



THURSTAN COLLEGE OLD BOYS' UNION

The agenda of the 46th Annual General Meeting of the Thurstan College Old Boys' Union for the Year 2026 to be held at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday the 23rd of May 2026 at the Thurstan College Main Hall.

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| 1 | 4:00 p.m. | Arrival of the Chief Guest |
| 2 | 4:05 p.m. | Traditional Lighting of the Oil Lamp |
| 3 | 4:10 p.m. | School Anthem |
| 4 | 4:15 p.m. | A one-minute silent tribute to the departed Old Thurstanites,
Principals, Staff Members and War Heroes |
| S | 4:20 p.m. | Reading of the notice convening the AGM |
| 6 | 4:25 p.m. | Letters/ Messages of excuse |
| 7 | 4:30 p.m. | Welcome address by the President of OBU & presentation of
Principal's/ President's Report |
| 8 | 4:45 p.m. | General Secretaries Report |
| 9 | 4:55 p.m. | Address by the Chief Guest |
| 10 | 5:05 p.m. | Adoption of:
a) Minutes of the previous AGM
b) General Secretary's Report
c) Annual Accounts |
| 11 | 5:25 p.m. | Resolutions of which due notice has been given. |
| 12 | 5:30 p.m. | Report by the Chairman of the Nomination Board |
| 13 | 5:35 p.m. | Election of the Patron, Office Bearers & Council Members |
| 14 | 6:05 p.m. | Appointment of Honorary Life Members |
| 15 | 6:10 p.m. | Appointment of an Auditor |
| 16 | 6:15 p.m. | Open Forum for new points |
| 17 | 6:25 p.m. | Vote of Thanks |
| 18 | 6:30 p.m. | National Anthem |


Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe

General Secretary

Thurstan College OBU 30th March

2026

NOTE:

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thurstonobu@gmail.com INCLUDING NAME, MEMBERSHIP NUMBER & POSTAL ADDRESS.

Thurstan College OBU

Minutes of the Special General Meeting held on 26th March 2026 at the College Main Hall.

1. Meeting was called to order at 4.30 p.m.
2. In the presence Principal meeting will concern
3. Since the SGM was called to following matter.
 - a. To passed the correct audited accounts
 - Proposed by Mr Nimmitha Hettiarachchi
 - Seconded by Mr Uppala Hapuarachchi
 - b. To postponed the AGM of Thurstan OBU unit 23rd of May 2026.
 - Proposed by Daminda Cooray
 - Seconded by Laxman Wickramasinghe
 - c. Amendment of section of the Thurstan College Constitution.
 - Section 8 – proposal and secended by Mr Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe and Upul Kulasekara.
 - Section 5b proposed by & Seconded by Mr Bhathiya Seebert & Mr Laxman Wickramasinghe.
 - Section 5(c) and 5(d) proposed and seconded by Mr Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe and Harsha Ubesekara.

Section 10: Mr Uppala Hetthiarachchi and Laxman Wickramsinghe

Special Amendment: Aruna Amarasinghe and Bathiya Seebert.

Section 11 (3): Harsha Obesekara and Aruna Amarasinghe

Section 15: Daminda cooray and Laxman Wickramsinghe

Section 22 : Aruna Amarasinghe and Harsha Obesekara

Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe

General Secretary

Thurstan's All Boys Union

The General Secretary Report **2025-2026**

It is with great pleasure the General Secretary 'Report of the Old Boys' Union for 2025-2026. By referring this report I'm sure all of you will be happy to note and agree that the role played and the contributions made by your elected council on behalf of you for betterment of our dear Alma matter.

The following members were elected to the OBU 45th AGM.

Patron

Hon. Mahinda Rajapaksha

Advisory Committee

Mr Dixon Dela Bandara
Mr Priya Paranavitane
Mr Bhathiya Sebert
Mr Sampath Thuyakontha
Mr Noel Joseph
Mr Indaka Kooragama
Dr Narendra Pinto
Mr Sirosha Gunathilake
Mr Palitha Dalpatadu

President

Mr Pramuditha Wickramasinghe – Principal

Senior Vice President

Mr Daminda Cooray

Vice President

Mr Upul Gajaweera
Mr Laxman Wickramasinghe

General Secretary

Mr Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe

Assistant Secretary

Mr Harsha Ubeseekara

Treasurer

Mr Nimmitha Hettiarachchi

Functional Secretaries

Secretary - Athletics	Mr Surendra Ranawaka
Secretary - Basketball	Mr Maduka Galgamuwa
Secretary - Cadetting	Cdr Prasad Chamara
Secretary - Chess	Mr Hashan Lokuge
Secretary - Cricket	Mr Kulasiri Jayathilaka
Secretary - Education	Mr Shantha Wadimuna
Secretary - IT	Mr Navindu Dillimuni
Secretary - Physical Resources	Mr Shantha silva
Secretary - Rugby	Mr Wijaya Kumara Peiris
Secretary - Soccer	Mr Kushan Senanayake
Secretary - Social Activities	Mr Suren Peters
Secretary - Swimming	Mr Praneeth Peters
Act Secretary - Tennis	Mr Radika Dalpatadu
Secretary -Other sports	Mr Upul Kulasekara

Council Members

Mr L.C.P sudusinghe
Mr Dilan Perera
Mr Lanka De Silva
Mr Waruna Jayakody
Mr Ujith Gamage
Mr Rakitha Bandara
Mr Mohomed Akeel
Mr Buddhika Dayarathna
Mr Gayan Mendis
Mr Rajitha Kasun
Mr Lakmal Danushka
Mr pubudu Hettiarachchi
Mr Ramindu Kumarasinghe
Mr Jayalak Lawransu Hewage
Mr Vimarsha Jayawickrama
Mr Achala Ramanayake
Mr Yashoda Alahakoon
Mr Akhila Nagasinghe
Mr Wasantha Warnasooriya
Dr Sudath Peiris
Capt J A T Awanthika
Mr Uppala Hapuarachchi

COUNCIL MEETING ATTENDANCE - 2025/2026

No	Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	special	8	9	10	11	special	12
1	Mr Daminda Cooray	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex
2	Mr Upul Gajaweera	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1
3	Mr L.K.S. Wickramasinghe	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4	Mr Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5	Mr Harsha Ubeysekara	1	ex	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1
6	Mr Nimmitha Hettiarachchi	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1
7	Mr Sisira Vithanage	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	ex	1	ex	1
8	Mr Surendra Ranawaka	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	ex	ex	1	1	1	ex	ex
9	Mr Maduka Galgamuwa	1	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex
10	Mr Prasad Chamara	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	1	resign	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Mr Keerthi Palihakkara	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
12	Mr Hashan Lokuge	1	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
13	Mr Kulasiri Jayatilleka	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
14	Mr Shantha Wadimuna	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
15	Mr Navindu Dillimuni	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1
16	Mr Shantha Silva	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1
17	Mr Wijaya Kumara Peiris	1	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	1
18	Mr Kushan Senanayake	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	ex
19	Mr Suren Peters	ex	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	1	ex	ex
20	Mr Praneeth Peters	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex	1	ex	1	ex	1	1
21	Mr Upul Kulasekara	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	1	ex
22	Mr L C P Sudusinghe	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	ex	1	1
23	Mr Dilan Perera	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	ex
24	Mr Lanka De Silva	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	ex	resign	-	-	-	-	-
25	Mr Waruna Jayakody	ex	ex	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	ex	1	ex	1	1
26	Mr Ujith Gamage	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1
27	Mr Rakitha Bandara	1	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	ex
28	Mr Mohommed Akeel	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
29	Mr Radika Dalpatadu	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	1	1	1
30	Mr Gayan Mendis	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	1
31	Mr Rajitha Kasun	1	ex	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	1	ex
32	Mr Lakmal Dhanushka	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1
33	Mr Pubudu Hettiarachchi	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	ex
34	Mr Ramindu Kumarasinghe	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
35	Mr Jayalak Lawransu Hewage	ex	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex
36	Mr Aritha Weerasinghe	ex	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Mr Vimarsha Jayawickrama	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1
38	Mr Achala Ramanayake	1	1	1	1	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
39	Mr Yashodha Alahakoon	ex	ex	1	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	1	ex	ex	1	ex
40	Mr Akhila Nagasinghe	1	ex	1	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1
41	Mr Wasantha Warnasooriya	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1
42	Dr Sudath Peiris	1	1	ex	ex	1	ex	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
43	Capt J A T Awanthika	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex
44	Mr Uppala Hapuarachchi	-	-	-	1	1	1	ex	1	1	ex	1	ex	1	ex

OBU Expences 2025 April 01-2026 March 31

NO	Catogory	Amount
1	Western Band	312,000.00
2	Cricket	7,200,000.00
3	Tennis	1,160,000.00
4	Chess	910,000.00
5	Swimming	2,140,000.00
6	Rugby	2,450,000.00
7	Football	475,000.00
8	English Club	220,000.00
9	Boxing	35,000.00
10	Dancing	210,000.00
11	Art and Econ	300,000.00
12	Smart Board	2,170,000.00
13	Soil project	450,000.00
14	Knigh-Ro Exhibition	500,000.00
15	Other	4,920,000.00
	Total	23,452,000.00

OBU SPECIAL PROJECTS

- Smart Spark Project
- IT Lab Chair Project
- Main Hall Chair Repair Project
- New Building Soil Test
- Knight-Ro Exhibition Project Donations

Report of the BasketBall Secretary

THURSTAN BASKETBALL, had another successful year with many activities and leads our players to face the challenge at National levels.

About 30 players use this facility and benefitted from the present program thus were able to form teams for different age groups from Junior Squad & Senior Squad take part in inter school tournaments and compete with other schools as well.

- **We Participated School Annual sports meet 2026**



I wish to acknowledge the tremendous support and encouragement given to me by the members of the Thurstan College OBU Mr. Daminda Cooray (senior vice president), Mr. Arunashantha (General Secretary) and also the OLD BOYS UNION for the enormous contribution given to share the burden in promoting Tennis activities in the best interests of our Alma Mater.



Also I wish to express my sincere gratitude to the Principal, Deputy Principals, Teacher-in-Charge and Head Coach and his assistants for giving their fullest co-ordination and direction and guidance towards this endeavour.

Last but not least we look forward to the encouragement, continuous support and generous contributions by all the stakeholders to take THURSTAN BASKETBALL to greater heights in the years ahead.

Functional Secretary – Basket Ball
G.A.Maduka Galgamuwa

THURSTAN TENNIS

THURSTAN TENNIS continued its journey of growth and achievement in 2025, with our players representing the College with distinction at school, inter-school and national level tournaments.

About 70 players use this facility and have benefitted from the ongoing programme, enabling us to field teams across age groups from Under 7 through Under 19 to compete in inter-school tournaments.

Inter School Tennis Tournament – 2025

Our College participated in the Inter-School Tennis Tournament. The teams produced an outstanding performance across two age categories:

- Under 19 Boys – Division 2 Champions
- Under 17 Boys – Division 2 Second Runners-up



SLTA Yeti All Island Arjan Perera Memorial Trophy 2025

- Division 2 and 3 Semifinalist



SKA Novices Tennis Tournament 2025

Our younger players also took part in the SKA Novices Tennis Tournament 2025 and brought home several honours:

- Boys Under 12 Doubles – Winners
- Boys Under 12 Singles – Semi-Finalist
- Boys Under 14 Doubles – Runners-up



Felicitation Lunch – Under 19 and Under 17 Teams

In appreciation of the outstanding performances of our Under 19 and Under 17 tennis teams at the inter-school tournaments, a felicitation lunch was hosted for the players at Courtyard by Marriott, Colombo. The event was a memorable occasion that brought together the players, parents, coaches and the Old Boys' Union to celebrate the team's achievements and to encourage them to reach even greater heights in the seasons ahead.





Donations

Thurstan Tennis would like to sincerely thank Old Boy Mr. Lal Dias of Australia for his generous donation of three rackets to Thurstan Tennis. We would also like to extend our appreciation to Mr. Bhathiya Seebert, who coordinated and facilitated this valuable donation. Their support and contribution towards the development of tennis at Thurstan are greatly appreciated.

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Functional Secretary – Tennis
Thurstan College OBU

ATHLETIC REPORT (YEAR 2025-2026)

1. Executive Summary

During the 2025/2026 athletic year, our athletes demonstrated exceptional sportsmanship, dedication, and competitive spirit at the Divisional Level. A total of **29 athletes** successfully qualified for the upcoming Zonal School Games

The following sections break down the specific achievements, podium finishes, and standard-qualifying performances across various age categories.

2. Performance Breakdown by Age Category

■ Under 12 Boys

The youngest contingent set a strong foundation with notable podium finishes and track qualifications:

- **Long Jump:** 2nd Place
- **100m (Akila Kasuntha Shasna):** Successfully surpassed the qualifying standard level
- **100m (Inuka Vihan):** Successfully surpassed the qualifying standard level (3.100 -
- **50m x 4 Relay:** 2nd Place

■ Under 14 Boys

A highly versatile performance showcasing strength in both track events and vertical jumps:

- **Long Jump:** 2nd Place
- **100m:** 2nd Place
- **60m:** 4th Place
- **High Jump:** 4th Place
- **100m x 4 Relay:** 2nd Place



■ Under 16 Boys

Strong middle-distance running and team coordination highlights this segment:

- **800m:** 4th Place
- **400m x 4 Relay:** 2nd Place

■ Under 18 Boys

This category delivered standout individual track and field performances, securing a 1st-place finish:

- **High Jump:** 1st Place
- **Triple Jump:** 2nd Place
- **110m Hurdles:** 4th Place
- **400m x 4 Relay:** 4th Place
- ■ **Under 20 Boys**

A highly competitive display across multiple technical events, consistently placing within the top positions:

- **400m:** 4th Place
- **800m:** 4th Place
- **Javelin Throw:** 4th Place
- **Discus Throw:** 4th Place
- **High Jump:** 4th Place



Report Compiled By: Surendra Ranawaka (Athletic Secretary)

Cricket Report: 2025/2026

Under 13 Cricket Season 2025/2026 & Academy Level

- New matting has been installed for junior cricketers to use.
- The reserve side nets are available for under-13 players to practice on Wednesdays.
- Additionally, reserved indoor net practice sessions for under-13 players are also held on Wednesdays.
- Four teams (A, B, C, and D) participated in the Under-13 tournament during the 2025/2026 season.
- The A team successfully qualified for the finals after 40 years and became Joint Champions.
- The D team advanced to the second round of the tournament.
- The Thurstan College Cricket Academy has undergone restructuring, which has attracted over 100 students.
- Four new coaches were recruited for the junior level, and they worked hard to achieve this milestone.

Under 15 Level

-Last year, in 2025, teams A and B participated in the tournament, and both teams qualified for the second round.

- Coaches will continue daily practices, and teams A and B will maintain their practice routines throughout 2026.

- Four new junior coaches were recruited this season, and they worked diligently throughout 2026.

Under 17 Level

- The Under 17 A team participated in the 2025 tournament and successfully qualified for the quarter finals.

1st XI & 2nd XI

- In the 2026 season, the Thurstan College 1st XI cricket team participated in the limited-overs tournament and competed in the Division 1, Tier A of the league's 2-day tournament.

- A few 2nd XI cricket matches were played, and talented cricketers were identified for the next 1st XI season.
- The team won the 46th LOM W.A. De Silva Memorial Trophy in 2026 but lost in the 19th T20 match of the Priya Paranavithana Challenge Trophy in the year 2026.
- The 63rd big match of 2026 was played as a 3-day game, where Thurstan College achieved a remarkable innings victory over Isipathana College, marking their second consecutive win. This victory secured the Blackham Wijewardena Memorial Trophy for the eighth time.

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to the Thurstan College Old Boys, both local and foreign, as well as the Thurstan Cricket Committee, and the Master in Charge for both the Senior and Junior teams. I also want to acknowledge the supporting staff, the Thurstan College Ground Committee, and the Management Team's ground staff. Also, I would like to thank our sponsors, including the OBU Executive Committee, the General Secretary, the Senior Vice President, the Head Table, and the Secretary of Physical Resources from the Big Match Joint Committee. Special thanks to Mr. Priya Paranavithana for his invaluable guidance, which has helped us achieve this milestone.

Kulasiri Jayatilleke

FS – Cricket OBU

2025/2026

Thurstan College OBU - Social Secretary Report

Functional Secretary - Social Activities

Suren Peters

This report highlights the social activities organized and supported by the Thurstan College OBU Social Committee.

1. Annual OBU Trip

The Annual OBU Trip was successfully organized with the participation of OBU members and friends. The trip strengthened friendship, teamwork, and unity among members while creating memorable experiences.



2. Teachers' Eye Clinic

An eye clinic program was conducted for teachers with the support of professional eye care service providers. Teachers received eye testing, consultations, and awareness regarding eye health and vision care.



3. Funeral Banner Supply and Flower Wreath Sending

The Social Committee extended its support during bereavement occasions by arranging funeral banners and sending flower wreaths to express sympathy and respect to members and their families.

These activities demonstrate the commitment of the Thurstan College OBU Social Committee towards social responsibility, member welfare, and community support.

Report of the Physical Resources Secretary

Following Work Done

- 95% of the construction work of the new gymnasium and dormitory has been completed.
- Surface development of the rugby ground has been completed successfully.
- Two side turfs were completely re-laid and grass has been planted.
- The dining room was refurbished and fitted with new furniture.
- The roof of the rugby match referees' room was repaired.
- Two nurseries were established for cultivating pitch grass.
- The roof of the scoreboard was fully repaired.
- A restaurant in front of the main pavilion has been established.
- The total expenditure incurred so far for the upgrading and construction of the dormitory, new gymnasium, and dining room amounts to Rs. 20,069,420.00.

Future Proposed Work

- To construct a new sump well to collect sufficient water for watering both grounds, as the existing well does not have adequate capacity to meet the requirement.
- To construct three side turf strips near the new gymnasium.
- To add one pitch strip to the center square of turf pitches.
- With the sponsorship of Mr. Chanaka Gamage, floodlights are to be installed at the rugby ground.
- Plan has been prepared to construct a two-storey waiting room and referees' room adjacent to the existing machine room.
- Most of the above-mentioned developments incurred very high expenditure; therefore, we are making every possible effort to generate as much income as possible, mainly through hiring out the ground.

D V Shantha Silva

Physical Resources Secretary 2025/2026

Swimming Annual Report 2025/2026

Thurstan OBU committee members are heartily welcome to the annual general meeting. I'm here to present the progress of swimming progression over the last year as we gather for our annual general meeting. Reflecting on 2025 it has been year of growth, changes and opportunity. Our students participation are increasing. All ready we have started swimming as a subject to the grade one to five classes and all the parents and teachers are giving their best to encourage the students. We have the opportunity to expand our swimming session for the grade six to nine-as a subject. Our school held various competitions during the past year such as inter house school swimming competitions, western province national level swimming competitions and novices swimming competitions. By submitting this annual report, you will better understand the school swimming progress.

The competitions and the achievements as follow in 2025/2026,

✧ **50th Sri Lanka school swimming championship –2025**

- K.V.T Eleesha
 - 1stplace 50m free style - U 16
 - 1st place 100m free style - U16
 - 3rdplace 200m free style - U16
- K. Abiman
 - 5thplace 50m backstroke



✧ **National School Games Western Province**

- K.V.T Eleesha - 1st place 50m free style - U 16
(we won the championship of under 16)
- K. Abiman - 3rd place 50m free style - U14

✧ **National Aquatic Championship - 2025**

- 4X50 medley relay - Jinuka Sasmika
- Sandaru Perera
- Abiman Hettiarachchi
- DimanDeshapriya



✧ **Sabaragamuwa Province Short Course swimming Championship**

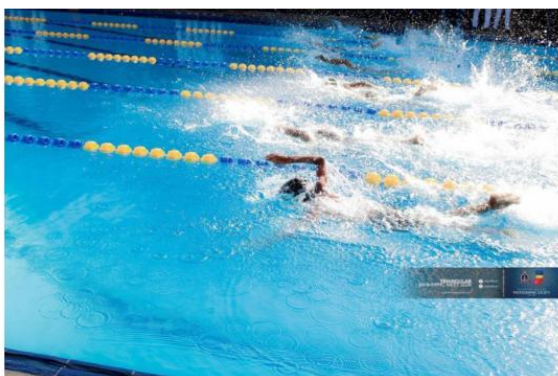
- U 16 Champion - Jinuka Sasmika Vithanage

- 50m breaststroke - 1st place
- 50m free style - 1st place
- 50m butterfly - 2nd place
- 50m backstroke - 2nd place
- 100m free style - 1st place

✧ **Swimming Trangular meeting - 2025**

The Inter-School Swimming Triangular Meet was successfully held with the participation of Thurstan College, Nalanda College, and D. S. Senanayake College. The event was graced by the Chief Guest, distinguished Lion Graetian Gunawardhan s' wife Mrs. Gunawardhana. After a highly competitive meet, Nalanda College secured 1st place, D. S. Senanayake College achieved 2nd place, and our school proudly obtained 3rd place. The event was also a great success financially, generating a profit of over Rs. 500,000 for the school OBU. This achievement was possible through the tremendous support and dedication of the parents, OBU members, and school teachers.





Triangular Swimming Meet Income & Expenses				
Income				
Pool Committee	500,000.00			
Sovenirs	339,595.00			
Fabela	25,000.00			
Entry Fee - Water f	280,000.00			
Swimming	146,600.00			
T Shirt Profit	30,000.00			
Knight Ro	20,320.00			
Total Income		1,341,515.00		
Expenses				
1) Slasu (WP)	53,500.00			
2) Swimming	49,000.00			
3) Medals	278,400.00			
4) Certificates	50,000.00			
5) Sanction Fee	8,500.00			
6) Meet Manager	40,000.00			
6) Tropies	35,948.00			
7) Foods	156,340.00			
8) Tent & Chairs	21,925.00			
9) Transport	7,000.00			
10) Decorations	29,850.00			
11) Gifts	61,050.00			
12) Other	26,948.00			
13) Sovenir Print	13,800.00			
		832,261.00		
Profit		509,254.00		

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• Achievements (2024)

1. **14TH SINGAPORE NATIONAL DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024**
1M SPRINGBOARD PARTICIPATING - SENITH BANULA (GROUP A)
3M SPRINGBOARD PARTICIPATING - SENITH BANULA
2. **48TH NATIONAL AGE GROUP AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024 DIVING**
1M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA (GROUP A)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA
3. **JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024 DIVING**
1M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA (JUNIOR NATIONAL)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA
PLATFORM - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA

• Achievements (2025)

1. **49TH NATIONAL AND JUNIOR NATIONAL DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025**
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - DINIDU PASAN (U20)
PLATFORM - 3RD PLACE - DINIDU PASAN

1M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA (U18)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA
PLATFORM - 1ST PLACE - SENITH BANULA
2. **49TH NATIONAL AGE GROUP AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025 DIVING**
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA (GROUP A)
PLATFORM - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA
3. **SRI LANKA SCHOOLS' ALL ISLAND AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025**
1M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - SENITH BANULA (U18)
PLATFORM - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA

3. **INTERMEDIATE DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025**
3M SPRINGBOARD - 1ST PLACE - IMIRA NILAKMIN (U17)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - METHUJA MANTHUSA
PLATFORM - 3RD PLACE - ACHALA PANKAJA

3M - SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - AMOD RUKSHAN (U19)
4. **17TH SRI LANKA SCHOOL'S AQUATIC NOVICES DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025**
1M - SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - ACHALA PANKAJA (U18)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 2ND PLACE - ACHALA PANKAJA

• Achievements 2026

1. **50TH NATIONAL AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026**
3M SPRINGBOARD - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA (GROUP A)
PLATFORM - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA
OVERALL 1ST RUNNERS UP - SENITH BANULA

3. INTERMEDIATE DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

3M SPRINGBOARD - 1ST PLACE - IMIRA NILAKMIN (U17)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE METHUJA MANTHUSA
PLATFORM - 3RD PLACE ACHALA PANKAJA

3M - SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - AMOAD RUKSHAN (U19)

4. 17TH SRI LANKA SCHOOL'S AQUATIC NOVICES DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

1M - SPRINGBOARD - 3RD PLACE - ACHALA PANKAJA (U18)
3M SPRINGBOARD - 2ND PLACE - ACHALA PANKAJA

• Achievements 2026

1. 50TH NATIONAL AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026

3M SPRINGBOARD - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA - (GROUP A)
PLATFORM - 2ND PLACE - SENITH BANULA
OVERALL 1ST RUNNERS UP - SENITH BANULA

• Upcpming events

1. 50TH NATIONAL AND JUNIOR NATIONAL DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026.
2. SRI LANKA SCHOOLS' ALL ISLAND AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026.
3. INTERMEDIATE DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026.
4. 18TH ANNUAL SRI LANKA SCHOOLS' ALL ISLAND AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026

• Upcpming Internaional events

1. 16TH SINGAPORE NATIONAL DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026
2. ASIAN AGE GROUP DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS INDIA 2026

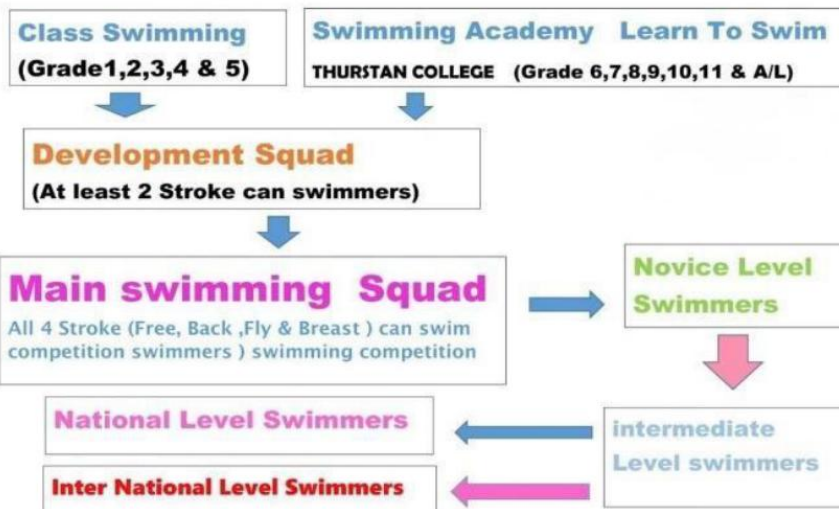
SENITH BANULA IS GOING TO PARTICIPATE ...

• Shortcomings

1. Gym is needed to increase the strength of the Diving players.
2. Divers need extra practice time at night.
3. Divers need a 3m springboard to practice



Thurstan College Swimming Development Program 2025



Future Expectations

- Swimming as Subject for all the students
- Fund raising activities in swimming and water polo
- Expecting to the top spot in the school ranking

Praneeth viduranga peters

Swimming Functional Secretary

Teachers' day celebrations



Rugby Functional Secretary's Report Thurstan College Old Boys Union

For the Year 2025

Dear President, Office Bearers, Members of the Old Boys Union, distinguished guests, and fellow Thurstanites.

It is with great pleasure that I present the Rugby Functional Secretary's Report for the year 2025 on behalf of the Rugby Committee of the Old Boys Union.

The 2025 rugby season was one of resilience, commitment, and steady progress for Thurstan Rugby Club. Despite facing several challenging encounters throughout the season, the players, coaching staff, committee members, parents, and supporters displayed unwavering dedication towards the development and success of Thurstan rugby.

Administration and Governance

I am pleased to state that the Rugby Committee successfully conducted its Annual General Meeting in November 2025 and ensured the submission of the audited accounts for the financial year 2025 in a timely manner, reflecting our continued commitment towards transparency, accountability, and good governance.

The total audited accounts for the year 2025 amounted to a loss of Rs. 1,149,372.55, whilst the projected budget for the 2026 rugby season stands at Rs. 30,000,000/-, which will support the continued development of both senior and junior rugby programmes.

1st XV Rugby Performance

The season commenced with the Premier Trophy Knockout Pre-Qualifier against a formidable opponent. Although the result did not favor Thurstan, the team demonstrated exceptional courage and determination throughout the game.

In the Schools Rugby League 2025 – Division A competition, the team showed commendable improvement as the season progressed. Competing against some of the strongest rugby-playing schools in the country, our boys displayed fighting spirit and discipline, eventually securing 3rd Place in the Division A Bowl Championship, a noteworthy achievement that reflected the hard work and perseverance of the squad.

Having returned to the Top Division only a year prior, the team's standing and performances during the 2025 season showcased significant progress and stability at the highest level of schools rugby. With the guidance and commitment of the current coaching staff, we remain confident of achieving even greater success during the 2026 season.

The Under-18 Elite Rugby Sevens tournament also proved to be a successful outing for Thurstan College. The team emerged as Runners-Up in the Bowl Category, displaying speed, teamwork, and promising talent for the future of Thurstan rugby.

Junior Rugby Development

The junior rugby programme continued to remain a key focus area during the year. The Under-10, Under-12, and Under-14 teams participated actively in their respective tournaments and

development programmes, recording several encouraging performances and victories throughout the season.

The continued progress shown across all junior age categories reflects the dedication of the coaching staff, parents, and players towards building a strong foundation for the future of Thurstan rugby. The junior setup once again demonstrated that the future of Thurstan rugby remains bright, with a talented group of young players steadily progressing through the ranks.

Sponsorships and Support

The Rugby Committee extends its sincere appreciation to all sponsors, co-sponsors, batch contributors, elite members, platinum members and other 500 club members, medical partners, and junior rugby sponsors whose generous support made the 2025 rugby season possible. Their continued commitment towards Thurstan rugby played a vital role in ensuring the smooth functioning of all rugby activities throughout the year.

A special note of gratitude is extended to:

- The Principal and staff of Thurstan College
- The President and Executive Committee of the Old Boys Union
- The coaching staff and team management
- All members of the Rugby Committee
- The Ground Committee for their continuous support and dedication towards maintaining facilities and ensuring the successful conduct of rugby activities
- Parents, past players, and well-wishers

Looking Ahead

While the season presented its share of challenges, it also highlighted the immense potential within our rugby structure. The experience gained this year will undoubtedly strengthen the foundation for future success, and we remain confident that Thurstan rugby will continue to grow from strength to strength in the years ahead.

Finally, I would like to thank everyone who stood by Thurstan rugby during the 2025 season and contributed in numerous ways towards the betterment of the game at our alma mater.

Thank you.

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Rugby Functional Secretary

Thurstan College Old Boys Union

	Back 2 School Tickets	Refreshment	Big Match Ticket	Big Match T-shirt & Committee T-shirt	TOTAL
Awanthika Jayasekaraarachchi	45,000.00				45,000.00
Waruna Jayakodi	17,500.00				17,500.00
Hashan Lokuge (2006)	25,000.00				25,000.00
Pubudu Hettiarachchi	50,000.00				50,000.00
2015 Batch - Lasitha (077-5386439), Madushanka (077-9530224)	2,500.00				2,500.00
1997 Batch - Chathura Jayendra (077-2343633)	50,000.00				50,000.00
Manoj Amarasinghe (077-3777406, Pubudu)	50,000.00				50,000.00
Manoj Amarasinghe (077-3777406, Pubudu)	25,000.00				25,000.00
Surendra Ranawaka		7,500.00			7,500.00
Cdr Prasad Chamara		7,500.00			7,500.00
Dilan Perera		7,500.00			7,500.00
Rakitha Bandara		7,500.00			7,500.00
Rohitha Priyantha			5,000.00		5,000.00
Ramesh Peiris				2,000.00	2,000.00
Amila Mayadunne				2,500.00	2,500.00
Lakmal Aluthgamage				2,500.00	2,500.00

Thanking

I take this opportunity to thank the Principal, Deputy Principals, Assistant Principal, academic staff, non-academic staff, School Development Society, and my fellow council members who supported me and worked tirelessly with dedication to uplift the standing of my alma mater. I also extend my sincere gratitude to the members of the advisory board for their valuable advice and guidance.

Aruna Shantha Amarasinghe

General Secretary

Thurstan's All Boys Union

