

## DHS 140<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cricket Dinner - March 2006

The editor of the Wisden Cricket Almanac, Matthew Engel, acknowledged at the time of the 140th DHS Anniversary Cricket Dinner, in a telephone conversation with Esmond Caro, that Durban High School had produced more international cricket players than any other school in the world. Here follows a message of congratulation sent by Matthew Engel which was read out at the dinner by the Master of Ceremonies, Colin Wesley.

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MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATION




FROM MATTHEW ENGEL, WISDEN CRICKET ANNUAL (U.K.):

CONGRATULATIONS TO DURBAN HIGH SCHOOL (A MERE 140 YEARS) FROM YOUR ADMIRERS AT WISDEN (FOUNDED 1864, AND THEREFORE A SPRIGHTLY 142 YEARS). THE SCHOOL HAS MADE A REMARKABLE CONTRIBUTION TO CRICKET, NOT JUST IN SOUTH AFRICA, BUT ACROSS THE WORLD.

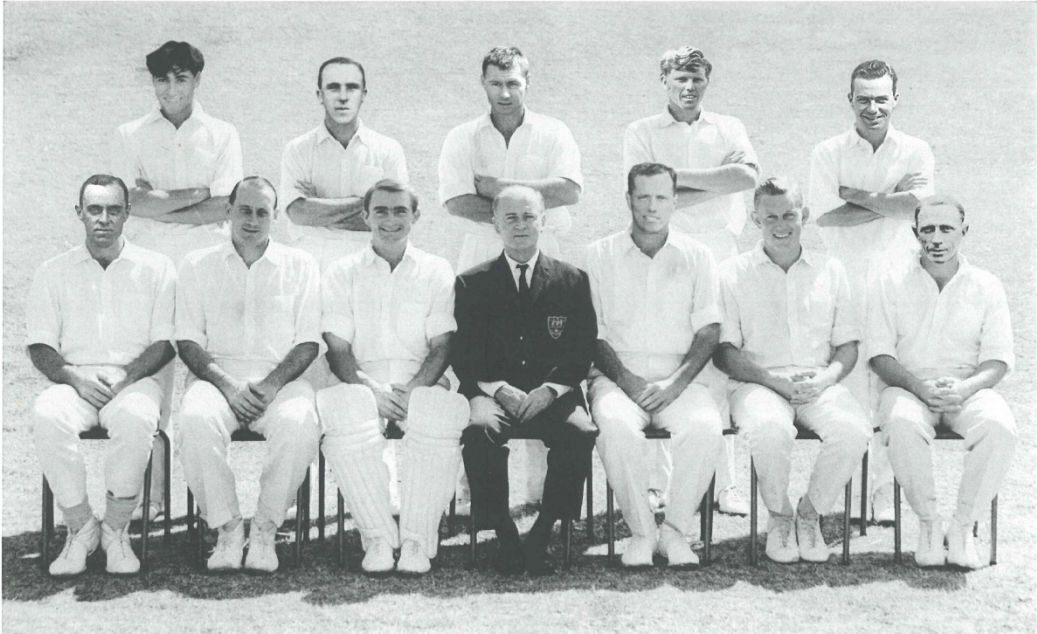
WE SALUTE YOU AND WISH YOU WELL FOR THE NEXT 140.

BEST WISHES, MATTHEW ENGEL, EDITOR "

At the anniversary dinner in March 2006, Barry Richards announced what he considered was the best DHS Old Boys team of all time: Richard Snell, Sid Pegler, Lance Klusener, Barry Richards, Eric Dalton, Jack Siedle, Hugh Tayfield, Lee Irvine, Mr LCW Theobald (Manager), Trevor Goddard, Geoff Griffin and Herby Taylor.



**Barry Richards' "Best" South African Cricket Team selected from the school's 29 Springboks/Proteas, in celebration of Durban High School's 140th Anniversary in 2006.**



**Standing:** R.P. (Richard) Snell, S.J. (Sid) Pegler, L. (Lance) Klusener, B.A. (Barry) Richards, E.L. (Eric) Dalton  
**Seated L to R:** I.J. (Jack) Siedle, H.J. (Hugh) Tayfield, B.L. (Lee) Irvine, Mr. L.C.W. (Les) Theobald (Manager), T.L. (Trevor) Goddard, G.M. (Geoff) Griffin, H.W. (Herby) Taylor

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