



## **Dinner Talk**

The dinner talk was held on 14-Sep-06 at the Chinese Club featuring our own The Honorable Mr. Justice PANG Kin-kee (64), Judge of the Court of First Instance of the High Court.

## **Games day**

The DSOBA games day is coming on the 8<sup>th</sup> Oct 2006. Come join in the fun for all old boys and family members too!

Try out the new DBS track and show off your fitness and teamwork!

## **University Day**

University Day will be on 14<sup>th</sup> Oct 2006. Please come and share with our graduating boys about your experience with the university or country you studied in!

## **School Fete**

5<sup>th</sup> Nov 2006 at DBS. Come and support the school and help out at the DSOBA booth!

## **DSOBA Annual Ball**

The Annual Ball will be held on 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 2006 at the Hong Kong Club. Book your tables early as tickets are limited! Definitely not to be missed!

## **Tennis Tournament**



# Poolside Party time!

After a morning of rainfall, dark clouds made way for a beautiful afternoon of sunshine and warm summer breezes, perfect conditions for our Annual Poolside Party. This year, DSOBA members and their families were offered free admission to the event. Our members responded enthusiastically!

The Annual Poolside Party is a wonderful family event and a great old boy reunion in a casual setting. We all hope you can join us next year for more fun in the sun!

Anthony Siu (83)



## Class of 76 Reunion Dinner

After 30 years, the class of 76 held their reunion dinner at the DBS prefect's dining room. Over 50 old boys turned up for the event, both from near and far. The Headmaster and many former teachers also graced us with their presence.

Many had not seen each other for the entire 30 years after graduation. After acquaintances were renewed, a donation was received from all boys which was later presented to the Headmaster for school use.

Daniel Ma (76)



## Jacland Lai(55) - HKUST Honorary Fellowship

Jacland Lai (55) was conferred an Honorary Fellowship by HKUST on June 30 for his contribution to Hong Kong and HKUST. Jacland is a founding member of HKUST and has served on various committees of the university.



## Mentor / Mentee program

We would like to invite our old boys to be the mentors of our Lower 6 and Upper 6 students. During the year, each mentor would be the careers-advisor of 4 to 5 current Form 6 boys. These mentors may only need to contact their mentees by email or meet them once or twice a year to give advice for their careers planning. For example, the mentor might give advice and share his own experience on the careers choices, university subject selections, allow the students to have a one-day or half-day attachment to his office, etc.

If you are interested in helping out in the new scheme, please fill in the attached form and email to [dbscareers@gmail.com](mailto:dbscareers@gmail.com). For any further enquiries, please feel free to email us or contact Mrs. Jenny Tso or Mr. Mark Rosario on 2768 5625.



Yours truly,  
The Careers Office

## Homecoming concert

4 July 2006  
Concert Hall, Hong Kong  
City Hall, Hong Kong

The DBS Music Department, Diocesan Boys' School Parent-Teacher Association, Diocesan School Old Boys' Association and the DBS Fund Raising Committee proudly present to you the **Homecoming Concert 2006**.

This annual event serves two purposes: (a) to honor the outstanding achievements of our boys at this year's Music Festival - the Senior Boys' Choir as the Best Boys Choir of the Year, Senior Mixed Choir as the Best Choir of the Year, DBS as the "Best Music School" of the year and (b) to raise funds for the school.



## THE PRESIDENT'S CUP DSOBA SINGLES AND DOUBLES TENNIS TOURNAMENT 2005/06

This year's tennis tournament adopted a new format by combining both singles and doubles play similar to the Davis Cup. Unlike the single-round knock-out format, it allowed players one more round of play and created team competition in a friendly atmosphere.

"Team Spirit" had players including Clement Lee, Jerry Chang, Louis Wong, Selwyn Chan, Roger Wong and William Wan while "Team Challenge" had players including Ronnie Cheng, Leung Sze Wai, Sammy Tam, Patrick Chan, Eugene Chow and Vincent Cheung.

In the new format, our "NSS" (Not-So-Scientific) seeding system initially ranked the players on each team from seeds 1 to 6. The first round matches had each seed play a total of four games against their corresponding rival seed. In the second round's cross-over matches, the Number 1 seeds again played four games against the Number 2's while the Number 3's played against the number 4's, and finally the Number 5's against the Number 6's. Three doubles matches of 8 games pro-set were to follow after the singles. In the end the team with the higher total of games won would be declared the tournament's champion.

Team Spirit was up at 14 against 10 at the end of the first round singles with convincing victories from Clement and Roger. Ronnie and Sammy of Team Challenge then scored well in their cross-over singles helping to narrow the gap slightly. By the end of the cross-over singles round, Team Spirit had 27 games versus Team Challenge's 21. With the doubles left to play, it was hardly a foregone conclusion. Both teams were strategizing their line-up's hoping to maximize the chance of victory but as luck would have it, rain came soon after the first pair of doubles began play and the tournament had to be suspended.

With the Chinese New Year holidays at the end of February, it took a while until March 26 to resume the doubles matches. Unfortunately we were only able to gather enough players for two matches due the many reasons.

This time however, Team Challenge with the help of Sammy, Patrick, Eugene and Vincent caught up with two victories and evened up the score at 37 games apiece. It was only fitting to bring out the big guns for the final showdown.

## Class of 84 reunion dinner

The DBS Class '84 Reunion Dinner 2006 was successfully held on 28 July, 2006. This is the 22<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary for our Classmates and we had 29 people who attended.

I presented an opening speech to express the happy memories still in us all for 22 years and appreciated our strong unity as a group. The tradition will carry on every year and there will be a big celebration in 2009 for our 25th Anniversary. Our Class '84 will continue to support DBS and DSOBA in the years to come.

Darwin Liu (84)



## REUNION DINNER - CLASS OF 1983

We had a great party with our Ronnie on August 26th in celebration for his recent promotion to be Dean of Culture (Vice Principal) of DBS. His lovely wife Ying Ying was there too! Over thirty of us were at the dinner party. Tommy was so kind to offer his service by organising such a wonderful gathering and we had the Tommy Ho juniors to be our professional photographers! We even had raffle draw on prizes kindly donated by our classmates. I won a bottle of Lafite 82! :-)

Spencer Leung (83)



## DSOBA AGM 2006

The DSOBA Annual General Meeting was held on Thursday, May 11, 2006 at the Chinese Club. The AGM Dinner was held immediately following the AGM of DSOBA Ltd. This was a good opportunity for all members to get together for fellowship in a casual setting.



### General Committee 2006-07

<b>President</b>	Victor Tan (80)	<b>Subcommittee</b>	
<b>Vice President</b>	SAL Rahman (71) Desmond Yip (82) Terrence Chang (Hon) (65)	<b>Social</b>	Alvin Li (86) Kasim Fattedad (97)
		<b>Club Activities</b>	Anthony Siu (83)*
<b>IPP</b>	Stanley Fong (78)	<b>Newsletter and Internet</b>	Daniel Ma (76)
<b>Treasurer</b>	George Hong Choy (79)	<b>Mentor</b>	Lau Pau (76) Kasim Fattedad (97)
<b>Hon Treasurer</b>	Daniel Wan (82)	<b>Membership</b>	Daniel Wan (82) Marc Wong (03)
<b>Committee</b>	Tony Choi (75) Raymond Chu (78) Henry Leung (74) Richard Leung (66) Horace Chan (66) Spencer Leung (83)	<b>Ball Chairman</b>	George Hong Choy (79)
		<b>Rules and Regulations</b>	Selwyn Chan (77)

\* replacement for Lawrence Lee (74) who resigned

### Word from the editor

New school year has started. Our General Committee is stronger than ever. We are planning for many activities for the coming year. Help is always welcome. Coming up is an exciting Annual Ball in December which we hope you can all join! If you are interested in sponsoring us, a banner ad in the [www.dsoba.com](http://www.dsoba.com) costs only \$150 per month during our promo period!

Daniel Ma (76)  
Editor ([danielma888@yahoo.com](mailto:danielma888@yahoo.com))



### Tennis (con't)

With the championship title on the line, the top seeds of both teams - Clement / Louis, Ronnie / Sze-Wai made their commitment to slug it out on April 30 under a revised format of best-of-three tie-break sets.

In the end, Clement/Louis claimed victory with a convincing score 6-0, 6-1. Fresh off his campaign at the April's Hong Kong Nationals, Clement was still as much the dominant player as ever. The final score had hardly done justice to the valiant effort put out by Ronnie and Sze-Wai.

On behalf of the DSOBA, I must also appreciate all the players for their wonderful spirit and love of the game to produce the exciting see-sawing battle sprinkled with fun and camaraderie.

The individual names of the winning team will be engraved on the President's Cup and souvenir trophies for each player will be presented at the May 11 AGM. Hope to see you all there!

Victor Tan (80)



## Welcome to new DSOBA members

<b>Life Membership</b>	Lee Ping Chung, Eric (83)
Chan Kwan Wing, John (88)	Leung Chung Tin, Raymond(89)
Chan Ho Ki, Anthony (97)	Li Shun Fai (97)
Chau Wai Hung, Antonio (89)	Ngai Lu Joseph(92)
Chen Patrick Theodore(93)	Shek, Anthony (98)
Cheung Cheuk Kan (2005)	Shiu Tak Chi, Byron (89)
Chong Ngai Keung, Johnathon (90)	Tse Ka Ho (91)
Chu Ching Po, Steven (87)	Wai Kwok Chi (77)
Chung Nelson (78)	Wong, Andrew (93)
Ko Mei Chang, Andy (85)	Wong Man Chu, Louis(86)
Ko Tha Fung(2003)	<b>Student Membership</b>
Ko Tha Hin, James(2001)	Chow, Ronald (05)
Lau Kai Fung, Edward (97)	Parwani, Kunal (04)
Lee Kar Kwok (05)	Wan, Darcy (03)