

The 107th 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

In Christ, we educate, encourage and empower

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

Praise Service with LAC House at 3:00pm in the LAC Chapel

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."*

Jeremiah 29:12-13



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