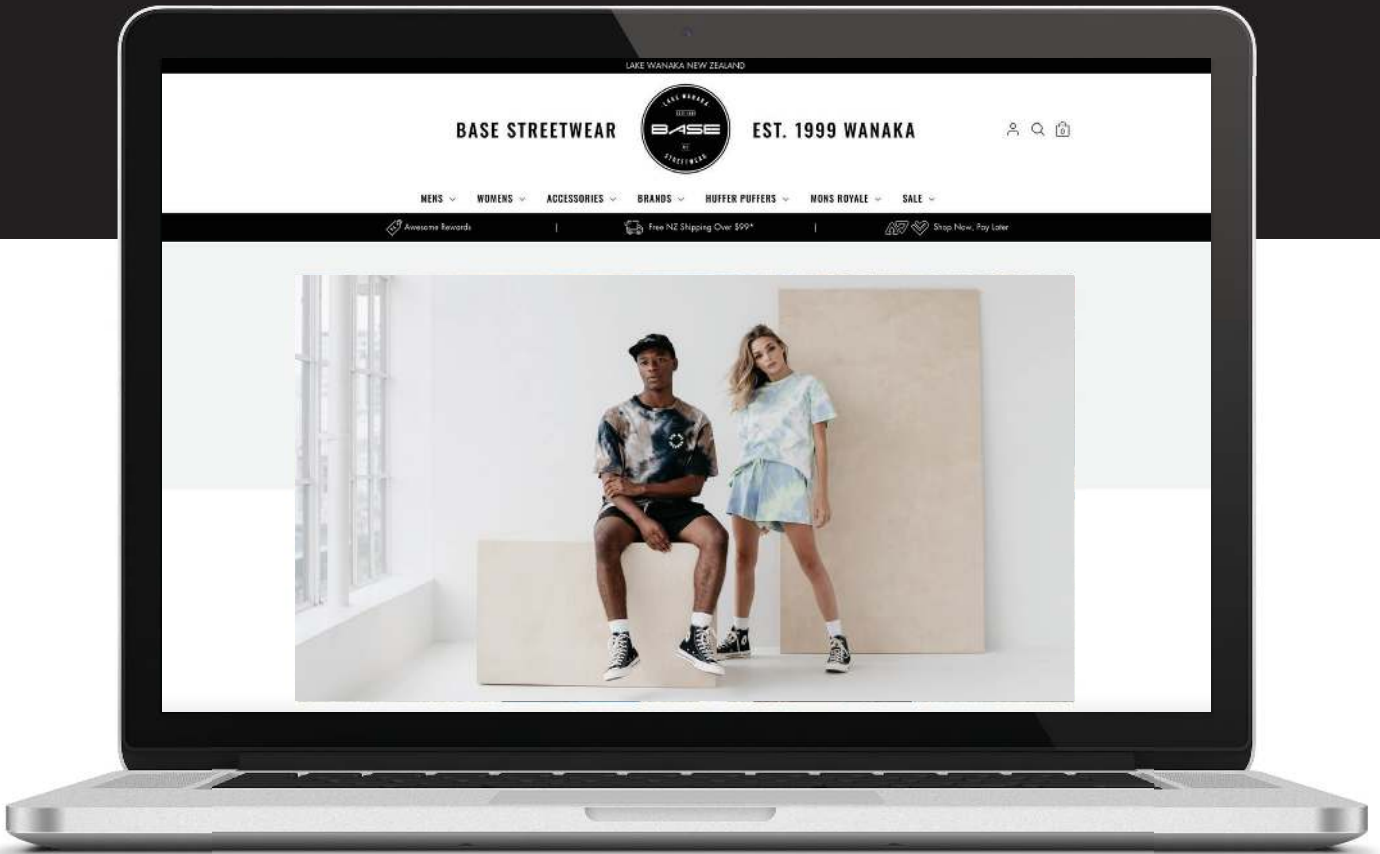


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WAYNE BOSLEY

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Thanks to everyone who has contributed to our magazine this year. In particular, and in no particular order, we would like to thank Chrissi Pettit and Samantha Wilson, Sports Co-ordinators, for co-ordinating the sports pages, to Mandy Sherson for sourcing the adverts and for proofreading, to Georgina Wadsworth for proofreading, to Lillian Eastwood for the cover design, to Siena Shotwell and Michael Cealogo for helping organise the senior student contributions, to the staff who have assisted us and to everyone who has allowed us to showcase their words and pictures.

LIZ BRESLIN AND ANDREW MILLER, MAC MAG PRODUCTION TEAM

ACTING PRINCIPAL'S WELCOME



Kia Ora. It would be fair to say that 2020 has been an interesting but challenging year for all of us at Mount Aspiring College and the wider community. I have to say how impressed and proud I am of how our students, staff and the wider community have pulled together to respond to these difficult times.

We began the year with a roll of 1134 students and, as we continue to grow, we have finally had confirmation from the Ministry that 'the money is in the bank'. The build is looking likely to be underway in Term 1 2021. The build comprises a three stage development where stage one and two consists of a two storey building with specialist space catering for performing arts, technology and a new library, plus flexible learning spaces which will largely house our Year 7 and Year 8 students. The third stage, built concurrently with stages one and two, will house the language learning area, the pastoral team, the senior leadership team and the main administration office. We are also very excited that this building will include a whare. The Board of Trustees and the senior leadership team are currently developing a working relationship with Ngai Tahu and it is hoped that we can, with their help, develop our cultural narrative and ultimately weave this into the new build and our strategic plan.

Despite the challenges we have faced this year I think we can celebrate a huge

number of successes here at Mount Aspiring College in 2020. I continue to be amazed by the sheer talent we have in this community. The level of excellence our students achieve, whether it be in an academic, a sporting, a cultural or service context, is astounding. Alongside this, I had the privilege of interviewing a good number of our Year 13 students for scholarships in week nine of Term 3. Rest assured, if we value well-rounded, citizens of the world, each and every one of the candidates interviewed were outstanding and we can all be very proud of the quality of young people we are producing here at Mount Aspiring College and the Wanaka community.

I want to thank Ian Hall (BoT Chair) and Madeleine Hawkesby (LSM) for the support that they have provided to us this year. I know that we are heading in the right direction and moving forward, I am confident that Mount Aspiring College is in good hands.

I would like to say a huge thanks to all of our students and staff. You are all fantastic and make Mount Aspiring College what it is. I hope you have a fantastic break away this summer and some well-deserved down time. Enjoy time with whanau and friends and please be safe.

Nga mihi,

DEAN SHEPPARD, ACTING PRINCIPAL



MAC STAFF 2020



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BoT CHAIR REPORT



When the history of Mount Aspiring College is written, the year 2020 will be remembered for a fairly remarkable series of events. Amongst all of the turbulence, I've been impressed by the enthusiasm and achievements of so many of our students. Great things have happened within the college this year which are a cause for celebration and acknowledgement. On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I extend best wishes to all students, especially those who will be leaving the college this year.

On 26th March, our country went into COVID lockdown at what became known as Alert Level 4. Suddenly, the college went quiet as both students and staff were ordered to stay away from school. We quickly put in place the systems and support needed to maintain contact between the college and students, providing good communication with parents and caregivers.

For the remainder of the year, we've grappled with the restrictions of various alert levels and, inevitably, many school events have had to be cancelled, curtailed, or compromised with an impact on our academic, sporting, cultural and community activities.

For the BoT too, this has been a challenging year. At the first board meeting of the year, Glenn Peat succeeded Martin Toomey as our Chair. Unfortunately, Mr Peat chose to resign quite early in the year and Ed Nepia then stepped in as Chair. A number of concerns about the college and the work of the board surfaced and considerable media attention resulted.

The BoT asked the Ministry of Education to appoint a Limited Statutory Manager (LSM) to assist the work of the board and Madeleine Hawkesby, from Christchurch, was appointed to this role.

At the end of Term 2, our long-serving principal, Wayne Bosley, decided to resign from his position. The committed and professional service given to the college by Mr Bosley was acknowledged by the Board. Dean Sheppard was appointed as Acting Principal at the start of Term 3. A new principal will be appointed in due course to lead the college.

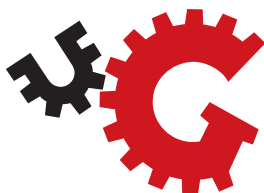
I took over from Mr Nepia as Chair from the August board meeting. Alongside Ms Hawkesby and Mr Sheppard, we've been working to ensure that the college enjoys the confidence of the local community. We have put various plans in place that will address areas for action, and we are determined to act in an open and transparent manner to position the college for a bright future.

Some difficult decisions had to be made during the year, such as the closure of the International Language Centre (ILC) which has brought so much diversity to the life of the college. The refresh of the school uniform was finally agreed upon with changes to be implemented from the next school year. We were delighted when the Government finally committed the necessary funding to allow for construction to start in 2021.

I finish by thanking the staff for the fine work they have done in some very demanding times to look after the best interests of our students. I thank my fellow board members for the time and expertise that they give so freely to the college. And I thank all of you in the college community for the part that you have played in our shared journey.

Kia ora, kia kaha.

DR IAN W HALL, BOARD CHAIR



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THANKS TO WAYNE BOSLEY



This year saw the departure of Wayne Bosley, our long standing principal of 21 years. Beginning first as deputy and then moving into the role of principal, Mr Bosley has been a stalwart figure within the college community. Students, staff and parents alike have been lucky enough to bear witness to his strength of character, his kindness and his true compassion for others over this time.

Throughout his tenure as both a teacher and leader Mr Bosley has always kept students at the forefront. We thank him for his dedication to the thousands of graduates that he has mentored and inspired over the years that Mount Aspiring College grew from a small rural school of 350 to the largest in Otago with 1139 students. He continuously pioneered new leadership opportunities, instigated the head student system and he gave so many the benefit-of-the-doubt. Alongside the board he pushed for a new campus development, finally getting the official go-ahead on his very last day. He has seen teachers, families and board members come and go, clapped in the front row of productions and on the sideline of sports games. His love of sport and enthusiasm for supporting all of our MAC teams meant that you'd often see him on a Saturday with his trademark scarf and enthusiastic cheers, and there are many who remember him this way.

It was once said that "It takes a big heart to help shape young minds and teaching is the greatest act of optimism." Wayne Bosley has been a kind and optimistic leader of our college and a loyal supporter of both students and staff. So, as we move forward we would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the thousands of students and staff whose lives he has enriched, to say thank you Wayne. Thank you for everything.



HEAD GIRL, STUDENT BOT REP & HEAD BOY



SIENA SHOTWELL, ISOBEL SMITH & MICHAEL GEALOGO

When I found out that I was going to be Mount Aspiring College's Head Girl for 2020, I was surprised, excited and extraordinarily humbled. It's difficult to describe the feeling of being told that a school has faith in you to lead it. While this has been a year full of surprises and challenges, being the Head Girl of our school has been an experience nothing short of remarkable. This role has taught me about my place in the world; how to be resilient, determined and collaborative. How to work with integrity and the vitality of change.

One of the most important things I have learnt during my time at MAC is the Whakatauki of Box Theatre Senior Drama: "Ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi, he toa takitini". The strength is not in the individual, it is in the collective. I feel great pride to have been a part of such a special collective. The impact of collaboration and communication has amazed me. When I applied for this position, I said that the merit in our honest voices could be the thing that allows us to unite. The first step in bettering any situation or culture is to recognise the value of honesty over ease. With influence comes responsibility and it is integral that we teach young people the importance of awareness rather than the comfort of ignorance. Silence does not foster change and neither does speaking for others. Appreciating the value of the individual and the power of the collective allows good intentions to become constructive actions.

It's strange writing this, knowing that my time is almost up this year. It's been quite the journey and I cannot express how grateful I am to have had this opportunity. I encourage every person at MAC never to be afraid of change. Take opportunities and do your best in everything you do. Success isn't just in the measurable things, or how you are seen by others. Success is in process and navigating both the good and the bad with your own truth at the forefront of your actions. I encourage you to do what you believe in, rather than what is expected of you. Always think for yourself, be both critical and optimistic.

I want to acknowledge Michael, the best partner in crime I could have asked for this year. He deserves every success that comes his way. I thank him, the Student Exec team and house leaders for making this year what it was, it's been a pleasure to work alongside every one of you.

Finally, I owe an enormous thank you to my teachers for everything you have done to support me over the last seven years. Thank you to the teachers who taught me how to use my voice. I couldn't have asked for anything more.

SIENA SHOTWELL

2020 has been a turbulent year for all, including the school and its Board of Trustees. Despite, and perhaps because of, the ups and downs, I have learned so much from this role and while I'm excited about my future, leaving MAC is bittersweet. I look forward to following MAC's growth over the next few years, seeing our students in a new uniform, studying in new buildings. As the student representative on the Board of Trustees, I've been involved with the finalisation of this new uniform, countless board decisions and represented my peers to influence the direction of the school. Thank you for this opportunity. I'm eternally grateful for the experience I have gained in this role and encourage younger students to consider it in the future.

It's been a valuable and fascinating experience to work in governance alongside the Senior Management Team - one that will stick with me for the rest of my life. Thank you to all the board members who have provided support and guidance throughout the year. I've loved the chance to work closely with other student leaders as a part of the executive committee. There are many leadership opportunities at MAC and I urge all interested students to pursue them. I've grown as an individual and a leader, and will never forget my final year at MAC.

ISOBEL SMITH

I remember when I was Year 7 and had to paint the outer soles of my shoes everyday as they were not school regulation black. Now I'm privileged enough to be the Head Boy of Mount Aspiring College and have my own write up in this year's magazine. It's been a journey.

First and foremost, I have to acknowledge the students, teachers and staff for supporting me throughout my time at MAC. This community of people has not only made me the person I am today, but has made my highschool experience a really enjoyable one.

I will never forget all the camps and the amount of times I stepped in mud. I will never forget the formals and the number of moments where I thought my pants ripped. I will always remember the feeling of giving back during the 'Students In The Community' program.

These are the memories I will cherish forever.

When being awarded the opportunity to be the Head Boy of the college, I never pictured my last year to be like this. But, in saying that, I wouldn't have changed a thing. Being able to be a part of the college's response to the pandemic, sparking confidence in others to speak about issues such as racism, and giving a farewell to the dedicated service of our principal, are things as a head student I'm grateful to have been a part of.

I have to give big thanks to my partner in crime Siena and the Student Exec for all that they've done this year. It has been great to be a part of a group of such talented individuals who take pride in making a difference.

I am grateful to serve this college. I extremely encourage all of you to immerse yourself in any leadership opportunities. Not only is it an enjoyable experience, but it is always nice giving back to a community who have done so much for you. I cannot express enough how thankful I am to be brought up in a school like Mount Aspiring College.

Cheers everyone for the great year!

MICHAEL GEALOGO



SURVIVORS '20



INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE CENTRE FAREWELL

The International Language Centre has had to close. Our borders are closed, we can't help this. But here are some of the pictures we have found over the years for you to enjoy. We also acknowledge the fantastic people that have made such a great contribution to the programme and of course the international students from all over the world that have touched our lives (and vice versa).

Mike Allison, MAC's first Principal took a bold leap with Tomorrow's Schools with the idea to start an International Language Centre. This was an innovative foreign student programme which went from four students in 1991 to 36 in 2002. In 1996 a dedicated building was opened. This is now the music room.

Having the ILC has allowed for cultural diversity, for local students to mix with and understand people from different cultures. There have been a lot of people (Diane Scott, Melinda Allan, Ashlea & Don King, Maurie Jackways, Wayne Bosley) who have paved the way for MAC to be known to the world and helped set the scene for international students to come to Wanaka and MAC - to live with a new family, improve their English and experience what Wanaka has to offer and, of course, make friends.

Homestay families, you have been our students 'home away from home' and provided the heart our students have needed. Thank you! Without you none of this would have been possible and thank you for taking students into your home and treating them like one of your own. It is because of you that so many students managed to gain the

strength and confidence they needed to assimilate into our Kiwi culture.

I applaud all of our international students on their resilience and efforts, because it is a very brave thing to come to the other side of the world to a new family, a new school and a new language! A special mention has to go to our remaining students of 2020 who didn't take a repatriation flight home and stayed the course - Isaac Chung, Kevin Yoo and Axel Forestier. Those that did leave - we do miss you.

This brings me to the wonderful ESOL teachers who have helped the students with their English from absolute beginners to advanced. To watch you weave your magic with these students has truly been a pleasure over the years.

To our overseas partners that have sent us some stunning students over the years - thank you.

I would also like to thank the many NZ students who used to frequent the ILC - the students really appreciated having a friend.

I want to acknowledge everyone who has worked at the ILC over the years. It has always been a warm, welcoming home base to our international students and I have felt truly blessed to be a part of Team ILC.

CLAIRE EASTERBROOK (ILC MANAGER 2005 - 2020)





« ILC THROUGH THE YEARS »

2007



2008



2009



2010



2011





2012



2013



2014



2015



2016



2017



2018



2019

2020



HOUSE DAY & TUG O' WAR





BARKER HOUSE

Barker House has lived up to our house chant this year approaching every competition with a hot to go attitude! We had a great start to the year with a fun house day involving sunny weather, new challenges and lots of house spirit. It was awesome to see everyone dressed up in green and getting involved in the Tug of War, supporting their peers. We went on to have great success at Athletics Day placing first as a result of high participation levels and talented Barker athletes gaining placings in various events. We had more success on land than in the pool attaining 3rd place for our efforts at Swimming Sports. Following lockdown, Barker House raced around the Cross Country course in high spirits leading to us gaining first place in this competition.

It really has been a privilege to be Barker House Leaders for 2020. Despite the interruptions of lockdown, we adapted and improvised creating fun and enjoyable opportunities to get involved in the house competition. It definitely has been a challenge as we have faced our own stresses due to lockdown but we have all done our best and are so grateful for the support from Miss McCone that has helped us through. We would also like to thank Mr Hodges and Ms Watt for supporting Barker House in their deaning roles.

All the best to future Barker students, keep winning! - LUKAS SCHAFFER AND JESSIE MCKENZIE

IRON HOUSE

Iron house had a pretty exciting start to the year, with us taking the win in the ever so popular House Day event. As a house we brought so much spirit, enthusiasm and RED to the day, where we worked collectively and passionately as a team to take away the top place.

Not long after this was swim sports, where we put the red attire back on and chanted "GO IRON" at the top of our lungs as we watched our house members give it their all and race to the finish. These events showcased how we could all band together as a collective with immense determination, passion, and joy which allowed us to come out on top and grow as a house.

A main goal for us as House Leaders this year has been making it fun and enjoyable for every member, where everyone felt encouraged and supported at every house event to give it their best shot. At these events we always saw big smiles, immense energy, and a go getter attitude on the faces of our Iron members with every event and challenge we came across, which uplifted the positive Iron culture.

2020 has come with its challenges but through perseverance and positivity as a house we have been able to come together, communicate openly, and develop some exciting opportunities for all. With a year with so many unknowns and obstacles, we have been honoured to work alongside a bunch of awesome Iron students and teachers that have supported and enabled us to create our own Iron family and uphold a friendly, open minded cohort.

Overall, as the 2020 Iron house representatives it has been our joy and honor to be able to lead, communicate and work alongside all of the Iron staff and students in 2020 :) Your 2020 Iron House Leaders. - EMMA SMITH AND JAKE JAMISON

PISA HOUSE

Since meeting at Pembroke Park on the morning of House Day 2020, Pisa House has shown great enthusiasm and amazing house spirit. Throughout all the house events this year Pisa has had some strong competitors and enthusiastic participation.

This year we have built on this house spirit by introducing the Pisa Wheel of Fun for the first time. This is an inter-whanau competition aimed at connecting students of the different whanau, and adding an aspect of competition within the house to get even more students involved. We believe that this has been successful, with this same energy and fun fueling our participation and competition in house events. - ABIGAIL WINTER AND OLLY THOMAS

ROY HOUSE

Roy House started the year with great passion and determination toward all the challenges and activities we faced together. As Mrs. Arlidge likes to say our house has the "Roy Joy".

We have shown our go-getter spirit, enthusiasm, determination to work hard and the ability to have fun throughout the year. We're the house with a heart. A heart that is rich in culture and diversity, that we ensure to celebrate and cultivate to develop our positive and supportive environment. As house leaders, we have spoken openly and passionately about important matters continuously throughout the year and have been supported consistently by staff and students. We are exceptionally proud of the integrity of each individual within our house and their willingness to take on the world.

2020 has provided various challenges to disrupt our usual way of living, but Roy always counteracted these challenges with perseverance and a positive attitude and soared past the difficulties.

Overall as 2020 representatives of Roy House, we are overwhelmingly honoured to have been able to lead and work alongside such an amazing group of students and staff.

- BILLEA-NOVA CHIN-NYIKA AND LUCA GEORGALLI



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*"Believe in yourself and all that you are.
Know that there is something inside you
that is greater than any obstacle"*

*Congratulations on completing this year,
and wishing all MAC students, teachers
and parents all the best for next year.*





BARKER HOUSE

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ROY HOUSE

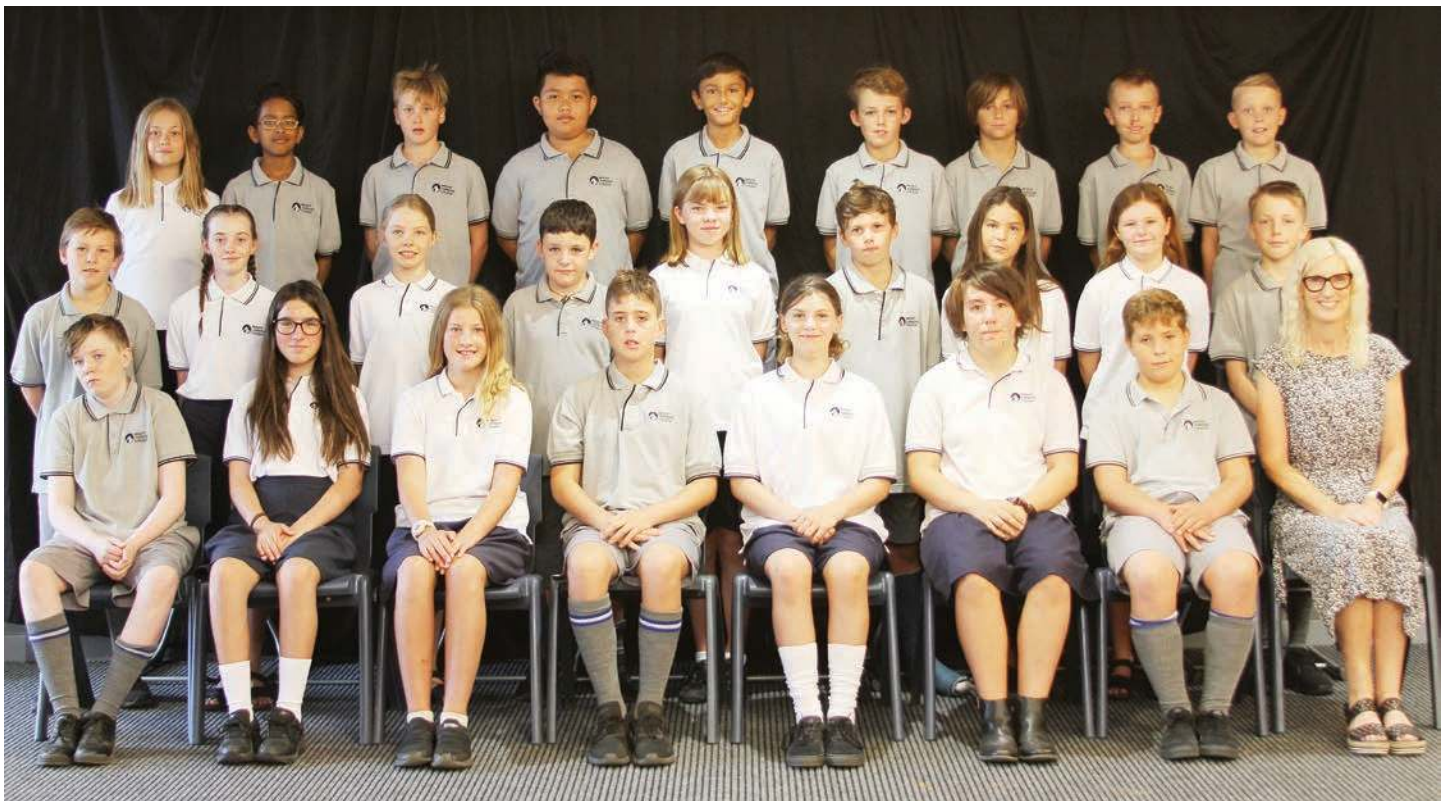




PISA HOUSE

IRON HOUSE





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BACK: Tasmin van Riel, Anshu Prasad, Max Bagley, Patrick Agravante, Elvis Boyd, Lachy Thomson, Jake O'Connor, Shay Hampson, Dom Plimmer.
 MIDDLE: Jacob Toomey, Imogen Nisbet, Nico Pettit, Daniel Sherborne, Millie Slaven, Ruben Harley, Rahana Brett, Alex Kettle, Bjani Speers.
 FRONT: Freddie Knight, Mhaya Pereira, Hana Jones, Eli Hunt, Eva Van Walt, Willow Hanson, Don-Caro Austin-Moorhouse, Mrs Kate Brown (TEACHER).
 ABSENT: Dax O'Neill, Madison Scott.



7KPT

BACK: Ruby Holsted, Ryan Tombling, Gabriel Soares, Briana Joyce, Reuben O'Sullivan, Zoe Gumpatzes, Ari Drake, Logan Van Niekerk, James Brake.
 MIDDLE: Tarn Currie, Luka Cowan, Mika Robinson, Tasmin Murphy, Mikayla Robertson, Belinda Hope, Susannah West, Priya White, Charlie Helmore, Mrs Tiffany Kemp (TEACHER).
 FRONT: Huxley Acland, Kassen Rich, Matilda Dawson, Riley Miller, Louis Wilson, Siena Dunlop, George Simonsohn, Oli Wyeth.
 ABSENT: Poppy May.



7CER

BACK: Sophie Fountain, Liam McLachlan, Harry Rowden, Korbyn Berryman, Kazuma Saka, Wiliam Noble-Kirkbride, Quinn Barron, Liam Huettemann, Kasey Brooks.

MIDDLE: Sophie Smith, Ben Bankshaw, Hazel Corthell, Kevin Schafer, Ramone Millar, Journey Seu-Leniu, Cameron Wilson, Summer Miles, Bradley Groves, Heidi Kendrick, Ms Ruby Cave (TEACHER).

FRONT: Orlando Arratia, Shaina Agravante, Jayden Lawrence, Mabel North, Nadine Imhof, Kade Lawrie, Kaitlyn Tooley, Tommy Cotter.

ABSENT: Felix Eastwood.



7RLE

BACK: Alex Pedersen, Raynardt van der Merwe, John Marshall, Fletcher Chisholm, Gabe Parkhill, Quinn Bailey, Hinato Watanabe, Ms Ellie Russell (TEACHER).

MIDDLE: Madi Lovelock, Lauren Bensmann, Taylor MacRae, Olly Shutt, Oscar Leigh, Bruce Raffills, Georgia Davies, Niamh Groenen, Kate Hutchison.

FRONT: Hunter Armstrong, Denali Emmitt, Eden McKay, Jimmy Knight, Georgina Titterton, Chantel Rudhall, Mikayla Botting, Max Horrocks.

ABSENT: Hannah Carter, Rosia Colesi, Van Ottley.



7TNG

BACK: Harry Smitheram, Will Heath, Olive Sinclair, Ahlia Barrow, Luca Perkins, Cole Rasmussen.
 MIDDLE: Cooper Morgan, James Muir, Bronny O'Sullivan, Cooper Arkell, Roko Treadwell-Burke, Fred Gordon, Kerah Alexander, Murphy Paterson,
 Jacob Gould, Mrs Gemma Thompson (TEACHER).
 FRONT: Cory Enoka, Nova Whiston, Lilly Anderson, Lilla Hay, Amelia Hancock, Ruby Smith, Ella McGregor, Liko Edwards.
 ABSENT: Luke Harrold, Huxley Herring, Dougal McConnell, Stanley Ross.



7LBB

BACK: Lucas Brett, Jem Pendlebury, Charlotte Mavor, Lily LaRose, Toby Brown, Lenni Miller, Alice Porter, Teddy Hailey, Molly Brown.
 MIDDLE: Ryan Keenan, Zephyr Walker, Kymani van Mourik, George Sargood-Ross, Ellie Berry, Lewis Briscall, Domenico Robinson, Ashley Beaton,
 Jack Sides, Mrs Brianna Lobb (TEACHER).
 FRONT: Alice Duffy, Saige Maraki, Jack Lin, Monti Cleugh-Gibb, Magnus Pinfold, Max Henley, Collette Marsden, Tayla Cooper.
 ABSENT: Keira Beston.



7BAS/KSS

BACK: Tama Huston-Jefferies, Fleur Maydon, Seiha Iizuka, Liam Grimmett, Isla Taylor, Callan Wilson, Diego Bercelli, Tessa Jones, Lukas Latimer.

MIDDLE: Anoushka Brahmin, Isaac Baker, Jack West, Phoebe Laker, Connor Eley, Sienna Marsden, Maxwell Macdonald, Nicko Knippers,

Sophia Menlove, Ms Stephanie Botha (TEACHER).

FRONT: Noah Purnell, Ethan Highsted, Toby Mills, Vaali Hocking, Rhian Telfer, Ataahua Toi Whenua, Lucas Haig, Tomas Robertson.

ABSENT: Jack Fair, Ms Sarah-Jane Knowles (TEACHER)



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MIDDLE: Isaiah Chin-Nyika, Abby Jago, Chantel Thurston, Kate Castillejos, Kezik Magill, Amelia Samrek, Miss Erin Hurley (TEACHER).

FRONT: Eve Buckland, Celeste Rumore, Barnes Metcalfe, Hannah Gillespie, Robert McRae, Will Blyth, Sienna Christian.

ABSENT: Max Bretherton, Benjamin Eckhoff, Sophie Gillies, Ben Hilton, Kyra Secker, Nathalie Urquhart.



8JNR

BACK: Midori Osnabrugge, Ruby Norman, Victor Edwards, Dylan Brown, Kaya Knights-Johnston, Ella Asberg, Monty Brown.

MIDDLE: Sam Soper, Hugh Ragg, Catarina David, Kate Carnie, Riley Upfold, Jack Collop, Ms Rence Johnson (TEACHER).

FRONT: Cody Labes, Sophia Tuck, Ryan Stembridge, Millie Quick, Cameron Armstrong, Jazmine Allison, Fletcher Davison.

ABSENT: Lily Campbell, Fenella Craig, Isis Duffy-McLeod, Dan McKean.



8PKB

BACK: Luke Gendall, Amelia Latchford, Charlie Roy, Summer Schryvers, Cholula Brown, Lucas Stewart, Amber Leslie, Mr Ben Pennycuick (TEACHER).

MIDDLE: Claudia Paterson, Lia Hunter, Lucas Hay, Ryan Coupe, Jah Skeen, Janie Colebrook, Chloe Laird.

FRONT: Jack Labes, Amaya East, Lola Ritchie, Lauren Prescott, Tom Bankshaw, Olivia Shore, Jack Scott, Cody Gemmell.

ABSENT: Saria Halabi, Kobyn Williams.



8BSL

BACK: Elizabeth Pell, Grace Thomas, Leah Polk, Tyler Gawn, George Holland.

MIDDLE: Lincoln Rimmer, Angus Ives, Lucas Barron, Lili Kaler, Caitlin McConnell, Carys Miller, Ms Lesley Baynes (TEACHER).

FRONT: Madison Hosking, Skye Watson, Sophia Gooch, Mae Pfahlert, Ollie Taylor, Jack Mitchell, Harris Orbell, Ryan Clark.

ABSENT: Dara Gahan, Xander Hearle, Marley Lahood, Oskar Sharpe, Douglas Wise.



8SNA

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MIDDLE: Cormac Lee-Smith, Vincent Gerrard, Ashleigh Peat, Aria Winter, Kiana Babbington, Jack Lamb, Ethan Prince, Mr Andrew Sloan (TEACHER).

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ABSENT: George Allwood, Isaac Moore, Che De'Souza.



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FRONT: Axel Macdougall, Eli McArthur, Joseph Combe, Dorothy Anderson, Caitlin O'Donnell, Max Good, Gabriel Vaz Pinto, Harry Oxley.

ABSENT: Mikayla Duncan, Charlotte May, Ms Annaliese Dirkse (TEACHER).



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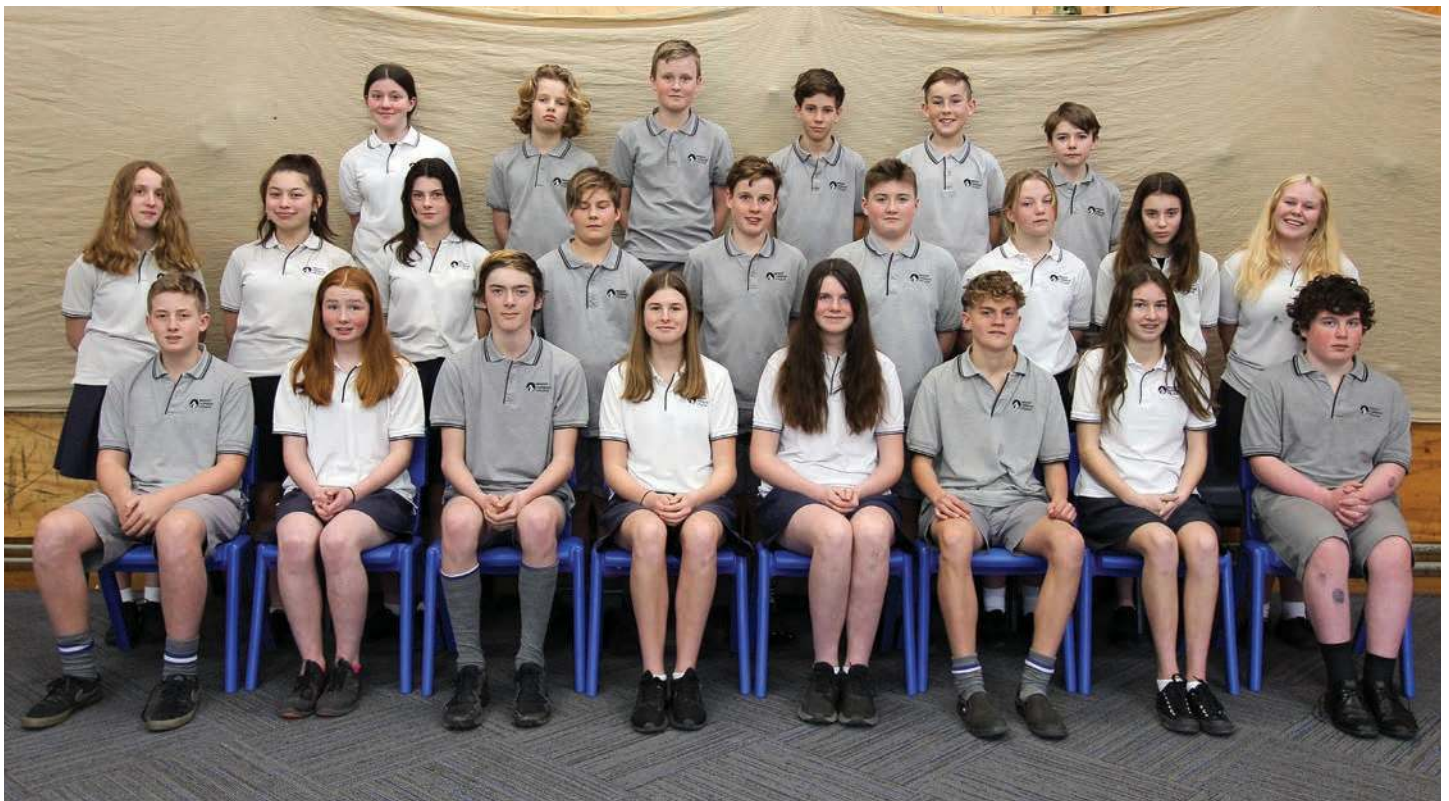
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ABSENT: Sienna Boon, Cody Brett, George Geck, Kahlarni Hondelink, Coast Morland, William Schurink, Mathilda Watterson.



9BP

BACK: Phoebe Garnock, Finn van Maren, Kobi Simmers, Thomas Buick, Ollie Morgan, Ben Pell.
 MIDDLE: Emily Schmidt, Tivi De' Souza, Mya Walker, Caclan Purnell, Cooper Scott, Max Byrne, Zoe Laws, Tara Hewitt, Chilli Papai.
 FRONT: Rowan Rosie, Abbey Ragg, Matthew Botting, Eva Gilbertson, Erica Hudson, Christopher Cook, Olivia Rudhall, Caspar Waddington.
 ABSENT: Kanuka Elms.



9CD

BACK: Ashton Holsted, Emily McCarthy, Tom Casson, Caspin Orbell, Stella Dawson, Beau Gordon.
 MIDDLE: Lucy Laker, Laura Bacigalova, James Dougherty, Hamish Tye, Cody Armstrong, Annika Massey, Paige Blunden.
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 ABSENT: Toby Brooks, Bayne Deaton, Aiden Fitzpatrick, Olivia Helmore, Sophie McKenna, Tamehana Urquhart.



9GL

BACK: Fin Melville Ives, Debora Vieira, Jessica Gould, Jack Wyeth, Carlos Parker, Henry Allison, Gabe Jefferson, Caoimhe Heath, Chloe Latimer, Zedyn Fellows.
 MIDDLE: Bianca James, Tay Simpson, Ella Sarginson, William Bale, Archie North, Zoe Raffills, Isaac Beale, Kate Watson.
 FRONT: Will Miller, Jackson Clark, Lili Arratia, Daniel Clark, Flynn Phillips, Kelly Quirke, Kyan Prince, Will Thomson.



9MD

BACK: Justin Lam, Bryne Bloxham, Harriet Sargood Ross, Blaze Clegg, Noah Vincenzi-Johnson, Sienna Collins, Nina Iseli-Adams, Cam Melville Ives.
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 ABSENT: Jinwoo Hong, Jai Horkings.



9SF

BACK: Sam Pratt, Zoe Learmonth, Lola Underwood-Vize, Zavier Taylor, Fred Johnson, Daisy Sanders, Evie Pendlebury, Jonte Connolly.

MIDDLE: Layla Brooks, Anthony Edwards, Thomas Niles, Marshall Bell, Lewis Turner, Otis Murphy, Sofia Heath.

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ABSENT: Miki Bercelli, Suki Leigh, Melody Macdonald.



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BACK: Noa Hunter, Lilly McCarthy, Isabella Noble-Kirkbride, James Watson, Lottie Hunt, Lulu Pettit, Lucia Mochel.

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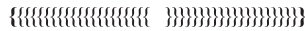
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 ABSENT: Tyler McGregor, Eve Bretherton, Cooper Mills, Emilie Nicholson, Henri Fenn.



10CL

BACK: Kalan Nichol, Chloe Cartledge, Mia Carter, Tobi Fraser, Caity Curtis, Caleb Turner.

MIDDLE: Sienna Jones, Max Brikby, Amelie Woonton, Noah Stephens, Kobe Fulljames, Lily Ashe, Zara Bailey, Illume Sadowski-Synnott.

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ABSENT: Baylee Campbell, Eva Humphreys, Zac Smith, Will Winter-Reid, Amelia Young.



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BACK: Sakiko Saka, Nina Lee Smith, Jorja Liddell, Amali Chin-Nyika, Estelle Gellatly, Isabella Soper, Leo Duncan.

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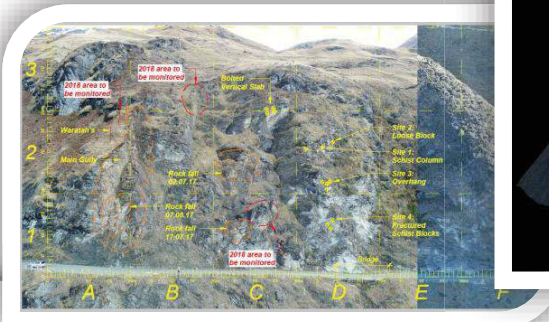
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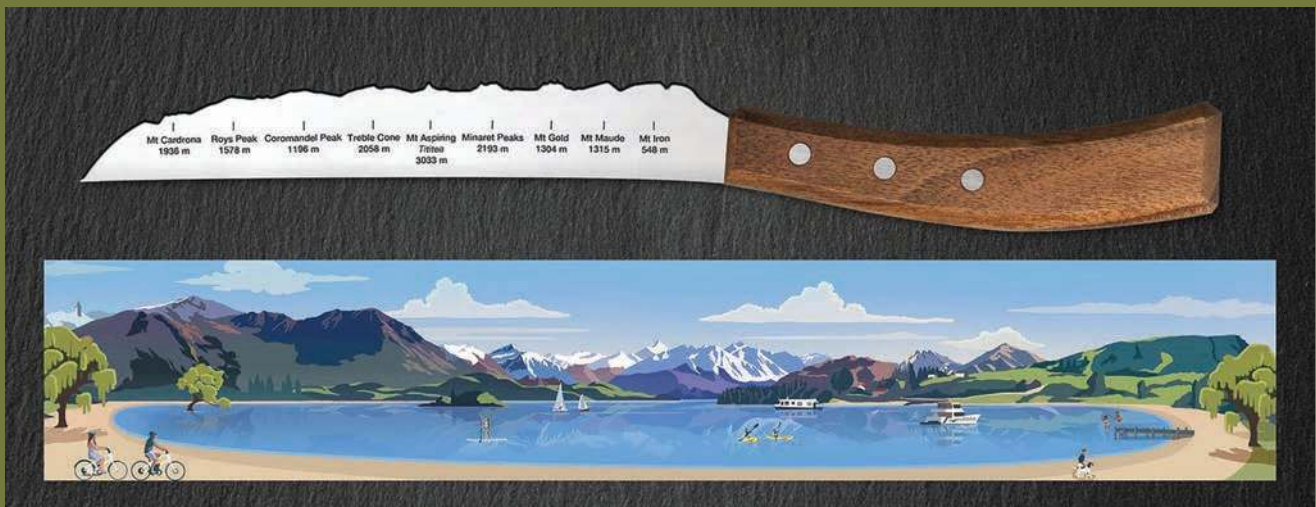
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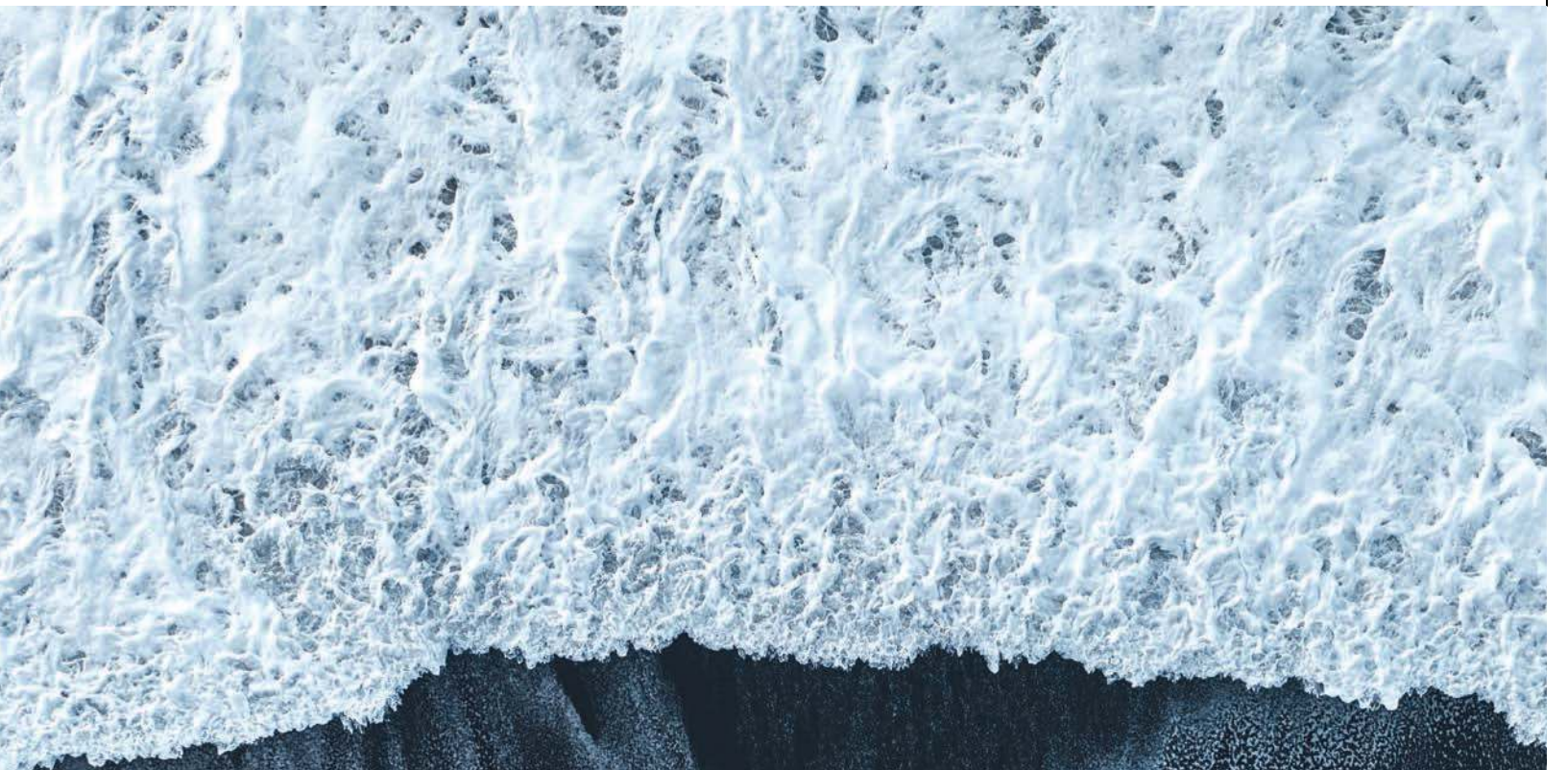
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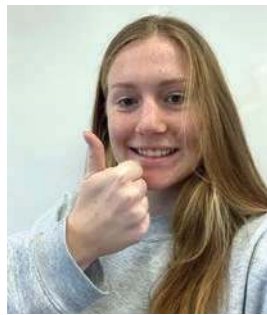
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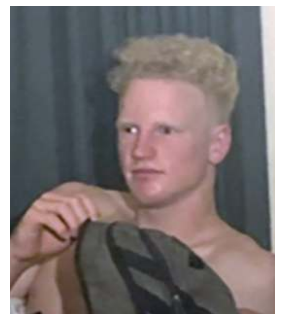
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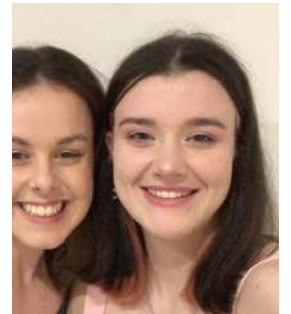
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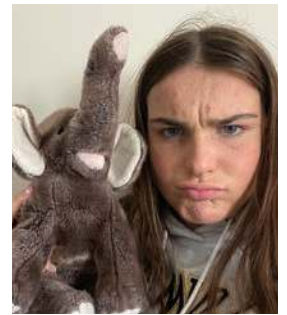
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ARAWHATA

The boys of Arawhata have had a copacetic year at the Mount Aspiring 'Village'. Some debatable chat and numerous nicknames are some of the antics often found in the self-acclaimed, but none-the-less true, 'Hub' of MAC. Temiko 'Big T' Esser Von Bonkidon and Will 'Ed Ward' Edwards shared the hole, with limited sunlight and a recognisable stench. George 'Pikey' Chittick, who upon paying off the house's student loans with his boots, secured the best room and was paired up with Max 'Plump' Dudson. Their room was the centre of late nights and early mornings, with doorknob meetings galore. The final room consisted of Campbell 'Noodle' Mortimer and Will 'Bur' McKellar, who had consistent messiness and unexpectedly undisrupted sleep. Despite tough times throughout Covid, Zoom calls and the excitement of coming back kept us together. A highlight of the year for Arawhata was Sunday OP. Mountain biking, tramping and climbing were all a wicked time, but the house favourite was definitely weekends up TC, shredding in any and all conditions. Our group of gromits were well gelled and stuck together at all times, even when 20 metres from hostel. Arawhata's kitchen, in the rare occasion of tidiness, was used for cooking, debating and waxing skis. Weekly inspection involved a bit of cleaning for the fellas, with a relatively tidy house throughout the week, despite the odd crumb here and there. A new addition to the house was a piano stolen from across the lane at Cascade. Whether from a speaker or the piano itself, music is always about. Lots of time spent on MD (Monopoly Deal) ensured the boys had a good financial and banking future despite losing a lot of time which could have been put to better use. An overall wicked year with an awesome group of frothers guaranteed psych levels remained high throughout. Chur Jenny and Zanna, and goodbye 2020 from Arawhata.

AVALANCHE

Our year began with six total strangers and is now coming to end with six best friends. Drawn together by our shared enthusiasm and wanderlust for life, we connected quickly and the house we lived in fast became home.

Next year, we will all miss the sound of the door opening, just heard over Jaime's Tik Toks playing out loud, as Julie returns home from one of her many trainings heading to the kitchen to whip up something 5 star worthy out of thin air. A kitchen stocked with crackers where you could find Emma hunting for peanut butter amongst Ana's concoctions of vitamins, minerals and special health foods. The bustle in the kitchen is only continued in the lounge as Nozz Bucket (Harriet) toe dances to the Carole Baskin song meowing. Moments like these are captured by Ella's camera vlogs when she isn't fake DJing DnB raves with Ana for the house.

This year has been truly indescribable and full of unexpected events for the better with very few for the worse (ha. Covid). Although, at the end of the day, not one of us would change a thing. Wherever we go and whatever we do, we will always remain grateful for the year spent with the incredible individuals in our house. We feel truly honoured to have had this idyllic experience and wish all the best for future hostellers. Peace and love from the Lanchr 2020 gals xx

IZZIE, RENAE, KATIE, ACASIA, PHOEBE, AND LIV (CASCADE)

Over the past year the girls in Cascade have shared many laughs, movie nights and late night dance parties. We have bonded not only as housemates but as a whole family. We have the mum of the house Liv, who is always looking for stains to remove or something to reorganise. Liv can be found in the kitchen baking all sorts of goodies! Phoebe is like the giggly little sister that everyone adores, you'll often find her up Mt Iron or scavenging the fridge for carrots. Katie is the fun auntie that's always down for a good time. She refuses to throw anything away, mouldy bread? Just chuck it in the toaster, good as new. Katie can be found in Liverpool. Renae is like Phoebe's twin sister, not identical but equally as funny. Renae can always be found in the front of a scrum on the rugby field but very rarely on the podium as she's always coming out as the first loser. Izzie is the Nana of the house always in bed at an early hour but knows how to cook a mean feed, she can be found ditching school for the ski field or tucked up in bed watching Netflix. Acasia is the cool cousin. You can find her shredding down bullet haha or jumping off the Albert Town bridge. Despite our interesting and unique characteristics we have really enjoyed getting to know each other and have had so much fun together. As the social hub of the hostel, there is always something crazy happening in the cade. From the pamper nights and cheese boards to the summer barbeques with our endless supply of meat from the freezer (cheers Izzie and Renae), us Cascadians have done it all. It is safe to say that life in Cascade can't get much better. We have all had one of the best years of our lives and are extremely sad to leave our newly formed family and the mansion we like to call "the cade". #UPTHECADE.

LIVERPOOL HOUSE - THE KENNEL

After a somewhat shaky start to the year, a strong brotherhood flows through this house of young blokes that will never be beaten by others. Dishes are the only weak point in this house. Five days out of seven, the kitchen could arguably be cleaner as we frequently run out of clean plates and utensils. Dusty haircuts are the specialty in Liverpool, with the freshest of cuts appearing out of nowhere, taking everyone by surprise. The Wanaka Barber Boys. Scientific studies should be conducted here as we have created at least seven new types of mould. Could possibly have started COVID in our pantry.

Theo Steele, the jail warden. A polite young stud, willing to beg for a crumb, the only guy who can actually cook. AKA Laksa god. Kept the house together. Couch flower.

Felix Williamson, average inmate. Inarguably the least liked since day one. Extremely annoying but contributed to the houses' character development. Accident prone, should invest in a paper bag. ADHD central, gets into debates that he knows he's going to lose.

Darcy Morrison, Who? The hitman? Notoriously wheels bike through the hallway. Had to create a chart to balance boys' life and time on the whip. Legally cannot get a haircut.

Carter Pointon, Mob Boss. Abnormally large muscles. Not actually that bad of a guy? Can't turn bluetooth off when working out.

Angus Reid, jailhouse chef. aka Goose aka Romper Reid. Couldn't cook if his mother's life depended on it but bakes cookies like it's a sport. His room smells like Wastebusters.

Joshua Brown, the inside man. Spends half his day looking at song lyrics, can't drive manual to save his life. Ego higher than his IQ.

Overall our year has been full of great laughs and experiences. We loved the time spent in the hostel and our days spent together. We are very thankful for the opportunity the hostel program has granted us, for us to be connected at such a high level. - Up the Pool!

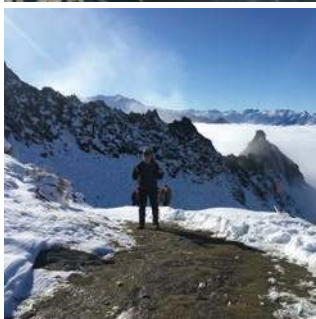
ROB ROY - WOB WOY

A bit about us: Aria is the drama geek of the house, missing OPs for her role in the Almost Famous musical. Catch her in our lounge, hanging with her man, singing in the shower, or singing in her sleep. Pip AKA Bwucie is quite a capable person. Lucy, Fatty J, also known as Fitty J after she won the school cross country, is best known for stealing Arawhata's food and T's first kiss. She took a big dip mid-year after going from Ball Queen to not being able to do up her own pants. Steph is scary at first but she's actually full of surprises. Between car building, Muay Thai, wakeboarding and cheerleading you'll never know what she'll pull out of the bag. Watch her spend the entire evening picking mushrooms out of her own dinner. Hannah is the Mother Hen, organiser and nurse - and the glue that holds our house together. After being in a moonboot all year, she's had plenty of time to whip up some delicious baking, but don't steal her banana bread, her brownie or her weetbix slice or there will be trouble @thethreemealdeleters. Sylvie: She might be little, but has proved she can be a right menace when 'Fratered'. Sylvie really does look like a three year old in her ski gear, yet is very wise when it comes to house disagreements. She's a peacemaker and nutrigrain eater.

From Drama Geeks to Car Mechanics, to Sporty Spices, Rob Roy 2020 does have the full range of personalities. We weren't quite sure how well we would actually click, but luckily we had the whole year to find out. During the orientation tramp Pip, Sylvie and Lucy ate the boys' leftovers. That pretty much tells you how the rest of our year went food wise. We love a good movie night or game of 'Most Likely To' and family dinners let us all take a break from our packed schedules. It's been a wild ride this year and one that won't be forgotten!



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As a group of 14 student leaders within the Academic Committee, we have consistently strived throughout 2020 to organise both new and already existing projects. These have been both successful and enjoyable, a true testament to the dedication and hard work that each of our committee members have put in throughout the year. Despite COVID-19 lockdowns and restrictions, the Academic Committee continued to work through lockdown, producing a video on the Mount Aspiring College Facebook page which invited students to participate in a fun domino effect challenge. 2020's focus for the Academic Committee has been to improve our already existing programmes, as well as create new, academic-focused initiatives within the college. One of our objectives as a committee this year was to increase our own involvement with the junior school, as well as develop the academic connection between senior and junior students within the college. This has been reflected in the projects we have facilitated this year, which have included MAC Talks, inter-house debating, an end of term spreadsheet displaying student work and finally the Tuakana Teina Buddy programme.

MAC TALKS

It has been another successful year for MAC Talks with strong turnouts across a range of inspirational speakers. Some of our lunchtime speakers have included ex-student and Winter Olympic bronze medalist Zoi Sadowski Synnot and Queenstown Lakes District Mayor Jim Boulton. We have also this year piloted other ways for motivational speakers from around our community to reach students; hosting local multisport athlete Braden Currie at the Year 7's year level meeting and space geologist James Scott at the Year 9's meeting. The journeys, achievements and vision of our speakers have been extraordinary to listen to and we, as a committee, have found their messages to be invaluable. We highly recommend your attendance in 2021!

- JONO WATSON, BEN MCNABB AND WILL EDWARDS

INTER-HOUSE DEBATING

We are super excited to be running inter-house debating in Term 4. It's such a great opportunity for all the year groups to practice their public speaking in a fun environment. It'll be really fun to watch the competition go down and see which house takes the win this year!

- ISOBEL SMITH, EMMA DAVIES AND LUCY FENTON

SPREADSHEET

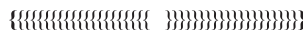
The end of term spreadsheet has focused on increasing the committee's involvement and recognition of excellent work within the school. We chose to do this through the newsletter by displaying a variety of junior and senior work across the subjects to appreciate work from throughout the school term.

- MADDY THOMPSON, ANNIKA GIBSON AND ASHLEY BATES.

TUAKANA TEINA PROGRAMME

This year we set up the Tuakana Teina Buddy Programme between Year 7 Homeroom classes and senior students. The idea of this programme is to increase the involvement that junior and senior students have with each other, and specifically to establish an academic connection between the junior and senior school. This has been taking place once a week during Term 3 and 4, and both junior and senior students are loving it. We look forward to seeing this programme grow in the future!

- EMILY HEATH, LAURA NEALE AND ISLA GELLATLY



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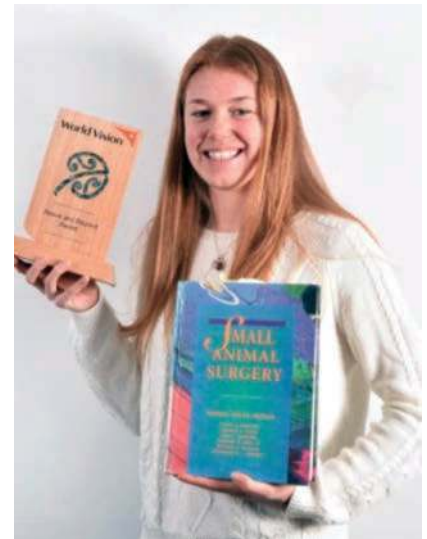
EMILY HEATH

Emily wants to spend her life making a positive change in the lives of others, and she's off to an amazing start.

This year Emily was the leader of the MAC 40 Hour Famine Committee, which raised \$25,000.90, the second-highest amount of any school in New Zealand. She and her team set up programmes with Bike Wanaka, Te Kakano Trust, Hawea Flat Youth Club and Cat Rescue Wanaka, which gave Year 13 pupils the opportunity to complete community-service hours as part of their 40 Hour Famine challenge to give back to their local community in the wake of COVID-19.

Emily was also the recipient of the 2020 MAC World Vision Scholarship to attend the World Vision Scholarship Week in Auckland in January, "which really opened my eyes to the opportunities we have and the difference we can make".

Achievements: NCEA Level 1 Excellence Endorsement, 100% Excellence, 2018 Highest Achiever in History; NCEA Level 2 Excellence Endorsement, 2019 High Achiever in English; recipient Academic Blues Award; 2016 Get2Go National Adventure Racing Finals; 2018 SISS Adventure Race 2nd Mixed Team; 2019 3rd Overall Female, Epic Epic category (2.5km, 5km, 10km combined), Epic Swim; Female winner Big Ruby open water swim 3.8km, record-holder 1.2km Ruby Island open water swim; Peak to Peak 1st Secondary School Team; Hillary Challenge South Island Qualifying Event 3rd; Challenge Wanaka Half 3rd Mixed Team; 2020 SISS Adventure Race 2nd Female Team; Member qualifying team Hillary Challenge National Adventure Racing Final; School Swimming Champion 2016-20; Wanaka Swim Club Female Champion 2020; Member Academic Committee; Recipient 2020 MAC World Vision Scholarship to attend World Vision Scholarship Week in Auckland; April 2019 Outward Bound Mind Body Soul course; December-January 2019-20 Spanish language exchange to San Sebastian; Duke of Edinburgh Bronze and Silver awards completed, Gold award in progress; July 2020 World Vision 40 Hour Famine Greatest Individual Impact award.



Role model: Malala Yousafzai, a young Pakistani activist for women's rights.

Hopes for the future: I just want to do something where I am helping others and making a positive change in the world.

CAMPBELL WRIGHT

Campbell began cross-country skiing during the school Wednesday afternoon ski programme. The Hawea Flat athlete carried the Team New Zealand flag at the Winter Youth Olympics opening ceremony in Switzerland this year. He hoped to finish in the top 20 in the 7.5km Biathlon Sprint - and came fourth out of a field of 99!

Achievements: NCEA Level 2 Excellence Endorsement (2018); Excellence subject endorsements for Biology and Physics (2018); Whanau Leader; Sports Committee Year 12 and 13; Biathlon Club member; Wakatipu Cycling Club member; Assistant Junior Coach Biathlon Club; 4th Winter Youth Olympics Biathlon (Sprint), 6th Winter Youth Olympics Biathlon (Individual), 6th Junior World Champs (Sprint), 1st Italian Nationals Biathlon, 1st Otago Athletics Champs 3000m; Flag-bearer for New Zealand at the Youth Olympics.

Role model: My coach Luca Boromilili.

Hopes for the future: Compete in the 2026 Winter Olympics in Milan.



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Libby Abbott

Lucas Baird

Ruth Bennie

Emma Green

Emma Kelly

Daniel Kemner

Peta McKay

Jesse Robertson

Billy Sandri

George Taylor

Mia Treadwell-Burke

Hayley Yule

LEVEL 3 MERIT

Olivia Bates
Otto Burrows
Samantha Clark
Brayden Courtney

Robbie Craig
Andre Dearsly
Annabel Fairbairn
Izzy Finlayson

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Tyler Greeks
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Lukas Morton
Fiona Murray
Toby Nathan

Stellar Nepia
Franta Novak
Kate Richards
Nick Richards

Caitlin Roberts
Tom Scott
Maggie Stiven
Niamh Stuart

Sam Teal
Molly Todd
Jaime Toepfer
Ashley Toovey

Sam Watson
Meg Weedon
Ollie Williams-Holloway
Eva Wilson

Matthew Wilson
Max Woodnorth

LEVEL 2 EXCELLENCE



Ella Armitage, Julie Autet, Josh Brown, Ruby Burke, Oliver Clements, Alex Combe, Pip Crowley, Brianna Curtis, Ava Erickson, Temiko Esser von Enckevort, Sophie Fenn, Jack Findlay, Sylvie Frater, Michael Gealogo, Annika Gibson, Sammy Harry, Emily Heath, Rata Horan, Emma Hutchinson, Sam Jewell, Jessie McKenzie, Ben McNabb, Laura Neale, Harriet Norris, Gary Poilvert, Georgia Prosser, Olive Pujol, Lukas Schafer, Ryan Schmack, Siena Shotwell, Emma Smith, Isobel Smith, Leo Staufenberg, James Suddaby, Maddy Thompson, Czalyia Vloria, Jaimee Vink, Jono Watson, Abigail Winter, Phoebe Wood, Campbell Wright

LEVEL 2 MERIT

Aria Bibby
Zelda Boyd
Meg Breen
Libby Bron
Phoebe Bron
Angus Cagney

Ethan Carleton
Annabel Carter
Aden Cassaidy
Billea-Nova Chin-Nyika
George Chittick
Yasmin Christian

Quinn Curtis
Hugo Darby
Max Dudson
Lillian Eastwood
Cecilia Gardner
Phoebe Garland

Luca Georgalli
Ana Gibson
Kate Goodsell
Kiera Gray
Eamon Green
Kahu Griffin

Maye Hall
Stephanie Hayes
Marcus Hetherington
Sophie Hodgkiss-Blyth
Katie Hoffman
Charlie Holmes
Ned Hudson

Oscar Humphreys
Lucy Jeffries
Liam Kemp
Ebony Kinney
Owen Lea
Hannah Leitch

Ashley MacCulloch
Aimee McArthur
Jack Miller
Maggie Miller
Darcy Morrison
Sienna Nicholson

Acasia O'Connell
Daniel O'Donnell
Josephine Plimmer
Milly Robinson
Maude Rogers
Grace Shannon

Ines Stephani
Willow Strawson
Joel Suddaby
Laurie Watson
Helena Whitfield
Jaime Wilkinson

LEVEL 1 EXCELLENCE



Mackenzie Barnett, Anna Barrett, Ashley Bates, Ollie Blyth, Georgie Bruce, Piper Cavanagh, Olivia Connolly, Hannah Craig, Jack Culshaw, Emma Davies, Ashleigh Doran, Lucy Fenton, Holly Gibson, Tesoro Levy, Nicole Meyer, Lauren Rimmer, Georgia Robertson, Evie Simonsohn, Red Simpson, Zoe Smith, Hadley Tamati, Meg Thomas, Molly Thomsson, Tess Treadwell-Burke, Jack Willson

LEVEL 1 MERIT

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Lucia Brown
Hunter Burke
Danielle Carney
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Jayden Robert
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Nikita Sinclair
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Indy Wilton
Nevada Wolfgramm
Ryan Young

2019 AWARDS

MOUNT ASPIRING COLLEGE JUNIOR AWARDS

ACADEMIC AWARDS

Year 7

Highest Achievers (Class): Tom Bankshaw, Olivia Huddleston, Xander Maguire, Lincoln Rimmer, Alex Coupland, Lola Ritchie, Joseph Combe, Dan McKean.
High Achievement (Subjects and SOAR Awards/Trophies): Grace Thomas, Will Blyth, Arlo Hanning, Mila Culpitt, Cody Labes, Evy Green, Lucy Maibach, Mathilda Watterson, Lucy Liddell, Sienna Christian, Hannah Gillespie, Abby Jago, Axel Macdougall, Beatrix Creswick, Joe Rowley, Taja Rowan, Chloe Murray, William Schurink.

High Achievement (Subjects): Zeph Foster, Che De'Souza, Dorothy Anderson, Ania-Kanu Saklani, Midori Osnabrugge, Catarina David, Lexi Brown, Bella Edwards, Oskar Sharpe, Saxon Pepper, Robert McRae, Blaise Lockie, Hunter Cranfield, Skye Watson, Sam Soper, Archie Bruce, Zach Kirk, Aria Winter, Harry Oxley, Mylesb Nichol, Douglas Wise, Arlo Mackay, Barnes Metcalfe, Ben Hilton, Pieta Craig, Tyler Gawn, Xander Hearle, Charlie Roy, Ryan Clark, Ashley Rasmussen, Bede Pemberton, Ella Asberg, Lucas Stewart, Jemma Spear.
SOAR Trophies: Eve Buckland, Jessie McNeil, Kate Barrett, Jessie Dye, Ryan Enoka, Sophia Tuck.

SOAR Awards: Celeste Rumore, Zoe Nicholson, Ayla Howard, Kiana Babbington, Cormac Lee-Smith, Lia Hunter, Mikayla Duncan, Amelia Sramek, Kaya Knights-Johnston, Lucas Barron, Toby Gunn, Olive Sedon, Olivia Shore, Eliza Rowley, Leah Polk, Lily Campbell.

Year 8

Highest Achiever (Class): Caspar Waddington, Isabella Noble-Kirkbride, Tai Treadwell-Burke, Bonnie McGregor, Kelly Quirke, Amy Benson, Tom Sides.
High Achievement (Subjects and SOAR Awards/Trophies): Anton Jones, Campbell Lanigan, Philip Massey, Evelyn Armstrong, Suki Leigh, Georgia Lindsay, Lulu Pettit, Eva Gilbertson, Alexis-Sofia Harvey-Wills, Grace Heath, Ruby Cochrane, Matthew Botting, Max Byrne, Laura Bacigalova, Ella Briscall, Jack Wyeth, Sophie Walsh.

High Achievement (Subjects): Max Porter, Olivia Rudhall, Layla Brooks, Daisy Sanders, Emily Schmidt, Ben Webb, Hudson Weathington, Neve Brugman, Anna Corthell, Bayne Deaton, Erica Hudson, Gabe Jefferson, Kate Watson, Zoe Raffills, Annika Massey, Ben McMurray, Noa Hunter, Shuto Suzuki, Thomas Niles, Sacha Swanson, Zedyn Fellows, Abbey Pedersen, Livi Arnold, Caoimhe Heath, Carlos Parker, Olivia Helmore, Ollie Baldwin, Bryne Bloxham, Lena Pollard.
SOAR Trophies: Harry Hope, Reuben Dale, Blake West, Nicola MacKay, Otis Murphy, Tay Simpson.

SOAR Awards: Madi Cooper, Kyan Prince, Brooke Hutchison, Riley McRae, Sophie McKenna, Hannah Wright, Kanuka Elms, Melissa Emasu, Madi Jolly, Will Anderson.

Year 9

Highest Achievers (Class): Isabella Soper, Tayla Doran, Jemma Brake, India Yule, Caity Curtis, Jessie Winter, Jaleesa Webb.
High Achievement (Subjects and SOAR Awards/Trophies): Bradley Gendall, Muireann Green, Lilly Hampson, Zoe Antone, Laura Watkins, Emilie Nicholson, Ella Miles, Ava Hay, Cuba Pavlovich, Jake Green, Hazel Murray, Julia Shepherd, Kalan Nichol, Nina Lee Smith, Ajay Quirk, Eva Humphreys, Zoe Eckhoff, Lily Ashe, Melia Brett.

High Achievement (Subjects): Billie Willson, Niall Alexander, Matilda Metcalfe, Hunter Wilton, Bella Templeton, Bryce Voyce, Cade Cameron, Hamish Sherlock, Sara Jewell, Ruby McLachlan, Saffron Millar, Clarke West, Oliver Cohen, Mai Beattie-Johnson, Oscar Goodwin, Harry Anderson, Lucas Buick, Jessica McKenna, Max Carter, Oscar Waddington, Milly Lewis, Niamh Townsend, Sienna Jones, Jem Curtis, Zara Bailey.

SOAR Trophies: Sam Caumette, Max Knight, Kate Bennie, Nova Gillam, Giovanni Austin-Moorhouse.

SOAR Awards: Trac Hessian, Thomas Benson, Illume Sadowski-Synnott, Ally Paterson, Anataia White, Annalise Millar, Jorja Liddell, Eleanor Bennett, Alex Sudron, Georgie Gillespie, Freja Malmo.

Year 10

Highest Achiever (Class): Emily O'Donnell, Liam Williamson, Scarlett Norman, Layton Osnabrugge, Hayden Watson, Emma Palmer.
High Achievement (Subjects and SOAR Awards/Trophies): Kimiya Byrne, Ben Silipo, Daisy Orbell, Taylor Gilson, Isla Henderson, Amelia Holmes, McKay Watson, Millie Cranfield, Pipi Horan, Luke Smith, Matai Wells, Kiara Bercelli, Harry Gilbertson, Abby McArthur, Rory Read.
Junior Mathematics: Layton Osnabrugge.

High Achievement (Subjects): Amelia Mitchell, Olivia McLachlan, Sophia Perkins, Tai Olley, Cormick Lea, Kyle Evans, Olivia Jones, Toby Davies, Jenna Peat, Neve Faed, Christie Southwick, Jessie Barkman-White, Otis Harry, Luka van Maren, Hayley Ambrose, Benji Pujol, Eligh Hollegien, Jazz Simonsohn, Carter Hewson, Emily Findlay, Dakota Rowe, Hana Dean.

SOAR Trophies: Ben Simmers, Bella Sarginson, Rose Armstrong, Mackenzie Allison, Ma'nea Apa, Claire Edwards.

SOAR Awards: Charlotte Bell, Aimee Harrold, Torben Craig, Anika Fay, Lucy Miller, Maggie Dougherty, Tao Hawkey-Hight, Romy Guichard.

SPORTS AWARDS

Corin Suddaby, Scarlett Norman (Cross Country), Cruz Morland, Kate Bennie, Ben Silipo, Jack Findlay (Swimming), Ewan Hughes, Estelle Gellatly (Athletics).

Pipi Horan (Rowing), Ben Silipo (Junior Sport).

NATIONAL / INTERNATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT

National: Daniel Wright (Cross Country Skiing and Biathlon), Catarina David (Cross Country Skiing), Cam Melville Ives (Snowboarding).

International: Fin Melville Ives, Sylvia Trotter (Skiing), Jessica Penney (Trampolining), Amy Benson (Mountain Biking), Isabella Soper (Gymnastics), Emily Findlay, Hayley Ambrose, Pipi Horan, Ruby Boyd (Rowing), Olivia Jones (Cross Country Skiing and Biathlon), Lucia Georgalli (Snowboarding), Ben Silipo (Swimming), Zoe Antone (Archery), Oscar Georgalli (Snowboarding), Gustav Legnavsky (Skiing).

CULTURAL AWARDS

Robert McRae, Anna Corthell (Speech), Otis Murphy (Music), Ella Miles (Monologue), Kimiya Byrne (Music).

SERVICE AWARDS

Tammy Miller (Special Recognition).

Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Bronze Award: Emma Palmer, Millie Cranfield, Sam Johnson, Scarlett Norman, Tao Hawkey-Hight, Zoe Frazer.

JUNIOR PREMIER AWARDS

Sophie Walsh, Grace Thomas, Luke Gendall, Otis Murphy (Culture), Olivia Huddleston, Ben Pell, Tay Simpson, Ania-Kanu Saklani (Service), Ben McMurray, Louie Hose, Tom Sides (Sport).

Ruby Cochrane (School Culture), Kimiya Byrne, Paige Gawn, Tayla Doran, Zoe Frazer (Culture), Benji Pujol, Ella Parker, Jemma Brake, Kiara Bercelli (Service), Scarlett Norman, Ben Silipo, McKay Watson, Olivia Jones (Sport), Kiara Bercelli (School Culture), Scarlett Norman (Whole-Hearted Contribution – Junior).



ACADEMIC AWARDS

Year 11 Highest Achievement: Jack Willson (Mechanical Engineering and Computing), Tesoro Levy (Geography, History), Piper Cavanagh (Outdoor Pursuits), Ryan Young (Spatial & Product Design), Tessa Treadwell-Burke (Food & Nutrition), Kahu Nepia (Music), Mackenzie Barnett (Mathematics), Georgie Bruce (Visual Art), Hannah Craig (Science), Aleisha Turner (Woodwork), Meg Thomas (Spanish), Molly Thomsson (Economics and Business), Ollie Blyth (English), Evie Simonsohn (Drama), Zoe Smith (Physical Education), Hunter Hewson (Numeracy), Nikita Sinclair (Mathematical Modelling).

High Achievement: Tesoro Levy (English and Science), Lucy Fenton (Mathematics and Science), Abby Fisher, Zoe Smith (Mathematics), Charlie McKean (Outdoor Pursuits), Dilara Van, Jack Culshaw, Zoe Smith (English), Emma Davies (Economics and Business), Holly Gibson (Physical Education), Isla Gellatly, Olivia Connolly (Science), Lucas Muniz Silveira (Woodwork), Mae Cradock (Computing).

Special Award: Jack Willson (Science and Technology Scholarship).

Year 12 Highest Achievement: Ben McNabb (Spatial & Product Design, Physics, Electronics, Mathematics with Calculus), Ruby Burke (Visual Art Painting, Visual Art Design, Mathematics with Statistics, Business), Abigail Winter (Spanish, Biology, Chemistry), Oli Prince (Woodwork, Gateway), Michael Gealogo (Physical Education), Jono Watson (Economics), Libby Bron (Mathematics and Statistics), Luca Georgalli (Pathways), Shanae Sanders (Tourism), Siena Shotwell (English), Yasmin Christian (Geography), Joel Suddaby (Visual Art Photography), Maggie Miller (Agribusiness), Czaliya Viloria (History), Estelle Norman (Music), James Suddaby (Computer Studies), Jaydon Jordi (Mechanical Engineering), Kiera Gray (Drama), Laura Neale (Food & Nutrition), Laurie Watson (Outdoor Pursuits).

High Achievement: Michael Gealogo (Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics with Calculus), Jono Watson (Physics and Business), Ruby Burke, Abigail Winter, Ava Erickson, Emily Heath (English), Meg Breen (Physical Education), Owen Lea (Mathematics and Statistics), Campbell Wright (Biology), Zelda Boyd (Outdoor Pursuits).

Special Awards: Ben McNabb (Science and Technology and Mathematics Scholarships), Alex Combe (Senior Language), Damien McGilvray (Paddle Wanaka Scholarship).

Year 13 Highest Achievement: Georgia Budd (Visual Art Painting, Visual Art Design), Hayley Yule (Geography, Physics and Economics), Olivia Bates (Mathematics with Statistics), Lucas Baird (Biology), Kobi Maibach (Visual Art Photography), Tom Scott (Computer Studies), Otto Burrows (Outdoor Pursuits Leadership), Robbie Craig (Spatial & Product Design, Aviation), Izzy Finlayson (Maths & Statistics), Jessica Paddon (Business & Enterprise), Max Woodnorth (Outdoor Pursuits Challenge), Emma Kelly (Physical Education), Stellar Nepia (Drama), Ruth Bennie (Spanish), Peta McKay (Food & Nutrition), Natasha Foster (Tourism), Mitchell Evans (Gateway), Meg Weedon (Distance Learning), Liam Beaton (Music), Jesse Robertson (Chemistry), Chicane Cooper (Materials Technology), Billy Sandri (Mathematics with Calculus), Bella Thomsson (English), Ava Plimmer (Agribusiness), Georgia Taylor (History).

High Achievement: Hayley Yule (Chemistry), Libby Abbott (Outdoor Pursuits Challenge, Food & Nutrition), Olivia Bates (Business & Enterprise), Lucas Baird (Geography), Sam Teal (English), Niamh Stuart (Mathematics & Statistics), Daniel Kemner (Physics).

Special Awards: Ollie Williams-Holloway (Historical Records).

PREMIER SPORTS AWARDS

Maggie Stiven (Fairplay), Fiona Murray (Girls Sports), Jack East (Boys Sports).

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

National: Zoe Smith (Athletics), Patrick Hartley (Rowing), Leo Staufenberg (Cross Country Skiing), Kalani Muirhead (Mountain Biking), Jack Findlay, Zach Smith, Laurie Watson (Adventure Racing).

National and International: Jaime Toepfer (International Youth Science Forum), Christina Lamb (Enterprise Global Business Challenge), Madi Gainsford, James Suddaby, Joel Suddaby, Aden Cassaidy (Kayaking), Luca Harrington (Skiing), Meg Harraway (Water Skiing), Campbell Wright (Cross Country Skiing, Biathlon, Adventure Racing), Fiona Murray (Mountain Biking).

SERVICE AWARDS

Hayley Yule, Christina Lamb, Lucas McTavish, Samantha Clark, Olivia Bates, Jessie Fothergill, Clover Lippe, Logan Lambert, Madi Gainsford, Bella Thomsson, Jessa Bennett, Ruby Jamison, Nicole Pittaway, Emma Green, Jessica Paddon, Jordan Fox, Eva Wilson, Fletcher Cavanagh, Jessie Fraser, Annabel Fairbairn, Bronson Toghil, Caitlin Roberts, Ruth Bennie, Jamie Toomey, Shancil Coupe, Tyler Greeks, Hamish Robinson, Lucas Baird, Matthew Wilson, Ava Plimmer, Amy Richards, Bridget O'Brien, Maggie Stiven, Libby Abbott, Ella James, Daniel Kemner, Jacob Lang, Jaime Toepfer, Meg Harraway, Kate Richards, Max Swift, Stellar Nepia, Peta McKay, Ayla Smalls, Flynn Rosie, McKenzie Hart, Molly Todd (Students in the Community with Distinction).

Duke of Edinburgh's Hillary Award: Tessa Treadwell-Burke, Georgia Robertson (Bronze), Olivia Connolly, Maddi Frazer, Tesoro Levy, Emily Heath, Jaime Toepfer (Silver), Georgia Taylor, Toby Nathan, Libby Abbott (Gold), Amy Richards, Jamie Toomey, Ollie Williams-Holloway, Madi Gainsford (House), Samantha Watson (Top Hosteller), Atom Malichai (Top International Student), Caitlin Roberts, Madi Gainsford (Special Recognition), Amy Richards (Student Council Recognition), Libby Abbott (Whole-hearted Contribution).

CULTURAL AWARDS

Ayla Smalls (Te Korowai o te Maatauranga), Flynn Rosie (Music), Georgia Budd (Art), Stellar Nepia (Drama), Isobel Smith (Speech), Siena Shotwell (Writing).

SCHOLARSHIPS

Jaimee Vink, Zelda Boyd (Leadership), Eva Wilson (Medical), Sam Teal (Hospitality), Peta McKay, Ruth Bennie, Kate Richards, Annabel Fairbairn, Maggie Stiven, Jessie Fothergill (Leadership and Role-model), Jesse Robertson (Engineering), Daniel Hadida (Music), Mia Treadwell-Burke (Law), Oli Prince (Technology), Georgia Budd (Design), Billy Sandri (Computer Science), Mitchell Evans (Vocational).

PREMIER AWARDS

Hayley Yule (Dux), Olivia Bates (Proxime Accessit), Ruth Bennie (Best All Round Girl), Jesse Robertson (Best All Round Boy).

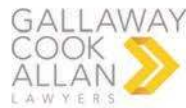




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NEW

New Books! 636 books have been added to the library collection bringing it to 14,247 items.

NEW GRAPHIC NOVEL SECTION

The picture books section has been rearranged to create a new graphic novel section.

Graphic novels are a great way to read and read more. They often tell complex stories, supported by images that help comprehension and offer a richer experience. Beyond comics mainly about superheroes, graphic novels are a rich, varied, creative and valuable reading material.

NEW CAREER KIOSK

Inzone's Careers Kiosk provides up-to-date careers information showcasing employment and training opportunities in New Zealand. Students can choose sectors and refine their selection to find short videos showing the day-in-the-life of a wide range of jobs.

DIFFERENT

Due to Covid-19, we've implemented social distancing in the library, limiting the number of students at interval and lunchtimes.

We also created a contact-less checkout. This system will stay in use as it actually works better than the old borrowing sheet.

As well as cleaning them, we now quarantine returned books for five days before putting them back on the shelves (it was initially three days, until international research revealed five days were needed to eliminate all risks).

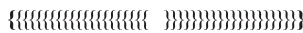
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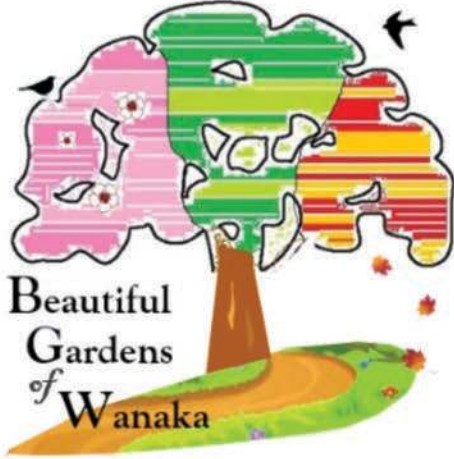
632 redundant and unused items have been discarded to make room for the new books. This includes 182 reference books, acknowledging that a lot of research is done via the internet nowadays.

This will be my last Library page in MAC Magazine as I am leaving my position after 14 years as librarian at MAC. I know the catalogue by heart! Time to move on!

I have been passionate about fostering the love for reading and learning to all our youth over the years. It's been a privilege and a pleasure to create and promote a great collection of resources and to maintain a safe nurturing place for students. I enjoyed creating positive relationships with students, teachers and staff and look forward to meeting you again around in town.

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Visual Art at MAC has been altered this year by the conditions of COVID19 with artists having to navigate working from home. We had to collect our materials and work in solitude, which required self discipline and dedication to get a large quantity of work without the stimulation of regular life. In order to still share our work with our school and community under social distancing requirements. We have adapted by arranging a virtual gallery. This will be an opportunity to share the painting, design and photography that students have been developing this year.

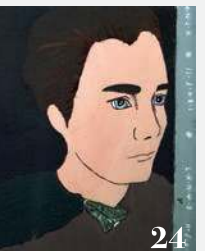
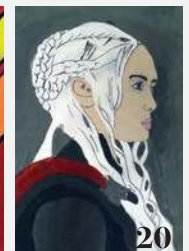
We also had the opportunity to have New Zealand's top secondary school art portfolios visit the school Top Art is an annual touring exhibition featuring a selection of the Level 3 Visual Arts portfolios that gained Excellence in NCEA in 2019. Top Art provides an opportunity for secondary students and teachers to view the high standard of art produced in schools and gain an understanding of what is required to achieve Excellence in Visual Art. It is also an opportunity for members of the public (our school community) to see the quality of art being created in schools. - SIENA SHOTWELL



1 Georgie Bruce Yr12 Ptg. 2 Hannah Craig Yr12 Pht. 3 Siena Shotwell Yr13 Des. 4 Ruby Burke Yr13 Ptn. 5 Sophie Fenn Yr13 Des. 6 Ruby Burke Yr13 Ptn. 7 Ruby Burke Yr13 Ptn. 8 Hannah Craig Yr 12 Pht. Summer Rassmussen Yr12 Ptg.



YEAR 7 ART - 10 Jacob Gould. 11 Luca Perkins. 12 Kazuma Saka. 13 Nadine Imhof. 14 Huxley Herring. 15 Kaitlyn Tooley. 16 Sophie Fountain.



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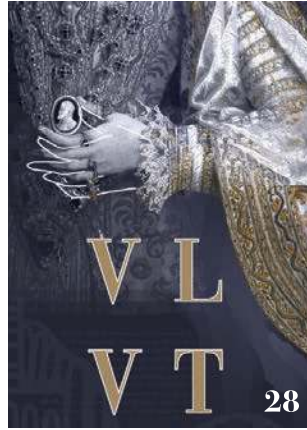
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ENJOYING SUCCESS

I'M MORE THAN THAT

My name is Anbuselven Rameshanand, but I go by Abhishek. I was born in New Delhi, India and live in Aotearoa. I moved to New Zealand when I was four and have lived in Wanaka ever since.

In drama, in my group, we were doing a quick improv scene on Black Lives Matter. But my teacher gave us the idea to expand and try to show racism within New Zealand. I stayed quiet, mostly because I had no idea what to do. I think I was sheltered from racism as I grew up. I was the Indian kid and I was always told about racism and how it affects black people. I don't experience racism, I thought. How do I experience racism?

But we stuck with that idea and one of the members in my group had the idea that I would be sitting alone and they would come up to me and just start being racist, whatever that meant. And

it shocked me how easy it was for him to be racist towards me and that one scene opened up memories.

No, I was not born in New Zealand. No, my family are not telemarketers. No, I cannot speak Indian and, FYI, Indian isn't a language. No, I cannot make curry. I don't sleep in a shack when I go back to India. No, your Indian accent is not accurate. Nice remix. Ha ha. My culture is a joke, and I know I'm supposed to laugh.

I'm the whitest brown person ever. I'm the diversity of the group. I'm the Indian kid, like a skier, or the surfer but it's different when you get labelled as your race. I'm more than what I'm labelled to be. I'm more than what I'm told. I'm proud of my culture, my home. You should never feel the need to explain yourself to someone who hasn't walked in your shoes. - ABHISHEK RAMESHANAND



PLAY IT STRANGE

During the COVID19 lockdown period, I decided to use my time wisely and discover my passion for songwriting and music. During this time I was able to write over 10 original songs accompanied by piano. I made sure to stay in close contact with my music teacher Mr. Doyle and was able to discover my sound and passion for the art of music. This lockdown gave me the opportunity to be able to compete in songwriting competitions. I competed in a total of four national competitions and got placings in two, both of these being held by the 'Play It Strange' foundation.

I am so grateful for the wise and knowledgeable teachers we have here in the arts at Mount Aspiring College. Without their dedication and love, I would not be the same ambitious man I am today. After placing in the top six in the Play It Strange Peace Song Competition, I was able to meet and connect with some of the most successful and inspirational artists we have here in New Zealand. I am now in the process of creating a name for myself and writing my first EP with a couple of singles. When writing this, I have not yet gone up to Auckland to record my second Play It Strange song 'whenever I fall' but I'm VERY excited to see how it turns out. - LUCA GEORGALLI

APPRECIATION

We feel appreciation is so underrated
So we need to restart and get appreciation reinstated

We're dropping our plastic here and there
And in our opinion it's really not fair

It's not their fault that plastic is around
But they always seem to help in a bound

Take covid for instance, it wasn't their fault
But they always fight back in a jolt

Even though others get so little and we get so much
It's not a question of interest but more a perspective of such

Such mess, such problems but were just letting it waste away
Because oh well it's fine someone else will save the day

Others put their ways aside try and restart
But even so we still refuse to do our part

Even though others are in such distress
They carry on to tidy our mess

With all the things we don't want we tossed
While others are still trying to gain what they lost

People with less always seem to be more thankful
So maybe we need to be more grateful

We know it's not their fault about pollution
So we have to find a solution

It's time to put aside our differences
And come together and be great listeners

We felt appreciation was so underrated
I hope you got our message to get appreciation reinstated

- LENNI MILLER AND KEIRA BESTON

SERENITY - AMELIE WOONTON



Who here voted in the local government elections last year? Who plans to vote in the general election on September 19th? Go on, raise your hands. Look around, see how many hands are up. Now look at me. Notice how I didn't raise my hand. That's because I can't vote, not until May 16th next year. But the two elections I mentioned are ones that I could have voted in, if the voting age were lowered to 16. Good evening ladies and gentlemen, my name is Isobel Smith and tonight I will present my argument, through Rotary's four way test, for why the voting age should be 16.

The first question asked by the four way test is simple. Is it the truth?

Yes. Sixteen-year-olds in Argentina, Cuba, Ecuador, Austria, Nicaragua and Brazil and more now have voting rights. But here in New Zealand we don't pass the test. We have a very inclusive electoral system. Our laws allow people on benefits to vote, despite their lack of economic independence. They also allow those with cognitive disabilities to vote, regardless of the severity of their disability and the degree to which they may be influenced by their caregivers. So why not young people? I'm not talking about children, but young adults, who, like me, have an opinion and want to contribute to the conversation. The system needs to be more consistent in applying its reasons for preventing people from voting. If lack of maturity is a reason to stop someone voting, it should apply to all who lack maturity. If influence by others is a reason to prevent someone from voting, it should apply to all who are subject to this sort of influence. It is true that the voting age is 16 in some parts of the world, so why not here?

Extending voting rights to 16 and 17 year olds is consistent with the idea that turning 16 has special significance in our culture. As a 16 year old, I can drive, pay taxes, be paid the minimum wage for work and more. I'm also treated as an adult in our legal system. Lowering the voting age to 16 would bring the age of political responsibility into line with the age of criminal responsibility. New Zealand's current system is willing to hold a 16 year old responsible for murder, but deny a 16 year old the responsibility to cast a vote. This is unequivocally unfair, and does not pass the second question of the four way test.

When unable to vote until turning 18, some citizens (like me) won't have a chance to vote for their national elected officials until they are 20. This is not fair to young people; If 16-17 year olds have to pay taxes, they should have a say in where this money goes. It also isn't fair to our democracy to exclude their voices. If the voting age was lowered to 16, politicians would be far more likely to take youth opinions and issues seriously, as their votes (and their pay cheques) would rely on it. Unfortunately, right now the disheartening fact is that the youth voice is often ignored, all because we aren't allowed to vote. Yet when young people are given the right to vote, they will seize the opportunity.

This was the case in the 2014 Scottish independence referendum as 75% of 16-17 year olds voted. This is a much higher turnout than our own QLDC election last year where only 49% or residents voted.

Thirdly, we are asked "Will it build goodwill and better friendships?". It is my firm belief that allowing more

citizens to vote will build goodwill in communities, improving the state of our democracy. Lowering the voting age will encourage conversations among teenage citizens to better understand the issues they're voting on. Friendships would also be built through increased interaction among adults and youth. We will see more open minded dialogue among all parties, with a willingness to consider different points of view. But why is this? young people are at a time in their lives when it seems like all they do is learn. We spend six hours a day at school and understand that we don't know everything. This makes us open minded and willing to learn about the issues we could be voting on, if allowed. Lowering the voting age will mean that we are electing leaders who represent a larger portion of the population, and enact policies that reflect this larger portion of the population.

This is undoubtedly beneficial to all. First, to the young adults, as they are allowed to be part of the conversation, and second to our democracy because, young people turn out to vote, and voters would be a more accurate representation of the population as a whole.

Ladies and gentlemen, tonight I believe that I have proved that lowering the voting age to 16 passes the four way test; it is true, fair, promotes goodwill and friendships and without a doubt, is beneficial to all. As Children's Commissioner Andrew Bercroft says, "You cannot say children are just another interest group, because they are the only group without a voice. Children and young people have the right to have their voices heard and taken into account." Thank you for hearing my voice.

ISOBEL SMITH

Isobel Smith's speech was the district winner of the 2020 Rotary Speech Competition

YEAR 7 SCIENCE FAIR:



In Term 2 this year all the Year 7's had the experience of taking action on their own science project. We completed research, and in some cases a 'fair test' to execute an experiment. We held our own Science Fair where all the display boards were exhibited for the judges to come around the classrooms and pick the boards they thought were worthy to earn a prize. The prizes were awarded at a school Prize Giving of which students, parents and caregivers attended. Around twenty students got the opportunity to attend the Central Otago and even the Otago Science Fair. In the end we came away with amazing results. All Year 7's should be proud of all their hard work, their interesting projects and the learning that took place. - PRIYA WHITE & TASMINE MURPHY



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CULTURAL COMMITTEE

As the cultural committee, we take it upon ourselves each year to lead and direct all cultural aspects of the school. These include: drama, dance, languages, music, the visual arts and our New Zealand culture Te Reo Māori.

We have accomplished many things throughout the year that have been very exciting. These include: producing a short film, organising the Battle of the Houses event, hosting a Pride mufti day and many others.

As cultural committee leaders this year, we have made a particular effort to bring love and passion to the cultural aspects of our school. Due to COVID-19, culture at MAC has really suffered. However, we have been passionately driven to make sure the students have the opportunities to get involved in culture wherever they can. With the few opportunities this year, it has been more important than ever. As leaders, we have

prioritised the importance of pursuing shared goals in our committee together rather than on our own. We have learnt the integral skill of being able to adapt to our ever-changing environment, and in the end, that strength is found in the collective, "ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi, he toa takitini."

In 2020, the cultural committee has been a passionate, inspiring and positive environment for all. We have accomplished many goals that we set at the beginning of the year. Our main goals are always to maximise cultural participation and opportunities. We believe that this year we have achieved this, and set foundations for future committees to build upon. We wish the best to all future committee members and leaders, and hope culture continues to thrive at MAC.

KIERA GRAY AND CECE GARDNER (co-leaders of the cultural committee)



NGA MEA ITI - FILM AND COMPETITION ENTRY

The film was initially inspired by the work of Massive Theatre who made the most of physical limitations during the lockdown, drawing on very simple home resources to create positive filmed performances. This project allowed us to combine our strengths and come back together to work as a team after months of being solitary. Without any previous skills in filmmaking and a budget of zero, we collaborated to create a film that highlighted the simple things we appreciated coming out of lockdown. The project started as the committee's 40hr Famine project but evolved into much more over

time. We began by collecting verbatim from students and members of the community and wrote based on what we heard, then filmed all the clips, edited, recorded music and voice-over and it was complete. The film became an opportunity for people to get involved and create a beautiful piece of art to bring light to what has happened in 2020. In a preoccupied world, sometimes the most important things are the simple, the beautiful and the present. This film is an organic response to capture our connection with our local environment and our appreciation for nga mea iti. - KIERA GRAY

It was a great pleasure to work alongside the Cultural Committee and associated senior students in the Nga Mea Iti film project. It made history when it was announced as the overall National Winner of the first ever National Show Quest film on line competition as a response to COVID19 limitations. I was proud of the students demonstrating all the many and varied skills they have gleaned over their time in the Arts and Performing Arts arenas in this very special project. I wholeheartedly congratulate the team on their wonderful endeavour and ensuing result.

EMILY McRAE - HOLA Arts

“Congratulations!! We are so pleased to let you know that Mount Aspiring College is our Open National Winner for Showquest on Screen 2020.

You also won the National Awards for most effective use of live sound and most innovative use of lighting (equal). Your video entry was truly sensational, and every student involved in its creation should be incredibly proud of their accomplishments. The camera work and editing was flawless and a masterclass in the power of subtlety. Your spoken word piece and original soundscape were an incredible testament to the beauty of your landscape, as well as the phenomenal talent at your school.”

KELSEY MOLLER - ROCKQUEST CHARITABLE TRUST

AWARDS

Performers: Cece Gardner, Luca Georgalli, Holly Gibson, Laura Neale, Isobel Smith, Jaimee Vink

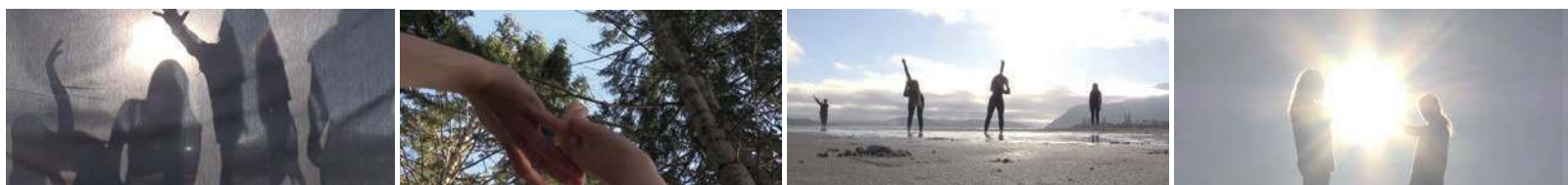
Cinematography: Olly Thomas

Soundscape composed by Ollie Blyth and Luca Georgalli

Voice Over: Kiera Gray

Script: Siena Shotwell

Direction and Editing: Siena Shotwell and Kiera Gray



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DRAMA

(ALMOST) FAME(OUS)

This year, MAC was going to produce another amazing musical to be performed in the community. After much deliberation, we decided on 'fame' a classic 80s show and musical that all people would have loved.

The musical follows a group of performing arts students pursuing their dreams and trying not to get too caught up in the limelight. The lead cast was made up of: Carmen Diaz (Kiera Gray/Siena Shotwell), Serena Katz (Grace Shannon/Isobel Smith), Iris Kelly (Cece Gardner/Lucy Fenton), Lambchops (Lauren Rimmer/Nikita Mayen), Mabel Washington (Paige Gawn/Emily Bunting), Ms Sherman (Jessie McKenzie/Evie Simonsohn), Tyrone Jackson (Luca Georgalli), Schlomo Metzbaum (Ollie Blyth), Nick Piazza (Owen Lca), Joe Vegas (Dylan Rimmer) and Goody (Ethan Carleton).

The musical combined acting, singing and dance in a variety of genres. Behind the dance and choreography section of the production was our team of five senior dancers: Cece Gardner, Holly

Gibson, Laura Neale, Lucy Fenton and Jaimee Vink. Late 2019 was an exciting time for the group as we began planning all the different dance items of varying genres that would appear throughout the show. In term one we held dance auditions and choreographed our work for over ten different dance pieces. Many lunchtimes were spent teaching these to our 23 onstage dance ensemble cast members. We had an awesome selection of genres including Jazz, Ballet, Hip Hop, Lyrical and even some Salsa dancing. In the end, 'Fame was an incredible journey of hard work and teamwork. Despite the process not coming to fruition, as a team, the learning and experiences we made throughout the journey were nothing short of spectacular.

We believe that although we were only "almost FAMEous" the dedication people showed and constant willingness to passionately work hard was a large step towards the growth we made as not only a cast, but as a family.

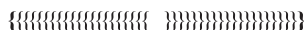
CECE GARDNER & JAIMEE VINK



SHEILAH WINN SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

Earlier this year, three Year 12 students participated in the University of Otago Sheilah Winn Shakespeare Festival. Their piece was a 15 minute student directed scene from *The Tempest*, which was reimagined in a modern context. Originally, the plan was to head to Dunedin to perform in the Otago regional event, but the lockdown was announced a few weeks before they were scheduled to go. Fortunately they had a video of the scene which was submitted to the amended competition. In July, the students (Ashley Bates, Ollie Blyth, and Helene Price) found out that their piece won Best Student Directed Piece in the Otago region, and director Ollie Blyth was selected to attend the National Shakespeare Schools Production week long workshop in October.

Ollie Blyth pictured as Friar Francis in *Much Ado About Nothing* Directed by Clare Adams as part of the SGCNZ NSSP 2020 (Shakespeare Globe Centre New Zealand National Shakespeare Schools Production). Photo: Memory of Light Photography



SHUDDER



This year, the Level 3 Drama class tackled one of our most challenging shows thus far, "Shudder" by Pip Hall. After a year of disappointments, it was important to come together and create a show as a class after months of solitary work. The show exposes a cross-section of people in Wellington. Over 24 hours we see people from Kandallah to Aro Valley going across their everyday life until disaster strikes. It is poetic. It is thought provoking. It is physically demanding. Drawing on the principles of physical theatre and ensemble work we build all the various worlds of Wellington. This was a one hour, no break ensemble piece including our whole class. With original soundscape and music composed by Ollie Blyth and the sound engineered by Olly Thomas.

As a student, it was an immense challenge of a performance. It really forced us as actors to use all of our technical acting skills we have gained and use them all in one performance. Although challenging, we reaped the rewards. It was a great final performance with a team we have worked alongside for around 3 years now, and was an incredible first show for the new members to our family. The show taught us to work together, to be patient and to be resilient.

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MAC KAPAHAKA

It has been tough for our whanau this year, we are a collective and due to COVID we were separated, unable to work together as we have done almost every Wednesday for over seven years. However, when lockdown ended we came back together like nothing had changed and have been getting involved in the community, showing that we are still standing. This year we once again supported kaumatua at the opening of Cardrona/Treble Cone in welcoming new staff to the maunga. The next day, we had the amazing privilege of welcoming our Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern onto the Cardrona Skifield; some of us taking the opportunity to meet her in person. Despite COVID, we still managed to perform at Matariki this year as we have done for many years and it was a great way to come together as a community. We have also been invited to participate in the Ride Tamariki programme as a thank you for supporting the Cardrona/Treble Cone powhiri. The staff have volunteered their time to teach skiing and snowboarding and we are able to take part in other activities including cooking and a stargazing tour, as well as staying overnight up the mountain, marae style. We are all so grateful for this opportunity as it will develop our whakawhanaungatanga.

Lots has changed in the past few years, thanks to Whaea Kaz we have had new haka uniforms, new piupiu and korowai. This year, some of the group had the chance to share our ideas with the architects for the proposed new buildings at MAC. We discussed their uses, what we thought they should include, the design and how we could meaningfully incorporate Te Ao Māori. There are some exciting changes coming to the school. For the past five years (with the support of teachers Kaz Roberts and Tania Brett), the group has been student-led as we have not had a tutor. Recently we have been lucky enough to welcome our amazing new tutor Candace Carroll, who has come in and is teaching new content for the upcoming Polyfest that is to be held in Wanaka. Unfortunately due to Level 2 restrictions, this event will not be held as we had planned; however, it will be live streamed under the Miharo Māori

umbrella in Term 4. I hope that we will be able to build on this for next year and work closely with the primary schools in our area. The group has been taking this chance to absorb new content, skills, knowledge and it has been a great way to finish the year.

I have been a part of the MAC haka group for seven years, stepping up to lead waiata whenever I could, taking every opportunity to perform with the group. My brother, Olly McKenzie, led the haka before me and it has been a privilege to carry on doing so since he left. It has been an eventful seven years and I have greatly enjoyed being a part of this amazing whanau. The group has grown from one student, Anna Edwards' passion for our school to embrace and represent Māori culture; working alone with ex teacher Matua Jeromy to form the group. I remember working with Anna as a Year 7 and being wholeheartedly welcomed into the group; now almost all current members are new and it is great to see her legacy being continued.

I wish this whanau all the best for the future. For me this chapter of my life is closing, but for the young ones, there are many opportunities and adventures awaiting. I would like to acknowledge Matua Jeremy for the love and support he has had for our group all these years and Whaea Kaz for everything she has done to support us.

Thank you, MAC haka kaea

JESSIE MCKENZIE



HQ

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION AT ITS BEST

On Wednesday 2nd, Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th September the HQ students from MAC, along with six Year 9 students and eight Year 10 students, were involved in a dance and music intensive: Tukatuku, run by artists from the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra and JOLT Dance Company.

Under the guidance of the professionals from the CSO and JOLT, the students created music, wrote lyrics and choreographed dance pieces. The three day experience provided an opportunity for all students to have a voice, to be seen, to be heard and to be acknowledged for their talent, beauty and diversity.

The intensive culminated in a public performance on the Friday afternoon where the celebration of togetherness, growth and unique works was presented. But it was not just about the end product, the final performance; it was the journey and the process that taught our students so much - learning that could only be experienced; learning that they would hold on to and remember for years to come.

It is with great thanks that Mount Aspiring College acknowledges the magic, energy and passion that the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra and JOLT dance Company brought to our community.

The comments from a few students illustrate the success of this experience:

"It was exciting to work with everyone for those three intensive days. We got to see the HQ kids express themselves with all different types of movement. Everyone worked so hard; it really paid off. The final performance was amazing." - Anna Cortell

"It completely changed my outlook on dance. Choreography does not have to be perfect. The

important part for me were the connections I made, being able to learn a new way of creating and showcasing dance and working with HQ students and musicians in an inclusive way." - Kelly Quirk

"I found it a fun and beneficial few days. It helped me improve on improvisation and made me much more aware of what can be done with music and dance. Working with HQ was a great time, the whole process had a fun atmosphere while still being productive and interesting. The people from Jolt and Christchurch Symphony Orchestra were very helpful and I would definitely do it again." - Matai Wells



MUSIC

JUNIOR BAND



LEFT TO RIGHT: Siena Dunlop, Helen Carter, Ruby Smith, Susannah West, Alex Kettle, Oscar Goodwin, Alice Porter, Lola Ritchie, Clarke West, Chloe Murray, Toby Mills, Celeste Rumore, Domenico Robinson, William Schurink, Pete Stevenson, Archie Bruce, Tommy Cotter. ABSENT: Bayne Deaton

The Junior Band is a group of people who all love to play instruments. They meet every Tuesday lunchtime and with the guidance of Pete and Helen (The best music teachers in the world), they play songs from all different genres, from hardcore rock to the latest pop hits. Right now the songs they are playing are Sunshine of Your Love by Cream or as they like to call it "THIS ONE". They are also playing Mission Impossible by Lalo Schiffrin, Counting Stars by One Republic and Another Brick in the Wall by Pink Floyd. The band consists of students from Year 7 up to Year 10. To sum up the band here are some quotes from some members of the junior band:

"Music is a way of life, not just a passion." - Alex Kettle
 "Band is always really fun and is an awesome way to practice your instruments with other instruments. It's also a great opportunity to get to know snazzy people!" - Chloe Murray
 "I love working with the students and creating some great music together, having a huge jam session is what music learning is all about." - Helen Carter (teacher)
 "I have always loved music. I love playing it and it has played a huge part in my life. When we play in the school band I feel really happy." - Toby Mills
 "We spend our Tuesday lunch times blowing, strumming, picking, hitting, tapping, and turning up the volume of our instruments. We tend to play rock n' roll and pop songs, though it varies depending on whether Helen or Pete chooses the music. Mostly though, it's all about having fun, learning, and playing music." - Anonymous Student
 "I like listening to music, playing it is even more fun!" - Ruby Smith
 "I love playing music with other people and playing the fun songs that get given to us." - Alice Porter
 "I look forward to band every week and I am glad that I get the opportunity to practise music at school." - Bayne Deaton



UP AN OCTAVE

LEFT TO RIGHT: Amy Benson, Ruby Smith, Ollie Blyth, Giovanni Austin-Moorhouse, Johanna Hansen, Lincoln Rimmer, Matai Wells, James Watson, Helen Carter, Nikki Cotter.

CLASSICAL CHAMBER GROUP

The players in the classical chamber group have worked throughout the year on a range of short pieces to help improve their musicianship and group skills. They look forward to doing some more performances as they grow.

"I think it's a great choice to spend our lunchtimes playing music together. It's fun and everyone is relaxed and having a good time!" - Johanna Hansen
 "I like the challenge of playing classical music, there is so much going on other than your own part." - Ruby Smith
 "Playing in this group on Friday lunchtimes is definitely the best way to end the week! And let's face it, everyone loves classical music... they just may not realise it yet" - Helen Carter
 "A very relaxing way to spend Friday lunchtime" - Matai Wells

CHOIR

In August, the MAC Choir did a workshop with Dunedin choral director Ben Madden for an afternoon intensive. In just under two hours, the choir learned one entire piece with three separate parts, and hope to be able to use the piece for future performances. Madden also taught the choir how to more effectively work with a conductor, and showed how conductors can communicate more to an ensemble by doing less. In 2019, the choir was recognised as a strong upcoming ensemble at the Otago regional Big Sing competition and are planning on competing again in 2021.

BACK: Owen Lea, Luca Georgialli, Ollie Blyth, Ashley Bates, Mihi McLachlan, Danielle Carney, Anja Malmo
 THIRD ROW: Paige Gawn, Jemma Brake, Georgie Gillespie, Chloe Cartledge, Laura Watkins, Eye Bretherton, Nina Iseli-Adams, Czaliya Vioria, Mrs Joanne Waide (CHOIR DIRECTOR)
 SECOND ROW: Molly Wilson, Billie Willson, Lucia Mochel, Jessie McNeil, Ania-Kanu Saklani, Chantel Thurston, Jazz Allison
 FRONT ROW: Isobel Smith, Siena Shotwell, Kiera Gray
 ABSENT: Aria Thor-Poet, Henry McConnell, Matilda Metcalf, Marley Scott Walker, Lucas Parry, Lucy Radford, Jessie McKenzie, Caitlin O'Donnell, Gary Poirvert, Grace Shannon



MAC FEST

The music department held MAC Fest for the first time this year. Events that we are usually able to perform at including MACStock and Rockquest were unable to happen or went online because of COVID-19. MAC Fest was created to give senior music students in years 11 to 13 and a few year 10 students the opportunity to perform. We got to record quality recordings of original songs that we could then use for our composition assessment and entries into Rockquest. MAC Fest was held over two days at the end of Term 2. The two days ran smoothly and lots of the bands got really satisfying recordings. During MAC Fest the students who were interested were shown how to work the music recording technology and everyone helped set up and pack down, which meant we had lots of time to record music. It was really cool to hear everyone's original sound coming out and see the variety we have within the music students. - LAUREN RIMMER



Nikita Mayen, Brianna Curtis, Lauren Rimmer, Toa Roode



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 Oliver Prince, Micah Cousins, Kahu Nepia, Bryce Parkhill.



ROCK QUEST

RockQuest is New Zealand's only nationwide live music event for originally composed music. It is now in its 32nd year of running with audience numbers reaching over 10,000 every year. This year due to COVID19 RockQuest moved online with individuals and bands submitting their songs via video. Throughout the school we had a number of entries into the competition. We are extremely proud of those that, despite the circumstances, managed to create incredible songs to share with the country. The competition aims to provide young musicians with the opportunity to realise their abilities and heights in which they can reach as an artist. ANNABEL.



MAX BYRNE
SFRQ 1st PLACE SOLO/DUO



OSCAR GOODWIN
SFRQ ROCKSHOP ELECTRONIC ASSIST
AWARD - 'Oski'



LUCA GEORGALLI



JESSE MCKENZIE
SFRQ - APRA LYRIC AWARD - 'Lonely Colours'



SERENDIPITY
Kaia Rosie, Maya Mueller, Bella Robertson,
Daisy Orbell



BLANK LINES
Eve Paddon, Imogen Dougherty, Mihi McLachlan
SFRQ MUSICIANSHIP AWARD - Eve Paddon



CHEESEWOOD
Tawa Carson-Wolfe, Red Simpson, Elliot Frost



JESSIE AND THE GENTS
Timo Heath, Jessie Barkman-White, Tao Hawkey-Hight, Caleb Wright



KILLED THE VIBE
Minnie Harker, Kimiya Byrne, Maisy Millwater,
Isla Henderson



THE GRONK ORCHESTRA
Luca Harrington, Micah Cousins, Kahu Nepia,
Evie Simonsohn, Hadley Tamati,
Dylan Rimmer



Luca Georgalli, Lillian Eastwood, Elliot Frost



Hunter Kee, Matai Wells, Liam Williamson,
Louis von Heraud-Parker.



BETTER THAN NOTHING
Archie Orbell, Clare West, Otis Murphy, Henry McConnell
SFRQ - MUSICIANSHIP AWARD - Clarke West



SPAIN TRIP 2019/20

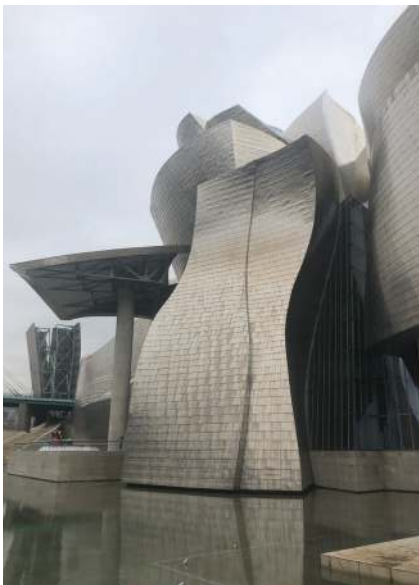
Over the summer holidays of 2019/2020, a group of 11 students and Miss Richardson travelled to Spain for five weeks. This was as part of an exchange with a group of students from Summa Aldapeta - a school in San Sebastián, in the north of Spain. On arrival, we stayed in Madrid for three days before travelling to San Sebastián, where we spent the remainder of the exchange with a homestay family.

For the first couple of weeks in San Sebastián, we spent Monday to Thursday mornings at a language school, strengthening our Spanish language skills and learning more about Spanish culture through lessons, games and activities. With the language school we also had fun events in the afternoons, including bread tasting, day walks, and creative activities with primary school aged kids at Summa nearby (including a spontaneous performance of the school haka!). On Fridays we went on day trips with the language school to Bilbao, Bayonne (in France) and Pamplona, which we all loved. We also spent the weekends with our host families, doing various activities such as skiing, visiting the aquarium and the amusement park, going for walks and seeing lots of other touristy and hidden local attractions. One highlight was that, together with our host students, we also went to a professional football match, where we watched the San Sebastián local team vs Barcelona, and Lionel Messi scored a goal right in front of us!

We spent the final two weeks of the exchange with our host families, as this was during the Spanish Christmas and New Year holiday break. It was amazing to stay there over Christmas as the lights and decorations around the city were so beautiful, and it really felt like a proper winter Christmas. San Sebastián was an amazing place to stay for the exchange, as it was absolutely beautiful and had the most amazing ice-cream!

Our homestay families were all so nice, and unfortunately our host siblings were unable to come to New Zealand in June as planned due to covid. Some of our overall highlights of the trip include the amazing food, the immersion in the Spanish way of life with our host families, and the fun day trips with the language school. Improving our Spanish skills was a bonus too. We all loved the exchange and would highly recommend it to anyone who wants to have fun learning about another culture and improving their Spanish skills.

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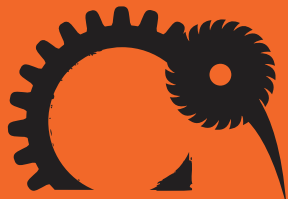


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SERVICE COMMITTEE

The purpose of the Service committee at Mount Aspiring College is to run social events and charitable fundraisers in an effort to improve our community and the atmosphere at school.

At the beginning of the year we coordinated the fun Valentines Day and the Year 13 Amazing Race! As everyone has, this year we have been faced with some challenges. But, through these unexpected events we were able to integrate extra ideas. During New Zealand's quarantine our team set up the magazine cover competition and two quite eventful Zoom quizzes. The mufti days this year have been increasingly colourful, with the notable fundraisers being for the 40 Hour Famine and Pride Pledge. Our committee made a particular effort in running an event called Racism Awareness. It was an open event for the students at our school to share and to listen to experiences of racism in Wanaka. We hope as a committee that

the efforts made this year will continue with additional events and progress in the years to come.

In 2020, the service committee has been very collaborative, engaged and positive. Each year, our goal as a committee is to do more to improve our school community and wider. We hope we have achieved this and best of luck to future service committees. Special thank you to Mrs Plunkett! - ZELDA BOYD



BLACK LIVES MATTER

Racism is a topic that not too many people feel comfortable talking about, especially in New Zealand. And with the uprising of the Black Lives Matter movement in America, a group of senior students, facilitated by Mrs Plunkett, wanted to raise awareness of the reality of racism in our own country. So they organised an event to achieve this goal.

The event took place on the 6th of August and the plan was to have students speak about their own personal experiences with racism for however long they wanted.

The event was held at lunch time in the science block. But we found that this space was nearly not big enough for the amount of people that came to listen. It was pretty surprising as I honestly didn't think that many people would show up, but we had people struggling to find spaces to sit. There was a group of eight students that chose to speak at this event, with a good mix of junior and senior students. I was one of them. I was nervous to speak about this topic as I'm very passionate about it, but after listening to the other speakers before me, I felt comfortable. The whole event went so much better than we thought it would. It was shocking to see other students sharing similar experiences to me and I feel it did a great job in opening up this conversation about racism that is often thrown under the rug. I loved the open and respectful environment that was created in the room. It really made me feel like my thoughts were heard and appreciated, and I'm sure everyone else feels the same way.

- HADLEY TAMATI

“Ko matawhaura te maunga
 My mouth does not mean curse words
 Ko Ohau te awa
 My skin does not mean domestic violence
 Ko Te Arawa toku hapu
 My fingers do not mean gang signs
 Ko Ngati Pikiao te iwi
 How do I belong to my land when my land has never belonged to me
 Ko Te Takinga toku marae
 My culture does not mean drugs
 Ko Tamati toku ingoa whanau
 My heritage does not mean broken families
 Ko Hadley Tipiwai toku ingoa
 I am more than a stereotype
 I am māori.”

TEAM GREEN



When some Team Green students attended the ONE summit in Wanaka last year, they discovered a major pollutant comes from drains: all the litter goes into the lake then into rivers and oceans. Team Green researched how to stop this and made a plan:

1. Clean the drains.
2. Add mesh to prevent litter entering the waterways.
3. Educate to prevent litter in the first place

In June, we started cleaning the college drains and putting mesh in place. The amount of rubbish we found in the drains was frankly disgraceful. In just one drain, we found 167 pieces of rubbish, some of which could be reused. We made a poster and a video, which was viewed by many students during whanau time.

The college groundsperson noticed an immediate improvement, so we thank everyone for stopping littering.

Our goal for the school is to reduce the amount of rubbish we produce. In order to facilitate this change, Team Green has:

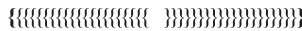
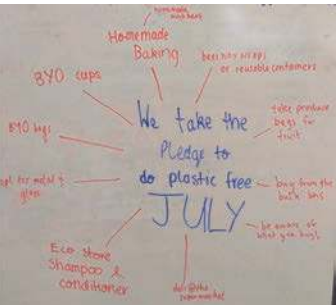
- Individually participated in Plastic Free July and Waste Free Fair.
- Negotiated with the canteen for a 50c discount when you bring your cup and use it with your order of hot chocolate, chips or dahl.
- Organised successful beeswax foodwrap workshops where students made about a hundred foodwraps for free. This avoids the use of so much plastic wrap in the future.
- Set up a recycling range for old phones, oral care products and packaging, old pens and markers.



Art students made a poster to mark the recycling area, Team Green members felt that years of campaigning has succeeded in creating a recycling culture in our school.

For the last big event of 2020, Team Green students are organising a school wide tree planting event, where each of the 56 whanau groups get to plant a tree. The school has been granted these trees by Paper4Trees thanks to our past two years recycling efforts. This whanau planting event is popular and has become an annual custom for the MAC community.

As the Wanaka Sun article says, Team Green is paving the way to greener living and it is nice to see the whole school getting on board.




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LOVE THE MUSIC

40 HOUR FAMINE

Mount Aspiring College raised \$25,150.90. What an absolutely PHENOMENAL effort! This is the most MAC has ever raised - and in the midst of COVID and lockdown, of all years! It made MAC the largest single-campus school fundraiser in New Zealand. It also means that Mount Aspiring has now raised over \$200K since we first did Famine as a school, in 1987; how epic is that? Congratulations!

To illustrate the impact this year's fund raising has, it means:

Eight schools can set up an entire agriculture programme, complete with 500 seedlings each, where students learn about how to care for their environment and are trained in more effective farming techniques. The tools students pick up here are then taken home and families are educated; we know how crucial it is in Malawi to produce good crops so when families can farm more effectively this impacts entire communities.

On top of that, eight families will be provided with five goats each to create back-up income and a food source - and the first generation of offspring from these goats will be passed on to other families in the community, scaling your impact up even more.

Even further, it will support 23 communities to learn to maintain and repair a new watering system in their first year of having it, so that they don't need any outside assistance and can sustainably access clean water for years to come.

The first Tuesday of Term 3 started with a full school assembly to celebrate this achievement. We were joined by Katie Kingsthaite (School Partnership Manager, South Island) and Jess McLennan (40 Hour Famine Ambassador) from World Vision. Even a power cut could not dampen the enthusiasm as committee members and top fundraisers were recognised for their efforts. We are especially proud that Emily Heath was given a Greatest Individual Impact Award and Mount Aspiring College was given the Above and Beyond Award for all of New Zealand.

This will be a really positive memory for 2020.



SADD

Students Against Dangerous Driving (SADD) is a student-led charity with the collective goal of preventing loss on New Zealand roads. The SADD team provide guidance and support using best practice, evidence based, road safety education approaches to influence their peers and wider community to positively promote safe road user behaviours. Our point of difference is in offering youth-centred leadership development and behaviour changing opportunities within a road safety context, emphasis is on good decision making and societal contribution. SADD offers opportunities for students to work collaboratively and build relationships with road safety partners like the Police. The Wanaka SADD Committee is an Mount Aspiring College Year 13 group.



This year we have worked with the school and Police on multiple activities including parking management and breath testing. SADD is a really useful committee to connect students with the community and also to educate everyone of safe driving. During the drink driving campaign with the Police which happened 28/29th August, we stopped an estimate of 750 vehicles over both nights. This was a very valuable experience for the committee members as we are able to bring a student presence into the community and was very educational for the members. Our role was to give out chocolates to sober drivers to help encourage more sober driving.

Although we had some setbacks from COVID-19, this has been a very successful year for the SADD committee and we plan to continue our activities into term 4 with the Fire Brigade and Wanaka Alcohol Group.

POLAR PLUNGE

The class of 2020 participated in the polar plunge on a cold Monday morning and received their Leavers' hoodies, designed by members of the committee.



Our unique Students in the Community program allows our Year 13 students to gain insight into their community and to volunteer their services and support where needed.

2020 has been a strange year for everyone, which brought with it a lot of unknowns; however it didn't stop our students getting out and finding new and innovative ways to support our community.

From the outset, I have been pleasantly surprised by the senior students' leadership and organisational skills that this program brings out. I look forward to working with a new cohort of Year 13s in 2021 and to seeing what exciting volunteer opportunities arise.

JO HEWSON-WILLIAMS, SIC CO-ORDINATOR

"Thank you for sending the awesome crew to help us run the From Scratch performance last night. They were helpful, courteous and hard-working, and they enjoyed the show. The Students in the Community programme is so valuable for organisations like ours, and we are looking forward to working with more fantastic MAC kids in the future."

LAURA WILLIAMSON, GENERAL MANAGER FESTIVAL OF COLOUR

RUBY'S MURAL

Ruby painted a mural at the entrance to Wānaka Preschool as part of her students in the community volunteer hours.

Lead teacher at the preschool, Katrina Brewer, said the piece was chosen to "complement the kowhai trees that sit adjacent to the painting and complement our values as an enviro school."

"I love being able to encourage younger people through my art, as I have had a lot of help from older artists, and painting the mural for the Wānaka preschool was a great way to interact with the children." - RUBY BURKE

"Thanks to the Year 13 Mount Aspiring College students (Kiera Gray, Siena Shotwell and Laura Neale) for helping sort food for the Foodbank. You are doing an amazing job." - KIM BAKER, COMMUNITY NETWORKS WANAKA.



I thoroughly enjoyed my time coaching the U11's for the 2020 junior football season. It was a great experience to teach and pass on my knowledge to the younger Wānaka footballers and was a pleasure to see how they progressed as both individuals and a team throughout the year. This will be a memory I will cherish for a long time. Go the GOATS! - LUKAS SCHAFER

Football has been a part of me since I was 5 years old. It has kept me healthy and has always been something I look forward to. Most importantly, it has brought long standing friendships. Ever since I was eight, I have always had volunteer coaches. To this day, my coach when I was 9 years old, Ian Bell, is still one of my football coaches. I learned a lot from him, not just from a football standpoint, but life in general.

My ambition through my volunteering as a football coach is to pass down my knowledge and to contribute to a fun experience like I had when I was younger. Through the Students in the Community program, I have enjoyed coaching an Under 11 team alongside Lukas. Seeing the progression of the kids, with a smile on their face is why I will continue to coach voluntarily, especially for all the Wānaka Football Club has done for me. - MICHAEL GEALOGO

Throughout the duration of this year, Luca and I have been involved in a number of gigs and live performances as volunteer work for Students in the Community (SIC). We have performed for the Rotary Club on two separate occasions, one for a mental health fundraiser and the second for the hand over of the presidential role. Rippon Hall also reached out to us earlier in the year, offering us weekly gigs at the 'Chef's Table' event held by Raspberry Creek. In light of recent world events, the need for music and cultural involvement within our Wānaka community is all the more important so to be providing live music is a very fulfilling opportunity for both of us. - LILLIAN EASTWOOD





SPORTS COMMITTEE

Over the course of 2020, the Mount Aspiring College Sports Committee has helped with the organisation of multiple school events and activities. While COVID has taken away many opportunities such as the Wakatipu Exchange and the Kavanagh Exchange, it has allowed us connect with the youth students and take a more interactive approach.

In Term 2, our committee held Year 7 & 8 lunchtime activities. The aim of this was to bridge the gap between the junior and senior school as well as giving the junior students an option to participate in organised sport in their break. Every lunchtime for several weeks, Sports Committee members would rotate in organising games such as 'capture the flag' and 'four corners', to t-ball and touch rugby on the field. Judging by the growing numbers of junior students attending the sessions, we believe this idea was a huge success and is something that can be continued in the future.

A second new initiative in 2020 was the return of social volleyball. A competition for Years 10 to 13 students every Wednesday lunchtime. There were seven teams of different ages, genders, and skill levels, playing one game each lunch, and ultimately playing every team once. 2020 Head Boy and of the sports committee member Michael Gealogo stated that "Being part of the sports committee has been fun! It's a leadership role where not only do you get to play and organise sports but really get involved



with the juniors at the college. One thing I've really enjoyed is social volleyball on Wednesdays. For someone who finds lunchtimes boring it's quite nice to have something to do."

This year we were fortunate enough to run both Athletics and Swimming Sports. Athletics day got off to a rocky start. After getting up early and setting up in the rain the decision was then made to pull the pin, as the weather just wasn't on our side. However, 'take two' was all go. It was a beautiful Monday morning, the sun was out and everyone's game faces were on. The turn out was awesome, even with athletics no longer being compulsory.

At the start of the day, students were grouped into their age groups and spent the day travelling around to all the different disciplines. Now that the school is so large athletics has been splayed throughout the week. The pre-qualifies for the large events and

finals for the 1500 and 800 metres were held during lunchtimes. The iconic house relays were held the following week where, as usual, ample comradery was displayed along with some great talent. It was a fun and tough day out, with great house rivalry.

For swim sports, the sports committee met early in the morning to organise the equipment and hang up the timetable for the day. Each committee member made sure to time a few races at some point in the day so we could contribute and give the staff and helpers an extra hand. We also aimed to create an upbeat environment in the common area where participants that had already competed or were waiting to compete could hang out with their friends and listen to music with the occasional dance circle. Students nominated themselves for either competitive or non-competitive swimming, and each category was very enjoyable and they both gave the opportunity for house points. Overall, the day was a big success and the Sports Committee was glad to be apart of it the event once again.

While the Kavanagh exchange was cancelled this year, the sports committee was able to train with the younger students which was very enjoyable. While the sports committee was faced with a very altered schedule as to that of previous years, I believe we were still able to complete the usual events such as athletics and swimming sports at a high level, and branch out with new concepts including the junior activities.



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- 3rd Hunter Cranfield R

YEAR 9-10 BOYS

- 1st Tom Sides P
- 2nd Hunter Tuck R
- 3rd Thomas Benson B

YEAR 11 BOYS

- 1st McKay Watson R
- 2nd Ben Silipo B
- 3rd Layton Osnabrugge P

YEAR 12-13 BOYS

- 1st Campbell Wright P
- 2nd Leo Staufenberg I
- 3rd Felix Williamson R

YEAR 7-8 GIRLS

- 1st Catty David P
- 2nd Lili Kaler R
- 3rd Chantel Thurston R

YEAR 9-10 GIRLS

- 1st Lulu Pettit B
- 2nd Millie East B
- 3rd Jessie Winter P

YEAR 11 GIRLS

- 1st Hannah Prosser B
- 2nd Pipi Horan P
- 3rd Millie Cranfield R

YEAR 12-13 GIRLS

- 1st Lucy Jefferies B
- 2nd Rata Horan P
- 3rd Sylvie Frater P





MAC CHAMPS 2020

IRON 103 ROY 67 PISA 56 BARKER 34

OVERALL SNOWBOARD FEMALE CHAMPION - Maddy Thomson

OVERALL SNOWBOARD MALE CHAMPION - Cam Melville Ives

OVERALL SKIING FEMALE CHAMPION - Annabel Hutchison

OVERALL SKIING MALE CHAMPION - Olly Thomas



SWIM CHAMPS 2020

IRON 1123 PISA 1061 BARKER 1023 ROY 780

11/12 YEAR OLD GIRLS: Catarina David, Skye Watson, Jazmine Allison.

11/12 YEAR OLD BOYS: William Schurink, Coast Morland, Douglas Wise.

13 YEAR OLD GIRLS: Taylah Jones, Laura Bacigalova, Evelyn Armstrong.

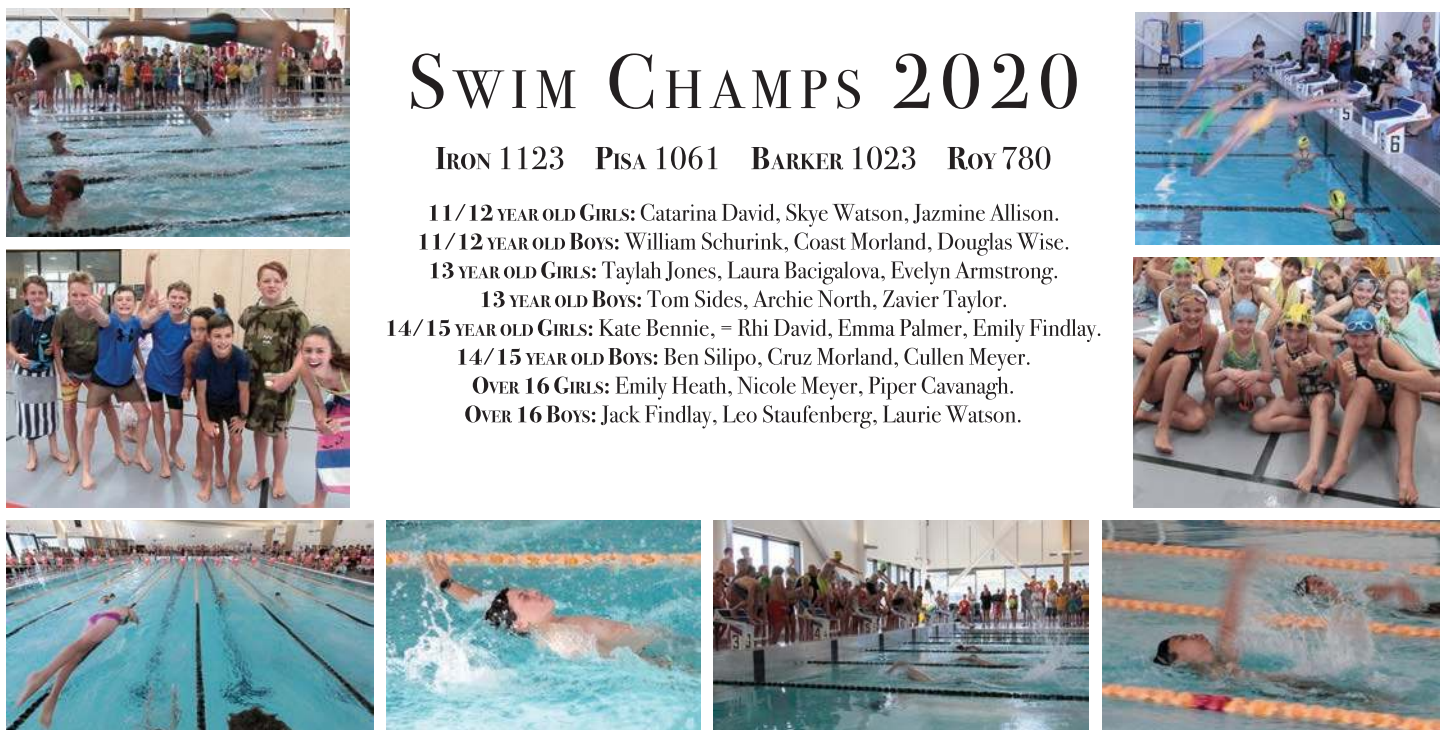
13 YEAR OLD BOYS: Tom Sides, Archie North, Zavier Taylor.

14/15 YEAR OLD GIRLS: Kate Bennie, = Rhi David, Emma Palmer, Emily Findlay.

14/15 YEAR OLD BOYS: Ben Silipo, Cruz Morland, Cullen Meyer.

OVER 16 GIRLS: Emily Heath, Nicole Meyer, Piper Cavanagh.

OVER 16 BOYS: Jack Findlay, Leo Staufenberg, Laurie Watson.



SPORTS TEAMS '20



FUTSAL GIRLS

BACK - DEVELOPMENT TEAM: Phoebe Brownlie, Jemma Jordi, Kate Harry, Anika Fay, Charlotte Bell, Amelia Holmes.

MIDDLE - B TEAM: Richard Vorsterman (COACH), Maddy Thompson, Siena Shotwell, Sylvie Frater, Billea-Nova Chin-Nyika, Emma Hutchinson, Isobel Smith, Lucy Jeffries.

FRONT - A TEAM: Tess Treadwell-Burke, Annabel Carter, Aimee McArthur, Pip Crowley, Saffron Millar, Zoe Smith.

ABSENT: Evelyn Armstrong, Josephine Plimmer, Jamie Kerr.



FOOTBALL SENIOR GIRLS

BACK: Richard Vorsterman (COACH), Pip Crowley, Maddy Thompson, Sylvie Frater, Billea-Nova Chin-Nyika, Emma Hutchinson, Zoe Smith.

FRONT: Emma Smith, Lucy Jeffries, Aimee McArthur, Tess Treadwell-Burke, Saffron Millar, Amelia Holmes.

ABSENT: Whitney Bennett, Piper Cavanagh, Hannah Craig, Jamie Kerr.

The girl's football 1st XI team played very well throughout the tournament and improved every game. We ended up winning half of our games. Unfortunately, the quarter-finals was a tough fight as we lost in a penalty shoot out. In the last few minutes, we managed to score one more goal leading us to a draw of 2-2. However, we then came short by one point in the penalties. Our last day, we played 5-8th place semis which was televised and the team played very well winning 3-0. It was one of our best games. Overall, all of us girls had a lot of fun coming 6th place and it was a great experience. Thanks to Brianna Lobb, Phil Burke, and Trudie Millar.

We are already looking forward to next year's tournament!



FUTSAL SENIOR BOYS A

BACK: Neil Stuart (TIC), Toa Roode, Ethan Arratia, Levi Fletcher, Lukas Schafer, Leon Roode (MANAGER/COACH).

FRONT: Ben McNabb, Micheal Gealogo, Weston Bell, Xion Lippe, Jack Lanigan.



SENIOR BOYS 1ST XI

BACK: Neil Stuart (TIC), Gareth Hodges (MANAGER), Toa Roode, Charlie McKean, Oscar Humphreys, Oliver Clements, Jack Liddell, Levi Fletcher, Lukas Schafer, Leon Roode (COACH).

FRONT: Blak Lang, Ben McNabb, Jack Lanigan, Micheal Gealogo, Weston Bell, Xion Lippe, Ethan Arratia, Theo Greenlees.

ABSENT: Red Simpson, Theo Steele



FUTSAL SENIOR BOYS B

BACK: Lucas Muniz, Nico Pessionie.

FRONT: Blak Lang, Charlie McKean, Kevin Yoo, Ben McLachlan.

ABSENT: Red Simpson, Ikey Emanuel, Ronan Kaye.



SWIMMING

BACK: Max Bagley, Mabel North, William Schurink, Coast Morland, Rhi David, Beatrix Creswick, Cody Gemmell, Lucy Radford.

FRONT: Taylah Jones, Emma Palmer, Emily Heath, Benjamin Silipo, Jack Findlay, Nicole Meyer, Hannah Gillespie.

ABSENT: Kate Bennie, Catty David, Hannah Gillespie, Nicole Meyer.



NETBALL A

BACK: Abigail Winter, Isla Gellatly, Holly Gibson, Zoe Smith
FRONT: Tracy Gibson (COACH), Meg Brecn, Olivia Jones, Alexa McKay, Ella Parker.



NETBALL B

BACK: Hannah Gardyne (MANAGER), Abigail Winter, Isla Gellatly, Julie Autet, Nicole McCone (COACH).
FRONT: Summer Rasmussen, Sophie Hodgkiss-Blyth, Whitney Bennett, Nicole Meyer.
ABSENT: Emily Findlay, Olivia McLachlan.



NETBALL 10A

BACK: Isabella Soper, Sara Jewell, India Yule, Georgie Gillespie, Renee Plunkett (MANAGER).
FRONT: Annalisse Millar, Ava Hay, Emilie Nicholson, Eva Humphreys, Jessie Winter
ABSENT: Lou Carnie (COACH).



NETBALL 9A

BACK: Kirsten Mavor (MANAGER), Mya Walker, Grace Heath, Annie Wells, Daisy Sanders,
Janine Lancy (COACH).
FRONT: Abbey Pedersen, Isabel Sheehan, Eva Gilbertson, Taylah Jones, Millie East.



YEAR 10 NETBALL



YEAR 9 NETBALL



YEAR 8 NETBALL



YEAR 7 NETBALL



BASKETBALL SENIOR BOYS B
 BACK: Weston Bell, Max Dudson, Charlie Holmes, Ronan Kaye, Tyler Danielson,
 Nathan Holmes (COACH)
 FRONT: Sam Jewell, Tom Roberts, Kahu Griffin.
 ABSENT: Ben McNabb.



BASKETBALL SENIOR BOYS A
 BACK: Michael Gealogo, Jake Jamison, Jayden Robert.
 FRONT: Campbell Mortimer, Angus Cagney, Daniel O'Donnell.
 ABSENT: Oscar Humphreys.



BASKETBALL JUNIOR GIRLS
 BACK: Niamh Townsend, Muireann Green.
 FRONT: Kate Watson, Paige Gawn, Saffron Millar.
 ABSENT: Aryenyo Emasu, Amelia Young,
 Harriet Sargood Ross.



BASKETBALL SENIOR GIRLS
 BACK: Toto Tanabe, Meg Killbride, Isla Gellatly, Olive Pujol, Olivia McLachlan, Kaia Rosie.
 FRONT: Kahu Rupapera, Tess Treadwell-Burke, Alexa McKay, Olivia Jones, Georgia Robertson, Billea-Nova Chin-Nyika.
 ABSENT: Whitney Bennett, Grace Green, Rata Horan, Emma Hutchinson, Meg Kilbride, Vale Roberts,
 Georgia Robertson, Milly Robinson, Emma Smith, Meg Thomas, Phoebe Wood.



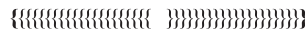
BASKETBALL JUNIOR BOYS MAC 1
 BACK: Sage Kellahan, Flynn Phillips, Jack Jeffs.
 FRONT: Otto Young, Bryce Voyce, Hunter Wilton, Ben Infantado.
 ABSENT: James Portugal.



BASKETBALL JUNIOR BOYS MAC 2
 BACK: Jackson Clark, Lochie Hunt, Connor Waghorn.
 FRONT: Kalan Nichol, Jaime Olley, Sam Caumette, Max Byrne.
 ABSENT: Baylee Campbell.



BASKETBALL SENIOR BOYS (YEAR 11)
 BACK: Luke Smith, Layton Osnabrugge, Benji Pujol, Bryce Voyce.
 FRONT: Sam Johnson, Harry Gilbertson, Bailey Sharp,
 Heath Parkhill.



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 3RD ROW: Nico Pettit, Sam Beale, Lucy Radford, Stella Dineen, Mhaya Pereira, Lucas Haig, Chantel Thurston, Kezik Magill, Kade Lawrie, Aria Winter, Sophia Menlove.
 2ND ROW: Phoebe Laker, Mabel North, Lilla Hay, Georgina Titterton, Hannah Gillespie, Rhian Telfer, Eden McKay, Caitlin O'Donnell, Violet Davidson, Celeste Rumore, Molly Brown.
 FRONT: Jake O'Connor, Heidi Kendrick, Max Bagley, Jack Sides, Alice Porter, Liam McLachlan, Quinn Barron, Harry Rowden, Felix Eastwood, Ramone Millar.
 ABSENT: Huxley Acland, Kerah Alexander, Jazz Allison, George Allwood, Don-Caro Austin-Moorhouse, Isaac Baker, Ben Bankshaw, Tom Bankshaw, Lucas Barron, Angus Beaton, Will Blyth, Max Bretherton, Rahana Brett, Lewis Briscall, Dylan Brown, Archie Bruce, Jalen Carleton, Isaiah Chin-Nyika, Ryan Clark, Ryan Coupe, Luka Cowan, Mila Culpitt, Tarn Currie, Catty Davidson, Fletcher Davison, Siena Dunlop, Liko Edwards, Connor Eley, Cory Enoka, Ryan Enoka, Tyler Gawn, Cody Gemmell, Vincent Gerrard, Fred Gordon, Evy Green, Lucas Haig, Amelia Hancock, Will Heath, Charlie Helmore, Max Henley, Ethan Highest, Kahlarni Hondelink, Louie Hose, Lia Hunter, Tama Huston-Jefferies, Angus Ives, Jimmy Knight, Nicko Knippers, Cormac Lee Smith, Oscar Leigh, Louie Macandrew, Sienna Marsden, Charlotte Mavor, Ella McGregor, Robert McRae, Toby Mills, Coast Morland, Myles Nichol, Zoe Nicholson, Bronny O'Sullivan, Murphy Paterson, Elizabeth Pell, Saxon Pepper, Magnus Pinfeld, Ethan Prince, Noah Purnell, Hugh Ragg, William Schurink, Jack Scott, Olivia Shore, Millie Slaven, Sam Soper, Gemma Spear, Lucas Stewart, Ollie Taylor, Sophia Tuck, Riley Upfold, Kymani Van Mourik, Zephyr Walker, Nova Whiston, Cameron Wilson, Douglas Wise, George Young.



SAILING

BACK: Otis Murphy, Felix Williamson, Sebastian Rhind, Dylan Rimmer.
 FRONT: Anataia White, Ned Hudson, Kahu Nepia, Erica Hudson, Hazel Murray.
 ABSENT: Tom Millis, Felix Williamson.



ROWING

BACK: Samara Goodall, Ella Kaler, Hayley Ambrose, Neve Faed, Ruby Boyd, Rata Horan.
 MIDDLE: Scarlett Fenton, Bella Sarginson, Ella Parker, Patrick Hartley, Eva Humphreys, Pipi Horan, Freya Berry.
 FRONT: Lyla Chamberlain, Anton Jones, Quinn Curtis, Owen Lea, Tao Hawkey-Hight, Emily Findlay.
 ABSENT: Jem Curtis, Aneka Rossiter, Harriet Norris.



CROSS COUNTRY SKIING

BACK: Violet Davidson, Holly James, Rhi David, Chloe Murray, Pip Crowley, Sylvie Frater, Caitlin O'Donnell, Hana Jones, Nova Gillam, Lucy Radford.
 3RD ROW: Jane Watson-Taylor (TIC), Daniel Wright, Tom Sides, Ella Briscall, Pipi Horan, Scarlett Norman, Harriet Norris, Ben McMurray, Baxter Pollard, Hana Dean, Chrissi Pettit (TIC).
 2ND ROW: Felix Williamson, Olivia Jones, Campbell Wright, Anton Jones, Angus Cagney, Temiko Esser von Enckevort, Izzie Elworthy, Max Dudson, Harry Hope.
 FRONT: Lucia Mochel, Lewis Briscall, Ellie Berry, Nina Lee Smith, Kahlarni Hondelink, Ryan Sullivan, Lulu Pettit, Oisín Corbett, Alice Pollard, Justin Lam.
 ABSENT: Ella Armitage, Cameron Armstrong, Kate Barrett, Kate Bennie, Elvis Boyd, Oliver Boyd, Ruby Boyd, Melia Brett, Lyla Chamberlain, Fletcher Davison, Siena Dunlop, William Edwards, Neve Faed, Emily Findlay, Mia Gerrard, Samara Goodall, Patrick Hartley, Charlie Helmore, Olivia Helmore, Huxley Herring, Belinda Hope, Arlo Mackay, Eden McKay, Jessie McNeil, Tasmin Murphy, Hazel Murray, Imogen Nisbet, Nico Pettit, Dom Plimmer, Lena Porter, Joe Rowley, Kazuma Saka, Sakiko Saka, Bella Sarginson, Jack Sides, Olive Sinclair, Theo Steele, Jacob Toomey, Riley Upfold, Jaime Wilkinson, Jack Wyeth, Oli Wyeth.



CRICKET 1ST XI

BACK: Hayden Watson, Ben Simmers, Ryan Schmack, Tom Roberts, Ben McNabb, Neil Stuart (TIC).
 FRONT: Marcus Hetherington, Joel Suddaby, Fergus Read, Rhys Hughes, William Edwards.
 ABSENT: Ethan Arratia, Jacob Curtis, Oscar Humphreys, Max Dudson.



CRICKET JUNIOR BOYS

BACK: Lucas Haig, Jack Scott, Orlando Arratia, Fred Gordon, Will Blyth.
 FRONT: Wiliam Noble-Kirkbride, George Holland, Charlie Roy, Kade Lawrie.



HOCKEY

BACK: Jack Willson, Jacob Curtis, Campbell Mortimer, Milly Robinson, Ana Gibson, Ruby Ives, Abbey Ragg, Thomas Gibson, Maggie Dougherty.
 FRONT: Matai Wells, Hudson Weathington, William Edwards, Georgia Lindsay, Brianna Curtis, Caity Curtis, Will Anderson, James Dougherty.



MTB

BACK: Jack Scott, Ty Muirhead, Kalani Muirhead, Max Bagley.
 FRONT: Timo Heath, Jake Orpwood, Joshua Allison, Thomas Benson.
 ABSENT: Nico Arnold, Taane Bayce-Horsley, Amy Benson, George Crotty, Henri Fenn, Luke Hancock, Jack Johnstone, Darcy Morrison, Archie Orbell, Emily Schmidt.



ADVENTURE RACING

BACK: Piper Cavanagh, Emily Heath, Sylvie Frater.
 FRONT: Archie North, Zavier Taylor, Tom Sides, Ben McMurray.
 ABSENT: Phoebe Wood.



CROSS COUNTRY

BACK: ROSE Armstrong, Hannah Prosser, Noah Vincenzi-Johnson, Daniel Wright, Jaime Wilkinson, Rhi David, Zavier Taylor, Olivia McLachlan, Oisín Corbett.
 MIDDLE: Xion Lippe, Tom Sides, Emma Palmer, Jessie Winter, Scarlett Norman, Pippa Raffills, Ben McMurray, Carter Guichard, Piper Cavanagh.
 FRONT: Hugo Sinclair, Olivia Jones, Benjamin Silipo, Campbell Wright, Laurie Watson, McKay Watson, Emilie Nicholson, Jack Findlay.
 ABSENT: Joshua Allison, Isaac Beale, Kate Bennie, Thomas Benson, Melia Brett, Lyla Chamberlain, George Crotty, Ben Davies, Henri Fenn, Emily Findlay, Samara Goodall, Muireann Green, Amelia Holmes, Lily Jarvis, Jonty Keenan, Suki Leigh, Annika Massey, Cooper Mills, Cruz Morland, Kalan Nichol, Ella Parker, Bella Sarginson, Finn Thomsson, Hunter Tuck, Lewis Turner, James Watson.



ATHLETICS

BACK: Estelle Gellatly, Niamh Townsend, Pippa Raffills, Millie East, Amaya East, Chantel Thurston.
FRONT: Abby Fisher, Ryan Young, Campbell Wright, Oliver Clements, Scarlett Norman, Georgie Bruce.
ABSENT: Georgia Prosser, Hannah Prosser, Leo Staufenberg, Hunter Tuck, Amelia Young.



ROAD CYCLING

BACK: Tom Sides, Xavier Taylor, Carter Guichard.
FRONT: McKay Watson, Campbell Wright, Laurie Watson, Hugo Sinclair.
ABSENT: Muireann Green.



VOLLEYBALL SENIOR GIRLS

BACK: Jamie Kerr, Piper Cavanagh, Lucy Miller, Eliza Hardaker.
FRONT: Amelia Holmes, Olivia Jones, Alexa McKay, Scarlett Norman.
ABSENT: Samara Goodall.



RDA

BACK: Fleur Maydon, Caleb Smith.
FRONT: Leightyn Hessian, Eamon Smith, Zac Scott, Ewan Little.
ABSENT: Emma Pearce, Jessica McKenna, Cruz Morland.



KAYAK TEAM

BACK: Joel Suddaby, James Suddaby.
FRONT: Corin Suddaby, Aden Cassaidy.



SKI & SNOWBOARD

BACK: Fin Melville Ives, Sylvia Trotter, Mathilda Watterson, Toby Brooks, Cam Melville Ives
FRONT: Morgan Antone, Ethan Carleton, Quinn Curtis, Benji Pujol, Thomas Benson.



EQUESTRIAN

BACK: Sophie Smith, Lucy Liddell, Heidi Kendrick, Sophie Fountain.
MIDDLE: Jessie Dye, Bella Edwards, Stella Dineen, Jasmine Edwards, Tilly Pryor.
FRONT: Aryn Henderson, Sophie Plimmer, Billie Willson, Romy Guichard, Monty Hewson.

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