

# St Patrick's CBC



## CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE RECOGNISED SPORTS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES 2019

### ACADEMIC

### SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Biathlon  
Hockey

Cricket  
Netball

Chess  
Soccer

Swimming  
Tennis

### CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

Dramatic Arts  
Music  
The Collegian

Redenaars  
Debating  
Dance

Choir  
Pipe Band

Land Service  
Public Speaking

### ACHIEVEMENT

The Committee reserves the right to assess the standard of all expos, competitions, Olympiads etc. before making awards.

National Olympiads  
Expo for Young Scientists  
National Science Essay Competition  
MINQUIZ

National Competitions  
Provincial Competitions  
Special National Olympiads  
Science and Technology HS Quiz

### ERS

Community Service

Outreach Projects

Justice Awareness Projects

### CATHOLIC CHAPEL SERVICE

Altar Server

Sacristan

### LEADERSHIP

### SERVICE

Tuckshop Assistant  
Media Computer Monitor

Media Library Monitor  
General Contribution

### PLEASE NOTE:

For achievement in activities NOT mentioned in the Constitution, but on par with the St Patrick's CBC criteria for awards, an award of equivalent status (Junior or Senior) may be considered at the discretion of the committee. Refer to guidelines attached at the end of this document.



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## 1. MEMBERSHIP

- 1.1 There will be no fewer than five and no more than seven standing members.
- 1.2 All standing members will be involved in the activities in the High School.
- 1.3 The standing members will be representative of all areas of the St Patrick's CBC:
  - Religious Education and Service
  - Academics and Leadership
  - Sport
  - Culture
  - Olympiads and other competitions
  - Additional member: Chairperson
- 1.4 In the event of one person holding two or more of the designations in 1.3 the St Patrick's CBC reserves the right to appoint a person with suitable expertise to the Committee. The Head of St Patrick's CBC and standing members will decide on the additional member to be co-opted onto the Committee.
- 1.5 Should any of the above offices not exist, other persons of suitable expertise may be appointed as per 1.4.
- 1.6 One of the above will function as the Chair of the Committee.
- 1.7 One of the above will function as the Secretary of the Committee.
- 1.8 Apart from their specific area of expertise, all Committee members must be familiar with the Constitution.
- 1.9 The Chair will liaise with the Head of St Patrick's CBC after meetings to ratify awards made.
- 1.10 The Chair will liaise with the Head of St Patrick's CBC after the annual Constitution meeting (usually before Birthday Weekend) or after an extra-ordinary Constitution meeting to amend the new Constitution.
- 1.11 Meetings will be held two weeks prior to an award ceremony. Award ceremonies will be held once a term.
- 1.12 Amendments to the Constitution can only be made at an extra-ordinary Constitution meeting during the year. A written motivation as well as a presentation for such an amendment to be considered, has to be made. (see points 7.1 – 7.5)

## 2. VOTING

- 2.1 A member of the Committee will act as a Chairperson when voting on a nomination made by the elected Chairperson.
- 2.2 Voting on all awards will be by an 80% majority.
- 2.3 No abstentions will be permitted.

## 3. MEETINGS

- 3.1 The Committee will meet **at least** once per term.
- 3.2 Under exceptional circumstances voting by proxy will be permitted if a committee member is unable to be present at a meeting. This is to be regarded as the exception. A written proxy vote is to be presented to the Chair of the Committee in advance.
- 3.3 A quorum consists of 80% of members.

## 4. NOMINATIONS

- 4.1 Sports coaches, teachers in charge of an activity or other staff members may submit nominations. This includes those outside the St Patrick's CBC involved in St Patrick's CBC activities.
- 4.2 Written nominations must be lodged with the Chair **48 hours** before a scheduled meeting of the Committee. The Chair will distribute copies of the nominations to committee members at least **24 hours** before the meeting.

- 4.3 The nominator might be required to attend the meeting to motivate the nomination.
- 4.4 Someone other than a Committee member, with expertise in a specific relevant area, may sit in on the meeting to assist the nominator with the motivation of an award. This person will not be entitled to vote.
- 4.5 Should the nominee be a son/daughter of a Committee member, that Committee member must recuse him/herself from the meeting where said nomination is made and discussed.
- 4.6 Nominations for activities will be made once the season for that particular activity has finished.
- 4.7 Nominators must be familiar with all aspects of the Constitution.
- 4.8 Nominators must submit detailed nominations on the specified form attached as **Addendum A**. It is the right of the Committee to refuse to consider any nomination which it deems to be inadequately motivated.
- 4.9 Where proof of attendance is required, attendance registers must be submitted.

## 5. **RULES**

### 5.1 **STANDING RULES: PREREQUISITES FOR AWARDS**

#### 5.1.1 **HALF- AND FULL COLOURS**

- These will be awarded on the basis of talent and expertise shown by the nominee/group.
- Only misdemeanours, which occurred **during the season** in question, **or the six (6) months immediately preceding** the nomination may be taken into consideration when the nominations are discussed. The seriousness of the misdemeanour will be taken into account for day scholars as well as hostel dwellers. Any transgression of the Code of Conduct will be considered in the awarding of Half and Full Colours.
- A withheld award will not be reconsidered during the season of the withholding nor within 6 months of the transgression. The same nomination will only be reconsidered after a period of 6 months during which no similar or other transgressions of the Code of Conduct have occurred.

#### 5.1.2. **COLOURS BLAZERS AND HONOURS BLAZER**

- The above blazer awards are intended for pupils in grades 10 – 12. However, under exceptional circumstances, and at the discretion of the Committee, a pupil in grade 8 and 9 may be considered.
- The nominee must show consistent loyalty to the St Patrick's CBC.
- The nominee must be a good influence on fellow pupils.
- The nominee will have shown respect and courtesy towards peers and adult members of the St Patrick's CBC community.
- The nominee must participate in at least one other St Patrick's CBC activity than the one for which the award is made (with the exception of a grade 12 pupil)
- Any transgressions of the Code of Conduct will be considered in the awarding of Colours and Honours Blazers.

### 5.2 **RULES FOR AWARDING SCROLLS AND BLAZERS**

#### 5.2.1 **AWARDING OF HALF- AND FULL COLOURS**

- Half and Full Colours will be awarded according to specific criteria laid down for each activity.
- No pupil may be awarded Half and Full Colours for the same activity or achievement in the same season or year.
- If a pupil does not fulfil the basic requirements of the sport – e.g. attendance, fair play etc. then the **nomination form must still be completed, BUT** with accompanying documentation as to why the award should **not** be made.
- The award will be made at a Special Assembly to which parents will be invited.

## 5.2.2. AWARDING OF BLAZERS

### THE ST PATRICK'S CBC COLOURS BLAZER (Navy)

#### GENERAL

- Blazers may be awarded at any occasion considered appropriate by the Committee.
- The St Patrick's CBC Head Prefect will be awarded the Colours Blazer on appointment.

The Colours Blazer award will be awarded according to one of the following criteria:

- I) The blazer may be awarded as per the specified criteria laid out for each activity covered by the Constitution.
- II) A blazer may also be awarded for being an all-rounder on a points system. A blazer awarded under this system **is not subject to a re-award**. This blazer may be awarded at the same ceremony **after** the qualifying full or half colour award has been made.

#### THE COLOURS BLAZER FOR EXCELLENCE (Addendum F, Points system)

There are ten designated AREAS in the criteria for this Blazer:

1. Academics
2. Service
3. ERS
4. Sport
5. Cultural
6. Leadership
7. Language / World Knowledge
8. Maths / Accounting
9. Science
10. IT

Full colours will count 10 points. Half colours will count 5 points.

To be awarded the Colours Blazer on the points system the following requirements must be met:

- (i) The candidate must be in possession of THREE FULL colour awards in three DIFFERENT areas, **OR**
- (ii) The candidate must be in possession of TWO FULL colour awards AND TWO HALF colour awards ALL in DIFFERENT areas, **OR**
- (iii) The candidate must be in possession of ONE FULL colour award AND FOUR HALF colour awards ALL in DIFFERENT areas

#### In addition :

- (i) Re-awards will not be considered.
- (ii) Half Colours awarded for a particular activity in a designated area **will not be considered** should Full Colours have been awarded for that same activity. The highest award will be considered in that designated area.

## **THE ST PATRICK'S CBC HONOURS BLAZER (Cream)**

- This Blazer is only achievable in **Grades 10-12**.
- The nominee must have brought **great honour** to St Patrick's CBC.
- This award is to be seen as the **exception** rather than the rule.
- The Honours Blazer may be awarded for a single exceptional achievement.
- The award is not restricted to St Patrick's CBC pupils, but can be awarded to past pupils who matriculated at St Patrick's CBC.
- The nomination of an Honours award must be presented to the Chair with accompanying written motivation 48 hours before a scheduled meeting.
- The award will be of the form laid down by the Standing Rules.
- The Honours Blazer may be awarded at the Special Assembly held over the Birthday Weekend and in October at the annual High School Prizegiving or at any other occasion considered appropriate by the Committee.

## **6. WITHDRAWAL OF AWARDS**

Should the holder of any St Patrick's CBC award discredit St Patrick's CBC or be guilty of a serious transgression of the St Patrick's CBC Code of Conduct, any or all awards may be withdrawn at the discretion of the Executive Head after notification to the Chairperson and Committee.  
(cf. St Patrick's CBC Code of Conduct, Sections 3 and 4)

## **7. AMENDMENTS**

- 7.1 The Chair will give written notice of proposed amendments to the Constitution and Standing Rules at least **48 hours** before a scheduled meeting.
- 7.2 A **100%** attendance of Committee members is required.
- 7.3 An **80% majority** is required to amend the Constitution.
- 7.4 An **80% majority** is required to amend the Standing Rules.
- 7.5 All changes to the Constitution will be made after consultation with staff and persons involved in the areas covered by the Constitution.

## **8. NATURE OF AWARDS**

### **8.1 HALF COLOURS**

- This award will be in the form of a green scroll, worn on St Patrick's CBC blazer or Colours blazer.
- The cost of the scroll will be borne by St Patrick's CBC.
- Pupils will receive an accompanying certificate.

### **8.2 FULL COLOURS**

- This award will be in the form of a navy-blue scroll, worn on the St Patrick's CBC blazer or Colours Blazer.
- The cost of the scroll will be borne by St Patrick's CBC.
- Pupils will receive an accompanying certificate.

### **8.3 COLOURS BLAZER**

- The Colours Blazer will be navy-blue with the embroidered Colours pocket badge.
- The distinctive braiding will indicate each re-award.
- The cost of the award will be borne by St Patrick's CBC.
- Pupils will receive an accompanying certificate.

**OR**

The Colours Blazer may be awarded in the form of a framed Colours badge with a plaque/citation bearing the name of the recipient, the reason for the award and the date on which the award was made. The cost of the award will be borne by St Patrick's CBC.

#### 8.4 ST PATRICK'S CBC HONOURS AWARD

- The award will be a cream blazer with the cream Honours pocket badge.
- The cost of the award will be borne by St Patrick's CBC.
- Pupils will receive an accompanying certificate.

**OR**

The award will be the framed cream Honours badge with a plaque/citation bearing the name of the recipient, the reason for the award and the date on which the award was made.

This form of award is reserved for past students and is also an option for current pupils **in their Matric year**. The cost of the award will be borne by St Patrick's CBC. The decision for a blazer or framed badge will be made in consultation with the recipient.

### **CRITERIA FOR AWARDS**

#### **9. ACADEMIC**

NOTE:

- The percentage must reflect the average of the whole year's work, including the November exams. The 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> terms are weighted marks as they are exam terms.
- Percentages for Grade 10 to 12 pupils are calculated by taking the average of all recognized subjects offered by the pupil.
- The academic awards will be made at the first Honours and Colours Ceremony of the following year.
- There are occasional exceptions and where a teacher feels that a candidate has performed exceptionally in the academic sphere, the nomination must be made and the Committee will make the final decision.
- A pupil cannot be awarded both a Colours Blazer (for academics) as well as an Honours Blazer at the same ceremony.

#### **HALF- COLOURS**

- Grade 8 and 9 : Half Colours for 75% to 79,9%
- Grade 10 and 11 : Half Colours for a B aggregate
- Grade 12 pupils for achieving an aggregate mark of 65% to 69% in the IEB final Exams.

#### **FULL COLOURS**

- Grade 8 to 11 pupils for achieving an A aggregate
- Grade 12 pupils for achieving an aggregate mark of 70% to 79% in the IEB final exams.

#### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- This will be awarded once a pupil has received **THREE full academic colour awards** or when there has been exceptional performance in the academic sphere.

**OR**

- Any candidate who is ranked as being in the top 1% (Nationally) of **one or two subjects** in the Grade 12 IEB exam, will be awarded a Colours Blazer.

**OR**

- Grade 12 pupil achieving an aggregate of 80-84 % in the IEB final examinations

#### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- To be awarded if a pupil has fulfilled the standing criteria for the award of this Blazer.

**AND**

- Has achieved an aggregate of 85% or above for Grade 9 AND Grade 10 AND Grade 11. This aggregate is calculated using percentages of Terms 1 – 4 of an academic year.



**OR**

- Should a pupil be rated as one of the candidates for Commendable or Outstanding Achievement as announced by the IEB after the final Grade 12 IEB exams.

*[Commendable Achievement: Those pupils who have been ranked within the top 5% of candidates in **5** subjects and have achieved 80% or more in Life Orientation.*

*Outstanding Achievement: Those candidates who have been ranked within the top 5% of candidates in **six or more** subjects and have achieved 80% or more in Life Orientation.]*

**OR**

- Any candidate who is ranked as being in the top 1% (Nationally) of **three or more subjects**, in the Grade 12 IEB exam, will be awarded an Honours Blazer.

**OR**

- Should a pupil in Grade 12 attain an aggregate of 85% or above in the final Grade 12 exams.

## 10. SPORT

### 10.1 CRITERIA / STANDING RULES

- St Patrick's CBC awards will only be made to those pupils who have exhibited the required levels of behaviour, loyalty, punctuality, dedication and sportsmanship as laid down by St Patrick's CBC. A pupil who has earned a St Patrick's CBC award may not bring the name of St Patrick's CBC or the particular sporting code into disrepute.
- In order for a pupil to qualify for Honours and Colours Award, they have to maintain an attendance rate of 85% for practices and have a rate of 100% match attendance when selected. Failure to comply, requires the submission of a medical certificate and/or an official written notice from a parent.
- In order to receive any award, a pupil must be selected to **AND** participate (excluding National CBC) at the required level.
- An appropriate award to a pupil selected for a provincial B-side will be decided upon at the discretion of the committee.
- Should a pupil be selected, but not participate, the award may be given at the discretion of the Committee.
- A colours Blazer may only be given if a pupil is selected for a provincial team and participates in an inter provincial tournament at least twice in three years/ seasons from Grade 8-10, with continued participation in the third year.
- In order to receive any award, the organising body of an event should be affiliated to SASCOG. If there is any other accreditation body, it will be at the discretion of the committee.

### 10.2 General Awards Table for Sport

	Captains Tie	Half Colours	Full Colours	Colours Blazer / Framed Colours Badge	Honours Blazer / Framed Honours Badge
<b>Age Group 13 - 16</b>					
National Rep				X	
Provincial Rep			X	X X	
Regional Rep		X			
Chosen for a National CBC Team		X			
Winner of the Inter CBC Tournament		X			
<b>Age Group 17 - 21</b>					
National Rep					X
Provincial Rep				X	
Regional Rep		X			
Chosen for a National CBC Team		X			
Winner of the Inter CBC Tournament		X			
Participate in the Inter CBC Tournament					
1st Team Captain	X				
1st Team 3 Seasons		X			
1st Team 4 Seasons			X		
Loyalty & Perseverance for 4 years (not in the 1st Team)		X			

## **10.3 CHESS**

### **NOTE:**

Accumulation of points can happen as follows (as on 20 January 2018):

- One schools chess tournament
- **PLUS**
- 30 x standard rated games (20 games in the province and 10 games outside the province during a selection cycle. All the games must be rated.)
- **FOLLOWED BY**
- Northern Cape Schools Chess Provincial Trials (20 top players per age group AND category are invited to.....)
- **FOLLOWED BY**
- Northern Cape Closed Chess Championships (The provincial committee will decide how many players to take for each team, maximum of 10 players per team)
- **FOLLOWED BY**
- SAJCC (South African Junior Chess Championships).

### **STANDING RULES:**

- A candidate must be a regular player in the school team.
- A candidate must exhibit the required levels of behaviour, loyalty, dedication and sportsmanship as expected from a St Patrick's CBC pupil.

### **CERTIFICATE**

- Participated in a minimum of 30 standard CHESSA rated games during the selection cycle.

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Participated in a minimum of 30 standard CHESSA rated games during the selection cycle
- **AND**
- has been selected to participate in the Inter provincials.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- A candidate who has been awarded Northern Cape colours for chess
- **AND**
- has been selected and participated at the SAJCC.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate who has been awarded Northern Cape colours for chess,
- **AND**
- has participated at the SAJCC
- **AND**
- a candidate who has a CHESSA rating of at least 1700 points.

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate who has represented South Africa at national level
- **OR**
- A candidate who has a CHESSA rating of at least 1900 points.

## **10.4 SWIMMING**

All swimming awards are subject to full participation in school galas: (Inter-House, and Inter-CBC) and at the discretion of the Committee.

### **CERTIFICATE**

- Participation in Level 1 Age Group Gala (no qualifying times required)  
Intra Provincial / Inter District / Inter-CBC

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Qualifying for and participation in Level 2 Regional Age Group gala

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Receive a medal at Level 2 Regional Age Group gala (1<sup>st</sup> three places per age group).  
**OR**
- Qualifying for, and participation in, Level 3 Regional Age group gala (one of three regional events in country)  
**OR**
- Selected to represent NC and participate in the Inter-provincial Gala held in January/February (N-FS)  
**OR**
- Selected to represent NC and participate in the Inter-provincial Gala held in November (4+1).

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Receive a medal at Level 3 Regional Age Group Gala (1<sup>st</sup> three places per age group in one of the three regional events in the country)  
**OR**
- Qualifying for, and participation in, the SA National Junior Age Group Gala  
**OR**
- Selection and participation in SA Schools Competition

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Receives a medal at SA National Junior Age Group gala (12 – 18 years).  
**OR**
- Qualifies and participates in the SA Senior National Championships

## **10.5 BIATHLON**

The order of events is as follows: Trials, Inter-Provincial, GW Championships and SA Championships.

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Competes as a member of the St Patrick's CBC biathlon team for three (3) consecutive seasons

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Competes as a member of the St Patrick's CBC biathlon team for four (4) consecutive seasons  
**OR**
- Competes in an Inter-Provincial  
**OR**
- Competes in the Griqualand West Championships  
**AND**
- Obtains more than 1700 points in the same season.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Competes in the South African Championships  
**AND**
- Obtains more than 2000 points in the same season.

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Obtains a medal in the SA Championships (1<sup>st</sup> three places per age group)  
**OR**
- Represents SA at an International event.

## **10.6 COLOURS BLAZER FOR SPORT (POINTS SYSTEM)**

(See ADDENDUM C)

### **CRITERIA**

- A minimum of 20 points as per the table in **ADDENDUM C** must be accumulated per calendar year or 40 points over two or three years.
- The pupil must remain fully committed to the sport for full duration of time at school.
- The pupil must attend all practices and be available for all matches/galas and tours/clinics pertaining to that sporting code (Being a reserve does not qualify – a player must run on).
- For a pupil to qualify he/she must play in at least 80% of fixtures/galas per season (Sitting on the bench does not qualify – a player must run on).
- The pupil must uphold the honour and ethos of St Patrick's CBC and display customary sportsmanship while representing St Patrick's CBC or as a member of any provincial, national or representative team.
- A pupil must participate in at least one school sporting activity (see General Awards Table for Sport on page 10) before other departmentally recognized and indigenous games will be considered for points in the table.

# 11. CULTURAL

## 11.1 CHOIR

### STANDING RULES:

- A 90% attendance at practices/performances are required.
- Relevant information (also proof of attendance) must be provided to the Honours and Colours Committee.
- Blazers will be awarded at the discretion of the Committee.

### CERTIFICATE

- A certificate will be awarded if the pupil has been a member of the choir for one or more years.

### HALF COLOURS

- The recipient must have been a permanent member of St Patrick's CBC choir for one or more years.

#### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- The Choir as a whole obtained a Gold (80%+) or a Diamond (90%+) at M.A.D.D.Fest and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

**OR**

- The Choir has passed an ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA Initial Examination.

**OR**

- A permanent member of the school choir and/or the Kimberley Children's Choir for at least 2 years as well as being a member of the school choir.

### FULL COLOURS

- The recipient must have been a permanent member of St Patrick's CBC choir for one or more years.

#### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- The Choir as a whole obtained a gold (80%+) or a diamond (90%+) at M.A.D.D.Fest and/or any other Eisteddfod where same standard is met.

**OR**

- The Choir has passed an ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA Intermediate Examination.

**OR**

- A member of the school choir and/or the Kimberley Children's Choir for at least 3 years and a member of the school choir.

### COLOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have been a permanent member of St Patrick's CBC choir for two or more years.

#### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- The Choir as a whole obtained a diamond (90%+) at M.A.D.D.Fest and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

**AND**

- The Choir has passed an ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA Intermediate Examination with Distinction.

**OR**

- The Choir has been placed in a top three position in a Provincial or National Choir competition.

**AND**

- Performed a solo/lead role at a provincial or national choir competition.

## HONOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have been a permanent member of St Patrick's CBC choir for three or more years.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- The Choir as a whole obtained a diamond (90%+) at M.A.D.D.Fest and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

**AND**

- The Choir has won a National or International Choir Competition.

**AND**

- Performed a solo/lead role at a national or international choir competition.

**OR**

- The Choir has passed an ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA Advanced Examination.

**AND**

- Performed a solo/lead role in the examination.

## 11.2 DEBATING

### GENERAL INFORMATION

- List of debating competitions: Kimberley Debating League, the NPI League and the United Nations Mock General Assembly Debate, SA debating, World Style Debate, Moot Court, Water Works and Inter-CBC.
- External and qualified adjudication is required for the awarding of Half and Full colours
- Any nomination should have full motivation with accompanying documentation, where available, to present to the Committee.
- To qualify for Full Colours, the recipient must be a regular team debater participating in external and internal competitions.

### HALF COLOURS (Junior Debaters Qualify)

- Winning team in a listed/recognised competition – all members qualify
- OR**
- Best speaker in a team in a listed/recognised competition
- OR**
- A speaker who has been judged best speaker in a listed/recognised league
- OR**
- All members of the winning team in a listed/recognised league.

### FULL COLOURS (only senior debators/ Mixed teams qualify)

- Winning team in a listed/ recognised competition/league – all members qualify
- OR**
- A debater who has been judged the best speaker at a listed/recognised competition.
- OR**
- A speaker who has been judged best speaker in the Inter-schools' League in the Senior Section
- OR**
- All three members of the winning team in a listed/recognised competition
- OR**
- Debaters who have been selected to take part in the national competitions as specified under General Information.

### COLOURS BLAZER

- The winning team in recognised national competitions - all members qualify
- OR**
- A debater who has been judged the best provincial speaker at National level
- OR**
- A debater who has been judged the best speaker in a National competition.

## HONOURS BLAZER

- A debater who has been selected to, and participated in, an international competition (individually or as part of a team)

## 11.3 DRAMATIC ARTS

### Note:

1. All nominations for Drama must be made in consultation with persons deemed by the Committee as having the necessary expertise. These persons might be called upon to be present at meetings in order to motivate all nominations made or provide detailed descriptions and proof of qualifications met.
2. All performances must have been of a high standard and credible. Dedication and worth of a candidate's performance is to be taken into account.
3. 90% of all rehearsals and performances must have taken place. Registers to prove attendance must be provided.
4. Participation in an external production will only be taken into account if the candidate has been involved in the school's annual major stage production.
5. All awards are made at the discretion of the Honours and Colours committee.

## HALF COLOURS

- The recipient must have been involved in least ONE major stage production.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Have successfully performed solo items in at least two public concerts during the year of the award.
- OR**
- Have performed a two solo items in M.A.D.D.Fest receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## FULL COLOURS

- The recipient must have been involved in at least TWO major stage productions.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.
- OR**
- Have performed two solo items in different categories at M.A.D.D.Fest, receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## COLOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have been involved in at least THREE major stage productions.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Candidate must have successfully played a lead role in a major stage production
- AND**
- Have performed two solo items in different categories at M.A.D.D.Fest, receiving a diamond(90%) award for each and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.
- OR**
- Performed in a production or film festival which has attained national recognition such as FEDA, ATKV-Tienertoneel, Tswane Play Festival or Reza de Wet play competition.
- AND**
- Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.



## HONOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have been involved in at least FOUR major stage productions.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Candidate must have played a lead role or directed in a major stage production

**AND**

- Have performed three solo items in different categories at M.A.D.D.Fest, receiving a diamond(90%) award for each and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

**OR**

- Performed as a lead or directed in a production or film festival which has attained national/international recognition such as FEDA, ATKV-Tienertoneel, Tswane Play Festival or Reza de Wet play competition.

**AND**

- Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.

## 11.4 MUSIC

### **Note:**

1. All nominations for Music must be made in consultation with persons deemed by the
  - i. Committee as having the necessary expertise. These persons must be present at
  - ii. meetings to motivate all nominations made **or** provide detailed descriptions and proof
  - iii. of qualifications met.
2. The Matric Practical Standard is only grade 5.
3. All awards are made at the discretion of the Honours and Colours committee.

## HALF COLOURS

- The recipient must have played and passed a practical music exam on a standard equivalent to ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA grade 3 as a minimum requirement for Half Colours.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Have successfully performed a solo item in at least two public concerts during the year of the award.

**OR**

- Have been a permanent member of at least one St Patrick's CBC instrumental ensemble for at least one year, and have attended 90% of all rehearsals and/or performances.

**OR**

- Have performed a solo item in M.A.D.D.Fest receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## FULL COLOURS

- The recipient must have played and passed a practical music exam on a standard equivalent to ABRSM, TRINITY or UNISA grade 5 as a minimum requirement for Full Colours.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Have successfully performed a solo item in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.

**OR**

- Have been a permanent member of at least one St Patrick's CBC instrumental ensemble for at least two years, and have attended 90% of all rehearsals and/or performances.

**OR**

- Have performed a solo item in M.A.D.D.Fest receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## COLOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have played and passed a practical music exam on a standard equivalent to ABRSM, TRINTIY or UNISA grade 6 as a minimum requirement for a Colours blazer.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Have successfully performed a solo item in at least three public concerts during the year of the award, including one at regional/provincial level.

**OR**

- Have been a permanent member of at least one St Patrick's CBC and/or similar instrumental ensemble for at least three years, and have attended 90% of all rehearsals and/or performances.

**OR**

- Have performed a solo item in M.A.D.D.Fest receiving a diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## HONOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have played and passed a practical music exam on a standard equivalent to ABRSM, TRINTIY and UNISA grade 8 (Finals) as a minimum requirement for an Honours blazer.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Have performed and/or participated in a solo/ensemble and at a recognised National Level.

**AND**

- Have been a permanent member of at least one St Patrick's CBC instrumental or similar ensemble for at least three years, and have attended 90% of all rehearsals and/or performances.

**OR**

- Have performed a solo item in M.A.D.D.Fest receiving a diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

**AND**

- Passed a diploma examination equivalent to first year university level e.g. A.T.C.L.

## 11.5 DANCE

### **Note:**

1. All nominations for Dance must be made in consultation with persons deemed by the Committee as having the necessary expertise. These persons might be called upon to be present at meetings in order to motivate all nominations made or provide detailed descriptions and proof of qualifications met.
2. All performances must have been of a high standard and credible. Dedication and worth of a candidate's performance is to be taken into account.
3. 90% of all rehearsals and performances must have taken place. Registers to prove attendance must be provided.
4. Participation in an external production will only be taken into account if the candidate could have/had been involved in the school's annual major stage production.
5. All awards are made at the discretion of the Honours and Colours committee.

## HALF COLOURS

- The recipient must have passed a dance exam at a level as indicated per genre in the table below.

### **In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**

- Have successfully performed solo items in at least two public concerts during the year of the award.

**OR**

- Have performed a solo item at M.A.D.D.Fest, in year of award, receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## FULL COLOURS

- The recipient must have passed a dance exam at a level as indicated per genre in the table below.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.
- OR**
- Have been involved in a major stage production as a dancer.
- OR**
- Have performed two solo items at M.A.D.D.Fest, receiving a gold(80%+) or diamond(90%+) award and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## COLOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have passed a dance exam at a level as indicated per genre in the table below.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.
- OR**
- Have been involved in a major stage production as a lead dancer/choreographer.
- OR**
- Have performed two solo items, in year of award, at M.A.D.D.Fest, which have received a diamond(90%+) award for each and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

## HONOURS BLAZER

- The recipient must have passed a dance exam at a level as indicated per genre in the table below AND have National/International representation with achievement.  
**In addition to the above the nominee must also comply with the following:**
    - Have successfully performed solo items in at least three public concerts during the year of the award.
- OR**
- Have been involved in two major stage productions as a lead dancer/choreographer.
- OR**
- Have performed two solo items, in year of award, at M.A.D.D.Fest, which have received a diamond(90%+) for each and/or any other Eisteddfod where the same standard is met.

	<u>Half Colours</u>	<u>Full Colours</u>	<u>Colours Blazer</u>	<u>Honours Blazer</u>
Contemporary classical dance technique. AND Classical Ballet. International syllabus. (RAD/ISDT/IADT)	Distinction (75 to 100%) for Grade 5	Distinction (75 to 100%) for Grade 8 Examinations Intermediate Foundation	Distinction (75 to 100%) for MAJOR Intermediate and Advanced foundation -Merit (55-75%) for Advanced 1 Vocational examinations	Distinction (75 to 100%) for MAJOR Advanced 1 Vocational Examinations -Merit for Advanced 2 Vocational examinations
Contemporary Horton Technique International Syllabus (ISDT) AND Modern (AIDT)	Highly Commended (80%) Grade 5	Highly Commended (80%) for Elementary,	Honours with Distinction (90 to 100%) for Elementary Honours (85%) for Intermediate	Honours with Distinction (90 to 100%) for Intermediate Honours (85%) for Advanced

Contemporary dance (Limon, Graham, Cunningham technique) International syllabus (CDA) AND Tap (AIDT)	Highly Commended (80%) for Bronze lower, Bronze higher, Silver lower	Highly Commended (80%) for Silver Higher, Gold Lower and Gold Higher.	Honours with Distinction (90 to100%) for Silver Higher Honours (85%) for Gold Lower	Honours with Distinction (90to100%) for Gold Lower Honours (85%) for Gold Higher
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## 11.6 PIPE BAND

### 11.6.1 General information

- All nominations must be made in conjunction with the trainers of the Pipe Band as well as the individual drum and pipe tutor. The teacher in charge of co-ordinating the band is responsible for alerting the trainers and tutors of meetings in order for them to present nominations. Likewise the teacher is responsible for alerting trainers and tutors to changes to the Constitution.
- Nominees must be members of the marching band i.e. no pupil drummers or pipers may be nominated. The nominee must have played at least one march in three parades.
- Nominees must attend practices regularly (90%) and must have been part of the Pipe Band for at least two years.
- All nominations must be accompanied by a letter from the drumming or pipe tutors and evaluation must be done by a qualified external evaluator.
- Awards may be made to a member who qualifies in terms of the general criteria, but who also has ability recognised by his/her tutor and/or at competition level.
- Individual Categories: Slow March, March and Strathspey -Reel
- Age group levels: 16 and under or first level
- 17 to 21 or second level
- 21 and older or open

(Pupil can enter in own age group and above, but not in all age groups – remains in chosen age group for entire competition).

### 11.6.2 Drumming and Piping (Individuals)

#### HALF COLOURS

- 5 tunes - including 2 Strathspey/Reel at a PBASA Pipe Band Competition

**OR**

- a piper/drummer who has been judged of competition standard by a Pipe Major or Drum Sergeant of any affiliated school or military pipe band, other than St Patrick's CBC. The Drum Major or Bass Drummer of the band who has been deemed by an outside authority, recognised by the Committee, outstanding in his/her capacity.

#### FULL COLOURS

- First place (gold medal) and a silver or bronze medal in another category at a PBASA Pipe Band Competition

**OR**

- tunes - including 2 Strathspeys/Reel and 1 Jig or 3 Strathspeys/Reels deemed to be played at a high enough level by a Pipe Major **OR** Drum Sergeant of any affiliated school or military pipe band, other than St Patrick's CBC.

#### COLOURS BLAZER

- First place (gold medal) in at least **two** categories in specific age group at a PBASA Pipe Band Competition.

#### HONOURS BLAZER

- SA representation at an International Competition

### **11.6.3 Pipe Band (Collective)**

#### **CERTIFICATE**

- Attend 90% of practices
- Equipment returned in good condition
- Must have been a member for two years
- Comply with general rules of Pipe Band

#### **HALF COLOURS**

- Attend 90% of practices.
- The full band was placed second or third at a PBASA Pipe Band competition in Novice Juvenile category

**OR**

- The full band was placed fourth in Juvenile category

#### **FULL COLOURS**

- First in a National Competition in the Novice Juvenile category

**OR**

- Second/third in the Juvenile category.

#### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- First place at a National Competition in the Juvenile category.

#### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- First place at a recognized International Pipe Band Competition.

NOTE: Blazers will be awarded at the discretion of the Honours and Colours Committee.

### **11.7 PUBLIC SPEAKING**

- There is no established public speaking body currently in the Northern Cape against which to judge criteria.
- The only official public speaking competition is run by the NPI (National Productivity Institute) in February of each year. This progresses from regional to provincial to inter-zonal to nationals.
- External adjudication is required for the awarding of Half and Full colours.
- It is preferable for nominations to have full motivation with all accompanying documentation to present to the Committee.

#### **HALF COLOURS**

- Winner of Provincial/Regional competition.

#### **FULL COLOURS**

- Winner of an Inter-provincial/Inter-zonal competition.

#### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Winner of a national competition.

#### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Representing South Africa at an International Competition

## 11.8 REDENAARS

- All nominations must be accompanied by documentation from the Afrikaans
- Taal- en Kultuurvereniging.
- Redenaarskompetisie for Afrikaans Home Language speakers.
- Redenaarskompetisie for Afrikaans First Additional Language speakers.
- Junior refers to Grade 8 – 9
- Senior refers to Grade 10 - 12

### HALF COLOURS

- A candidate who represents the region at provincial level in the junior or senior competition.

### FULL COLOURS

- A candidate who represents the province at national level in the junior or senior competition.

### COLOURS BLAZER

- A candidate who has been placed in the second or third position in the country for the senior competition

**OR**

- A candidate who has been placed in the first position in the country for the junior competition.

### HONOURS BLAZER

- A candidate who has been placed in the first position in the country for the senior competition.

## 11.9 THE COLLEGIAN

### STANDING RULES:

- Attended 80% of formal meetings
- Served the committee with distinction, enthusiasm and commitment

#### 11.9.1 Editor & Sub-editor & Graphics/Layout Artist

### HALF COLOURS

- Editor, Sub-editor or Graphics/Layout Artist for one or more years
- Formed an integral and indispensable role in the printing and distribution of the newspaper
- Attended a minimum of one newspaper course, facilitated by the school
- Responsible for the publication of an edition each term i.e. four times a year

#### 11.9.2 Journalist, Photographer, Typist, Secretary, Treasurer

### HALF COLOURS

- Member of the committee for two or more years
- Attended a minimum of two newspaper courses, facilitated by the school
- Worked on an edition each term i.e. four times a year

## 11.10 A Cultural Blazer under a Points system: Points table (See Addendum D)

## 12. ACHIEVEMENT

### 12.1 ENGLISH OLYMPIAD

**Note:** All relevant documentation from the Grahamstown Foundation must accompany a motivation for an award in this section.

#### HALF COLOURS

- Any candidate who achieves **SILVER** (70 to 79 %)

#### FULL COLOURS

- Any candidate who is awarded GOLD (80% and above)
- Is placed in position 21 to 100 **in the country**

#### COLOURS BLAZER

- Any candidate who qualifies in position 4 – 20 in the country

#### HONOURS BLAZER

- Any candidate who qualifies in the Top 3 in the country.

### 12.2 MATHS AND MATHS LITERACY OLYMPIADS AND COMPETITIONS

#### HALF COLOURS

- Any candidate/team that qualifies in the Top 3 in the Region/Province ONCE in an academic year or season, in any approved competition.
- Any candidate/team that qualifies and participates in Round 2 of the National Olympiad or any approved competition.

#### FULL COLOURS

- Any candidate/team that qualifies in the top 3 in the Region/Province in TWO different camp(s)/competition(s) within an academic year or season.
- Any candidate who qualified and participates in Round 3 of the National Olympiad
- Participates in the final round of any competition which has more than one stage.
- Any candidate/team that qualifies in the Top 3 in the province for the National Olympiad.
- Any candidate/team that qualifies for position 21 - 50 in any National competition in which at least 3 provinces participated.

#### COLOURS BLAZER

- Any candidate who has been invited and attended a National training camp for possible inclusion in the South African Team which could participate in the International Olympiad
- Any candidate who has received a prestige mathematics prize and is placed in the top 3
- Any candidate who has been selected for a South African team and has participated in an International Olympiad
- Any candidate/team that qualifies in the Top 20 in the country in any National competition where at least 3 provinces participated.

## **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Any candidate who has been selected for a South African Team and has participated in an International Olympiad.

**OR**

- All bullets listed under colours blazer BUT must be three consecutive years.

## **12.3 NRF/SAASTA National SCIENCE OLYMPIAD**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- A candidate who achieves a Red Certificate  
Awarded 10 points – between 65% -75%

### **FULL COLOURS**

- A candidate who is awarded a Red Certificate.  
Awarded 15 points – more than 75%

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate who is awarded a Silver or Bronze certificate  
(9<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> position in the country)

## **HONOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate who has been placed within the top 8 in the country and so has been awarded a Gold Certificate

## **12.4 SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL QUIZ (Presented by CUT)**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- The team was rated within the Top 5 in Central SA after the first round.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- The team achieved a first position at the final (second round) in Bloemfontein.

## **12.5 NATIONAL SCIENCE ESSAY COMPETITION**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who obtains a fourth or fifth position in South Africa.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Any candidate who obtains a second or third position in South Africa

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Any candidate who obtains a first position in South Africa

## **12.6 EXPO FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Awarded regional **GOLD** and/or National participation.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Awarded **BRONZE** at national level.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Awarded **SILVER OR GOLD** at national level.

## **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Chosen for and participated in an International Science Expo or Science Fair event.



## 12.7 MINQUIZ

### HALF COLOURS

- Team was ranked second or third in the Northern Cape.

### FULL COLOURS

- Team came first in the Northern Cape
- OR**
- A candidate was selected and represented the Northern Cape at national level.

### COLOURS BLAZER

- A candidate was part of the Northern Cape team that was rated one of the Top 3 in the country.
- OR**
- A candidate was awarded one of the Top 3 individual positions at national level.

## 12.8 AFRIKAANS OLIMPIADE

### STANDING RULES:

- All nominations must be accompanied by documentation from
- **Die Stigting vir Onderwys, Wetenskap en Tegnologie.**
- Afrikaans Olimpiade - participants with Afrikaans as Home Language

### HALF COLOURS

- A candidate who achieves 70-79%.

### FULL COLOURS

- A candidate who achieves 80% and above **AND** is placed in position 11-20 in the country.

### COLOURS BLAZER

- A candidate who is placed in position 3 to 10 in the country.

### HONOURS BLAZER

- A candidate who has been placed in the Top 2 in the country.

## 12.9 AFRIKAANS GEBRUIKERSOLIMPIADE

### STANDING RULES:

- All nominations must be accompanied by documentation from **Die Stigting vir Onderwys, Wetenskap en Tegnologie.**
- Afrikaans Gebruiksolimpiade – participants with Afrikaans as First or Second Additional Language

### HALF COLOURS

- Any candidate who achieves 75-84%

### FULL COLOURS

- Any candidate who achieves 85% and above

### COLOURS BLAZER

- Any candidate who has been placed in position 3 to 5 in the country

### HONOURS BLAZER

- Any candidate who has been placed in the Top 2 positions in the country.

## 12.10 TAALBOND EKSAMEN

- Junior refers to Grade 8-10
- Senior refers to Grade 11 and 12

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who has been awarded a first grade (70 – 79%).

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Any candidate who has been awarded a cum laude (80 - 100%).

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A senior candidate who has been placed in position 2-5 in the country
- OR**
- A junior candidate who has been placed in position 1 in the country.

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- A senior candidate who has been placed in position 1 in the country.

## **12.11 I.T. OLYMPIAD (Programming)**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who has placed in either first, second or third position in their grade at local level (St Patrick's CBC) in the first round
- AND**
- A candidate has to attain at least 60% in the first round after standardization by the IITPSA Computer Olympiad
- AND**
- A candidate must obtain a gold, silver or bronze certificate upon standardization by the IITPSA Computer Olympiad.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- A candidate progresses to the second round of the competition as determined by IITPSA Computer Olympiad.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate progresses to the final round of the competition at a National Level (top 10-15 candidates in South Africa as determined by IITPSA Computer Olympiad).

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate who is invited to the National Training Camp at a national level **AND** represents South Africa internationally at the International Olympiad in Informatics.

## **12.12 CAT OLYMPIAD (Applications)**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who is placed in either first, second or third position in their grade at local level (St Patrick's CBC) in the first round
- AND**
- Attains at least 60% in the first round after standardization by the IITPSA Computer Olympiad
- AND**
- Obtains a gold or silver or bronze certificate upon standardization by the IITPSA Computer Olympiad.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- A candidate is placed in either first, second or third position in their grade at Provincial level as determined by IITPSA Computer Olympiad upon standardization.

## **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate has to progress to the final round of the competition (by IITPSA Computer Olympiad invitation upon standardization) at a National Level (top 10-15 candidates in South Africa).

## **HONOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate comes first in South Africa at the above competition  
**AND**
- represents the country at the Microsoft Office Championships.

## **12.13 NATIONAL IT RELATED COMPETITIONS**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who participates diligently and contributes pro-actively to the best competition entry for a National competition  
**AND**
- Any candidate who attends 90% of the working sessions.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Winner of the regional or provincial round of the competition.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- A candidate was placed in one of the Top 3 positions at national level.

### **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Any candidate who represents South Africa internationally.

## **12.14 ACCOUNTING / FINANCE OLYMPIADS**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who has participated in Round 2 and achieved a minimum of 60%.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Any candidate who qualified as one of the Top 3 positions in the region/province after Round 2

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Any candidate who is awarded one of the 4 (four) top positions at the National Awards Ceremony.

## **12.15 WORLD KNOWLEDGE OLYMPIAD**

A CERTIFICATE for participation is issued to each pupil by the organising body.

### **HALF COLOURS**

- A percentage must be obtained in the category termed EXCELLENT as prescribed per grade for prize purposes by the organising body.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- A percentage of 80 to 100 must be obtained for all grades involved.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Will only be considered for grades 10, 11, and 12 candidates.  
Grade 10 and 11: Placed first, second or third in the NATIONAL PLACINGS LIST.  
Grade 12: Placed second or third in the NATIONAL PLACINGS LIST.

## **HONOURS BLAZER**

- Will only be considered for a grade 12 candidate.  
Grade 12 only: Placed first in the NATIONAL PLACINGS LIST.

## **12.16 SPECIAL NATIONAL OLYMPIADS**

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Any candidate who is placed in positions 4 - 10 in South Africa

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Any candidate who is placed in positions 1-3 in South Africa.

## 13. SERVICE

### 13.1 CATHOLIC CHAPEL SERVICE

#### HALF COLOURS

- A minimum of two years service as a devoted altar server or sacristan in the High School

#### FULL COLOURS

- A minimum of three years as a devoted altar server or sacristan in the High School

#### COLOURS BLAZER (Sacristan or Altar server - Catholic)

- Must have full colours for Sacristan / Altar service while serving at St Patrick's CBC  
**AND**
- Two years' service as Altar Server or Sacristan at any Cathedral in Southern Africa – concurrently with his/her chapel service at St Patrick's CBC.  
**OR**
- Two years served as devoted Parish Youth Life-Teen member while assisting in one or more Ministries of the Church at any Cathedral in Southern Africa - concurrently with his/her chapel service at St Patrick's CBC.

#### Candidate will need proof of:

- Service at St Patrick's CBC (full colours)
- A letter from the organiser of Altar Serving/Sacristan/Ministry duties at the Cathedral, co-signed by the Bishop/Administrator/Dean of the Cathedral  
**AND**
- The candidate's behaviour should reflect the ethos of St Patrick's CBC and that of Edmund Rice Schools: a caring spirit of service to the school and his/her peers, faithfulness, gentleness/kindness, generosity and self-control.

#### HONOURS BLAZER

- All of the above  
**AND**
- By invitation assist at Mass offered by the Cardinal head of the Church of Southern Africa  
**OR**
- the Apostolic Nuncio ( ambassador of the Vatican)  
**OR**
- A mass offered by the Bishop of Rome (the Pope).

### 13.2 LAND SERVICE

#### Standing rule:

The candidate must attend 90% of all Club meetings and activities and the register must be submitted with the nominations.

#### HALF COLOURS:

- Attend two National camps  
**OR**
- Chosen as a provincial Leader.

#### FULL COLOURS:

- Leader of a National Camp  
**OR**
- Attended 4 National camps

#### COLOURS BLAZER:

- Received a Springbok Award

### 13.3 Edmund Rice Society (POINTS SYSTEM)

See ADDENDUM E.

#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Any service points earned as an individual must be pre-approved by the ERS coordinator.  
**AND**
- Must be accompanied by a signed Edmund Rice community service form to indicate where the candidate was of service before any nominations will be made  
**AND**
- The candidate's behaviour should reflect the ethos of St Patrick's CBC and that of Edmund Rice Schools: a caring spirit of service to the school and his/her peers, faithfulness, gentleness/kindness, generosity and self-control.
- Colours will only be awarded within the maximum of 4 years.
- Weekly meetings: 1 point for 80% attendance, 2 points for 90% attendance and points for 100% attendance
- Half Colours: 40 points    Full Colours: 80 points    Colours Blazer: 100 points

### 13.4 ROTARY INTERACT

#### STANDING RULE:

Attended 80% of meetings.

The candidate's behaviour should reflect the ethos of the Rotary code:

- Truth
- Fairness
- Good Will and
- Beneficial to all

#### HALF COLOURS

- A minimum of two consecutive years as member of the Inter-Act Club.  
**AND**
- Participated in 4 outreach projects pre-approved by the school's Rotary Inter-Act Co-ordinator

#### FULL COLOURS

- A minimum of three consecutive years as member of the Inter-Act Club.  
**AND**
- Attend a RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) or Rotary Inter-Act Conference  
**AND**
- Must have taken part in six outreach projects, pre-approved by the school's Rotary Inter-Act co-ordinator of which one must be Cancer Relay for Life.  
**AND**
- Attended a Rotary Induction  
**OR**
- District Governor's visit.

#### COLOURS BLAZER

- Met the criteria for Full colours  
**AND**
- A minimum of four consecutive years as member of the Inter-act Club.

**AND**

- Must have taken part in ten outreach projects, pre-approved by the School Rotary Inter-Act co-ordinator of which one must be the Cancer Relay for Life.

**AND**

- Attended a function presented by International Rotary visitors.

## 13.4 GENERAL SERVICE

### STANDING RULES:

- To qualify for the following awards, candidates must participate in at least one other extra-mural activity.
- Comprehensive attendance registers must accompany all nominations.

### CERTIFICATE

#### TUCK-SHOP ASSISTANT

- Assistant for one year (+-30 hours)
- Attended 100% of allocated Tuck-shop duties
- Shows enthusiasm and commitment in the Tuck-shop

#### MEDIA MONITOR (LIBRARY OR COMPUTER CENTRE)

- Library Monitor for one year (+-30 hours)
- Attended 100% of allocated afternoon duties
- Attendance of arranged outings or training sessions **and** served as a Library monitor with distinction, enthusiasm and commitment

**OR**

- Computer monitor for one year (+-30 hours)
- Shows enthusiasm and commitment in assisting pupils and staff in the Computer Centre.

#### GENERAL CONTRIBUTION

- A detailed description of service that was rendered must be submitted to the committee by an adult in charge of such activities. **(see Addendum H)**

**AND**

- A minimum of 30 hours must be accumulated

**AND**

- The service rendered should be over and above what is expected from a pupil.

### HALF COLOURS

#### TUCK-SHOP ASSISTANT

- Assistant for two years (+-60 hours)
- Attended 100% of allocated Tuck-shop duties
- Shows enthusiasm and commitment in the Tuck-shop

#### MEDIA MONITOR (LIBRARY OR COMPUTER CENTRE)

- Library Monitor for two years (+-60 hours)
- Attended 100% of allocated afternoon duties
- Attendance of arranged outings or training sessions **and** served as a Library monitor with distinction, enthusiasm and commitment

**OR**

- Computer monitor for two years (+- 60 hours)
- Attended 100% of allocated afternoon duties
- Shows enthusiasm and commitment in assisting pupils and staff in the Computer Centre

#### GENERAL CONTRIBUTION

- A detailed description of service that was rendered must be submitted to the committee by

an adult in charge of such activities.(see **Addendum H**)

**AND**

- A minimum of 60 hours must be accumulated.

**AND**

- The service rendered should be over and above what is expected from a pupil.



## **14. LEADERSHIP**

To be awarded at High School Prizegiving on announcement by Head of St Patrick's CBC.

### **HALF COLOURS**

- Members of the Prefect Body for pupils.

### **FULL COLOURS**

- Deputy Head prefect of the Prefect Body for pupils.
- Head of Ethos of the Prefect Body for pupils.

### **COLOURS BLAZER**

- Head Prefect of the Prefect Body for pupils.



## ADDENDUM A

TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE

### NOMINATION FORM

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_ Age grp: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Full date of nomination : \_\_\_\_\_

**Nature of Award:** (please circle) Certificate/ Half Colours/ Full Colours/  
Colours Blazer/ Honours Blazer

**Activity:** Description : .....  
(Example: Cultural - Debating)

Page no.: ..... (Example: p.14)      Section no.: ..... (Example: 11.2)

**Motivation for Nomination:**

Specified criteria must be checked for each individual activity. Must be completed!

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Colours Blazer : List one other activity : \_\_\_\_\_

Service : List one other activity : \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination should not be considered:** (Reasons: e.g. not required attendance, perseverance, loyalty, disciplinary issues etc.)

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Checked by portfolio manager? \_\_\_\_\_ (signature)

**Accepted?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Rejected?** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (Chairperson)      Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## **ADDENDUM B**

TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE

# **PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF HONOURS AND COLOURS AWARDS**

**HALF COLOURS:** Green scroll.

**FULL COLOURS:** Blue scroll.

**COLOURS BLAZER:** Navy blazer with gold embroidered pocket badge.

Re-award indicated by gold (medium thickness) braiding. First re-award (for the same activity) will be one line of braiding around both sleeves of the blazer (10 cm from end of sleeve). Second or more re-awards will be another line of braiding 8 cm away from first braiding,

OR

Framed Colours badge with citation.

**HONOURS BLAZER:** White blazer with gold embroidered pocket badge.

Re-award indicated by braiding around both sleeves. (See Colours Blazer description),

OR

Framed Honours Badge with citation.

### **GENERAL:**

- Every pupil receiving an award will also receive a certificate stating the nature of the award.
- Parents will be invited by means of a letter or will be phoned for the award ceremony.
- The cost of scrolls, blazers, blazer badges and framed blazer badges will be borne by the St Patrick's CBC.

**DESCRIPTION OF CAPTAIN'S TIE:** White background, Diagonal stripes Green, Gold, Blue.



## ADDENDUM C

TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE

### COLOURS BLAZER FOR SPORT POINT SYSTEM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

- Accumulate a minimum of 20 points as per the table below in a calendar year
- or 40 points over two years
- or 40 points over three years.

**Points table:**

SPORT	PARTICIPATION	1 <sup>ST</sup> TEAM / SPC CLUB		1 <sup>ST</sup> TEAM CAPTAIN	OTHER TEAM CAPTAIN	SA CBC/2 <sup>ND</sup> ROUND GW TRIALS	JNR PROVINCIAL		NATIONAL	
		SCH	SPC				A	B	A	B
Swimming	1	1	or 1	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Hockey	1	1	or 2	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Tennis	1	1	or N/a	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Cricket	1	1	or 2	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Netball	1	1	or N/a	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Soccer	1	1	or N/a	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Biathlon	1	1	or N/a	1	1	1	3	2	5	4
Other	1	1	or 1	1	1	1	3	2	5	4

**Total Achieved :** \_\_\_\_\_ in ONE calendar year ( .....)

**Total Achieved :** \_\_\_\_\_ over TWO years (.....)

**Total Achieved :** \_\_\_\_\_ over THREE years ( .....)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**ADDENDUM D**  
 TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE  
**COLOURS BLAZER FOR CULTURE**  
 POINT SYSTEM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

	1	3	3	5	10
	1	3	3	5	10
	1	2	3	5	10
	1	n/a	n/a		
	1	3	3	5	10
	1	3	3	5	10
				5	
	1	3	3		

**Total required to obtain Colours Blazer [30]**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**ADDENDUM E**  
 TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE  
**ERS POINTS SYSTEM**

NAME of nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

**Half Colours: 40 points    Full Colours: 80 points    Colours Blazer: 100 points**

	Year 1: Attendance	Year 2: Attendance	Year 3: Attendance	Year 4: Attendance
<b>1. Weekly meetings</b>	1-3 Per annum	1-3 Per annum	1-3 Per annum	1-3 Per annum
<b>2. Participation in outreach projects as part of the ERS group.</b>	(Per activity) 1	(Per activity) 1	(Per activity) 1	(Per activity) 1
<b>3. Justice Awareness projects</b>	1	1	1	1
<b>4. Own community service /initiative (approved by co-ordinator)</b>	(Per hour) 1	(Per hour) 1	(Per hour) 1	(Per hour) 1
<b>5. Selected to Assisi</b>	1 per annum	1 per annum	1 per annum	1 per annum
<b>6. Executive member</b>	2 per annum	2 per annum	2 per annum	2 per annum
<b>or President</b>	3 per annum	3 per annum	3 per annum	3 per annum
<b>7. Justice Ambassador</b>	3 per annum	3 per annum	3 per annum	3 per annum
<b>Total per year</b>				
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>				

Signature of nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_



**ADDENDUM F**  
 TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE  
**COLOURS BLAZER FOR EXCELLENCE**  
 POINTS SYSTEM

NAME of nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

	3 Full colours in three different areas. <b>3x10 = 30</b>	2 Full colours in two different areas (2x10=20). 2 Half colours in two other areas (5x2=10). <b>20+10 =30</b>	1 Full Colour (1x10=10). 4 Half Colours in four other areas. (4x5=20). <b>10+20 = 30</b>
_____ X 10 = _____	1	1	
	2	2	
	3	3	
_____ X 5 = _____		4	
		5	

Signature of nominator : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## **ADDENDUM G**

TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE

### **END OF SEASON DATES**

All codes that end after September, will have a season from 1 October (previous year) to mid September (current year).

The following information is available:

**SPORT:** Playing seasons

**Swimming:** September/October to end of April (one age group)

**Biathlon:** September/October to end of April

**Hockey:** January to mid-September

**Netball:** January to mid-September

**Chess:** 1 October to last date for submission of nomination to committee in September the following year

**Cricket:** mid-September to end of April.  
However players' season may come to an end of the December as they change to a different age group.

**Soccer:** Generally, the season starts in January and ends mid September.

**Rugby:** Generally, the season starts in February and ends in August.

**Tennis:** Playing season for tennis cannot be verified.  
Since the last time St Patrick's CBC played tennis in the different leagues there have been changes to the structures and format.

**Rhythmic Gymnastics:** End of October

### **CULTURAL**

**Land Service:** January to December

### **MATHEMATICS**

The last round of the Maths Olympiad is written in October and it takes about 3 to 4 weeks to receive the results.

### **SCIENCE**

Pupils write an Olympiad in Term 1.

Pupils write an Olympiad in September again.

Expo: Regional : August

Nationals: October

Internationals : following year

CUT quiz takes place in Term 3





## ADDENDUM H

TO CONSTITUTION OF THE HONOURS AND COLOURS COMMITTEE

### LOG SHEET for SERVICE in the GENERAL CONTRIBUTION section:

(such as lighting and sound outside school productions / waitressing / ushering / selling of tickets etc)

**NOTE: Check the Service Section of the Honours and Colours Constitution for criteria AND hours required.**

**NAME OF PUPIL:** .....

**GRADE:** .... / .... / ....

YEAR	DATE	NAME of <b>ST PATRICK'S CBC</b> event	TYPE of service rendered?	NUMBER of hours worked?	Name of ADULT in charge	SIGNATURE of adult

**Ratified by: Mr Tredoux (Executive Head of St Patrick's CBC)**

**on**

**19 February 2019**