



## 1980

School Principal: Mr H Bennett

The Lord Mayor of London, Sir Peter Gadsden, visited, turning everybody's heads with his robes, pomp and ceremony. Rowing returned to the school as a sport - it was last taught in 1964.

## 1981

School Principal: Mr T Spencer

## 1982

School Principal: Mr J Sobkowiak

The travelling continued - French classes went to Cunderdin; a ski tour to the Eastern States. Computers were bought for classrooms.

## 1983

School Principal: Mr J Sobkowiak

### 60TH CELEBRATIONS OF THE SCHOOL ON PRESENT SITE

A tri-flagpole was presented to the school - we are able to fly simultaneously the Australian, State and School flags.

There was concern over the lack of a pre-vocational centre in the school.

Million dollar extensions began on the new Art, Music, English and Drama block.

Travels: Falls Creek ski trip, Reunion Island and France.



## 1984

School Principal: Mr D Rourke

The new wing was opened.

The retention rate of students proceeding to Upper School increased from 40% to 55% of the intake. Students had 30 subject choices.

Work began on the Gymnasium, Industrial Arts centre and paved sporting facilities.

12 transportables were erected because of the great increase in numbers (mostly due to the growth of the Australind area).

## 1985

School Principal: Mr D Rourke

This was a year of major change - more than 80% of the previous year's year 10s enrolled in Upper School.

Building on the gym and pre-vocational centres continued.

It was the last year of the Tertiary Admissions Examination - replaced by the T.E.E.

A Young Achiever's programme was run with the students making planter boxes.

A "Dracula Spectacula" production was held in the Hall.

32 subject choices.

An Adventure Club was organised by the Y.E.O. - canoeing, caving and camping.

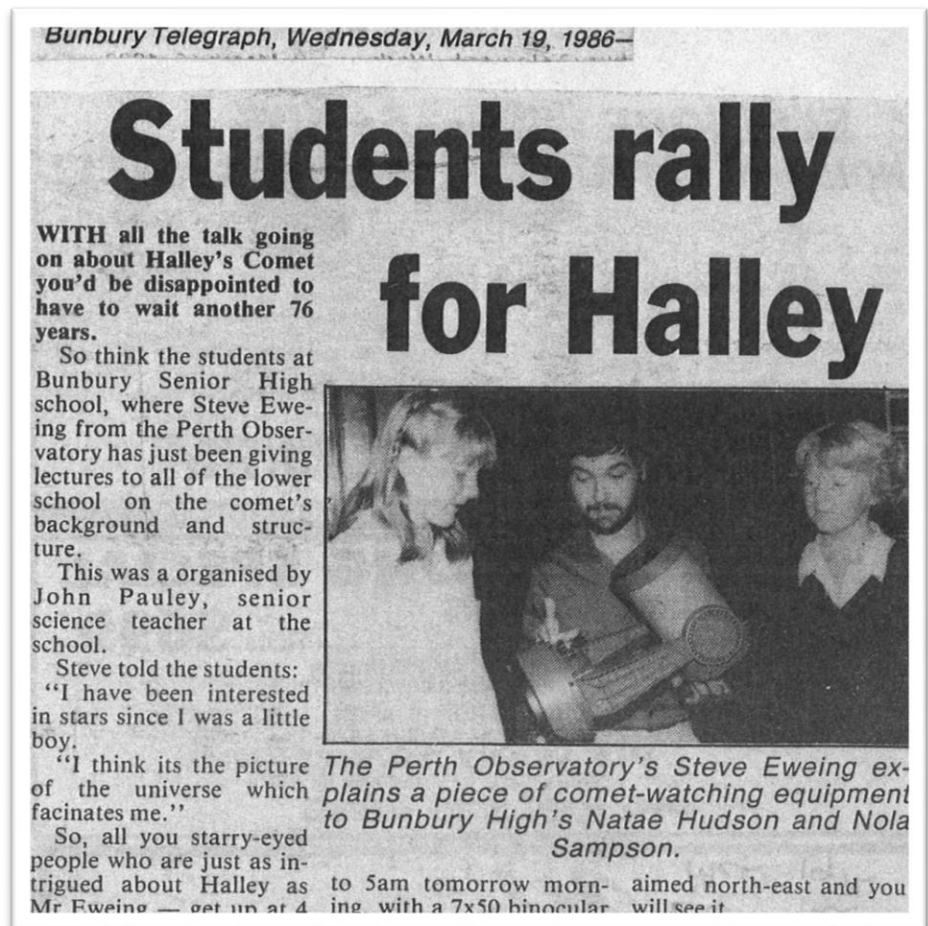
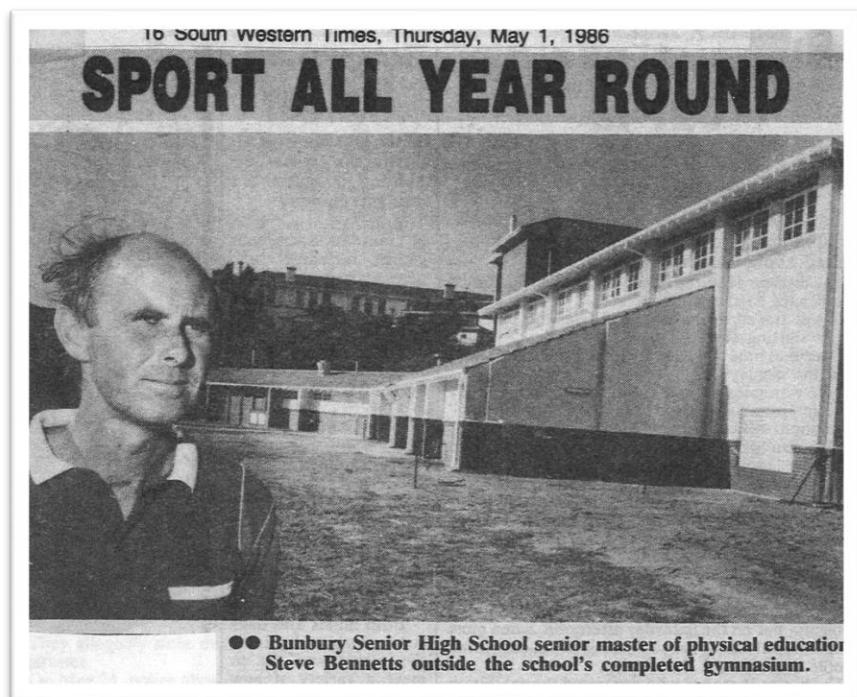


## 1986

School Principal: Mr D Rourke

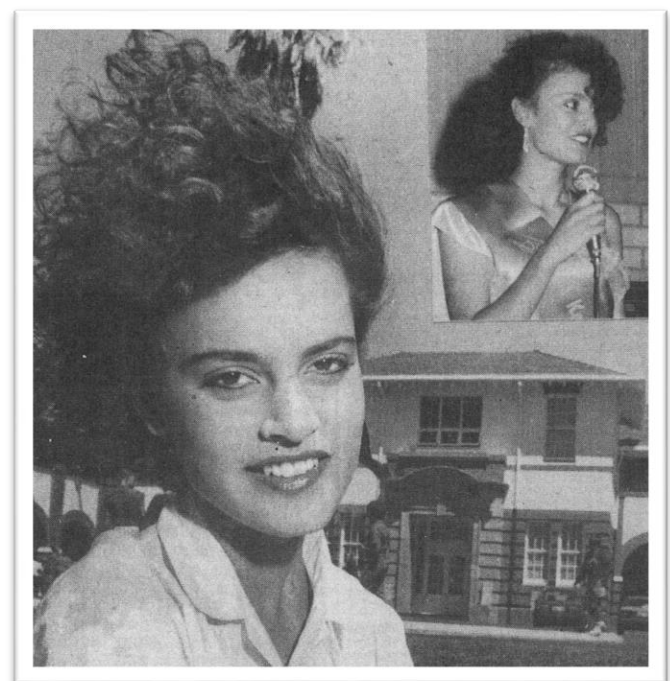
The 4 term year was introduced.  
There were a record number of subjects for Upper School students.  
Fun Run and Beach Day activities.

A Surfing Club was formed.  
"Boardwalk" plays were held in the new gymnasium.



Year 12 Biology students helped to rescue beached Pilot Whales at Augusta.  
Young Achievers produced herbal shampoo.  
The surfing team competed in the State Schoolboys Championships.

Sylvia Bourne (year 12) crowned Miss Koombana Queen at Bunbury 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration ball.



## 1987

School Principal: Mr D Rourke

Enrolments topped 1200.  
Introduction of Unit Curriculum.  
Young Achievers produced first aid kits and leather goods. \$2500 was raised by the students for the 40 Hour Famine.  
The first Bayliss Youth Lecture was held. Boardwalk and a One Act Drama Festival was held. Tour to S.E. Asia.  
Childhood studies group cared for 12 children aged 3 - 5 years.

## 1988

School Principal: Mr B Garstone

BICENTENNIAL YEAR: an exhibition was held with dances and plays performed downtown.  
Drama production went on tour to Denmark, Mt Barker and Albany.  
Young Achievers made gift baskets.  
A geodome was constructed by the Year 11 Maths class.

## 1989

School Principal: Mr B Wansborough

Students raised \$16250 in a Fun Run for the school. Students cruised on the "Evening Star" around the Abrolhos Islands.  
Year 12 Law group went on an excursion to the Perth Courts.  
9 exchange students in the school.