SPORTS ASSOCIATION FOR ADELAIDE SCHOOLS

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EXECUTIVE REPORT

I am pleased to present the Executive Annual report for 2009 of the Sports Association for Adelaide Schools.

Throughout 2009 the Association has continued to provide a comprehensive range of sporting competitions for students from its member schools across a range of sports. It is our aim that the SAAS programs provides excellent opportunities both for widespread participation, as well as providing an opportunity for talented athletes to compete in a high standard competition appropriate to their level.

At the Annual General Meeting the new Constitution was accepted and the new Executive Committee was endorsed. The Committee is composed of six Principals, two secondary coordinators and one primary coordinator. Its role, on behalf of all member schools is to exercise a collegial responsibility to ensure that the high standards of sportsmanship, resourcing, coaching and supervision of our Association are maintained across all sports and all levels of competition. I express my sincere thanks to all Executive members for their support in 2009 and in particular to those involved with the inaugural Executive Committee whilst the new Governance procedures were implemented.

The major activities of the Executive during the year have been:

- Implementation of the following from the Future Direction Review
  Trialing Premiership tables in Open Football and Soccer
  Divisions and Tiered competitions where possible
  New membership application process
- Ongoing meetings with State Sporting Bodies

The Executive Committee is reliant on the Sports Coordinators for their advice in regard to the many practical issues which arise in the management of a large competition such as ours.
I would also like to express my appreciation to the staff in our various schools for their vital contribution to the success of our sporting programs. It is pleasing to see that there are still many teachers who see their involvement in the sporting programs as educationally important and personally rewarding.

The ongoing success of the annual SAAS dinner is in itself and indication of the camaraderie which exists within schools and in particular with those staff who become involved in our sporting programs. It was pleasing to acknowledge the seven new life members at this function and to welcome many past life members who were also present.

It is a time when our society is increasingly concerned at the level of fitness of our youth and I am sure that the spirit and level of commitment of our students is such that they benefit greatly from the excellent program of sporting events provided by our Association.

Last year was the beginning of some exciting changes for SAAS, in particular within the structure and governance of the Association. We look forward to this continuing into the years to come.

Thank you to all who contribute to SAAS sport and most of all I thank and congratulate the young people of our schools for their sportsmanship, their enthusiasm and their commitment to the ideals of sport.

Mr Kevin Tutt
Chairman
SAAS Executive Committee

EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

The Secondary Management Committee with Anthony Bannon in the Chair, met at Christian Brothers College three times during the year. The fourth meeting was held in conjunction with the Annual Conference which was held at The Italian Centre in October.

Both the Management Committee meetings and the Conference were very well attended, and I thank the Coordinators for their involvement at these meetings.

Some of the topics discussed at our meetings and the conference were:
Premiership Tables
New Constitution
Codes of Behaviour
Mid week Sport
Coordinators Handbook

Visitors and speakers to our meetings and conference were as follows:
SAAS/SANFL Umpires Conveners Robert Murphy and Colin Steinert
Ben Johnswood from SACA
David Tiller Report on visits to Interstate Schools

At the Annual Dinner held at The Italian Centre, the following were, awarded life membership of SAAS. Mr Anthony Bannon Chair of the Secondary Coordinators represented the Executive in presenting these awards.

Damien Antenucci	St Pauls College
Shane Gubbbin	St Pauls College
Steve Hamra	Christian Brothers College
Sue Kenneally	Sacred Heart College Senior School
Simon Kelly	Rostrevor College
John Markota	Sacred Heart College Senior School
Glen Urbani	Rostrevor College

It is most important that we as an Association publicly acknowledge those coordinators, coaches and other officials, who have spent many years supporting the school sports program. The organizing and officiating of these programs rely heavily upon the commitment of many people within our schools. Without their continuing support our sporting program would cease to exist.

The Primary Sports Coordinators met on three occasions during 2009 under the leadership of Michael Buttfield. These meetings were held at Christian Brothers College Junior School and were very well attended. We are indeed fortunate to have a group of dedicated teachers who are obviously interested in giving the best opportunities to as many students as possible in being involved in some type of sporting experience.

Some topics discussed at these meetings were:
Revision of summer and winter sport rules
SAAS Primary Golf Day
Year 5 Football – modified rules
Modified Soccer games

As Executive Officer I thank all those Coordinators I have worked with in 2009. In doing so I acknowledge their commitment to the task in hand, their cooperation and the skill and knowledge they bring to this Association. I also convey my thanks to Mr Kevin Tutt for his support and leadership in the role as Chair of the Association.

Sports Association for Adelaide Schools Inc.
Income & Expenses
January through December 2009

	Jan - Dec 09	Jan - Dec 08
Ordinary Income/Expense		
Income		
Fees	134,342.89	120,456.18
Interest Income	232.79	566.43
Total Income	134,575.68	121,022.61
Expense		
Achilles Cup	12,381.89	10,409.04
Bank Service Charges	0.00	45.00
Conference	1,133.00	0.00
Consultant	0.00	14,300.00
Dinner - Ital'n Cent/St Paul's	9,095.46	6,820.00
Golf	0.00	133.50
Insurance	0.00	921.99
Life membership	706.36	280.77
membership	145.00	0.00
Next Generation	8,411.50	4,400.00
Office Cost and Audit	4,104.97	0.00
Printing and Reproduction	1,520.32	2,097.64
Professional Fees	0.00	1,508.75
SANFL	6,141.00	8,650.90
Soccer Referees	985.00	350.00
Sports Administrator	61,992.00	70,997.28
Swimming	35.00	35.00
Trophies Etc	0.00	310.50
Waterpolo	7,440.00	10,370.00
Web Site	740.00	1,625.00
Total Expense	114,831.50	133,255.37
Net Ordinary Income	19,744.18	-12,232.76
Net Income	**19,744.18**	**-12,232.76**

Sports Association for Adelaide Schools Inc.

Balance Sheet

As of December 31, 2009

	Dec 31, 09	Dec 31, 08
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Chequing/Savings		
Savings Bank of SA	30,467.79	11,816.87
Total Chequing/Savings	30,467.79	11,816.87
Other Current Assets		
Investment Premium Account	5,083.29	0.00
Investments	6,940.42	11,873.32
Total Other Current Assets	12,023.71	11,873.32
Total Current Assets	42,491.50	23,690.19
TOTAL ASSETS	**42,491.50**	**23,690.19**
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities		
Other Current Liabilities		
Tax Payable	-904.77	-261.90
Total Other Current Liabilities	-904.77	-261.90
Total Current Liabilities	-904.77	-261.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-904.77	-261.90
NET ASSETS	**43,396.27**	**23,952.09**
EQUITY		
Opening Bal Equity	-1,555.04	-1,555.04
Opening Balance	55,424.76	55,424.76
Retained Earnings	-30,217.63	-17,984.87
Net Income	19,744.18	-12,232.76
TOTAL EQUITY	**43,396.27**	**23,652.09**

Audit Statement

I have audited the Statement of (Financial Performance), Income and Expenses, and Statement of (Financial Position), Balance Sheet, for the Sports Association for Adelaide Schools Inc (using ISSA Inc ABN 60 546 568 741) for the financial year ended 31st December 2009.

The Associations' officer is responsible for preparing the financial reports (Statements) that comply with Accounting Standards and in accordance with the *Associations Incorporation Act 1985.*

This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls.

The audit procedures assessed whether in all material aspects the Statements presented fairly in accordance to Accounting Standards. The procedures included testing, examination, discussion and analysis, and any other disclosures in the statement that were not directly derived from the full financial statements.

In my opinion the Association's Statement of Financial Performance and Statement of Financial Position presents a true and fair view of the Activities and Position of the Association for the period ending 31st December 2009.

R J Shearing *PNA*
Auditor
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ATHLETICS

The Achilles Cup this year was held on September 24th at Santos Stadium. This year all Safety Audit recommendations were again followed, and with some minor modifications in some areas from the previous year. No doubt after each event we will reassess our procedures and continue to work towards improving our practices.

This year fourteen schools competed, with both Scotch College and Pulteney Grammar School not participating. There were eight teams in Group A and six teams in Group B.

St Peters College was the host school and we pass on our sincere thanks to Mr Sean Inman and his group of very willing students who assisted in carrying out a variety of tasks throughout the day.

Again we need to record our thanks to our key officials who worked from very early in the morning setting up to well after the end of the day's events. Their expertise is vital to the efficient running of the Achilles Cup. In particular I make mention of Trevor Wiseman and Kevin Gruhl whose knowledge and skill in the running of Athletic events is invaluable to our Association.

It is also important to acknowledge the work done by Coordinators, and school personnel involved in athletics. The implementation of the Safety Audit did involve more work for those involved with the responsibility of both the training and organization of their athletes. I appreciate those who did take this audit "on board" and I am sure at the end of the event most of those involved could see the improvement within the areas identified as key areas.

Again,many thanks to those staff at Trinity College who assisted in the implementation and operation of the Computer program. Very special thanks should be recorded to Brian Quill who spent many hours on the computer before the event collating nomination forms from schools. He works exceptionally well with the sports coordinators and is able to readily assist them when the need arises. The efficient manner the results are completed and collated at the end of the event speaks for itself.

Mr Philip Grutzner Principal of St Peter's College, with the assistance of Mr Kevin Tutt, Chair of SAAS Executive, presented trophies and pennants to the winning Schools.

St Peters College was again victorious in Group A closely followed by Pembroke School
Westminster School was the winner of Group B with Sacred Heart College in second place.

Final Places were:

GROUP A		**GROUP B**	
St Peters College	1294	Westminster School	1270
Pembroke School	1123	Sacred Heart College	1155
Immanuel College	1014	Adelaide High School	1131
Trinity College	948	St Michaels College	1106
Prince Alfred College	907	Christian Brothers College	922
Rostrevor College	893	St Pauls College	833
Saint Ignatius College	745		
Concordia College	614		

The Age Pennants were won by the following Schools:

U13	Trinity College	Sacred Heart College
U14	St Peters College	Adelaide High School
U15	Trinity College	Sacred Heart College
U16	Pembroke School	Westminster School
Open	Immanuel College	Westminster School

BADMINTON

Badminton has continued to provide a popular choice for many of our students, particularly those who have come to us from overseas.

This year we had 72 teams entering the competition, which were 20 teams more than the previous year. There are now 20 of our 28 schools nominating to compete in the badminton program.

CROSS COUNTRY

Cross Country is held each Wednesday after school at a variety of courses hosted by a number of schools.

The schools who offered to host in 2009 were:

St Ignatius College
Mercedes College
Sacred Heart Middle School
Concordia College
Pembroke School
Immanuel College
Pulteney Grammar School
Pembroke School
St Peters College Junior School

Our thanks to both Sacred Heart Middle School and Mercedes College for hosting two events during the season.

Cross Country continues to be a popular sporting option for our schools. In particular the Middle school involvement with both boys and girls has grown quite dramatically over the last few years.

The team relay held in August and hosted by Mercedes continues to be a welcome event to complete the cross country season. Again our thanks to Gary Zerner for continuing to host and organise the event.

CRICKET

This year the SAAS cricket competition has continued its predominance in having a large number of teams involved each Saturday. There were 226 primary and secondary teams nominated from a total of 42 schools. This did not include the 20/20 competition which we held in Term 4 over five weeks. Lack of sufficient facilities for cricket is still an ongoing problem, and not only within the school community. Many clubs are also suffering from lack of adequate facilities, which means that schools have less options if they need to access pitches outside of those available within their school. The building program within the school system has also impacted upon the number of pitches available for use.

The 20/20 competition continued this year with the following schools involved: Adelaide High School, Christian Brothers College, Blackfriars Priory School, Pembroke School, Prince Alfred College, Pulteney Grammar School, Rostrevor College, St Peters College, Scotch College, Unley High School and Westminster School. Rostrevor College 0/117 defeated Prince Alfred College 7/114.

SAAS wishes to acknowledge the support of the Messenger Press in supplying an ongoing trophy called the Messenger Bowl, and for the excellent coverage of the games each week in the Messenger.

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Nine teams entered into the SSSSA Open Pool A Knockout competition through our program, with Prince Alfred College and Henley High School coming through to the Grand Final. Prince Alfred College won the final, with the scores being: PAC 5/105 defeating Henley High School 10/102. .

FOOTBALL

The SAAS Football competition continues to be a vital component of our sporting program. This year there were 33 primary and secondary schools involved with a total of 151 teams.

The "AFL Sports Ready" SSSSA SANFL/Open Schools Cup Final Results
The Grand Final was again played under lights at the Norwood Oval, with Rostrevor College 10.10, defeating Sacred Heart College 6.8.

Player of the Match was awarded to Zac Fitzgerald from Rostrevor College. He was presented the "Colin Steinert Medal" at the end of the game.

Best players for Rostrevor College were: Z Fitzgerald, J Stringer, M Laleggio, S Flanegan, N Dinham.
Prince Alfred College Goal Scorers were: Z Fitzgerald 2, J Wilson 2, D Weetra 2, D Moyle 2, K Smith 1, D Swaterski 1

Best Players for Sacred Heart College were: J Seal, A Cailotto, R Mahoney, P McCarthy, M Hamilton.
Sacred Heart College Goal Scorers were: R Mahony 2, N Ahmat-Watkins 2, S Barnett 1, J McMahon 1

In the year 8/9 Knockout Out Competition Sacred Heart was once again clear winners in defeating Henley High School 16.26 to 2.5. Mitchell Parr from Sacred Heart Middle School was the winner of the "Malcolm Greenslade Medal for 2009.

The SANFL have continued their support with their appointment of an Independent Schools Umpire Panel Supervisor, namely Mr Robert Murphy, and a schools coordinator Mr Colin Steinert. We thank both Robert and Colin for the work they have done in the training and placing umpires for our afternoon games.

The SANFL is continuing to work closely with the Schools Football Committee in an effort to forge stronger links between clubs and schools. It is pleasing that the SAAS Schools have been most supportive and are keen to continue to work with SANFL for the betterment of the students within their schools.

PRIMARY GOLF

Primary Golf continues to be well supported by our young golfers, many of whom already play regularly in junior competition. Two Sunday morning clinics were held, and those interested in being involved in the SAAS Primary Golf Day were encouraged to attend at least one out of the two clinics. A special thanks to Warren Mercer and Bill Davis for their assistance in these lead-up clinics.

The SAAS Golf Day was held on August 14th on the North Course at Adelaide Shores Golf Club. This was used as a qualifying round for SAPSASA State day on September 3rd. Only the best 32 players received an invitation to play on State Day. This included both government and Independent schools.

Again we must sincerely thank Mike Buttfield for his continued commitment to our Primary Golf program. Thanks also to Nick Mc Cormack and Bill Davis for their assistance and support.

The following boys were acknowledged for their excellent scores.

1	Alex PACIFICO	Rostrevor College	73
2	David FARMER	Rostrevor College	76
3	Michael UCCI	Nazareth College	76
4	James WALLMAN	St Peters College	80
5	Michael CORMACK	Immanuel College	80
6	Joel SHORE	Antonio	82
7	Mason PICKARD	Immanuel College	84
7	Cameron BOND	St Johns	84
9	Jack HYNES	St Michaels College	86
9	Eddie STEELE	St Peters College	86
11	James TAKOS	Sacred Heart College	89
12	Tom SIMPSON	Rostrevor College	91
12	William STARKEY	Sacred Heart College	91
14	Josh RICHARDS	St Michaels College	92
15	Tye VENTER	St Michaels College	93
16	Ben SLIMMING	St Peters	98
17	Matthew SHIPP	St Michaels	99
17	Lockie MULLINS	Immanuel College	99

The following girls were congratulated upon their participation and their results

1	Lucinda TYE	Seymour College	98
2	Stephanie GATSIOS	Seymour College	119
3	Alicia SMITH	Pulteney Grammar School	121

HOCKEY

This year Hockey has shown some disappointing signs when looking at nominations from our schools. This year 18 primary and secondary schools entered the competition, but only eighteen schools were represented out of a total of forty three primary and secondary schools.

This year we again programmed our year 8/9 games on Wednesday after school, and used Christian Brothers College, Prince Alfred College and St Peters College. Whilst those schools involved felt the trial was quite successful, the problem of accessing a week day where the venues are available continues. This will only continue to be successful if we have a year level small enough to be able to be placed over the three venues available during the week. The lack of lighting means that in most cases, only one game can be played at any one venue.

We thank those schools that have again allowed SAAS to use their synthetic surface each Saturday morning. Those schools involved are, Christian Brothers College, St Peters College, Pulteney Grammar School and Prince Alfred College. In addition we have continued to use Golden Grove and Woodville Hockey Club as regular venues, and we thank them for also supplying umpires each week.

The primary competition has continued to provide a sound base for those schools involved. However, the number of schools involved does not vary enough to increase the size of the competition. Perhaps this is a reflection of the trends within the secondary competition and more so within the sport itself. Last year the games were played at Christian Brothers Competition, and this has continued this year. This is indeed a step forward for our primary players, and we hope that next year will find an increase in the number of schools nominating.

VOLLEYBALL

The Friday afternoon Volleyball competition has continued to be a very popular option for many of our schools.

The concept of central venues for each group has changed a little, with most schools now having an adequate venue and wanting to play their share of games at home.

Open B Volleyball has continued to increase in numbers. This has allowed schools to play many of the games on a home and away basis which has bought many more venues into use each Friday evening. Because of the distance between some schools central venues still need to be accessed when necessary. However, there are only a very few schools who cannot offer a venue each week.

This year twenty secondary schools were involved, with a total of 89 teams competing.

Thanks to all schools whose facilities we have regularly used, and for their assistance with supplying umpires.

SOCCER

Soccer has continued to be a very popular sport within our schools, with two hundred and twenty seven primary and secondary teams involved each week. This is a small decrease from last year, but is still an indication that soccer is a strong sport in the majority of our schools.

There unfortunately continues to be shortage of facilities suitable for playing soccer, both at school and at the club level. Unfortunately there seems to be no solution in the foreseeable future and schools have had to be extremely innovative with the use of their facilities.

Twelve teams entered into the SSSSA knockout competition, with Rostrevor College and Blackfriars Priory School being the two SAAS teams coming through to the Semi Finals, and Finals.

The final results were for Open Pool A were

Rostrevor College	3	d	Underdale High School	2

Playoff for 3rd and 4th

Blackfriars Priory School	3	d	Adelaide High School	1

The Pool B Results were

Merdedes College	3	d	Xavier College	1

In the year 10 Soccer Knock out final game, Gleeson College 5 defeated St Michaels College with 4 goals.

We are again indebted to David Keniwell, who is appointed by the South Australian Amateur Soccer Referees Association, to assist with the provision and placement of referees for our Open A games. We appreciate the time David spends organising the Referees for the games, and we aware it is becoming increasingly difficult to access well qualified and available referees for our schools competition.

DRIVE TENNIS

Twenty Schools continue to compete in this competition and two other schools have indicated interest for future years. At the moment we need to play some mid-week games to enable us to complete our program within the time we have available during the term. However, we must sincerely thank Tennis SA for working with us and Next Generation in ensuring that this longstanding competition is able to access the courts needed to continue playing this elite game.

DRIVE TENNIS TABLE 2009

A1

1. **PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE**
2. **MARRYATVILLE HIGH SCHOOL**
3. **PEMBROKE SCHOOL**
4. **ST MICHAELS COLLEGE**
5. **SACRED HEART COLLEGE**
6. **UNLEY HIGH SCHOOL**
7. **IMMANUEL COLLEGE**
8. **ST PETERS COLLEGE**
9. **BLACKFRIARS PRIORY SCHOOL**
10. **WESTMINSTER SCHOOL**

Winner of the Drive Trophy Div 1 2009 — **Prince Alfred College**

Winner of Player of the Year for Division 1 2009 — **Dan Crago, Westminster School**

A2

1. **MERCEDES COLLEGE**
2. **ST IGNATIUS COLLEGE**
3. **TRINITY COLLEGE**
4. **WOODCROFT COLLEGE**
5. **CHRISTIAN BROTHERS COLLEGE**
6. **SCOTCH COLLEGE**
7. **PULTENEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL**
8. **ROSTREVOR COLLEGE**
9. **PEDARE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**
10. **ST PASULS COLLEGE**

Winner of the Division 2 Trophy 2009 — **Mercedes College**

Winner of the Player of the Year Division 2 2009 — **Jack Dawson, Christian Brothers College**

TABLE TENNIS

This year Table Tennis involved twenty primary and secondary schools with 61 teams programmed to play each week. Playing Friday evening has enabled some students to play for their school and also play another sport on Saturday mornings. The International students are pleased to have this option available to them, and it is an important part of their involvement within their school.

TENNIS

Since the inception of the new grading system for secondary teams, whereby teams are based on skill levels rather than purely year levels, the numbers of students playing tennis has increased. In 2009 there were thirty one Primary and Secondary schools involved with 190 teams playing each week.

Our schools were well represented in the SSSSA Tennis Championships held in March, with Marryatville High School, Unley High School, and Immanuel College having good representation in the Finals round.

Availability of tennis courts is still a major problem for many schools, and has forced schools to be quite innovative with the use of their courts. The Cooed school has the added pressure of usage by the girls as well as fitting in the boy's program. Most of the primary school competition is played Friday after school, and this in itself has been of great assistance in easing some of the court availability.

SWIMMING

The SAAS Swimming competition, which is held on Wednesday afternoons, has continued to be a popular choice with our member schools, with sixteen schools again being involved in 2009

We are indebted to those schools for allowing the use of their pool and for the school swimming personnel for organising the weekly meets; namely Pembroke School, Prince Alfred College, St Peters College, Scotch College, Westminster School, Trinity College and Immanuel College.

The final was again held at St Peters College and we thank Mr Laurence Humphrys and his group of judges and recorders for assisting us in the running of the event. Thanks also to Sue Kenneally from Sacred Heart College for her assistance as a recorder and to Trevor Kenyan from Swimming SA who officiated as our Referee. There were fourteen records broken at the meet. Pembroke took the honours with 10, Prince Alfred College with 2 and Rostrevor College with 2.

The final results were:

PEMBROKE SCHOOL	704
IMMANUEL COLLEGE	606
ROSTREVOR COLLEGE	575
PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE	563
TRINITY COLLEGE	495
ST PETERS COLLEGE	495
WESTMINSTER SCHOOL	462
SCOTCH COLLEGE	250

WATERPOLO

Water polo continues to be an important component of our summer sport options for those schools dedicated to the sport. However for many schools it is not even an option, as the difficulty in accessing a pool for training purposes is of major concern to those schools in question. In addition, those schools that have the largest proportion of their players also playing club water polo have a huge advantage over those students who have previously not played the game.

Unfortunately the competition is not large enough to divide into divisions so that the more experienced schools can play similar schools and those of little or no experience can do the same. This in itself leads to the less experienced teams being beaten by large scores and quickly becoming disenchanted with the game. With such a small number of schools involved there is no easy solution to this problem. In 2009 we had 9 schools involved with a total of 39 schools involved.

The Adelaide Aquatic Centre continues to be the venue for the Open and Year 10 competition and sometimes year 9 and 8 games are also played at that venue. The cost of the Aquatic Centre and the pending repairs to its roof is of some concern, but to find another viable venue is not at all possible at this stage.

With a new pool being planned at Marion, the future of a home for water polo is cause for concern. If the Adelaide Aquatic Centre is not available for the SAAS competitions we would then need to look at accessing another school pool for that purpose, as travelling to Marion on a Friday afternoon would not be a viable option.

We thank both Pembroke School and St Peters College for making their venue available to supplement the Aquatic Centre.

Thanks also to John Harmer who not only organises referees at all centres, but through his involvement with the Water polo Association is constantly working with SAAS in an effort to improve the numbers playing the sport within our schools

NATIONAL SCHOOLS REPRESENTATION

Students from SAAS member Schools were widely represented in the following National Schools Teams organized by SSSSA in the year 2009

17 YEARS and under BASEBALL CANBERRA ACT **May 3-9**

Jackson Brebner-Russ	Christian Brothers College
Daniel Lee	Prince Alfred College
Lewis Townsend	Marryatville High School
Nathan van der Linden	Unley High School
Troy Weinert	St Michaels College

15 YEAR CRICKET **COMBRAM/BAROOGA** **February 28-Mar 7**

Ben Bullimore	Woodcroft College
Lachlan Collins	St Ignatius College
Bronan Economou	Adelaide High School
Travis Head	Trinity College
Matt Kemp	Adelaide High School
Dillon Mullins	St Ignatius College
Brett Richards	Adelaide High School
Sebastian Scales	Pulteney Grammar School
Cameron Valente	Sacred Heart College

BOYS AND GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY **NOWRA** **August 28-31**

Rhys Bartram-Knight	Sacred Heart College
Ben Elliot	St Ignatius College
Anthony Bishop	St Ignatius College
Cameron Clark	Mercedes College
Tim Earle	Immanuel College
Delwyn McInnes	Unley High
Zac Radbone	Scotch College
Jason Sellar	Woodcroft College
Patrick Tymukas	Saint Ignatius College
Angelica Caruso	St Ignatius College
Emma Duncan	St Ignatius College
Georgia Hughes	Mercedes College
Jemma Potezny	Glenunga International High School
Eleanor Wardleworth	Mercedes College

UNDER 16 FOOTBALL **SYDNEY** **July 3-10**

Nicholas Dinham	Rostrevor College
Alex Forester	Pembroke School
Johathon Giannini	Marryatville High School
Jack Hombsch	Rostrevor College ***
Michael Ialleggio	Rostrevor College
Daniel McCallum	Rostrevor College
Brad McKenzie	Marryatville High School
Daniel Thamm	Blackfriars Priory School
Jack Viney	Prince Alfred College

*** **AIS Australian Football Academy Selection**

BOYS GOLF	**CANBERRA**	**August 23-29**
Anthony Murdaca	St Michaels College	
GIRLS 16 YEARS HOCKEY	**TOWNSVILLE**	**August 16-22**
Kendra Selvanderan	Pembroke School	
Eloise Sobels	Scotch College	
Maud Taylor	St Johns Grammar School	
Amy Watters	Westminster School	
BOYS UNDER 17 HOCKEY	**ROCKHAMPTON**	**August 9-15**
Ben Angley	Cabra Dominican College	
Sam Cowley	Prince Alfred College	
Tom Fitzgerald	Prince Alfred College	
Josh Gould	St John s Grammar School	
Nathan Jennings	Pedare Christian College	
Ben Macphail	Adelaide High School	
Daniel Pena	St Michaels College	
Tom Walsh	Woodcroft College	
Brodie Warming	Cabra Dominican College	
BOYS AND GIRLS ORIENTEERING	**BENELLA**	**September 25-Oct 4**
Melanie Fuller	Marryatville High School	
Sally Young	Norwood Morialta High School	
Olivia Sprod	Concordia College	
Brodie Dobson-Keeffe	Prince Alfred College	
Luke Hazell	Marryatville High School	
Robert Whittaker	Pembroke School	
U20 BOYS AND GIRLS FOOTBALL (SOCCER)	**PORT MACQUARIE**	**August 1-7**
BOYS		
Ben Debono	Trinity College	
Adrian D'alfonso	St Michaels College	
Jack Gale	St Peters College	
Kym Harris	Sacred Heart College	
Ian Kamau	Rostrevor College	
Daniel Marin	St Michaels College	
Cameron Rogowski	Mercedes College	
Matthew Stokes	St Pauls College	
Frank Violi	St Michaels College	
GIRLS		
Daniella Debono	Nazareth College	
Mieke Hyland	Sacred Heart College	
Jessica Nagle	Woodcroft College	
Rebecca Sullivan	Trinity College	
BOYS AND GIRLS SURFING	**SUNSHINE COAST**	**November 29-December 5**
Kaitlin Langley	Immanuel College	
Carly Hamden	Immanuel College	

BOYS AND GIRLS TOUCH	**ADELAIDE**	**October 18-23**
Eleanor Konopka	Unley High School	
Marta Hearne	Nazareth Catholic College	
Kerryn Dignam	St Ignatius College	
Tom Starkey	Sacred Heart Middle School	
Kane Mulvaney	Unley High School	
Tob Owen	Blackfriars Priory School	
Peter AhSan	Scotch College	
Ned Morcom	Unley High	
Hamish Robinsons	Unley High	
James Watson	Cabra College	
Jon French	Adelaide High School	
BOYS AND GIRLS TRIATHLON	**DEVONPORT**	**March 20-23**
Zac Radbone	Scotch College	
James Hargreaves	Concordia College	
Tom Currie	Pembroke School	
Dylan Wilson	St Johns Grammar School	
Anthony Bishop	St Ignatius College	
Evie Allcroft	St Johns Grammar School	
Millie Allcoft	St Johns Grammar School	
BOYS AND GIRLS VOLLEYBALL	**CAMPBELLTOWN NSW**	**August 15-21**
Brandon Long	Unley High School	
Bonnie McKenzie	Unley High School	
Hannah Lowrie	Unley High Schol	

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

1997

Paul Horgan	Christian Brothers College
Denis Bawden	Pembroke School
Lex Hambour	Pembroke School
Roger Oaten	Pulteney Grammar School
Lindsey Cox	Sacred Heart College
Brian Quist	Sacred Heart College
John Cichinski	Pulteney Grammar School
Peter Deane	Pembroke School

1998

Michael Buttfield	Christian Brothers College
Rob Coulls	Prince Alfred College
Malcolm Dawe	Prince Alfred College
Michael Fry	St Michaels College
Chris George	St Ignatius College
Jon Harmer	Blackfriars Priory School
Tim Hart	Rostrevor College
Neville Hayes	Prince Alfred College
Robert Holloway	Prince Alfred College
Vin McLoughlin	Rostrevor College
Peter Morris	Prince Alfred College
Robert Nicholson	Prince Alfred College
Tony Pervis	Rostrevor College
Chris Taylor	St Peters College
Peter Teakle	St Ignatius College

1999

Robert Nak	St Pauls College
Norm Bennett	Prince Alfred College
Andy Miller	Scotch College
Paul Goode	Scotch College
Jim Rosevear	Scotch College
Peter Crossing	Scotch College
Rob Keil	Immanuel College

2000

Tony Checker	Scotch College
Rod Dyson	Scotch College
Paul Hadfield	St Peters College
Kim Harris	Westminster School
Ian Hume	St Peters College
Wayne Potter	St Peters College

2001

Br Paul Callil	St Ignatius College
Andrew McKenzie	St Peters College

2002

Ray Costar	Blackfriars Priory School
Jurgen Kracht	Prince Alfred College

2003

Bill Gaynor	Mercedes College
Jeff Hunter	Mercedes College
Roger Lancaster	Marryatville High School
Rob Sturman	Sacred Heart Middle School
Graham Tham	Sacred Heart Middle School
David Tiller	Westminster School

2004

Steve Clohesy	Sacred Heart Senior School
Brian Callaghan	Pembroke School
Barbara Fleming	Sacred Heart Middle School
Peter Judd	St Pauls College
Iain Languish	Pembroke School

2005

Richard Bednall	Trinity College
Brian Ferris	Westminster School
Peter Sawley	Sacred Heart Middle School
David Wallage	Westminster School
Peter Williams	Prince Alfred College

2006

Br John Ahern	Rostrevor College
Gary Davison	Westminster School
Michael Burvill-Holmes	Trinity College

2007

John Lambert	Christian Brothers College
David Serotzki	Concordia College
John Cadd	Sacred Heart Senior School
Laurence Humphrys	St Peters College

2008

Alex Pouw-Bray	Scotch College
Shelag Vonderwal	Blackfriars Priory School
Peter Urnevicius	Pembroke School

2009

Damien Antenucci	St Paul's College
Shane Gubbin	St Paul's College
Steve Hamra	Christian Brothers College
Sue Kenneally	Sacred Heart College Senior School
Simon Kelly	Rostrevor College
John Markota	Sacred Heart College Senior School
Glen Urbani	Rostrevor College

LOOKING BACK

Until 1965 this Association was known as "The Students' Football Association" and in 1966-67 it became known as "The Students' Cricket and Football Association."

In June 1967 it became "The Independent Schools Sports masters' Association" and a draft Constitution was drawn up. This continued until 1971 when it was re-named as "The Independent School's Sports Association."

The present Association was formed in 1977, where a new Constitution was drawn up and an Executive Committee formed, consisting of Headmasters and the Chairman and Secretary of ISSA.

Since 1978 this Executive Committee has met on a regular basis, and all recommendations from the Sports masters are taken to this group for endorsement.

In the year 2000 the Constitution came under review, and a new draft document was presented to the 2001 Annual General Meeting. The major changes to the Constitution involved the membership criteria and the forming of only one category of membership.

In the year 2005 the ISSA Executive initiated a half day workshop to discuss the "Future Directions of ISSA" – this was to be held in Term 1 2006.

In 2006 a Risk Analysis was conducted on the Achilles Cup. This review was undertaken by an independent consultant.

In 2007 work began on the Future Directions of ISSA under the direction of a Consultant. The report was anticipated to be completed by May 2008.

In August 2008 the Final Report for the Future Directions of ISSA was released to the Executive. A small Executive Committee was formed to work on the recommendations involving Governance of the Association. The aim was to have the Governance issues resolved by the end of the year and a new Constitution in place by the Annual General Meeting in May 2009.

In May 2009 at the Annual General Meeting the Association endorsed the new Constitution. The Association will now be known as The Sports Association for Adelaide Schools.

TEN YEARS SERVICE

D. Pike	**Westminster School**	**1964-88**
G. Laycock	**St Peters College**	**1964-73**
M. Muecke	**Scotch College**	**1964-73**
	St Peters College	
C. Taylor	**St Peters College**	**1974-88**
M. McFarlane	**Christian Brothers College**	**1976-85**
	Cabra Dominican College	
	Rostrevor College	
B. Donnelly	**St Ignatius College**	**1977-86**
R Nicholson	**Prince Alfred College**	**1977-86**
B. Quist	**Sacred Heart College**	**1976-88**
A. Hambour	**Pembroke School**	**1978-88**
R. Oaten	**Pulteney Grammar School**	**1978-88**
R. Duddy	**St Ignatius College**	**1979-88**
R. Keil	**Immanuel College**	**1980-89**