

THE Saints

Weekly

ROUND-UP



OUR TERM DATES FOR 2023 HAVE BEEN RELEASED AND CAN BE VIEWED ON THE BACK PAGE.

ARE YOU *following* US?





WINTER SPORT

GAME DAY

2022

ST CHARLES
COLLEGE

VS

CLIFTON
SCHOOL

1ST XI HOCKEY @ 12:15PM
1ST XV RUGBY @ 3:00PM

ALL FIXTURE DETAILS ARE
AVAILABLE ON OUR SPORTS WEBSITE

07 MAY 2022

AT CLIFTON SCHOOL

**WE'RE READY FOR ANOTHER WEEKEND OF
SPORTING ACTION!**

It's going to be a busy weekend for the Saints, with our Preparatory and Senior School taking on Clifton School in a series of hockey and rugby fixtures.

Full fixture details can be found on SOCS, our sports website
- [St Charles College | Sports Calendar \(scc.za.com\)](https://www.scc.za.com)

Game Day VS WESTVILLE

Our team of the week award was tightly contested after some excellent performances last weekend. On the short-list were our U14C hockey team for their excellent comeback, winning 4 – 3. The 5th team hockey boys were also nominated for a comprehensive 4 – 0 victory, while our U14B rugby team enjoyed a 45 – 7 victory against the Linpark U14A team. Also nominated for one of the most exciting encounters of the day was the ever-improving U16A rugby team, who were in full attack mode when the game ended 14 – 17. The winners, who received their blue and gold doughnuts from the principal this week, were the 3rd XV rugby who fought valiantly to come from behind to beat Linpark 1st XV 33 – 22.

For the full set of results from the day, please see the link:

<https://sport.scc.za.com/CalendarDay.asp?id=27792&D=30&M=4&Y=2022>

With the 1st team hockey being away at the Grey High festival, the main game of the day was reported on as follows:

1ST XV RUGBY

“On Saturday St Charles College welcomed Westville High School on to our campus. With this being the first winter fixture these two schools have played in many years, it was a perfect day for running rugby as both schools looked to play expansive and attacking rugby. With all A teams pushing each other close, the 1st teams were set to kick off at 3pm.

Both 1st XV teams took the field with eager anticipation to see what the opposition would bring. Westville managed to strike first with their fullback returning a kick that didn't find touch and managed to score under the posts. Westville again managed to score to make it an early lead for the visitors.

The St Charles College men then found their rhythm, and with a dominant pack scored 3 tries. Westville again pounced on a few loose balls to pull away at the end, winning 46 – 17.” – Mr Petrus du Plessis



RUGBY AND HOCKEY PHOTOS COURTESY OF JUSTIN WALDMAN.

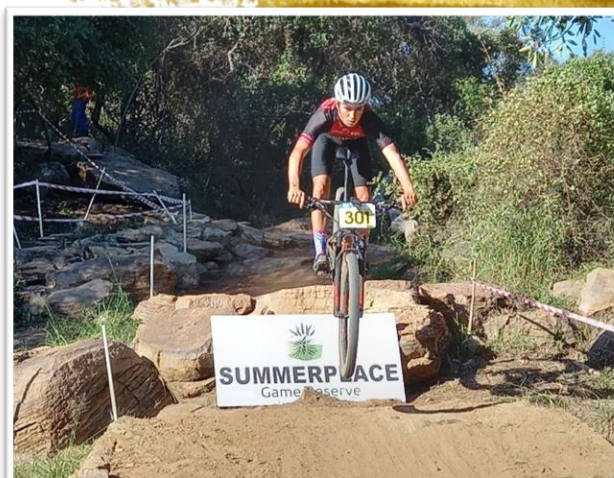


SAILING NEWS



Congratulations to Noah Clulow who competed well at the LASA (Laser Association of South Africa) 2022 ILCA National Championship last week at Hermanus Yacht Club. – Mr Rowan Irons (Director of Sport)

MOUNTAIN BIKING NEWS



Well done to Omar Wilson who continues to excel in the SA XCO season. He recently won the Youth Men age category at Summerplace Game Reserve, Vaalwater, in Limpopo province. – Mr Rowan Irons (Director of Sport)

Saints TEAM OF THE WEEK

Last week's team of the week was our U14A hockey team. Congratulations to the young men and coaches on their excellent performance against Hilton, winning their fixture 4 – 1.
– Mr Divan van Wyk (Sports Marketing)



Congratulations to this week's 'team of the week' – our 3rd rugby team!

Since the start of the season, this team has shown their enjoyment when they had the opportunity to play. They have also been successful during game time, and this past weekend did very well and showed a lot of guts as they came from behind to beat Linpark's 1st rugby team.

Their coach, Mr Barry Strydom, has also done a great job in keeping the boys excited to play this season. Thank you and well done to Mr Craig Gilchrist for standing in this past week.
– Mr Divan van Wyk (Sports Marketing)



Prep FOOTBALL

Our football season began this week with fixtures against Laddsworth. After the previous week's fixtures were cancelled our boys were so excited to get onto the pitch.

With two new fields and new SCC shirts, our boys did so well playing as a team and with passion, as well as showing tremendous skill. Keep up the great work boys. – Mr Gregg Cole-Edwardes (Head of Prep Sport)



Prep RUGBY

Last Saturday saw another exciting and action-packed morning on the Saints campus, as our boys played rugby against Highbury, Cordwalles and Cowan House.

The cheers on every field were awesome to hear and our boys enjoyed every minute.

Thank you to all three schools for joining us, to our parents for their loyal and passionate support and to all the Saints staff for enjoying a great morning together.

– Mr Gregg Cole-Edwardes (Head of Prep Sport)



This week we were fortunate to enjoy some midweek rugby fixtures. We thank Laddsworth and Wembley for their participation and for enjoying a fun filled, action packed afternoon with us.

– Mr Gregg Cole-Edwardes (Head of Prep Sport)



PREP SPORT *Captains*

OUR PREP CROSS COUNTRY CAPTAINS ARE:

Nicholas Deysel
Duncan Muir
Yisun Ng-Yang

OUR PREP FOOTBALL CAPTAINS ARE:

Captain: Armstrong Mwansa
Vice-Captain: Ethan Apollos

Congratulations boys and we wish you all the very best as you serve in your new roles.

– Mr Gregg Cole-Edwardes (Head of Prep Sport)



Prep CROSS COUNTRY



Last Friday, our runners competed in their first race at the Ashburton Training Centre. They did so well, achieving four podiums out of the five age groups. In the U11 age group we had six runners in the top 12 and in the U13 age group we had runners in the top 5.

Well done to all our runners, we are very proud of your efforts. We also thank Epworth for being excellent hosts. – Mr Gregg Cole-Edwardes (Head of Prep Sport)



SENIOR SCHOOL ARTWORK OF THE WEEK



These two colourful but delicate studies have been created by Matthew Hendry for his IGCSE portfolio. Matthew is interested in fashion and design and is investigating identity through clothing, pattern and textiles. The drawing of the shirt is an innovative and unusual study where the pattern behind the garment starts to dominate the composition and turns an ordinary motif (that of the shirt) into an abstract form. – Dr Faye Spencer

SPOTTED WITH LAB COATS ON...

Our Grade 8 Physical Science and Grade 11 Chemistry boys have been busy in the lab over the past week.

The Grade 8s have been studying thermal physics and were experimenting with heating and cooling wax. The boys practiced lighting a Bunsen burner, reading off thermometers and stopwatches as well using common laboratory equipment.

The Grade 11 chemistry boys have been setting up apparatus to collect and measure the amount of carbon dioxide produced from a chemical reaction. This process involves a lot of water, wet floors and benches!

The boys always enjoy the opportunity to learn through practicals and it is when they are the most active and engaged. – Dr Kate Akerman

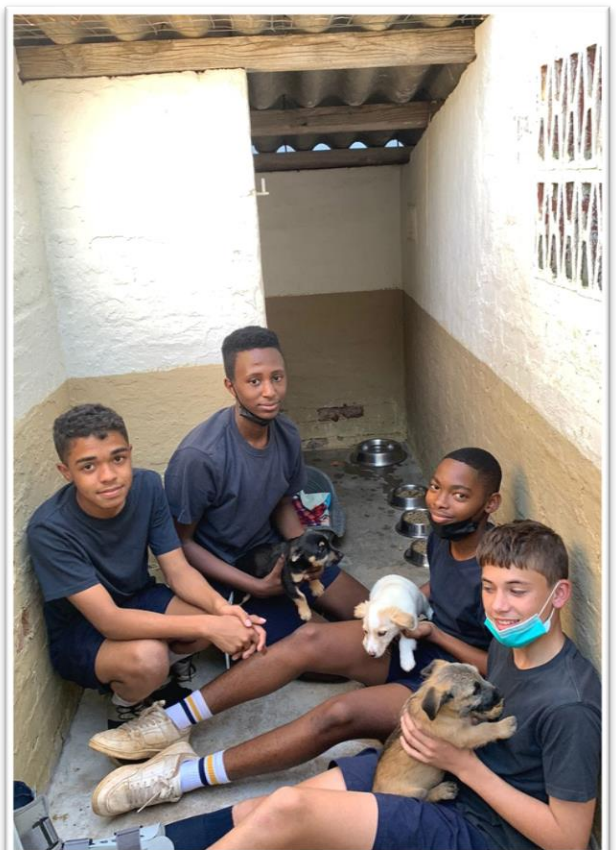


Outreach VISIT TO THE SPCA

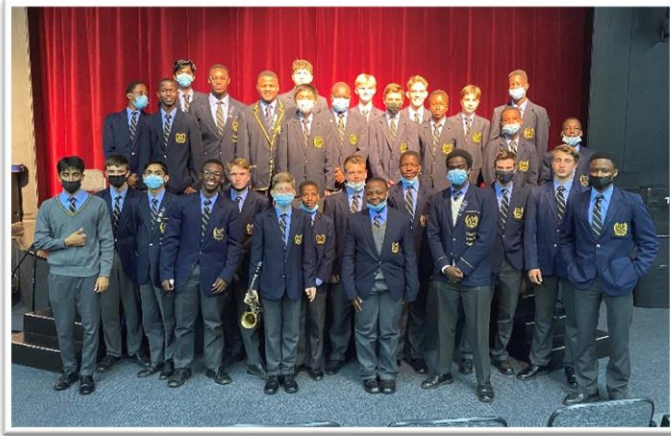
On Friday, 29 April, our SCC Outreach club accompanied by Mr Sean Anthony, went to the SPCA to deliver some blankets for the animals.

During their time at the SPCA, they were given the opportunity to play with some of the cats and dogs. Before leaving, the boys cleaned up the grounds, swept the paths and helped to tidy up.

Their visit was a great success, and the boys are to be commended for giving up their time to assist animals in need. – Mrs Debby Joubert



CUPCAKE Concert



We were privileged to take our subject music students to participate in the *Cupcake Concert* held at St Johns D.S.G. this Tuesday.

It was an amazing opportunity for our students to both perform and support their peers.

– Ms Heather Skorpen (Director of Music)

SPOTTED IN CLASS

Mr Stewart-Burger recently spent some time with our Grade 4s during class, showing them the solid form of carbon dioxide and how it converts directly from a solid state to a gas state.



MUSIC MONDAY ON THE SAINTS Campus

This week's #MusicMonday features a performance by Grade 12 Saints student, Cuan Wormington, of "A Thousand Miles".



Grade 4 MUSEUM VISIT

Last week Friday, the Grade 4 boys visited the Msunduzi Museum. We had great fun and learnt lots of interesting information about the Great Trek, The battle of Blood River, the Church of the Vow and the life of the Voortrekkers.

It was a busy morning and the boys thoroughly enjoyed seeing the artefacts that they have been learning about in class. – Mrs Kelli Howells



Grade 2 PLANT HEADS



Grandparents Day IN THE JUNIOR PRIMARY

The excitement in the Junior Primary on Monday was tangible. After a long absence, and much to the boys' delight, Grandparents were invited onto our campus.

The love between grandparents and grandchildren is built over time and through shared experiences, so we thought it fitting to create a space and opportunity to do this, at St Charles College.

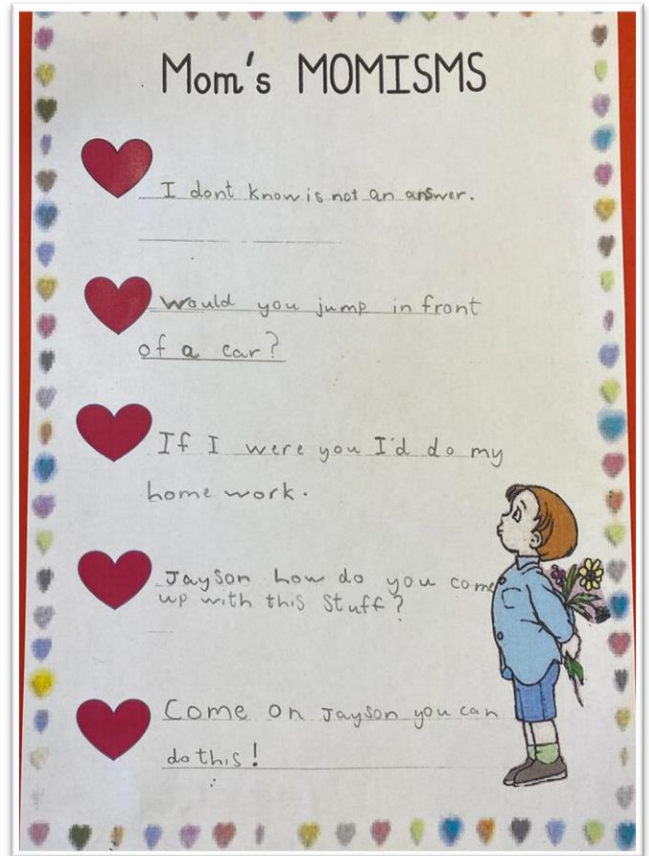
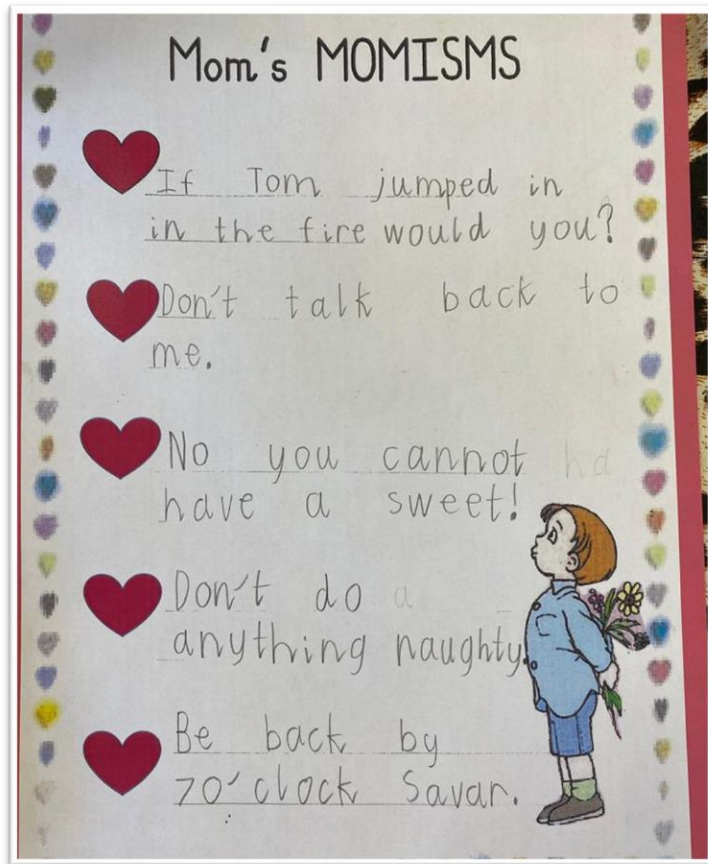
Our Grandparents were treated to live music, singing, an amazing art display and, together with their grandsons, they created beaded key rings to take home.
- Mrs Lauren Riley (Head of Junior Primary)



'CHILDREN ARE NATURALLY CREATIVE. IT IS OUR JOB TO GIVE THEM THE FREEDOM, MATERIALS AND SPACE TO LET THEIR CREATIVITY BLOSSOM TO ITS FULL POTENTIAL'

- JEAN VANT HUL

Moms' MOMISMS



MUSIC NEWS

Grade 000 MOTIVATION



We were very excited to hear that Nathan van Staden, one of our Grade 11 students, performed with his family at the Clarens Music Festival last weekend. We are very proud!
– Ms Heather Skorpen (Director of Music)

SLIPPER DAY IN THE *Junior Primary*



On Friday, 6 May, 'Slipper Day' is celebrated around South Africa. This is in aid of the *Reach for a Dream Foundation*, who do amazing work for children facing life-threatening illnesses.

While we celebrate the health of our boys at St Charles College, we also teach them to be mindful of those children who are facing these giants.

Our Junior Primary boys proudly donned their 'Slipper Day' stickers and comfy footwear, showing their support to all the brave fighters out there. – Mrs Meg Hutton



Old Boys' Weekend

13th & 14th May 2022



13th May @ Victoria Country Club

Golf tee-off at 11h00 - 12h00
9 Hole Old Boys Closed Trophy - 2 Ball Alliance

Meet & Greet & light supper (R100) @ the Coach House
(5pm pre drinks & registration)

14th May @ St Charles College

Rugby and Hockey
vs Kearsney College

Coach House open with **good food for sale**

RSVP Gill on 084 505 6664 or email oldboys@scc.co.za | Cash Bar Available | Old Boys, parents and friends welcome

Mothers who Care



MWC is a Christian group who meet to pray for our staff, boys & their families.

For more information please contact
Sonja Palframan on
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of the World,
A City set on a hill
Cannot be Hidden"

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6.30am to 8am
in the car park
serving coffee & light
meals.**



WINTER SEASON 2022

SAINTS

FIXTURES

MARCH

- 12 MARCH** Hockey: KZN Tournament
Rugby: Camp
- 19 MARCH** Maritzburg Day (A)

APRIL

- 15 - 18 APRIL** Easter Festivals
- 23 APRIL** Hilton (A)
- 30 APRIL** Westville (H)

MAY

- 7 MAY** Clifton (A)
- 14 MAY** Old Boys Day
Kearsney (H)
- 21 MAY** Midterm
- 28 MAY** Northwood (A)

JUNE

- 4 JUNE** Voortrekker (H)
- 11 JUNE** Michaelhouse (A)
- 18 JUNE** St Benedicts (A)
(selected teams)





ST CHARLES COLLEGE

S O U T H A F R I C A

Term Dates 2022

Term 1	
Administration, Managers, Housemasters and Support Staff Return	11 January (Tuesday)
Teaching and Boarding Staff Return	13 January (Thursday)
Senior School Boarders Return (Grade 8 - Grade 12)	18 January (Tuesday)
Senior School Lessons Commence (Grade 8 - Grade 12)	19 January (Wednesday)
Prep School Boarders Return (Grade 4 - Grade 7)	18 January (Tuesday)
Prep School Lessons Commence (Grade 000 - Grade 7)	19 January (Wednesday)
Mid-Term Exeat (Friday and Monday No School)	18 February - 21 February
Human Rights Day (21 March)	21 March (Monday) School Day
End of Term	25 March (Friday)
Term 2	
<i>Easter Weekend 15 April - 18 April (Friday - Monday)</i>	
Staff and Boarders Return	19 April (Tuesday)
Lessons Commence	20 April (Wednesday)
Freedom Day (27 April)	27 April (Wednesday) School Day
Workers' Day (01 May)	02 May (Monday) School Day
Mid-Term Exeat (Friday and Monday No School)	20 May - 23 May
Youth Day (16 June)	16 June (Thursday) School Day
End of Term	24 June (Friday)
Term 3	
Staff and Boarders Return	17 July (Sunday)
Lessons Commence	18 July (Monday)
Founders Day (26 July)	26 July (Tuesday)
Women's Day (09 August)	09 August (Tuesday) School Day
Mid-Term Exeat (Friday and Monday No School)	19 August - 22 August
Senior School Speech Day	22 September (Thursday)
End of Term	22 September (Thursday)
Term 4	
Staff and Boarders Return	03 October (Monday)
Lessons Commence	04 October (Tuesday)
Mid-Term Exeat (Friday and Monday No School)	28 October - 31 October
End of Term	08 December (Thursday)
Grade 6 Open Weekend	09 - 10 December (Friday and Saturday)
Teaching Staff Leave	14 December (Wednesday)
Management, Administration and Finance Staff Leave	15 December (Thursday)



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Senior School Speech Day	21 September (Thursday)
End of Term	21 September (Thursday)
Term 4	
Staff and Boarders Return	02 October (Monday)
Lessons Commence	03 October (Tuesday)
Grade 12 Final Assembly	02 November (Thursday)
Mid-Term Exeat (Friday and Monday No School)	03 November - 06 November
End of Term	06 December (Wednesday)
Grade 6 Open Weekend	08 - 09 December (Friday and Saturday)
Teaching Staff Leave	13 December (Wednesday)
Management, Administration and Finance Staff Leave	15 December (Friday)