport Science and the Hutchins Old Boys' Association Prize for a boy who at Year 12 is held in high respect by his peers and teachers for the quality and extent of his efforts and involvement in the total life of the School
Daniel Causon

Graduating with High Distinction, the prize for Australia in Asia and the Pacific and the Sam Beattie Prize for effort and achievement
Nicholas Howard

A certificate for academic commitment, Graduating with High Distinction, the F M Young Memorial Prize for Geography, the Arthur Walch Memorial Prize for true sportsmanship, leadership, character and example and the Bishop's Presentation to the Senior Prefect of the School
Alastair Roberts-Thomson

Graduating with High Distinction, sharing the C I Wood Memorial Prize for Biology, sharing the prize for Music, the Henry Martin Memorial Prize for Chemistry, the Henry Martin Memorial Prize for Physics, the O H Biggs Memorial Prize for Mathematics Specialised and the E M Lilley Memorial Prize for Dux of the School
Alexander Tucker

GRADUATING WITH HIGH DISTINCTION

Joshua Archer
Angus Ashton
Jack Beardsley
Hugh Burbury
Daniel Causon
Wun Ching (Luke) Chik
Alistair Chong
Christopher Downie
Adam Godleman
Patrick Green
Nicholas Howard
W Ranjith Jayasinghe Rendon
Benjamin Jones
Cameron McDougall
Edward Morris
Harjeevan Narulla
David Ransley
Christiaan Roberts
Alastair Roberts-Thomson
Michael Sorrell-Saunders
Timothy Studley
Samuel Thompson
Alexander Tucker
Adam Wylde-Browne

GRADUATING WITH DISTINCTION

Matthew Besley
Thomas Slatyer

STEPHEN GUMLEY SHIELD FOR COCK HOUSE ACADEMIC EFFORT
Thorold House

THE SCHOLARS' ROLL 2007

The D H Harvey Scholarship
Andrew MacKay
The Hutchins Junior School

The P H Rockett Scholarship
Nicholas Graver
The Hutchins Junior School

The Justice Clark Boarding Scholarship
William Fisher
Oatlands District High School

The Robt Nettlefold Scholarship
Timothy McQueen
Waimea Heights Primary School

The Nicholas Brown Scholarship
Thomas Jones
The Hutchins Junior School

The Hutchins School Scholarship
Nikolas Berechree
Lansdowne Crescent Primary School

The C H E Knight Scholarship
Matthew Kang
The Hutchins School

The Crace Calvert Scholarship
Milos Nikolic
Taroona High School

A School of Performing Arts Scholarship
Matthew de Hoog
New Town High School

A School of Performing Arts Scholarship
Tarshi Hull
The Cottage School

A School of Performing Arts Scholarship
Nikolai Sakov
The Friends' School

A School of Performing Arts Scholarship
Robert Mallett
The Hutchins School

A School of Performing Arts Scholarship
Connor Sweeney
The Hutchins School

SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS
Boys selected for entry in 2008
William Colvin
Gautier Pavlovic-Hobba
Richard Davidson-Lim
Dylan Rowbottom

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DONATIONS BEING PUT TO WORK

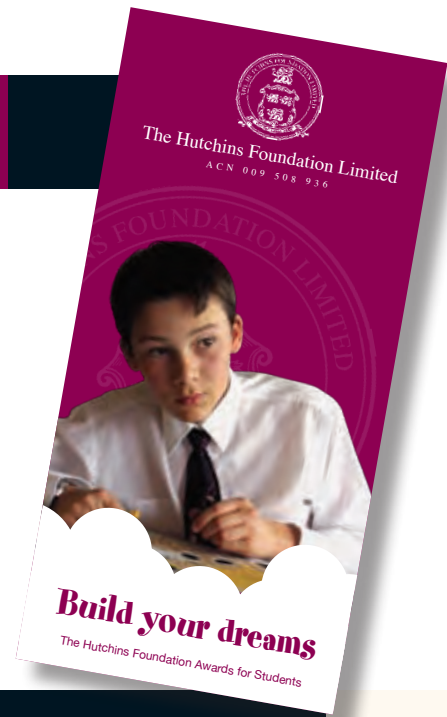
The key focus for this year's Annual Appeal was the new Scholarship and Bursaries Fund.

We were delighted with the response, and the Fund is already being put to good use, with two Bursaries being issued for new students to Hutchins in 2008.

NEW FOUNDATION AWARDS

2008 will see the introduction of a new Awards program called The Hutchins Foundation Awards.

The Hutchins Foundation will sponsor four Awards of up to \$1,000 each which will be awarded to students in Years 9-12 to enable them to pursue their dreams and challenges. The Awards will be formally launched in Term One, with two awards being issued in the first semester and two in the second. There are no real restrictions on what they might be used for – it could be an academic, sporting or cultural activity, or the pursuit of a hobby. Contact the Principal's Personal Assistant, Mrs Carol Marshall on 6221 4223.



1846 SOCIETY - BEQUESTS PROGRAM

2007 saw the launch of the *1846 Society*, which is intended as a way of thanking those people who have decided to leave a Bequest to Hutchins in their Wills.

Bequests and Memorial Gifts are important components in the School's long term financing. Many of the buildings and scholarships in place today exist as a direct result of the generosity and foresight of past students and parents.

Not only do these gifts help to ensure the future of the School, they also provide a wonderful and lasting memorial.

Bequests do not have to be large. Recent years have seen a range of between \$500 and \$100,000 left to the School in Wills, with another Bequest of 5% of the value of the estate currently being finalised.

The last Bequest is an interesting example of how a valuable provision can be made for the School, while still leaving the bulk of an estate intact for other beneficiaries. These days even a small percentage of a modest estate can turn out to be a valuable donation, and it creates a positive way in which loved ones can remember you.

Memorial Gifts are also a good way of ensuring the memory of a loved one lives on, by providing future generations with opportunities for education. This year has seen a range of gifts, including the establishment of a Scholarship and donation of funds to the Library. In many cases these gifts will also be tax-deductible.

If you would like more information or would like to have a confidential discussion, please contact the Director of Alumni and Community Development, Mr Tony Smithies, on (03) 6221 4206.

BEQUESTS AND MEMORIAL GIFTS RECEIVED

Gifts through Bequests or gifts in Memory of Old Boys or former staff have been received as follows:

From the Estate of Mrs Olga Braham
From the Estate of Mrs Helen Clennet
In Memory of Arthur Park
In Memory of Nick Smithies
In Memory of Mr W R "Sped" Johnson

We have received a gift in memory of Mr "Sped" Johnson, who was a Woodwork and Metalwork teacher at Hutchins during the 1930's and 1940's. If any readers have memories or stories relating to his time at Hutchins, we'd be pleased to hear from them.

INTO THE ARCHIVES

The **Hutchins Archives and Heritage Collection** is bursting out of its skin! We've had to enclose it in colourful new skin (Hutchins colours, of course) to prevent sunburn. Preparations for digitising the collection in order to make it available to the Hutchins family, as well as to a wider internet audience, are proceeding. The time-consuming process of cataloguing and registration, photography and scanning, numbering and storage – not to mention displaying and exhibiting - will result in increased access to, and enjoyment of, the history and tradition so integral to the Hutchins ethos.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED!!!

If you can help in any way - from cleaning trophies to sorting photos, to scanning magazines and documents, or sewing uniform covers - please call in and fill out a registration form to become an Archives Volunteer. We'd love to see you in here, even if you're not sure what - if anything - you want to do.

POCKET WATCH



Photo: Felix Wilson

With initials TCB engraved on the back this belonged to Thomas Colin Brammall, former prize-winning pupil (1892-96) and long-serving Classics Master from 1912. Ill-health forced him to relinquish active duties in 1927, but he continued to tutor boys at home, as Master Emeritus, until his death in 1945. The Brammall Staff Room in the Senior School is named in his honour.

Donated by his son, Henric Wingfield Brammall, in 1987.

RECENT ACQUISITIONS

c.1924 Prospectus, Speech Night Programmes 1935 and 1937, School Magazines 1932-43 belonging to K W Ikin – donated by nephew Peter Limb, June 2007.

Framed print of old Hutchins at Macquarie Street by J C Goodhart, 1927 – donated by Edward G Butler, July 2007.

School blazer, Prefect's cap and boater, formerly belonging to James Roy Clennett (1934-38) – donated by Mrs Jean Clennett, August 2007.

Letter dated 22 February 1922, from solicitor A Lawrence Green to W F D Butler, regarding suggested management plan for Christ College, Hutchins and Launceston Grammar – donated by Edward G Butler, 3 October 2007.

School Experience folder of teaching practice notes and School documents, 1986 – donated by Susie Allan, 15 October 2007.

Books, *Sand in My Sandals* (2) – donated By Jeffery Boyes, 18 October 2007.

Copy of Speech Night Programme, 1945 – donated by Graeme Morris, 2007.

Project Folder and CD, *The History of Cricket at Hutchins* – donated by Zachary Lieutier (Year Eight), December 2007.

Photo of Remove B1 (Grade 6) Class 1953 – donated by Peter Anderson, June 2007.

We are extremely grateful to the above donors for their additions to the Collection.

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BENEATH THE IVIED TOWER

OBITUARIES

We record with sadness the passing of the following Old Boys:

Eaton (Stan) Clark	Leaver	1932	Owen Lade	1938
Robert Hutchison		1933	Trevor Wise	1940
Arthur Watchorn		1934	James Terry	1944
Gerald Roberts		1935	Brian Butler	1953
Douglas McKean		1936	Robert Purden	1954
Henry Baldwin		1937	Bruce Calvert	1982
William Ramsay		1937		

Correction: In the last issue we listed 1985 leaver John Burnett as having passed away. John has since been in touch to let us know he is very much alive and well. We apologise to John, his family and friends for the error.

CHAUNCY VALE CELEBRATIONS

One of the first events hosted by the new Principal, Mr Warwick Dean, was a morning tea to celebrate Fifty Years since the opening of the Outdoor Education facility at Chauncy Vale in 1947. Old Boys who had been involved with the original construction were invited and we were delighted that ten of them were able to attend. All who attended were presented with a 1947 penny to mark the occasion, and a photographic montage was unveiled.



Pictured at the Chauncy Vale morning tea are John Stopp, Deputy Principal Barrie Irons, Des King and Brian Aherne.

50 YEAR REUNION



A well-attended 50 Year Reunion was held in November at the Royal Hobart Yacht Club.

A highlight of the evening was Chris Chen's revelation of previously 'secret' minutes of an alleged staff meeting held in 1957 to discuss the future of that year's leavers.

Chris Chen delivering his stunning revelations

Even in retirement it seems that some people keep bumping into Hutchins folk, as the following letter received in August from **David Brammall** illustrates:

Even on the road through the Outback it is hard to get away from Hobart and Hutchins connections.

*We left Hobart at much the same time as **Ian Miller** (1956) and his wife **Trish** and **Geoff Medhurst** (1958) and his wife **Jenny** who are caravanning up the East Coast, although **Ian** is going over to Darwin to visit daughter and grandchildren.*

We travelled up through Mildura, Broken Hill, Longreach, Cloncurry, Mt Isa, Normanton, Karumba, Yungaburra, Cooktown and are now in Port Douglas.

*At Karumba we ran across **John Parsons** (1964). At Yungaburra we called into the Chucks who own and run Eden House. **Jason** (1999) cooks and helps manage it. It is a brilliant establishment – very classy and right in the middle of beautiful Yungaburra. **Jason's** brother **Ben** (2001) is serving in Afghanistan.*

*Whilst talking with Susan and **Jason Peter Holmes** (1980) checked in. He was holidaying with his partner and they were travelling down to Townsville to stay with **David McHenry** (1986).*

*In Cooktown we ran across the parents of **Ben Wild** (1999). **Ben** is a journalist with the Advocate in Burnie. He married a German girl last January. Also in Cooktown we chatted with **Rex Gardner** and his wife **Prue** who are running the Post Office there. All their boys went to Hutchins – **Sam** (1997), **Simon** (1999), **Matthew** (2001) and **David** (2006). We missed **Sam** by a day as he had just flown back to Hobart to attend the Anniversary Reunion.*

*We are meeting up with my brother **Jim** – also an Old Boy until the age of 13 when our parents moved to Brisbane.*

David Brammall.

RAY VINCENT LUNCH

The Annual Ray Vincent Lunch is one of the major events of the Calendar, and this year was no exception, with fifty Old Boys joining twenty 2007 leavers at the Lunch in the new Bill Toppin Room.



Fathers and sons enjoying the Ray Vincent Lunch. From left to right **Chris** (2007) and **Richard Downie** (1975) and **Robert** (2007) and **Phillip Holmes** (1975)

The youngest Old Boy at the function **Cyton Tong** (2007) with the oldest attendee **Richard Crawford** (1934)

2007 ANNIVERSARY REUNION

Around 100 Old Boys converged on the Royal Yacht Club in August for the Anniversary Dinner for the 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1982, 1987, 1992 and 1997 year groups.



TOP LEFT: 1982 Leavers Bruce Calvert and Andrew Walker talking with Deputy Principal Barrie Irons at the Anniversary Reunion Dinner. Sadly, Bruce passed away in late October.

TOP RIGHT: 1962 leavers Arthur Hodgson and Peter Gregg catch up at the Dinner

LEFT: 1997 Leavers Sam Gardner and Rob Jacobs

SYDNEY REUNIONS



Two well-attended reunion events were held in Sydney in late September – a lunch at the Cruising Yacht Club of Australia and after work drinks at the City Tattersall's Club.

The events were a great opportunity for Old Boys to meet the new Principal, Mr Warwick Dean.

Bill Dansey (1973) and Mark Walker (1976) catch up at the Sydney after work drinks.



PARENT DIRECTORY GOING ONLINE

A new Parent Directory will be online shortly. Access will be via password, and parents will be able to see basic contact details for other parents in their son's year group. Parents will be able to edit or delete their own information. The Directory should be online early February and can be accessed via the Parents' Association page on the School website.

The Directory will incorporate a Business Directory which will also link into the Old Boys' system as well, adding value to both systems.



OLD BOY ONLINE DIRECTORY

Have you registered for this service yet? Almost 600 Old Boys are now online via the Directory and with the Parent system coming online shortly, there are increased opportunities with the online Business Directory. There is also the footy tipping competition which gets underway in March, and the new mentoring service (see story below). It's a great way not only to keep in contact with the School, but also with each other.

To register go to www.hutchins.tas.edu.au/oldboys



MONTHLY OLD BOY GET-TOGETHERS

In 2008 we will be starting regular monthly Friday night get-togethers for Old Boys in Hobart. They will be held from 5.30 pm on the second Friday of every month at the Prince of Wales Hotel in Battery Point.

Dates will be 8 February, 14 March, 11 April, 9 May, 13 June, and 10 July

WORLDWIDE "VIRTUAL" GET-TOGETHER

Can't make it to Hobart for the regular monthly drinks? Well, here's a solution. For the February get-together (Friday 8 February) we're organising a "worldwide" event. All we ask is that – wherever you are – you link up with at least one other Old Boy and SMS the details into us. Full information will be on the Old Boy page on the School website, and we'll be using the online forums to help you get organised.



NEW MENTORING SERVICE ADDED TO OLD BOY DIRECTORY

A new mentoring service has been added to the Old Boy website during January. It is designed to identify Old Boys who want to provide advice and expertise to others within the School community. Whilst it is primarily intended to provide mentors for current students and recent leavers, the experience at other schools where this system is in place has been that those seeking a career change have also taken advantage of the opportunity it provides.



FORTHCOMING DATES

4 April	School Fair
24 April	ELC Grandparents' Day (9.30 am)
28 April	Middle School Grandparents' Day (9.30 am)
	Senior School Grandparents' Day (11.30 am)
	Note: Junior School Grandparents' Day will be held in late August.
2 August	Anniversary Reunions for leavers from 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988, 1992 and 1998.

TERM DATES 2008

Term 1 12 February – 23 May Term 2 17 June – 5 September Term 3 22 September – 9 December

ADVERTISING IN MAGENTA AND BLACK We are currently considering including some advertising in future issues of Magenta and Black. If you are a member of the Hutchins Community and would like to know more, please contact **Tony Smithies** via email: tony.smithies@hutchins.tas.edu.au or phone **03 6221 4206**