



NEWS FROM THE COTTAGE:

Another year in the life of Epworth has started – we welcome the new girls and hope they will settle into the routine of High School quickly. Our Class of 2009 certainly did us proud, there was 100% pass rate with some exceptional personal achievements. Our Dux, **Roxanne Govender**, who obtained 9 A's, was in the top 1% of achievers in Life Science and was placed in the top 50 IEB candidates in the country. She was also first in KwaZulu-Natal.

Nikki Melis also obtained 9 A's, coming in the top 1% in Accounting and Geography. **Gillian Jacobs** came third with 8 A's. **Amber Morkel** was in the top 1% of pupils in Consumer Studies and **Tamika Haw** was in the top 1% in Geography. 8 pupils achieved 'A' aggregates, while 58 % of our pupils achieved a 'B' aggregate or above. 29% of all subject symbols achieved were A's. Well done to all the girls, their parents and to the Epworth Staff.

Bridget Johnsen (Boswell) '77 popped in recently, she left with an armload of Epworth Admission literature.

SCHOOL NEWS:

During the holidays, **Nadia Ramchandra** represented South Africa in the World of Squash Team that competed in the Western Australian Championships in Perth, winning the Open Ladies doubles category. Well done, Nadia, and Coach **Sally White!**

Epworth was once again well represented in the 2010 Hansa Powerade Dusi Canoe Marathon. Participants ranged from a Board member, Staff, Epworthians to present pupils. Epworth is also extremely proud of all its past pupils who took part in this year's Dusi, especially **Robyn Kime 2007** and her partner, who came 1st Ladies overall, and **Abby Adie 2007** and her partner who came 2nd overall. **Tamika Haw 2009** who, with **Brittany Petersen**, won the Ladies U18 section.

Argus Cycle Tour and Epworth Cycle Tour: This year, the girls are starting in Cape Town on 18 March after riding in the Argus on 14 March and cycling north to PMB – follow their progress on the website.

LOOKING FORWARD TO:

Saturday 8th May is Epworthian Day!

Looking for Classes '50' 60' 70' 80' 85' 90 '95 2000.

Phone a friend and join us! Also calling ALL Dance Company dancers - we need to hear from you!

Port Elizabeth Epworthians - we need accommodation for the cyclists on the 31st March- Please help us!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- 28th Feb: [Drak Challenge](#) Canoeists - Look out for us at the finish.
- 28th Feb: [Epworth Mudman](#) Calling energetic adventure sports supporters to [Albert Falls](#). Visit www.epworth.co.za for further information on registration.
- 6th March: [High School Open Day](#)
9:30am to 12:30pm Prospective parents and daughters, we'd love to show you the old And the new!
- 13th March: [Pre-Primary and Primary School Open Day](#)
8:30am to 11:00am Prospective parents of Pre-Primary and Primary aged boys and girls, we'd love you to join us!
- 9th and 10th March: [Malawi Promotion](#) Meet the Principal (Mrs Liz Klug) and Ann Fincham. Contact Ann on marketing@epworth.co.za for further information.
- 16th March: [Cape Town Reunion](#)
17:30 for 18:00 Calling all Epworthians! Meet the Epworth cyclists, Mrs Klug and Epworthian Exec Reps. Cocktail gathering: R75pp.

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