

Old Boys' Newsletter – March 2015

A Great Tradition Continues

Many old boys will have fond memories of undertaking an excursion in the senior school to Italy, Greece and Egypt as Ancient History students. This excursion has been running in the school for many years, with great success.

In 2015, the tradition continues but this year, there is a new twist, insofar as Modern History students are also being accommodated with the inclusion of France in the itinerary and the opportunity to visit some of the battle fields of Western France, in this momentous centenary of the ANZACs. The tour remains a marvellous educational opportunity.



Recognising a Devoted Teacher

One of the architects of the international study tour that is now such a part of the school was the Head Teacher of History, Mr Brian Thornton. Brian has had a very long association with the school, having moved here as Head Teacher History with the closing of Randwick North High School.

In 2014, Brian announced his retirement, which became official on February 20 this year. Along with the rest of the school, I wish Brian a long happy and very enjoyable retirement.

Building Facilities

We are always looking for ways to improve the school's facilities. Over recent years, teachers from the PDHPE faculty have been working to establish a weights room and fitness laboratory in two small classrooms near the Science laboratories.



After a lot of patient, hard work, we now have a fitness centre and weights rooms in place, a wall having been knocked out and new flooring put down. Air-conditioning will be installed soon and we will have a great facility to help young men build strength in a structured and supervised environment.

Have you thought about re-engaging with your old school?

We are always keen to see Old Boys! If you are interested in visiting the school, you're most welcome to contact the Administration Office to arrange a tour.

