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County Secondary School for Boys

MITCHAM



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JUNE, 1934

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School Staff

Head Master :

A. J. Doig, B.A. (Cantab.)

Late Scholar of Trinity College

Assistant Masters :

G. W. Clemas, M.A. (Cantab.)

F. C. Hambleton, M.A., Mus. Bac. (Cantab.), A.R.C.M., L.R.A.M.

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Aims.

The School aims to provide a liberal education for boys from 10 years until 18 years old.

Subjects.

The subjects of instruction are such as are usual in all secondary schools of standing, embracing English, History, Geography, Economics, Languages, Mathematics, and Sciences, as well as Scripture, Physical Training, Music, Art and Manual Instruction.

Public Examinations.

Two public examinations are taken — the General School Examination, normally for boys between 16 and 17, at which boys have the opportunity of qualifying for Matriculation at the London University, and the Higher School Examination (normally taken at 18), at which boys may qualify for the Intermediate Examination at London University in Science, Arts or Commerce.

All boys are expected to sit for the General School Examination, and there are courses in Science, Modern Subjects, and Commerce for the Higher School Examination, such scholarships as are offered by the Universities, and the Surrey County Council Major Scholarships. These courses are planned to meet the needs of all types of boys, whether intending Scientific, Educational, Industrial, Commercial, Professional or Public Service careers.

Games.

Organised games form a very important part of modern education. In addition to the times allotted for games in the School time-table, it is hoped that all boys will take part in the very important activities

which take place out of School hours, such as Boxing, Running, and Cricket "Nets." The School possesses a large and well equipped playing field.

Other Activities.

There is a School Dramatic Society and a School Orchestra. There is also a branch of the National Savings Movement.

Scout Troop.

The 16th Mitcham Troop of Scouts consists of boys of the School, and all parents who wish their boys to join should notify the Head Master. Boys who are not already Scouts on entrance will be expected to join the School Troop.

School Dinners.

School Dinners are provided at low cost, and all boys who do not take their midday meal at home must either have School dinner or bring their dinner to School to eat in the Dining Room. To such boys a charge of 1s. a term is made for the use of cutlery, etc.

Clothing.

The wearing of a School cap is obligatory on every boy. In addition, Ties, Blazers, Jerseys, Shirts, etc., may be obtained from the Head Master.

Entry.

The School year begins in September, and entry is subject to an Entrance Examination in English and Arithmetic. Boys who enter the School at times other than September are necessarily handicapped. Boys seeking entrance should usually be between the ages of 10 and 12 years.