

Springfield's superb sportswomen!!!!

This has been a bustling term in terms of sports at Springfield with the winter sports now in full swing. We are proud to report that several of our girls have been selected to represent Western Province in a variety of sport. The following girls have been selected for Hockey:

We are sure these girls are not only going to make WP but also Springfield proud!

WP U18 'A' : Emily Tullis (captain) & Katie Winter

WP U18 'B' : Nicola Packham, Caroline Wood & Paige Alcock

WP U18 South: Jenna Spiers, Catherine Lacey & Toni Leach

WP U16 'A' : Georgie O'Keeffe

WP U16 South: Jaide Roberts & Caroline Sparks

WP U14 South: Georgia Moir, Georgia Cowling, Christine Seggie, Tori Warner & Philippa Forshaw

WP Squash Representatives 2011

WP U19: Dominique van Lienden

WP U16 Reserve: Clare Downie

- Lisa Cowling swam the freedom Swim and came third overall – a remarkable achievement!!!!
- Dana Johnstone was awarded the 2nd best Highland Dancer in South Africa for 2010 in the 13-15 age group.
- Shelley Faulmann competed in 12 WP Lifesaving Championships and received 7 gold, 1 silver and 4 bronze medals and won the best competitor award. K Heath also won a gold medal.

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Spotlight on Springfield

!Hola Chickas!!!!!!

On Sunday 3 April a very excited group of hockey players met at the Cape Town International Airport to depart on their tour of Argentina. After a three hour delay the plane was on its way to Ezeisa Airport in Buenos Aires.

The first port of call in BA was a small hotel downtown called Viasui. That would be where the group stayed most of the time while in Argentina.

In between the excitement of touring BA, a trip to the Tigre region and shopping in the famous Florida Street in BA, the girls also played various hockey matches in and around BA. Two of these were played against high schools in the area namely Collegio Santa Theresa and Northlands. The bulk of the hockey matches were played in central BA at the Club de Ciudad Buenos Aires. Springfield did very well at the hockey festival and progressed to the semi-finals.

The tour proved to be an enormous success and proved that the Springfield hockey players can compete with the best in the world.



What an exciting, wonderful time was had by all!

Thanks to all who made this tour come true!

A bevy of beauties at Kelvin Grove!

The annual Matric Dance held at Kelvin Grove in April was, as usual, a great success. The girls and their handsome partners looked absolutely splendid.

The theme of this fairytale night was 'Starry, starry night' and the decoration of the venue reflected style and simplicity.

The Matric Dance Committee of 2011 and the teachers involved outdid themselves. It was a night the Class of 2011 won't easily forget.

Choir Tour to Europe.

Many months of committed hard work culminated in the Springfield Chamber Choir's visit to Austria and the Czech Republic during the Easter break, with well-received performances in Salzburg, Prague and Vienna. The hills were alive with the sound of Springfield music!



The teachers who accompanied the Choir commended the girls for their enthusiasm and good

team spirit, this due in no small measure to the excellent leadership displayed by Choir Head Sarah Elphick. The last stop in the highly successful and most enjoyable tour was Istanbul, where the girls tested their bargaining skills in the Grand Bazaar before embarking on their flight home, laden with purchases and filled with happy memories.

Kira is Queen of Maths!

Special congratulations goes to Kira Düsterwald in Grade 12 for her outstanding achievements in Mathematics. She has just won a gold award at the UCT Mathematics competition, presented at the Baxter theatre on 1st June. She has also been selected as part of the South African team of six to participate in the 52nd International Mathematics Olympiad in Amsterdam in July 2011.

Outreach



Members of the Outreach Portfolio lending a helping hand by making sandwiches which will be distributed to those in need.

WBHS Choir Festival



Earlier this month the Senior School Choir participated in the Wynberg Boys High School's annual Choral Festival. We contributed two items - *Linden Lea* and *Kinders van die Wind*. The evening was very entertaining and the Springfield girls particularly

enjoyed the contributions from the boys schools' serenade groups. We also participated in the Massed Choir song which stretched the capacity of the Clegg Hall to its limits! Next year the event is to be held at the City Hall.