President’s Report

On behalf of the members of the Collegians’ Committee over the last three and a half years, I would like to extend a vote of thanks to Graeme Jackson for his dedication in leading the Collegians as President. Graeme saw us through the Jubilee year and into the new millennium.

I would also like to thank Jayne Taylor for her outstanding work in getting the Collegians’ finances back in line. We are now up to date with our auditing procedures. Graeme’s fine guidance into the ‘brave new world’ that is this new millennium leaves us with a dilemma. Now what? We survived the Jubilee, Y2K and endless Crows questions at Quiz Night. Where does this Association go from here?

Our Strategic Planning Session on June 2nd should go some way to addressing these issues. Meanwhile, I hope to see many of you at the events planned for this year.

Simon Stevens
2000 President

Community News

Nicola Insall (90-2) is working at the Women’s and Children’s Hospital using ultrasound technology for babies. Her husband Alan Redford-Insall, formerly the sous-chef at Jolley’s, has recently move to To Relish on King William Road.

Dave Wildy (90-2) is married and living in a converted warehouse in London where he often sees Jim Nayler (89-91).

Chris Brooke (86-7) is our Olympic torchbearer!

Emma McSporran (95-8) is working as an occupational therapist in Port Augusta.

Now Executive Officer with the Division of Finance & Infrastructure at The University of Adelaide, Chris has been invited to Graduates’ Dinner on 1 May.

Kate Heinrich (95-6) has started teaching Grade 4 in Portland, Vic.

Tom Hall (96-8), taking a year off from medical studies, is working in the vineyards and as a subject for medical experiments.

Stephanie Smee (89)

Film Night – June 11

The Collegians warmly welcome all and sundry to the Piccadilly Cinema on Sunday 11th June at 7 pm to see Mission Impossible II. Light supper, cheese and wine will be available after the show in the Candy Bar.

Cost: $7 concession & $10 for adults

Tickets are available through your friendly committee member prior to the night and on the night if you are pre-booked. Check out the official web site on:

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Simon Stevens
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Vice President:
Ben Hartley

Secretary:
Justine Baggs

Treasurer:
Jayne Taylor

Committee:
Greg Chilman
Graeme Jackson
Sharon Ryan
Stephen Woolley
and her husband Paul Schoff have an 8-month-old baby. She is returning to work part-time at Mallesons in Sydney after 18 months in London.

Anne Skeer (89-92) married Chris Gangemi in March. Mel Chilman (90-1) married Ben Porter last October. Bonne Lee (87-91) is also married. Congratulations everyone!

Peg (Tong 68) Barker’s daughter Catherine is CEO of the Boston Philharmonic Orchestra, of which the conductor, Benjamin Zander, visited Adelaide and gave an inspiring lecture last September.

George Plionis (88-91) is in Sydney making funky street-style jewellery that Elle Magazine says is “as much chic as cheek”.

Dr Rachael Murphy (88-91) is engaged! Sarah Cartwright (97-8) visited the Visual Arts Studio in New York in February-March.

Jayne (Stiller 89-91) Taylor has a dramatic hobby – Flamenco dancing! She and her husband Patrick are planning to visit Morocco and Spain later this year where she will look for new frilly dresses, castanets and fans. (We’re your fans Jayne! – eds)

Here is a beautiful picture of Hiroshi Kondo (88-9) with his wife and three beautiful children.

Dr Tom Lemon (91-3) is on placement as a doctor in Clare for six months. He and his fiancee are looking for a permanent rural position because they love the lifestyle.

Simon Strachan (87-9) and his wife Ann have moved to Melbourne. Simon is working in the design department at Holden and Ann plans to go to law school. Meanwhile Belinda (Procter 85-8) Hoult and her family are making plans to visit her brother in Vietnam in October.

Tim Grigg (88-90) and his wife Bianca had a baby boy in February.

David Bassanese (86) is the senior interest rate analyst with Macquarie Bank.

Jessie Lai (95-6) is working as a lending consultant with Australian Associated Advisors. Greg Chilman (94-6) is working with Boral.

Carolyn Anderson (83-8) is the senior IT policy advisor with the SA Government. Recently she organised Web Site in a Day, a ground-breaking event for charity which was won by a team with James Lenon (91-3) as the computing whiz.

Siao-Hui Wong (84-5) completed her law degree and after 7 years in legal practice joined Shell Malaysia in Kuala Lumpur, where she is married to Rabindra. Her friend Meow (84-5) has a lovely 8-month-old daughter.

Also a beautiful picture of Kaori Kamei (93-7) (below) who teaches Japanese at Westminster and performs Taiko drumming.

Dr Dale Allison (94-8) graduated last week with Honours in Medicine. He and Carmel are engaged. Also graduating is Hayden Plunkett (95-9) who works with Thomson Marconi Sonar.

Bryant McCafferty (95) is back in the States, and hoping to find some fellow alums. (He needs to be on Yahoo! St Ann’s Collegians Club)
**Collegians Association Strategic Planning**

Vital to the success of any organisation is a concept of vision and the road ahead. The nature and focus of the Collegians Association has changed over the past ten years, and the Committee has decided to address this by conducting a Strategic Planning Morning on Sunday June 2.

We are particularly looking for people who represent the first 30 years of the Association’s membership – before the 1980’s. If you are interested in participating in this three hour session and believe you can help the organisation shape its future, please call me, on 8239 8794.

Simon Stevens
President

**The Pav Party Report 2000**

The Collegians held the third annual Pav party on the 24th of March. This event pays homage to the opening of the Pavilion and allows the Collegians to mingle with current students while all parties enjoy a BBQ. It also involves a not so casual game of Volleyball between current students and Collegians.

This year’s event was quite a casual affair compared with previous years. Everyone seemed to enjoy a BBQ in the Rose Garden in fine sunny conditions. A small band of Collegians was in attendance to mix with current students. A small core of students gathered in the Pavilion itself to sample the beer provided by the Collegians (commercial beer this year as the home-brew died during creation - but that is another story). Fortunately for the Collegians this small group of beer drinkers also included some of the students Volleyball team.

The Collegians mustered together a team led ably by birthday boy Graeme Jackson and entered the tennis court only to suffer a shock...St Ann's had mysteriously become an all-boys College. Not a girl present. Scandal.

The match commenced with the Collegians taking a handy lead in the first set and eventually downing the students’ team. Either a little over-confidence or renewed determination in the students or the fact that St Ann's reverted back to being co-ed led to the students taking the second set.

The scene was set for a deciding third and final set. At 13-9 the Collegians were entering unknown territory as it looked like they might pull off a win for the first time in three attempts. However a late rally by the students and some controversial umpiring (yes the umpire always has to be in for some stick) combined to bring the Collegians unstuck. The score now sits at Students 3, Collegians 0.

It was however a good event with everyone leaving with smiles. A good number of people headed up to the Wellington following the match including current students of the College so it is good to see that a small casual gathering can bring a wide variety of people together.

Birthday boy Jackson was left pondering however and promised to return with a newly drafted team of volleyballers. We all wait in anticipation for next year…

Ben Hartley
Vice-President
The Commission informs us that our new Constitution passed at the 2000 AGM does not comply with the Act in that we fail to specify the powers of the Association. The Act actually specifies powers and therefore we did not consider it necessary to make it explicit. Technically we have been operating on the basis of the powers set out in the Act and all we would need to do to comply with the Commission’s requirements would be to insert a clause confirming this.

At the moment the new Rules are our rules and they have been lodged, but the Commission won’t register them until we add in the clause about powers.

Notice of Special General Meeting of the St Ann’s Collegians’ Association Inc.
187 Brougham Place, North Adelaide

AGENDA
St Ann’s Collegians Association Inc. Special General Meeting
Wednesday 3rd May 2000
6.30 pm
AT THE COLLEGE

Meeting Opens 6.30pm in the Tutorial Rooms

1) Present/Apologies

2) Proposed resolution that the clause:

"POWERS
The Association shall have all the powers conferred by Section 25 of the Act."

be inserted in the Rules of the Association.

Miss Bush, Principal of the College 1953-61, passed away on 31 March 2000.
R.I.P.