

KEARSNEY COLLEGE

Founded in 1921



At a Glance 2012

Kearsney: the benchmark for academic excellence

Exceptional 2012 IEB examination results:

99% Bachelor Degree (University Exemption) pass rate

6 boys in the top 78 in the country (IEB's Outstanding Achievement list)

Nearly half of our boys received Mathematics distinctions for the second year running (48% in 2012 and 49% in 2011)

6 Boys in the top 1% in the country for Mathematics

69% received an A or a B in Mathematics, 86% an A, B or C

More than a third of Science and Accounting candidates achieved distinctions

284 Distinctions were achieved by 117 Matriculants (Average of 2.4 each)

More than a quarter of our Matriculants received four or more distinctions



Maths

4 Boys in the top 100 and three others with an “Excellent” rating in the Harmony Gold Mathematics Olympiad

Grade 11 leBT benchmarking exams in Mathematics: Four Kearsney College pupils were placed in the top 1% (4 in the top 34), the highest number from any school in the country. All the top independent schools in the country participate and only 2 boys from other boys-only schools, both from Johannesburg, managed to be placed in the top 1%.

English

A 14th placing in the De Beers English Olympiad, which had over 7000 contestants

Afrikaans

13 National Winners and 33 Gold Certificate Winners across 3 grades in the various categories of the National Afrikaans Expo

Sporting Excellence

Rugby



3 Boys selected for SA Schools Rugby

3 Boys selected for KZN U18 and
1 boy for the KZN U18 Academy.

1 Boy selected for KZN Schools
7s Rugby Team

2 Boys selected for SA U17 7s Rugby
Training Camp

Mr Dean Moodley appointed Manager
and Mr Barend Steyn Coach of KZN
Craven Week Team.

Robert du Preez (Class of 2011) appointed captain of the Sharks U19 Team

Old Boys Brad Barritt and Matt Stevens selected for England

Hockey

1 Boy selected for the SA U18B Hockey Team

1 Boy selected for the SA U16A Hockey Team

16 Boys selected for the 3 KZN age groups

Lloyd Madsen (Class of 2004) selected for SA Mens Hockey Team to compete in the 2012 London Olympics

Cricket

1 Boy selected for SA Schools and SA U19 (second consecutive year) and 10 Boys in the three age groups of the KZN Coastals Teams

2 Boys and 1 Old Boy were selected for the KZN Dolphins U19 Cubs Team

KZN U15 Player of the Year

Chad Bowes (KCOB 2010) appointed Captain of the SA U19 Cricket Team to play in the U19 World Cup in Australia

Kyle Abbott (Class of 2005) and Craig Kirsten (2012) are contracted to Sunfoil Dolphins



Swimming

1 Boy selected for SA in the Open Water Junior Swimming Team

Water polo

1 Boy selected for South Africa at the 1st FINA World Youth Water Polo Championships in Australia

2 Boys selected for KZN U19A and one to KZN U19B Water Polo Teams

1 Boy selected for KZN U16A

3 Boys selected for KZN U14

Golf

1 Boy selected for KZN Schools A and 2 for KZN Schools B Team

1 Boy selected for U18A KZN Foundation Team

1 Boy selected for the SA Schools Team

2012 KZN Champion

Squash

2 Boys selected for KZN Schools

Tennis

3 Boys selected for KZN U17 and 2 for the KZN U15 Team

Cultural

Choir

Kearsney Choir represented Africa at *The Rhythms of One World Music Festival* at the Headquarters of the United Nations in New York City.

World Choir Games in Cincinnati:



The Choir competed in 2 categories, winning two gold medals, and being crowned Champions in the Folklore Category. Kearsney is the second most decorated choir in the Games history, with 10 Gold and 6 Silver Medals from the

7 World Choir Games that have been held to date. The 2012 World Choir Games attracted 15,000 participants and 352 choirs from 61 nations.

Music

2 Boys performed for the KZN Youth Orchestra
1 Boy was selected to the KZN Youth Wind Band

Outreach

9,471 Hours of community service were performed by Kearsney boys

Other

7 Boys were awarded the President's Award (The Duke of Edinburgh Award) Gold Class

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