

THE 108TH ANNUAL GRADUATION



*"There are far, far better
things ahead than any we
leave behind"*

C.S. Lewis

6th & 7th November 2020

The Longburn Adventist College faculty and
graduating class welcome you to Graduation 2020

Longburn Adventist[®] College

CLASS OF 2020

Graduation Committee

President: Chrysolite Gali
Vice President: Sofia Sessa
Secretary: Zoe Mancer
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Year 13 Class

Kilbeck Aiyok	Emmanuel Madembo
Leonardo Cariga	Elizabeth Martin
Bethany Carter	Ashah Meehan
Shelley Cheesman	Sandra Namani
Lytic Clarke	Shaye Niall
Christine Coralde	Titus O'Donnell
Piper Fuller	Macy Paki
Sachi Hermoso	Daphnne Piiti
Hannah Jourdain	Esther Rayner
Apia Kaukare Yawha	Eva Ruiz
Darren Kerowa	Rowmesha Sekona
Elise Lankshear	Charlotte Shilton-Hart
Brianna Larsen	Rebekah Taunton
Karen Liu	Tywana Wong

MESSAGE TO GRADUATING STUDENTS

Congratulations to the Year 13 Graduation class of 2020.

Graduation is where we celebrate the personal growth, achievement and contributions to LAC, both as individuals and as a cohort. In times of adversity, we revert to our core principles of faith, family and friends. As Year 13s, you have responded together in true LAC family style.

Longburn Adventist College has helped to prepare the foundation for you to go out and positively contribute to your communities. The challenges of 2020 will have shaped you, and how you approach your future. In the words of C.S. Lewis, ***“There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind”***.

The refiner’s fire mentioned in the Bible calls us to acknowledge the value of facing and overcoming challenges, slowly purifying us in the process. In a similar way, 2020 has invited you to reflect and adapt to the lessons learned, and use these as stepping stones to build a future filled with hope and the fulfilment of aspirational dreams.

The Bible tells us in 1 Corinthians 2:9 (NIV) that we cannot even imagine what God has in store for those who love Him. This is not just the hope we have for our immediate future but for eternity.

We wish you God’s richest blessings as you move into the next chapter of your life. Remember that your legacy will always remain and you will always ‘be’ LAC.

*“He aha te mea nui o te ao?
He tāngata, he tāngata, he tāngata.”*

*What is the most important thing in the world?
It is people, it is people, it is people.*

In Christ, we educate, encourage and empower

FRIDAY 6 NOVEMBER

Graduation Dinner

5:30pm in the College Cafeteria

Grace (Tamar Aiono)

Meal

Announcement re meetings (Brendan van Oostveen)

Socialising until Opening Programme

Opening Programme

7:30pm in the College Chapel

(Please be seated by 7:20pm)

Waiata

Jessica Hiri

Welcome & Prayer

Macy Paki

Interviews of Year 13 Students

Shelley Cheesman, Shaye Niall,
Esther Rayner, Christine Coralde,
& Titus O' Donnell

Video Feature

Eva Ruiz

Praise Songs

Praise & Worship Team

Group Item (Song)

Apia Kaukare Yawha,
Lyric Clarke & Piper Fuller

Keynote Address

Kofi O Amoah

Praise Song

Praise & Worship Team

Prayer

Sachi Hermoso

Announcements

Rosalind Burnett

SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER

Church Service

10:00am in the College Chapel

*'And whatever you do, do it heartily,
as to the Lord and not to men,'*

Colossians 3:23 NKJV

Welcome/Prayer

Brendan van Oostveen

Service Interviews

Kofi O Amoah

Interviews with selected people

Brendan van Oostveen

Praise Songs

Praise & Worship Team

Prayer

Sachi Hermoso
& Ashah Meehan

LAC House Interviews

Maria Henry

Offering

Jefferson Souza

Testimony

Emmanuel Madembo

Appreciation Time

Tywana Wong
& Apia Kaukare Yawha

Testimony

Sandra Namani

Choreography

Elizabeth Martin

Testimony

Elise Lankshear

Testimony

Leonardo Cariga

Song

LAC House Item

Prayer & Announcements

Brendan van Oostveen

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

SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER

Speech Night And Prizegiving

7:30 pm in the College 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

Eva Ruiz

Welcome

Brendan van Oostveen

Scripture Reading

Daphne Piiti

Prayer

Sofia Sessa

Address

Rosalie McFarlane

*General Secretary of the North New Zealand
Conference for the Seventh-day Adventist Church*

Principal's Address

Brendan van Oostveen

Parent Appreciation

Billy Meehan & Marcy Coralde

'Hari' Presentation

Juliana Paul

2021 Student Leaders

Rosalind Burnett

Congregation Song

Praise & Worship Team

Year 13 Academic Awards

Nigel Wright

Principal's Awards

Brendan van Oostveen

Class President Speech

Chrysolite Gali

Presentation of Class Song

Year 13 Class

Year 13 Special Item

Year 13 Memories

Tywana Wong

Prayer & Announcements

Tamar Aiono

Recessional

Class of 2020

Light refreshments will be served in the College Cafeteria

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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