

Cultural

Choir

Won 3 Gold Medals and World Champion status at the 2014 World Choir Games in Latvia. The World Choir Games is the biggest choir competition in the world, attracting 27 000 participants in 460 choirs from 73 nations in 2014. The Kearsney College Choir, with 13 Gold medals and 6 silver medals, is the second-most decorated Choir in the history of the Games. The Choir is currently ranked 8th in the world overall.

Outreach

Kearsney has an extensive community service programme which affords each boy the opportunity to serve and contribute to the community. Kearsney boys recorded 13 371 hours of community service in 2014.



International Exchange

Exchange Students: 14 Grade 10 boys went on a term's exchange to the following schools - Catholic University School in Dublin; Box Hill School in Surrey; Canberra Grammar School; St Peters in Adelaide, Christ Church Grammar School in Perth and Rossall School in Lancashire, England.

Kearsney hosted 10 incoming exchange students from England, Ireland and Australia.

President's Award

2 Boys achieved a Gold Award in the President's Award (Duke of Edinburgh's International Award) Programme.

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KEARSNEY COLLEGE

Founded in 1921



At a Glance 2014

Kearsney: the benchmark for academic excellence

Outstanding 2014 IEB examination results:

100% pass rate and **98.4% Bachelor Degree** (university exemption) pass rate;

A third of boys achieved three or more distinctions;

240 Distinctions at an average of 1.95 per boy;

Mathematics: 47% of boys achieved distinctions (IEB schools' ave: 26.2%).
Two boys placed in top 1% in SA; Kearsney average mark: 75%;

Physical Sciences: 37% of boys achieved distinctions (IEB schools' ave: 12.9%).
Seven boys in top 48 in SA. 60% of Kearsney boys wrote Physical Sciences and the average mark was 71%;

Engineering Graphics & Design: 52% achieved distinctions. Top eight candidates in SA;
86% of **Music** and 47% of **Drama** candidates achieved distinctions.



Mathematics

Harmony Gold Mathematics Olympiad: 7 boys in KZN top 100 Seniors;
11 boys in KZN top 100 Juniors

English

De Beers English Olympiad: 4 boys achieved gold certificates

isiZulu

A number of boys finished in the top 10 in South Africa in each Grade:
Grade 8s - Six boys; Grade 9s - 2 boys and Grade 10s - 1 boy.

Annual Academic Awards

A third of matric boys received Academic awards (aggregate over 75%)
7 Boys received Academic Honours Cum Laude (aggregate over 86%)
19 received Academic Honours (aggregate of 80-85%)
10 received Academic Colours (aggregate of 75-79%)

Sporting Excellence

58 Kearsney boys were selected to represent KZN and 7 to represent South Africa in various age groups across the sports codes.



KZN Rugby: James Hall, Tijde Visser (Academy),
Tristan Dixon and Tristan Tedder

Hockey

1 Boy selected for SA U18
1 Boy SA U18 5s Captain
2 Boys selected for SA U16
25 Boys selected in four age categories for KZN Southern Coastals

Rugby

3 Boys selected for KZN U18
1 Boy for KZN U18 Academy
1 Boy for KZN High Schools 7s team
2 Boys signed for Junior Sharks
(one from 2014 and one from 2013)
1 Boy signed for EP Kings Rugby
Kearsney Staff Members in official positions:
KZN U18 Craven Week Manager
SA Schools Rugby Manager
U18 Craven Week Coach

Cricket

1 Boy selected for KZN Coastals U19A
1 Boy selected for KZN Coastals U17A
Dolphins U15 Player of the Year
Kyle Abbott (Class of 2005) played for the
Sunfoil Dolphins and Proteas

Basketball

4 Boys selected for KZN U20
1 Boy selected for SA U20

Golf

1 Boy selected for KZN U23
1 Boy selected for KZN U19
1 Boy selected for SA Schools (2nd year
running)
2 Boys selected for KZN Schools A team

Squash

1 Boy selected for KZN U19B
2 Boys selected for KZN U16A

Swimming

1 Boy selected for KZN
1 Boy selected for KZN Junior Performer
Squad
1 Boy selected for KZN Open Water

Tennis

1 Boy selected for KZN U19A
1 Boy selected for KZN U19B
1 Boy selected for KZN U15B

Water polo

3 Boys selected for KZN U19B
Julian Lewis (Kearsney Class of 2013) was
chosen for the SA Senior Men's World Cup.



Bili Ntuli: SA U18 Hockey and
SA U18 5s Captain



Gregory Mckay: SA Schools Golf