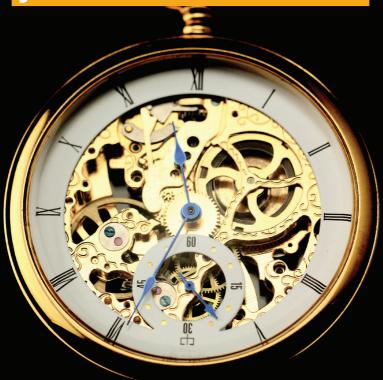
# The 107<sup>th</sup> Annual Graduation

Perhaps you were born for such a time as this



1st to 2nd November 2019

The Longburn Adventist College faculty and graduating class welcome you to Graduation 2019

Longburn Adventist College

# CLASS OF 2019

# **Graduation Committee**

President: Amelia Tyrrell

Vice President: Sophie Pigott

Secretary: Michaelyn Sike

Treasurer: Val Tautua

# **Year 13 Class**

Kent Belisario Tianah Lauesi

Lily Bull Josephine Ma'u

Nikkita Cheesman Hayley Matata

Tanner Ferreira Ryan Miro

Beaven Ganaii Sisi Panikoula

Evaysha Hala Ebony Parker-Murrell

Leiana Hiri Heather Rielly

Natalia Hutchinson Emilia Sessa

Rachel Jaboon Tuivulavula Unua

Lynberg Jacob Shayne Wright

Aksha John

Danito Kakaraya

# MESSAGE TO GRADUATING STUDENTS

It is a unique experience to watch a particular group of students grow and develop, both as individuals and as a cohort. Relationships have grown and changed over the years they have been together, sometimes with new people arriving and others leaving or simply going in different directions. Tonight, for one last time, they are a family of sorts, being there for each other

Through a combination of competition, personal growth, mutual reassurance and encouragement, they have helped each other progress towards being one of the highest achieving Year 13 cohorts that I can remember at LAC. I expect the NCEA Level 3 pass rates to be 93% retention rates and 54% of students to have gained a Merit or Excellence endorsement.

This has been achieved because students both wanted to succeed and succeed with their friends. The gifts of encouragement and family are powerful; they help us believe that not only is it possible, but that it will actually occur; rather than being alone, part of something much more.

Congratulations, and thank you to all of you for the lessons that you have taught us as a school. Not alone, hoping to survive, but growing together to be something impressive. I know you will continue to role-model respect, integrity and resilience after you leave LAC, and I know God will bless all of you as you head into your future. Remember that in one sense you are leaving, but that your legacy will always remain and you will always 'be' LAC.

"...For such a time as this" Esther 4:14 (NIV)

We will be asked the question, probably at the most inconvenient of times. Will we stand up for what is right? That will be our time.

Brendan van Oostveen Principal

# FRIDAY 1 NOVEMBER

# **Graduation Dinner**

5:30pm in the LAC House Cafeteria

Grace (Tamar Aiono)

Meal

Announcement re meetings (Brendan van Oostveen)

Socialising until Opening Programme

# **Opening Programme**

7:30pm in the LAC Chapel (*Please be seated by 7:20pm*)

### Karanga (Call)

Leiana Hiri & Jessica Hiri

## **Prayer & Thanks**

Sophie Pigott

Year 13 Appreciation

#### Instrumental

Josephine Ma'u

#### Interviews of Year 13 Students

Tamar Aiono

Video Clip of Highlights

# **Praise Songs**

Praise & Worship Team

## Group Item (Song)

Poly Choir

## **Keynote Address**

Roy Henry

# **Praise Song**

Praise & Worship Team

# Prayer

Emilia Sessa (Italian)

#### **Announcements**

Brendan van Oostveen

# SATURDAY 2 NOVEMBER

# **Church Service**

10:00am in the LAC Chapel

'Perhaps you were brought into this ... position for such a time as this' Esther 4:14

Welcome/Prayer

Kevin Gredig

**Service Interviews** 

Kevin Gredig

**LAC Interviews** 

Brendan van Oostveen

**Praise Songs** 

Praise & Worship Team

Prayer

Year 13 Students

**LAC House Interviews** 

Maria Henry

Offering

Maria Henry

**Testimony** 

Tuivulavula Unua

**Appreciation Time** 

Val Tautua & Natalia Hutchinson

Testimony

Beaven Ganaii

**Congregational Song** 

**Testimony** 

Kent Belisario

Testimony

Evaysha Hala

Item

LAC House Choir

Prayer

Roy Henry

**Announcements** 

Brendan van Oostveen

# SATURDAY 2 NOVEMBER

# **Speech Night And Prizegiving**

7:30 pm in the LAC Chapel (Please be seated by 7:15pm)

"That person is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither whatever they do prospers."

Psalms 1:3

#### **Processional**

Staff/Year 13 Students

#### **National Anthem**

Tianah Lauesi

#### Welcome

Brendan van Oostveen

## **Scripture Reading**

Lynberg Jacob

#### **Prayer**

Hayley Matata

#### **Address**

Kevin Gredig

#### Vocal Item

Tianah Lauesi, Beaven Ganaii & Val Tautua

# **BOT Chairperson's Address**

Graeme Drinkall

## Principal's Address

Brendan van Oostveen

# **Parent Appreciation**

Marvellous Jaboon & Ian Pigott

#### 'Hari' Presentation

Juliana Paul

#### 2020 Student Leaders

Rosalind Burnett

#### Vocal Item

Heather Rielly

#### Year 13 Academic Awards

Tamar Aiono

## Principal's Awards

Brendan van Oostveen

## **Class President Speech**

Amelia Tyrrell

# **Presentation of Class Song**

Year 13 Class

#### Year 13 Memories

Leiana Hiri

#### Prayer/Announcements

Tamar Aiono

#### Recessional

Class of 2019

# NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM

E Ihowā Atua O ngā iwi matou rā Āta whakarongona Me aroha noa Kia hua ko te pai Kia tau tō atawhai Manaakitia mai Aotearoa

God of Nations, at Thy feet In the bonds of love we meet, Hear our voices, we entreat, God defend our free land. Guard Pacific's triple star, From the shafts of strife and war, Make her praises heard afar, God defend New Zealand

"Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."

[Peremiah 29:12-13]





