

RONDEBOSCH BOYS' PREPARATORY SCHOOL – SGB POLICIES

POLICY: ACADEMIC AND SPORTS MERIT AWARDS POLICY

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ALL BLAZER SCROLL AWARDS MAY ONLY BE AWARDED TO BOYS IN GRADES 5-7, SUBJECT TO THE CRITERIA FOR EACH CODE.

A. ACADEMIC MERIT AWARD – CRITERIA:

Any pupil who obtains the WHITE academic merit badge on four or more occasions in the JUNE or DECEMBER examination.

B. SPORTS MERIT AWARDS – CRITERIA:

NOTE

1. Sport Merit Awards will be made to deserving pupils in the SENIOR AGE DIVISIONS ONLY (nl U/12 & U/13), who achieve one or more of the following criteria.

2. No pupil may wear more than TWO MERIT scrolls at any one time.

1. ATHLETICS:

1.1 SENIOR VICTOR LUDORUM:

1.2 A pupil, who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.

2. CRICKET:

2.1 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province .

2.2 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.

3. CROSS COUNTRY:

3.1 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.

3.2 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.

4. GYMNASTICS (As recommended by the WP Amateur Gymnastic Association)]

4.1 Any pupil who is chosen as an ELITE GYMNAST, who has either:

4.1.1 Been placed in the top five at a National competition, OR

4.1.2 Represent WP as a member of the Elite team in the Inter-provincial competition; and

4.1.3 Who displays a constructive and positive attitude to the advancement of the sport.

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- 4.2 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard.
- 4.3 of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.
5. **JUDO:**
- 5.1 A pupil who obtains 1st or 2nd place in a Provincial championship.
- 5.2 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.
- 5.3 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.
6. **RUGBY:**
- 6.1 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.
- 6.2 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a very high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.
7. **SWIMMING:**
- 7.1 **SENIOR VICTOR LUDORUM:**
- 7.2 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.
- 7.3 A pupil who breaks a Western Province Individual record.
- 7.4 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.
8. **SQUASH:**
- 8.1 The SINGLES squash champion.
- 8.2 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province A & B in the U/13 age division.
- 8.3 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team mates.
9. **TABLE TENNIS:**
- 9.1 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province in the U/13 age division.
- 9.2 Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship towards his fellow team mates.
- 9.3 The pupil should have all the qualities listed to attain a scroll – not just 2 or 3 of them.
10. **TENNIS:**
- 10.1 The recipient must be a Grade 7 pupil.
- 10.2 He must have been a Rondebosch Prep School tennis team member.
- 10.3 He must have regularly attended team practices.
- 10.4 He must have been a reliable and dedicated school team player of excellence.
- 10.5 He must have shown good sportsmanship and good court conduct.
- 10.6 He should have had external successes thus bringing credit to his school eg. Western Province squad.

11. HOCKEY:

- 11.1 A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.
- 11.2 A pupil, in the opinion of his coach and the awards committee, shows exceptional ability in his sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship on and off the field.

C. CULTURAL ACTIVITIES: (Music; Choir; Orchestra)

Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in a Cultural Activity, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour and has contributed towards the cultural life of the school.

D. CHESS:

- 1. A pupil who is chosen to represent Western Province.
- 2. Any pupil who, in the opinion of the awards sub-committee, in consultation with the Headmaster, shows exceptional ability in this sport, has maintained a high standard of personal conduct, enthusiasm, perseverance and endeavour, and has displayed qualities of sportsmanship and leadership towards his fellow team-mates.

SPECIAL AWARDS:

- 1. The Victor Ludorum winner is the Under 13 boy who accumulates the most points at the inter house swimming gala or the inter house athletics.
- 2. The winner of the school chess championships is awarded the Chess Cup.

SIGNED:

Chairman RBPS Governing Body