



# Bishops' High School Old Students' Association

Senior Class Notes

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## Annual Outing—Tradition in the Making?

Members of the Senior Class identified different places they would like to visit. Two persons have suggested an overland trip to Lethem. Another has put a visit to Tobago on the table. Will either of these become a reality?

If the decision is left to the current members of the Seniors' Committee, the answer may well be NO! We are less adventurous than the seniors themselves and have organized safer trips. Last year, we arranged a visit to the Heritage Museum at Metenmeer-zorg. This year we chose Prairie Hotel on the East Bank of Demerara.

While both outings were thoroughly enjoyable, the excitement a longer trip could generate would be something to behold. We may have to reconsider out timidity. Or, maybe, some members of the Senior Class would get together to arrange a safari!

There is a lot of time plan for 2009. Any takers? Do contact Elsie Croal, Pat Gordon, Geraldine Halls, Evelyn Hamilton, Janice Jackson or Wendel Roberts if you're ready to get the ball rolling.

## Easter Outing

By Audrey Odle

On Holy Saturday, March 22, we got together, some 25 Senior Past Students of Bishops', on a leisurely, relaxing trip to the Prairie International Hotel sited on the eastern bank of the Demerara river, approximately 15 miles from Georgetown. At a time when travelling on our roads is so often hazardous, we delighted in the safety and comfort of our transportation to and from our destination.

The occasion was yet another welcome opportunity for us simply to meet and immerse ourselves in nostalgic exchanges of our myriad recollections about our school days. How thoughtful of those caring enough about our increasingly fragile selves to have arranged the out.

We partook heartily of a delicious meal, gazing wistfully upon the tranquil beauty of the Demerara river. Perhaps, there was only one missing ingredient of the moment ... a couple of kites to fly!

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See [bhsosa.org.gy](http://bhsosa.org.gy) for more photographs.



## Recognizing Excellence

On Thursday, February 21, 2008, the Oswald Parry Hall was abuzz with excitement as the Bishops' High School hosted the Annual Prize Giving Ceremony. Among the guests were members of the Senior Class who enjoyed the proceedings.

Entertainment featured highly on the programme. Students performed dances and verse speaking while members of the BHS Steel Orchestra demonstrated their skills. The Staff Choir took the stage, much to the delight of the guests and students.

The Headteacher, Ms. Elizabeth Isaacs-Walcott, was loud in her praise of the students' performance. She noted that students achieved a pass rate of 96.57% at the Caribbean Examination Council Secondary Education Certificate, with 100% passes in 16 of 25 subjects, including Agriculture Science (Double Award), Biology, English Language A, Social Studies and Technical Drawing.

## Let's Celebrate

May 1 Megan Richmond  
May 23 Thelma Holder  
Jun 12 Greta Fletcher  
Jun 13 Florence Sukhdeo

Jun 21 Megan Bender  
Jun 22 Thelma Ekuban  
Jul 10 Doreen Barrington  
Jul 10 Nella Dorsett-Sutherland

## What's Next?

Here's your opportunity to share your experiences at BHS with current students. Pull out the old school journal, tie or neat book. Dust off the photographs of school friends, teachers or events. Reflect on the rules, regulations and procedures. Recall the field trips, house days and various sports.

The exchange with students will take place at BHS during the last week of the term. We invite seniors to come prepared to demonstrate to the current students that the "old days" were indeed "good old days" in many ways.

Give the youngsters a treat they'll never forget. Bridging the ages could be pleasure for all.

## Seeing Doubles?

Test your eyesight. Is what you see really what you get? Have a look at the picture below. What do you see?



The word TEACH reflects as LEARN.



You probably read the word ME in brown, but.....when you look through ME you will see YOU!

