

## **1990**

The development of Australind Senior High School saw numbers fall at B.S.H.S.

We came third in the "Managing the Australian Economy" competition.

Year 12 Speech and Drama students received tremendous ovations for their 40 minute musical drama performance at Subiaco's Regal Theatre, in the Ministry of Education FACETS - a performing arts festival.

OSCAR (Our School Cares About Recycling) was introduced, by Mrs Dowley (current Librarian!)

## **1991**

The Eagles visited the school!

Students lunched with the Premier.

An Outdoor Education camp was held at Kalbarri.

The Home Economics facilities were upgraded.

## **1992**

Beginning of Pathways courses for Upper School.

Rock Eisteddfod.

Concert Band went on tour with Australind Band to Albany.

B.S.H.S. wins the W.A. title of the Dupont National Schools Cooking Challenge.

Visit by Setagaya Committee.

VISIONS - High School Art Exhibition at Bunbury Art Galleries.

Re-introduction of guitar to curriculum.

Trip to Bali.

## **1993**

**70TH ANNIVERSARY.**

Eisteddfod success - awards for \* Best new school \* best choreography \* best soundtrack \* most entertaining

New courses in Year 12 - Office Systems; Performing Arts.

Ski trip.

## **1994**

A SAD YEAR - WE LOST A VERY SPECIAL TEACHER - MR GRAHAM PARKIN; AND A VERY SPECIAL YEAR 12 STUDENT - TANYA McGINNIS.

Large increase in number of students in Performing Arts.

## **1995**

**FIRST PRIZE IN ROCK EISTEDDFOD.**

A dispute between the Education Department and the Teacher's Union which lasted most of the year saw many activities suspended or cancelled.

E-Team - a business management team of students - were placed at SCM for a week's research.



## **1996**

Work began on the new Performing Arts Centre.

A new summer school dress was introduced.

821 students were enrolled.

BSHS won a trophy at the Aqua Spectacular in the Dragon Boat Regatta.

Interschool Triathlon was held.

Third place in the Rock Eisteddfod.

The school held a Gala Performance evening over 3 nights in the Bunbury Entertainment Centre.

Performing Arts Scholarship first awarded.

Year 8 "Teams" approach was first trialled.

Modifications began at the end of this school year to the physical structure of the school in preparation for the arrival in 1997 of 2 disabled students in wheelchairs. The school therefore is able to meet future needs of such students.

## **1997**

Performing Arts centre open and being used.

History students visited the Holocaust Centre.

Year 11s competed in the finals of the Hammerskjold 1997 ( a U.N.O. model).

Indonesian class visited Bali.

Gala Night again a success.

Drama group called Theatrix put on public drama performances.

Theatre trip to Melbourne for Drama students.

Eisteddfod awards - best lighting; student initiative; costumes and student leadership.

School Principal, Mr Brian Wansbrough, retired.

The first female Principal of B.S.H.S, Mrs Suzanne Saunders, was appointed.

Theatre group trip to Melbourne in the first term of the holidays - saw "Phantom of the Opera".

Official opening of the Performing Arts Centre.

French students taking a trip to Reunion Island for a month.

75th Anniversary of B.S.H.S - opening day May 9th.

Drama group called Theatrix puts on a drama performance called "Dags".

The Country Week football team - will they finally win ??

## 1998

The 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school on the hill.

The school's ASSPA Committee presented an Indigenous dot painting to the school. The painting depicts the school's emblem and it's past, present and future.

A year 8 camp was held at Busselton.

Merit awards called S.A.M. (System for Awarding Merits) were introduced. These rewarded students for achievement in all aspects of school like.

The school won the Worksafe Debating Competition.

At Country Week the school was the runner up for Champion School – so close!

Amy Della-Sale won first prize for Upper School painting and Best overall in Upper School at the Visions Art Exhibition.

Forrest won the Athletics carnival ... again.

The school was awarded best choreography, drama skills, school community and excellence and Performer's choice at the Rock Eisteddfod. Overall we were the runners-up in this competition.

For the first time we had 2 Italian exchange students, while 4 of our students went on a 4 week trip to Reunion Island for French studies.

In the Interschool Athletics carnival we won the Upper and Lower School Shields as the Handicap Points Shield.

The Boys Hockey team won Country Week so played the Metropolitan Champions – Como, in the State Champion school's final and won!

A Drug Awareness Day was held.

Drama students went to Melbourne for a fantastic theatre tour.

# **1999**

Pam Vittorio, of Home Economics, retired after 28 years at the school.

Chris Smith, a teacher from Canada, spent a year with us on exchange in the D & T department.

Kate Ferguson won the upper school prize in the Visions Exhibition.

The Sir Charles Court Leaders Day and National Youth Leaders Day were attended by students.

Some students attended the Medical Residential Workshop for 3 days at UWA.

A new W.A. flag was donated to the school by Ian Osborne, MLA.

Six months of planning by the S&E department culminated in a Medieval Day for year 8s on the school oval. This day demonstrated cross curricula activities and students dressed in costume for the day.

At Country Week Phillipa Chandler was overall Speech champion while boys hockey, footy and girls netball won their competition.

Forrest won the Athletics ..... yet again!

The school again won the Upper, Lower and Handicap Shields at the Interschool Athletics.

“Bats” was performed by the Drama students.

The school went ‘online’ for the first time.

Incursions included ‘Artworks’, Bell Shakespeare, ‘Aboriginal c/ulture’ and ‘Graduate College of Dance’.

The Outdoor Education group again went to Murchison Gorge.

Year 12 Hospitality group ran the “Legend’s Café” which was much appreciated by staff!

French students went to Jurien Bay and Reunion Island.

Josh Brown of year 10 won the Italian Festival Week for his year group.

