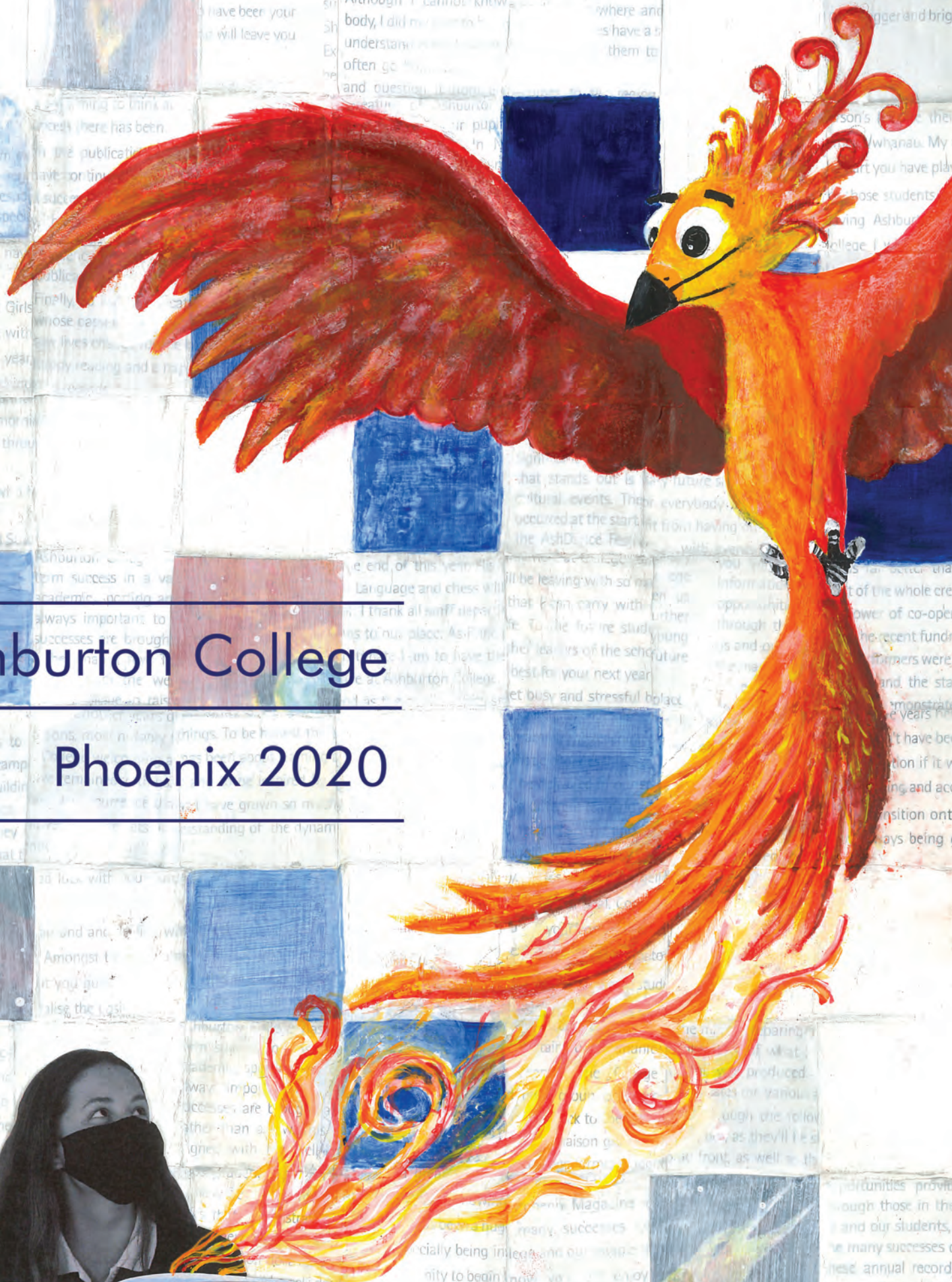


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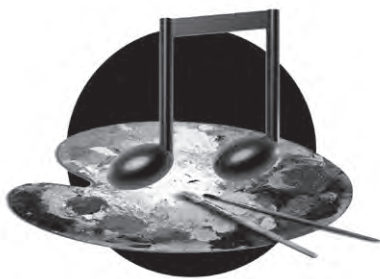
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Another year and what a year it has been!!

You would think with a pandemic and many school activities cancelled life has been quiet at AshColl, but this publication will show plenty of opportunities our students have taken. A big shout out to everyone who made the articles possible, helping with school and sporting events – we have been so lucky that we have been able to do so much in this strange world. The 'bubble' of AshColl adapted to the changes thrown at New Zealand and embraced every opportunity that came our way.

A very special thank you to Marlese Schoonderbeek who designed the cover for this edition. Marlese was very clear on her vision right from the start and wanted to capture the 'year that was' and was fantastic to work with. Well done, and thank you also to Head of Faculty for Art, Millie Brown, who supported Marlese with this work.

There are many individuals without whom the Magazine would not be possible. A huge thank you must go to Sheena Tyrrell who has provided me with reports, photos and, most importantly, guidance. Her door has been open to my many questions and the opportunity to discuss my thoughts. Also, to Anne Sheehan and Jenny Crouchley for their guidance and proof-reading.

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Best of luck to all those students who are moving on to bigger and brighter things. Enjoy your next venture, and to the staff for whom 2020 was their final year – thank you for everything you brought to Ashburton College.

Kind Regards

Tania Rule

Editor

Student Executive vs Staff Volleyball game

As the Student Executive held the trophy last year they considered they were in the box seat and challenged the staff to this year's fixture. However, tides can change and this year resulted in a convincing win to the staff, 45-32.





HEAD GIRL

HEAD GIRL REPORT

All I can say is, 2020 what a year! At the end of last year when accepting this role, if I was told I would have completed the majority of my year as Head Girl online I would have laughed. But yet, here I am writing my final statement after spending the bulk of my senior year in a global pandemic. I

feel extremely privileged to have been given the opportunity to be your Head Girl this year and will forever be in debt for all the opportunities and experiences that have arisen while I have been in this position. My time at Ashburton College has truly grown me into the person I am today with all the knowledge gained, memories made and friendships that were formed. In saying this, all good things must come to an end, so I now must carry on my journey called life along with any twist or turns, ups or downs, bumps or curbs (if you know my driving) that may come with it.

After the crazy year I have had, a few thank yous are well overdue. Firstly, to the Student Exec. The work you put in not only during lockdown but over the whole year was incredible. Your commitment, work ethic and drive of each and every one of you is admirable. I know you all have bright futures ahead of you and wish you all the best for many years to come. Secondly, to Mrs Bruce. Although we may have been your 'Guinea Pigs' this year, you took the opportunity of your new role and made it your own. Your guidance, cool nature and leadership made the year extremely enjoyable and smooth sailing. To SLT, Mrs Tyrrell and the Office Staff, thank you for always keeping me on my toes, I couldn't have done this year without you. To my family and friends, thank you for your continued love and support over the year. Thank you to mum and dad for always going the extra mile for me and to my friends for putting up with my busy lifestyle. Last but definitely not least, to Henry, Kyle and Maria. Thank you. Thank you one million times over. Thank you for the memories, the laughs, the Zoom calls, the late night group messages, the Robert Harris dates, the cries (mainly just me), the Google Docs and lastly thank you for being the most amazing three people in my life this year. I wish you all the best of luck for your future plans and hope that our paths cross again in the future. We have developed a great friendship over the last year and I wouldn't have wanted to attack this stressful year with anyone else.

My time here at AshColl has been nothing but amazing. I wish you all the best of luck for your futures.

Wolf Pack Out,

Poppy Kilworth



DEPUTY HEAD GIRL REPORT



2020, what an absolutely insane year you were! What a privilege it has been to be your Deputy Head Girl this year. It has been a role that has brought me amazing experiences and growth and I would not have traded it for the world! It feels quite bittersweet to be writing my final words before leaving the safety and comfort of Ashburton College, but as they say, all good things must come to an end. As this chapter of my life closes, it has made me

realise that the past 5 years have been an absolute blessing from start to finish. And it's all thanks to the people. To all of the staff and students I have had the privilege of talking to, I will never forget all of the knowledge you have bestowed upon me over the years, all the laughter shared in classrooms and for inspiring me to be the person I am today.

I would first like to extend my gratitude to the wonderful Student Executive aka "Bruce's Babies". Without you all we would not have accomplished all of our amazing work this year, I loved your Mahi throughout it all. To my wonderful close friends, you know who you are, you are all absolute blessings. Thank you for being there for me 24/7 and for putting up with my schedule and my daily nonsense throughout the year. To mama and papa, thank you for being the most supportive and caring parents out there, I apologise for not being home most weekends and missing more dinners than I should have, but I am beyond grateful that you have my back with whatever I throw myself into, always, and for inspiring me to achieve every single one of my goals, I could never thank you both enough. And finally, to Poppy, Kyle and Henry aka "Meme Club" words could not express how thankful I am to have had such a dream team. I could not have asked for a more dedicated, supportive and committed team to tackle the chaotic year of 2020 with. I am so proud of everything we have accomplished as a team; I'm going to miss our banter, coffee dates and immaculate docs. I wish you three the best next year, I know you will all do amazing things.

As we look forward into 2021, acknowledge the failures, accomplishments, joy, sadness, mistakes and great moments of 2020, every waking moment was an opportunity to learn and grow. It's been an honour, thank you Ashburton College!

Maria Costas



HEAD BOY

HEAD BOY REPORT

2020 has been a bumpy ride, for all of us. Without a doubt 2020 was one of the most challenging years to date, for seniors, juniors, teachers, parents. For everyone. I remember all too clearly the long slow days, isolated from friends and family, working on the same projects and assignments every day and yet feeling stagnant in life. Whether or not we fully grasp how, 2020 was a year full of learning, although not in the originally expected way, learning, nonetheless. 2020 has taught us the importance of human connection, how the people around us are crucial in every aspect of our lives. I look back and see the personal growth and learning that grew as a result of overcoming the adversities in everyone at Ashburton College

However, I for one certainly couldn't have made it through 2020 alone, thus, I'd like to thank the people that helped and supported me as a Head Boy throughout this crazy year. Poppy, Maria, Kyle. I couldn't have wished for a better set of Head students to have worked alongside - the diligence, work ethic, and banter with these three Head students is something to be commemorated. The only way to truly sum up our relationship is in our 3-hour long calls during the quarantine. Thank you, Ms Bruce, for your firm hand, knowledge, support, and guidance throughout this crazy year, you were always one to be counted on and I thank you for everything you've done towards the Student Exec and the school itself this year. The Student Exec, you all should be proud of what you've managed to accomplish in this challenging year, I've thoroughly enjoyed working alongside all of you and I thank you for the support.

I'd also like to thank the Senior Leadership for their support and guidance throughout the year with all the Student Exec initiatives. I'd also like to give a special thank you to Steve from ACL, ACL itself, The Flag Shop New Zealand, Ashburton Engravers and Etching, and the caretakers. Without their support, this year's legacy project wouldn't have been possible. I commend every single teacher - I can only imagine teaching a screen of blacked-out muted students. I also admire the dedication to ensure every student was given the individual support and encouragement to excel in the subject regardless of the adversities. I also commend every student, senior and junior - 2020 was difficult at times and the majority of students rose to the challenge and gave it their best.

Henry Chapman

DEPUTY HEAD BOY REPORT



It's finally finished, 2020 has come to an end and what a roller coaster of a year it's been. I feel so extremely lucky to have received the role as Deputy Head Boy for 2020 and with it all of the opportunities and experiences it has brought me. I'm so glad I was able to round out my last year at AshColl in such a positive way and really make the most of my time here. But as per usual time marches forever onwards and it's time to turn over the page and delve into the next chapter of life in the wider world, though I take comfort in

knowing that I will be able to take all of the knowledge and experience I've gained during my time at Ashburton College with me. I know that I will forever cherish the memories I've made during my time in and out of the classroom, all of the good times and laughs I've shared with fellow students and teachers as this is what has helped shape who I've become over the past 5 years.

Firstly, I need to thank the Student Exec. You guys were amazing and I couldn't have asked for a better team. Without your hard work, we never would've accomplished any of the things we did this year and I'm so glad we made the most out of a turbulent year filled with challenges. I would also like to thank Mrs Bruce, as without her we would've been very lost. She was always there whenever we needed guidance and knew when to let us loose with our ideas and when to tell us no. To my friends, thank you for always being around for a laugh and being there to support me when I needed it. To my parents thank you for always being there for me, pushing me on and helping me to believe in myself. Lastly thank you to Poppy, Henry and Maria - I couldn't imagine a better team to take on 2020 with. It brought forward so many challenges and I like to think we dealt with them quite well. I'm going to miss spending numerous hours drinking coffee, making Google Docs and talking nonsense. Most of all I'm going to miss spending time with what has become three of my closest friends and wish you all the best of luck going into 2021 and beyond.

To all the leadership team next year I look forward to seeing what you achieve and decide to do with your year. It's been an honour, cheers Ashburton College.

Kyle Cabangun

RED HOUSE

Joseph Collins / Hayley Tallentire



Back Row (L to R): Brooke Miller, Hannah O'Reilly, Olivia Lill, Hayley Tallentire, Mrs Lassen.

Front Row: Brendan Fleming, Arnold Pantoja, Caleb Ward, Joseph Collins, Christian Juntilla.

It's that time of the year again, Year 13s are leaving the pod towards a new step in life. Some are taking a gap year to earn some money and others are straight to another 4-5 full years of being broke. 2020 has been a challenging year but together as a team we managed to get through it. I cannot thank each and every one of you enough for making this year possible, and 300 words isn't enough to express how grateful I am to be your House Captain. For me, being a House Captain for the mighty red, has motivated me to go beyond my limits, expressing myself as a leader and create memories that can never be forgotten.

In the beginning of the year, prelims left us in 3rd place, in swimming sports we ended up taking last, although we never gave up hope in each other. We started putting in the work behind the scene and climbing the leaderboard to where we are today. This has been the highlight of the year. I would like to give a massive thank you to the Red House Family for your outstanding work, despite losing a member of the team. @Hayley.Tallentire took a massive step from being an Exec member to be a Captain and we thank you for that.

@christian_juntilla & @Calebwarddd_ you two have the magic to lighten up a day and most of all, we can never forget how you made fun of the girls for bossing you around. @brookiemiller @Oreilly_hannah11203 @_olivialill @brendanfleming9 and @noldie_ballin you never failed to put on a show on the sideline, as our cheerleaders as well as supporting the students during events.

On behalf of the Red House Executive, we would like to thank our amazing Head of House Mrs Lassen. You have taught us great things this year. We couldn't have done it without you. Your passion to do great things has encouraged us to aim higher. Your constant support showed us the right way to run through the year by being humble and having faith in ourselves and we couldn't be more grateful.

Dear fellow Year 13 students, may you board your boat to your destination safe and sound.

Malo aupito, kia Ora, Ma ia manuia.

Joseph Collins & Hayley Tallentire

BLUE HOUSE

Harriet Leverton / Liam Sullivan



Back Row (L to R): Emma Rollinson, Milli Sullivan, Harriet Leverton, Coty Cuadrado, Miss Monk

Front Row: Malachi Drye, Thomas Patterson, Bailey Gray, Oliver Davidson, Liam Sullivan, Ethan Walsh.

To be fair Blue House didn't have much of a choice when it came to house captains since we were the only ones who put our names down. We were thrilled to be given this opportunity. We wanted to make this year fun, but we also desperately wanted to take home the trophy. We needed to bring together a group of remarkable people & see if they could become something more. See if they could work together when we needed them to. To fight the battles, we never could as a duo. Which meant we had to organise a group of elite students fit for the task & boy did we get some good eggs. Together we tackled prelims, finals day, swimming sports, lunchtime sports & our House lip sync piece plus many more behind the scenes tasks. A big thanks to the Blue House students as none of this would've been possible without you all. You've turned up to every House event & got some great results & for that we are incredibly grateful.

We of course need a huge round of applause for our team of elites. Oliver, while your time was cut short, your wit & cheesy comments never failed to make us laugh. Ethan, you beautiful bearded lady you! Thank you for providing the dad jokes & taking on the challenge. Bailey, you're an absolute charmer & meetings would not have been the same without embarrassing you. Emma, Mum of the group. From the baking, to being Blue House's no.1 supporter. We love your kind heart. Thomas, the second alpha in the group ;). Most sayings go straight over your head but we love you for that. Malachi, you never fail to put a smile on our faces even though we question sometimes you're actually with us. Milli, debatably everyone's favourite Sullivan. You have the ability to make everyone feel happy when they are around you & that's pretty special. Coty, our no longer quiet Year 12. You have really come out of your shell this year & we are so lucky to have had such a positive person in our Exec. We can't wait to see our Year 12 reps thrive next year in whatever leadership position they take on. Last but not least, Miss Monk. We think it's fair to say that without you we'd be in trouble! You make everything fun & exciting, even with the terrible jokes. We admire your commitment to Blue House & the Exec. We will forever be grateful that you were our House Leader.

Over and out,

Harriet and Liam xx

GREEN HOUSE

Sapphire Kururangi / Isaac Bazley



Back Row (L to R): Mac Burdett, Grace Quinn, Chloe Johnson, Michael Nguyen, George Rosevear. **Back Row:** Mr List.
Front Row: Brie Rudolph, Klara Harrison, Isaac Bazley, Sapphire Kururangi, Roan Redpath (Left School).

Wow - what a year!! We are all about to take our next steps in life whether that is furthering our education at Uni or stepping into the work field. Leading the mighty Green House has been an absolute pleasure this year and we can't believe that you have only given us 400 words to summarise a whole year worth of jolly good fun.

Where do we start... Leadership Camp! Our palms were sweaty, knees weak and arms were heavy as we had to start in front of the smallest crowd ever and explain about how good a House Captain we would be. We were both so excited yet very shocked that we were nominated to the role. Listy congratulated us and told the two of us off for reading our speeches off of our phones. "Good leaders should memorise their speeches". We both mumbled under our breath and looked at each other like great we are stuck with this crazy man for a year. As the year progressed we came to realise that there is more to Mr List than just a grumpy wee short man. He loves his flat whites; can't seem to find his watch and he always has a comeback for you waiting at the tip of his tongue. Kicking off with Prelims we managed to lead the other Houses and push our way to the top of the leaderboard. From then on we managed to go a little downhill. But that didn't stop us from trying our best, putting in the Mahi and having fun.

As an Exec, we found the joy in all the House comps forgetting what place we were coming. We would love to thank the G House boys @macburdett_ @g.rose123 @sack_javage and @michaelnguuyen for keeping the fun spirit alive and somehow putting up with the slightly bossy yet competitive G House girls @_grace.quinn @klaraharrison_ @brie.rudolph and @2chloejohnson2. Together we have done an outstanding job from day one to where we are now. On behalf of the G House Executive, we would like to say a massive thank you to our Head of the House, Mr List. We seriously couldn't have done it without you! We love how passionate and enthusiastic you are towards supporting us and for that, we are very grateful.

That is your two Green House captains @isaaczazley_ and @sapphire_kururangi over and out. All the best for 2021! #BLEEDGREEN

ORANGE HOUSE

Riley Vessey / Jane Cribb



Back Row (L to R): James Brady, Sam Brown.
Middle Row (L to R): Anna Bennett, Sophie Adams, Zac Woolf
Front Row: Hope Collins, Riley Vessey, Jane Cribb, Aidan Bennett, Mr Lee.

This year has flown by, it doesn't seem that long ago when we were put into this position but it has been filled with great competition, sportsmanship and edge-of-our-seat House sports. We had a goal this year to keep the great sportsmanship of O House and the team spirit which we kicked off to a strong start with prelims. Prelims was a great success and lots of fun as well as some great food.

This year House Sports is a personal highlight, without fail we had a team every time, no matter the sport. It was great to have so many skilled people willing to participate and get us some points, we were very proud of the Orange House as a whole and seeing everyone really get into it and give every House event a go even though we had to adapt to doing things differently due to covid. Volleyball as our last event was an especially exciting couple of games, with point differences in the score.

As co-captains we would like to thank a few people who we couldn't have kept sane this year without, so first a huge thank you to all the people who participated in our House lip sync piece, you all were amazing and showed up to all the early morning practices. Next, another big thank you to all the Orange House Exec, you guys were there every step of the way through this year. We would also like to give a huge thank you to Mr Lee, you have put so much work and effort into this House and although we may be 1st at the wrong end, you have kept us motivated and given us the will to keep going. We most certainly could not have done this without you.

Finally, we would like to thank the Orange House for your participation and House spirit, without you guys there would not be an Orange House. We may not have won this year but we kept the House spirit and sportsmanship alive and even put up some good competition, so to sign off, best of luck to all of you and to the new House captains and their Exec's and go Orange!

Riley and Jane :)

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Ross Preece



2020: has been a year of unique challenges for all of us.

On February 1st if you had asked me the following questions I would have probably responded like so. What is a zoom? "It's the noise my car makes when I hit the accelerator". What is a second wave? "It's something I hope to catch on my surfboard." Will your teaching staff spend five weeks delivering online lessons from home because every school in the country will be shut and even you, as Principal won't be allowed to attend school? "Yeah Right".

Charles Dickens was famous for many great lines. He could have been referring to 2020 and Covid when he penned "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times, it was the age of wisdom, it was the age of foolishness.

However, as we all now know, the Covid Pandemic has forced change on every nation, every community, every family and on every person. The fallout from this Pandemic will be ongoing and we can count ourselves to be very fortunate to be living in NZ and also to be living in our region.

As a NZer I felt incredibly blessed to be living in this country. The fact that we could seal our borders off and we did this early enough to keep us safe from harm was reassuring for us all. Our Government seemed to appreciate that our collective health and wellbeing was more important than profits. I am sure that we were not the only whanau who enjoyed and were reassured by the one o'clock briefing with "Aunty Cindy and Uncle Ashley". This was in stark contrast to the foolish leadership on offer in the USA or the UK. Most of us acknowledge that we felt "lucky to be here rather than over there". In Mid Canterbury our rural economy continued throughout Level 3 and 4 with our farms, freezing works and the majority of businesses having managed to survive in our town. Whilst many companies were under pressure our town

was certainly better placed than the likes of Te Anau whose economy was 85% dependent on overseas tourism.

As I reflect on this year, I felt incredibly fortunate to be Principal of Ashburton College, and there are three groups that I want to acknowledge for their efforts during these unique times.

The first of these was my staff. Many of my teaching staff had already placed their course outlines and assessments online. We had only three days' notice to have online learning established for all our pupils before the Level 4 lockdown was mandated. My teachers did a brilliant job of making work available and also supporting our learners. Both teachers and learners were facing a huge range of home circumstances which presented all of us with a unique set of challenges. Our office staff did a brilliant job of assembling hard copy packs of learning resources and distributing these with volunteer drivers. There were three delivery runs during Level 3 with resources delivered to hundreds of houses. My thanks to my staff for displaying "collective wisdom".

The second group was our Student Executive. They used a variety of social media to stay in contact with and to support our student body. We didn't ask them to do this, but rather our student leaders recognised a need and stepped up to support their peers. This support via various social media took on all sorts of forms, many of which would have not even been considered by those of us who are not digital natives. So thank you to our Student Exec for their "collective wisdom"

The third group that displayed "collective wisdom" were our parents. Under Level 3 we were required to offer bubbles of twenty, to students in Years 9 and 10. If every pupil in these years had turned up we could have had 550 pupils. Plus, of course, we had a number of staff who wouldn't be available for face to face teaching. So potentially it would be an insurmountable challenge. Fortunately our parents demonstrated "collective wisdom" and only a handful of pupils attended.

At Ashburton College our Board of Trustees and Senior Leadership team have updated our Charter and Strategic plans. At the heart of these, there are two key concepts that underpin all these documents. We are preparing today's students for a world that is changing rapidly. This year most of us were forced to work from home, make contact with others via email or other digital platforms and forced to collaborate with others about the time that suited all of us

to get the mahi completed. Many of us also made choices about when in the day it suited us to get the work done. Such a vastly changed work environment will be the new reality for many of our Year 13 graduates as they enter employment. The second driver is that we want our students to be the best people they can be. This, of course, is not restricted to academic achievement but rather we want to produce global citizens who can thrive in an increasingly diverse world. The positive values of the Ash Coll Way will enable our graduates to work as global citizens who are accepting of difference and can make a positive contribution to our collective future. My thanks to our Board of Trustees and to my Senior Leadership team for ensuring that our focus is on the future needs of our students.

Finally we look forward to our future with the recent completion of our master plan by the architects. This will see the majority of our College getting a total rebuild and at this stage the work is still on track to be completed by December 2025. We aim to share these plans with our wider community once they are finalised.

My thanks to everyone who displayed wisdom during the challenges of 2020. Kia Kaha.

Ross Preece - Principal

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPORT

The Ashburton College Board of Trustees is made up of six Parent Elected members, an elected Staff and Student Representative, the Principal and, currently, one co-opted member from our community.

2020 has been a year for fast, urgent change in the way we operate. Fortunately we went paperless at the start of the year, relying on online presentation of Board Meeting information. This ensured we were able to transition into online socially-distanced Board Meetings. Therefore the Ashburton College Board of Trustees continued to operate during COVID Level 4, utilising online video meetings. We were kept well-informed of the many staff who supported and led the challenges around engagement, and teaching and learning during the COVID-19 lockdown period and reintegration through the levels.

For our students' futures - the rate of change,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPORT *Jeremy Savage*



Back row, left to right: Nina Bradford (Parent Representative), Ross Preece (Principal), Jen Muir (Parent Representative), Tony Gilbert (Deputy Chairperson, Parent Representative), Ana Fakataha (Parent Representative), Michael Clark (Staff Representative).
 Front row, left to right: Jane Kelly (Parent Representative), Jeremy Savage (Chairperson, Parent Representative), Gemma Taylor (Student Representative, from November 2020). Inset: Mark Aquila (Parent Representative), Willow Diedricks (Student Representative from November 2019 to October 2020)

adoption of technology, and creation of new careers is astounding. It is both exciting and uncertain times. A challenge for the Board and College leadership is what does the future look like, and how do we best prepare our students? In Ashburton, a successful rural town with low unemployment, it would be easy for us to become insular in preparing our students for success. We could define success as getting a good job and contributing well to our community. However, we also need to think outside Mid Canterbury. What are the opportunities in a global world – post COVID-19? Ashburton College works hard to ensure that

students can seize these opportunities, by providing a broad curriculum, offering students opportunities to learn and grow, and developing leadership skills. We also appreciate and value great support, coaching and mentoring from our community, especially in the sports and arts. Moving into 2021, Ashburton College has a unique opportunity to deliver education to the next generations of students in a purpose-built school that meets the needs of the digital age, while being engaged with what Mid Canterbury has to offer in terms of food production and processing, tourism and supporting industries. In early 2021 we will have the rebuild Master

Plan completed. To date we have had positive engagement with the Ministry of Education and Baldasso Cortese Noordanus Architects. The needs of our school are being listened to. We are confident we are going to have a great school that meets future needs.

Nga mihi nui,
 Jeremy Savage

STUDENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPRESENTATIVE

Willow Diedricks



It is fairly unusual to be able to say that you have lived through a global pandemic. 2020 was an epic year to say the least. It affected many of us in unexpected ways, financially, emotionally, and socially. While in New Zealand we have been fortunate, many of our international connections could not say the same. It is for this reason that I felt privileged to be on the Board this year. During a stressful time I was able to help and be part of a group of individuals who dedicated their time to ensure

the well-being of the AshColl community. To Mrs Tyrrell and the rest of the Board, thank you for making me feel so welcome. Being the youngest in the room is quite daunting, however everybody made me feel so comfortable. I felt like a part of the team. My opinion was encouraged and welcomed. Speaking with the Principal and Board representatives about the future of the College was an especially exciting part of the job. I would also like to thank the Student Executive. This year was not easy and I can only hope 2021 comes a little easier for the next Exec. However, if I had to do it again I would never want to do it with another group of people. Thank you to Poppy, Henry, Maria,

and Kyle for running the Exec so smoothly. Your leadership and hard work did not go unnoticed. This year I learned about all the background work that makes our school run so smoothly. The skills I learned preparing board reports and listening to the discussion in meetings will be valuable for my future endeavours. I encourage future students to put their hand up and apply for this position. It may seem daunting being the student sitting in a room of adults, however all you need is a willingness to help the community, listen, and contribute. This opportunity was a valuable experience and I can now look back at my final year at Ashburton College fondly.

NEWLY ELECTED STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE



Board of Trustees Newly Elected Student Representative

Additional to previously advised student leadership roles, students are also nominated for the position of Student Representative to the Board of Trustees. The process to this follows national legislative procedures.

Following video link nominee speeches, College students voted electronically, at the same time as

for the Head Students, on Wednesday and Thursday 04 and 05 November, for this one-year position. The new representative commenced at the Board's November meeting.

This year three students were nominees for the role, which is a very pleasing level of interest shown in what is a responsible position.

The successful candidate this year is - Gemma Taylor (pictured above)

Previous Board Student Representative was Willow Diedricks and appreciation is given to Willow who served from November 2019–October 2020. Willow brought a valued perspective to the Board table, showing maturity and thoughtfulness during Board discussions, and through her written reports and various points raised. Additionally Willow offered quality verbal contributions, articulately putting forward intelligent, considered and wide-viewed inputs which the Board has respected and valued.

Willow is thanked for her time given to what is a reasonably time-demanding position, and wished well for her post-secondary school years.

Ashburton College Supporters' Function

Held at College on Tuesday 24 November this annual event again highlighted the level of community voluntary support accorded our school, enabling a significant range of opportunities for our students.

Newly elected Student Representative to the Board Gemma Taylor spoke on behalf of the student body noting, amongst other points, that even with 2020 being a year full of challenges, 285 invitations still went out. That being 285 individuals and businesses who made a commitment to the students of Ashburton College this year.

Gemma continued, saying that support came from hugely wide-ranging areas, some of which were sports coaching and managing; Gateway and Trades Academy Work Experience employers; shared morning tea businesses; judging; umpiring and refereeing; technical crew support; funding programmes; scholarships and many others. Also acknowledged was the Ashburton College Alumni who have been very supportive of our College, with funding for various programmes, and scholarships. Thanks also were those who supported the Year 13 Executive Committee flagpole legacy project.

Emphasised was the appreciation that whenever a student succeeds; family, community and opportunities have supported their achievements.

Concluding her speech on behalf of the Board of Trustees, College management, students and staff, Gemma thanked everyone for all they have done for our College this year, saying that the commitment to the students of Ashburton College is greatly appreciated, with students extremely grateful for the doors this support has opened.

In summary, Gemma said that 'this function as a thank you is the least we can do to show our appreciation to all of you.'

STAFF NOTES

This year could be described as a 'short year' but it felt like a long one. In a faraway town in China, Wuhan it was announced by the World Health Organisation in January 2020 'a cluster of cases of pneumonia' - how this announcement shaped our year.

We began our school year welcoming twenty-one new staff over many parts of our school. The Mathematics Department gained Lisa Walker, Chelsea Stockdill and Victor Ji. Chelsea taught me a faster way of receiving first year qualifications and explained it so this old girl could understand! Kath Watkins and 'redhead' Emma Neal joined the Art Department, with Julia Bell teaching Dance and Drama. Rachel Hood (nee Donaldson) returned to AshColl as a PE/Health teacher and was joined by Belle Simpson in the PE Department. Karen Ell joined the Transition team as our Careers Co-ordinator and Renae List became the duo with Juliet as a Learning Support Co-ordinator. Social Sciences were graced with two new male teachers, Patrick Sandrey and Sam Wakelin. Sam's beard is an achievement and definitely rules him out of any 'Movember' competitions. Andrew Young and Karo Bedford bolstered the Science Department along with Daniel Tew joining the Technology Department as an Automotive teacher. Georgia Keenan joined the English Department with enthusiasm, along with Livvy Sheehan. Abbey Bruce hit her first day running as Head of Senior School and as part of the Science team and Kelven Hastie has

brought his flair to the Canteen as Manager. We had a new member in the Student Learning Support Unit, Kylie McDonald, and Jack Kaa joined our wonderful cleaning team.

During a busy Term 1, Sarah Cadman went on maternity leave and our Community Entry Programme team gained Sarah Cavill. We welcomed Julie Cain as a cleaner and became the duo with Jo as the Admin cleaners.

Many things out of our control were progressing at a pace which seemed so far away but was getting very close for comfort. On 28 February New Zealand had its first case of COVID-19 and we were all getting used to different terminology. Things were moving fast and on 23 March we had moved into Alert Level 3, effective immediately, and in 48 hours we made the move into Alert Level 4. I remember this day so clearly, after confirming a few details with SLT regarding payroll I packed up my payroll list and with a little tear in my eye prayed that when this was over everyone on this list returned with me.

Like many households my family formed a bubble. The gardens were very tidy, the jobs around the house were taken care of, plenty of reading and lots of puzzles. We watched the Game of Thrones series again and it still ended the same way with the same debates. But we all learned to appreciate everything we have.

STAFF NOTES

The decision to move the term break forward was the right one. Getting the balance in lockdown right, spending time with loved ones and a focus on wellbeing – physical, mental, and emotional. Zooming was the new phenomenon and Google Classroom as the norm. Our teaching staff rising to the challenge of figuring out how to keep our students learning and engaged from a distance are to be commended, checking in on our students and keeping them on track. Many staff continued to work remotely ensuring information was shared with us all, accounts and payroll were processed. Work was carried out in compiling a list of students/families who were not able to access learning devices at home for the Ministry of Education. Our office staff ensured work was copied and delivered to those students who needed it, with support staff making themselves available for deliveries. The AshColl 'bubble' worked together (social distancing) playing its part of the 5 million.

On 13 May New Zealand went to Level 2 at 11:59pm and school was open again. I have to admit I was a bit anxious, my routine at home in my bubble able to work, but I took my payroll list and returned to work with everyone returning with me.

Many things had happened during these extraordinary times Kayla Williams returned to the UK under COVID 19 restrictions and staff were dealing with International students who had emergency flights to catch to get them home. Livvy Sheehan covered classes during lockdown due to her overseas travel plans being rudely interrupted and now at Level 2, Sophie Noreen was able to join the English team. Porsha Coley was able to commence her role as a teacher in the Student Learning Support Unit and Susie Stewart got acquainted with the Science Department. Our hallways were graced with 'cleaning fairies' Emma, Hannah Tori and Sophie to provide additional cleaning. A big shout out to our cleaning staff and caretakers who meet the requirements at these ever-changing Alert levels. Hand sanitiser became the norm and this was a big job to ensure the needs of all parts of our school were met. This has been a difficult time for many of our staff who have had loved ones overseas and not being able to be with them in their need.

Things were starting to return to normal, and as time passed more staff

returned to the staff room. A biscuit Renae advised us - it has jam in it, it's sticky, you know it – but we didn't. A major investigation took place on a vehicle being moved, many theories were tested, fingerprinting took place and for a short period of time we lost a witness! The smells and contents of staff lunches were back in full force and always an interesting conversation piece. The staff room had returned, after a period of lockdown we had learnt that people and relationships, human connection, touch, hugs, tears, and laughter makes a difference whatever the crises.

Amanda Hewson went on maternity leave at the end of Term 2 and Anna Schmack was appointed as our Exam Centre Manager. Peter Lilley who was already part of our teaching relief staff joined the Science Faculty and Paula Preece shared her sewing talent in the Fabrics Department. Livvy Sheehan returned to her Primary School Teaching training taking on a role at Allenton Primary in Term 4.

What a year it has been - phew we made and we all gather in the staff room for the annual farewells. Laughter fills the room with the presentation of photos, stories, and fun we have all shared during 2020. Maybe it is how Ferg, Nicky, Jason and Michelle tell them! James Aulsford is moving to Christchurch to uplift his new position at Cashmere High School. He has been an active promoter of Science, and students were well-engaged in his classes. Mary-Anne Evers is described by her English Faculty as the consummate professional who constantly strives to draw the academic best out of her students. Mary-Anne is moving to Palmerston North. Jack Hanrahan is moving to Auckland and was excited to secure a Teacher of Drama role at Hobsonville Point Secondary School. Emma Neal was able to encourage reluctant artists and extend the talented, forging relationships with students across the board. She is moving closer to home gaining a role at Hastings Girls' High School. Andrew Young and Sophie Noreen are seeking roles, with Andrew leaving teaching to follow opportunities to contribute to environmental matters. The Mathematics Department farewelled Victor Ji and Lisa Walker, thanking them for their dedication in what was an extraordinary year.

Everyone enjoy your break, well deserved, get out there and enjoy what NZ has to offer and I look forward to seeing you all in 2021. - Tarnz

PINK SHIRT DAY



Friday 16 October was Pink Shirt Day, a movement started in the USA to promote acceptance and anti-bullying. This is a theme which has been continued in other countries, with our staff keen to support and to wear something pink to highlight this message. This was well-supported at College and (pictured above) is a sample group of staff, in varying levels of pink, proud to promote acceptance, inclusiveness and anti-bullying.



STAFF 2020

Top Row:

Andrew Young, Victor Ji, Brian Molyneux, Rob Isaacs, Kyle Henderson, Jack Hanrahan, Michael Petrus, Bryan Bell, Sam Wakelin, Carolyn Aberhart, Emma Neal, Pat Sandrey, Hiromi Horsley, Serrana Ruginitz, Georgia Keenan, Rachel Donaldson, Genevieve Kirwan, Stacie Lilley

Fourth Row:

Vicky Poole, Karen Stockdill, Annie Alsford, Karo Bedford, Kath Watkins, Jane Sargent, Bridget McConnochie, Susie Stewart, Kent Slcombe, Annie Lees, Jo Wakelin, Jayne Cornelius, Della Achten, Annalie Henson, Sophie Noreén, Julia Bell, Helen Wakelin, Angie Cresswell, Anne Bowis, Jenni Watson, Stephen Millichamp, Bernadette Thompson

Third Row:

Stephen Diedricks, Ali Sayed, Rebecca Jeffery-Jones, Lisa Walker, Nicki Wilding, Pete Lee, Clair Bedward, Stacey Monk, Ron Carlson, Jason Vannini, Renae List, Kirsty Moffett, Chelsea Stockdill, Annabelle Simpson, Liz Cabout,

Second Row:

Hannah Young, Cheryl Hardy, Bev Neutze, Andrew Shepherd
Sean Stephen, Anne Williams, Sheena Tyrrell, Sue Johnstone, Luke Martin, Anna Rimmer, James List, Greta Hampton, Mary-Anne Evers, Jemma Hurst, Karen McKenzie, Juliet Johnstone, Kyle Backhouse-Smith, Liz Ferguson, Liz Carrick

Bottom Row:

Milly Brown, Vaughan Matheson, Michael Clark, Abbey Bruce, Carolyn Clough, Charlie Kelland, Helen Shore-Taylor, Ross Preece, Ron Cresswell, Jono Hay, Michelle Hosking, Mike Pearce, Ange Mitchell, James Aulsford, Mel Evans, Tom Kitchen

SUMMER AND WINTER SPORTS AND CULTURAL COLOURS, BLUES AWARDS

Usually this recognition assembly is held on the Chessboard, in front of the whole College, at the end of Term One.

This year, due to the COVID lockdown at that stage, the change was made to hold the two year levels separately and, to avoid any weather issues with an outside event in the winter season, to hold the events in the Auditorium. As well as family members of recipients attending, this move meant recipients could also be acknowledged by their year level peers.

COLOURS AWARD RECIPIENTS

Colours Awards are presented to students who are either national champions or who have been selected for a national sports team or are a member of a national cultural group. Ten Recipients were awarded a Colour for this year.

Cycling

Maddi Lowry

Rowing

Isabel Wall

Swimming

Blake Farr

Karate

Taylah Burrowes and Tayla Davidson

Smallbore Rifle

Shania Harrison-Lee and Charlotte McKenzie

Tennis

Diego Quispe-Kim

Powerlifting

Henry Chapman

Softball

Ashlein Lyttle

BLUES AWARD RECIPIENTS

This year fifty two students were acknowledged across Sports and Cultural activities. In acknowledging students' successes we recognise the impressive accomplishments of our students, and contributions of all, within and outside of the College, for their time and effort given to so many College teams and students through cultural and sports activities. These contributions to the successes of College individuals and teams are greatly appreciated, providing significant opportunities for students.

Blues Award recipients were, including allocations to some students who have now finished at College:

Basketball

Sophie Adams, Cat Anderson, Roi-Rawhiti Makutu, Riley Sa, Kambell Stills.

Hockey

Jed Cameron, Ryan Geeson, Anna Gray, Jacob Gray, Tim Harford, Hannah O'Reilly, Grace Quinn, Jonty Small, Ethan Walsh, Maddy Wilson

Rugby

BJ Fakataha, Steph Geeson, Thomas Patterson, Emma Rollinson, Toetu Touli, TC Trusler-Clark, Isileli Ula

Cricket

Angus Jemmett

Music

Marc Calzada, Joseph Collins, Imogene Felton, Daemyn Frost, Bailey Hill, Spencer Ifopo, Jay Jung, Aaliyah Power, Scott Thomson, Revival Tuvale, Zac Woolf

Smallbore Rifle Shooting

Jack Jones, Jack McIntosh, Emma Smith

Cycling Track/Road

Ethan Titheridge

Softball

Kotiti Patea

E-sports

Jade Jung, Jay Jung

Netball

Taylah Burrowes, Poppy Kilworth, Hayley Tallentire

Squash

Isaac Bazley, Brooke Cornish-Madden

Football

Sapphire Kururangi, Gemma Taylor, Lauren Taylor

Rowing

Ged Wall

Technical Theatre

Cameron Radford

Golf

Hirumune Kakeda

PERFORMANCE AWARDS AND PRINCIPAL'S COMMENDATIONS

Performance Awards recognise a high standard of achievement in sports and cultural activities, consistent with the conditions and qualifying standards set for Ashburton College.

PERFORMANCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Basketball

Poppy Kilworth, Thomas Patterson, Jamie Reid, Liam Sullivan, Hayley Tallentire, Jacob Tallentire.

Cricket

Isaac Bazley, Devon Flannery, Lachie Jemmett, Jonty Small.

Cycling MTB

Brad Blundell, Riley Blundell, Mya Johnston, Jack Savage.

E-sports

Matthew Wong.

Equestrian

Sami Mead, Ruby Thomas.

Football

Chloe Johnson, Sarah Mattson, Libby Ryan.

Hockey

Emma Lill, Caitlin Muir, Jessie Pitney, Harry Soal, Dante Vannini, Todd White, Sarah Wilson.

Music

Jade Jung, Hannah Kuipers.

Netball

Milli Sullivan.

Skiing

Kayne Johnston, Mya Johnston.

Softball

Jacob Gray, Nathan Johnstone.

Rugby

Khalani Brightwell, Sharla Brightwell, Tau Daniel, Josh Dunlea, Mark Gabriel, Pasi Hala, Megan Hurley, Fonoga Lisala, Roi Makutu, Liam Sullivan, Gemma Taylor, Naumai Terekia, Nesha Thompson.

Swimming

Hannah King.

Tennis

Ollie Bubb, Ila Cabalse, Holly-Jane Feutz, Tyler Leonard, Angel Hauti-Spooner, Henrik Tawatao.

PRINCIPAL'S COMMENDATION RECIPIENTS

Principal's Commendation Awards give acknowledgement and appreciation for outstanding contribution to College life and personal achievement.

Student Librarian

Ethan Annear, Miar Diab, Jessalene Eclipse, Ines Forster Lobato de Faria, Henry Goodes, Emily Greer, Hannah Kuipers, Hayley Luxton, Rona Malabuyoc, Harrison McKee, Eliane Vinculado, Shasha Watagedara.

Community Service Library Volunteers

Laurraine Apercho, Anna Bennett, Nadine Cabanatan, Klara Harrison, Rona Malabuyoc, Yvangeline Radan, Winonalei Tupa.

Drama

Maria Costas, Brooke Miller, Georgia Muir

Maths

Luke Hay

Music

Emma-Paige Dickson, Zoe Kenny, Emma Petrie.

Visual Arts

Sophie Dalgety, Molly Meehan.

Ashburton College Hockey Coaches

Jed Cameron, Dante Vannini.

Ashburton College Hockey Umpires

Anna Gray, Jacob Gray, Bree Greer, Georgia Muir, Hannah O'Reilly, Maddy Wilson.

Ashburton College Netball Coaches

Taylah Burrowes.

Ashburton College Softball Umpires

Connor Lyttle.

Ashburton College Netball Umpires

Willow Diedricks, Ashlein Lyttle, Olivia Pearce, Claudia Thomas.

Ashburton College Canteen

Ines Forster Lobato de Faria, Simone Forster Lobato de Faria, Ian Jerao, Emma Johnson, Finn Kelly, Ronan Kenny, Lachlan Kingan, Caitlin Stewart, Melissa Wilson.

Contribution to School Sport – Girl

Willow Diedricks.

Contribution to School Sport – Boy

Jacob Gray.



Colours Award recipients (pictured left, back row, left to right): Charlotte McKenzie, Maddi Lowry, Ashlein Lyttle, Tayla Davidson.
 (Front row, left to right): Taylah Burrowes, Shania Harrison-Lee, Henry Chapman, Blake Farr, Isabel Wall.
 (Inset): Diego Quispe-Kim.



(Pictured left): The Blues Award recipients.



(Pictured left, left and right): Chloe Johnson, Jacob Gray (receiving award), Grace Quinn, Isaac Bazley, Sapphire Kururangi, Ron Cresswell (Deputy Principal) and Maddy Wilson (receiving award) at the Green House Assembly, with the House Committee members dressed suitably for their final assembly.

ASHBURTON COLLEGE ACADEMIC BLUES AND PERFORMANCE AWARDS

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TOP SCHOLAR AND COLOURS BADGE RECIPIENT

The top scholar is the student who achieves the greatest number of Excellence Awards in the Level 1, 2019 NCEA results. Top Scholars also receive a Colours Badge.

Level 1 Top Scholar Marlese Schoonderbeek



BLUES AWARD RECIPIENTS

To receive a Blues Award Badge a student has achieved 50 or more Excellence Credits.

Level One Academic Blues Recipients:

Taylah Burrowes, Miar Diab, Easterlin Faamausili, Sam Holland, Ellie Lawn, Olivia Lill, Hayley Luxton, Tia McCallum, Georgia Moke-Harvey, Tamaki Nishioka, Hannah O'Reilly, Emma Petrie, Drew Porter, Anya Rawlings, Marlese Schoonderbeek, Milli Sullivan, Gemma Taylor, Lauren Taylor, Ged Wall, Shasha Watagedara.

PERFORMANCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

To receive a Performance Award Certificate a student achieves a total of 50 or more Excellence and Merit Credits combined.

Level One Performance Award Recipients:

Katelin Adcock, Shrina Afu, Jet Aguila, Cat Anderson, Matt Armstrong, Brooke Bennett, Ashleigh Binnie, Victoria Binnie, Olivia Bishop, Parker Bradford, Madison Brown, Georgie Cartney, Samuel Corbett, Coty Cuadrado, Malachi Drye, Ines Forster Lobato de Faria, Megan Harrison, Shikayla Hutchinson, Samantha Jerao, Emma Johnson, Emily King, Hannah Kuipers, Michael Lin-Nguyen, Flynn Mackenzie, John Magyaya, Nazarene Masina, Harrison McKee, Sarah McKerrow, Ben Middleton, Michael Munro, Thomas Patterson, Mahina Pongia, Sam Rakthong, Samuel Reilly-Sigel, Brie Rudolph, Emma Scammell, Matt Smith, Cloe Stowell, Jacob Swan, Toetu Touli, Harry Trumper, Dante Vannini, Eliane Vinculado, Caleb Ward, Sophie Watson, Emily Wilson, Maddy Wilson, Jadah Wilson, Abbey Wood.

ASHBURTON COLLEGE ACADEMIC BLUES AND PERFORMANCE AWARDS

The second of our two recognition assemblies was held in the College Auditorium on Wednesday 01 July, with recipients acknowledged in front of the year level peer group and family members.

YEAR 12 TOP SCHOLAR AND COLOURS BADGE RECIPIENT

The top scholar is the student who achieves the greatest number of Excellence Awards in the Level 2, 2019 NCEA results. Top Scholars also receive a Colours Badge.

Level 2 Top Scholar Penny Stilgoe



Impressively Penny was Top Scholar at Level 1, in 2019.

BLUES AWARD RECIPIENTS

To receive a Blues Award Badge a student has achieved 30 or more Excellence Credits.

Level Two Academic Blues Awards:

Estee Aiolupotea, Kyle Cabangun, Henry Chapman, Eddie Davis, Hayley Dickson, Willow Diedricks, Brendan Fleming, Shania Harrison-Lee, Poppy Kilworth, Sam Kuipers, Lily Lyu, Ivan Mangubat, Logan Moore, Wendy Sheng, Jonty Small, Penny Stilgoe.

PERFORMANCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

To receive a Performance Award Certificate a student achieves a total of 50 or more Excellence and Merit Credits combined.

Level Two Performance Awards:

Josh Ackerley, Sophie Adams, Phoenix Andrew, Lorraine Aperocho, Joshua Apoldo, Marshall Ashdowne, Isaac Bazley, Crystal Brown, Mac Burdett, Jed Cameron, Sam Chamberlain, Joseph Collins, Maria Costas, Shikarna Delore, Bailey Gray, Ngakau Howell, Jay Jung, Dredgewell Madla, Brooke Miller, Lucy Moore, Georgia Muir, Kotiti Patea, George Rosevear.

NEW ZEALAND TOP SCHOLAR

Outstanding Scholarship Results for Ben Holland and New Zealand Top Scholar

Ashburton College's 2019 Dux, Ben Holland, recently learned of his success in the three scholarship exams he sat at the end of last year. In addition to achieving a Level 3 Excellence endorsement in his five NCEA subjects, Ben sat scholarship exams in Accounting, Economics and Physics.

NZQA Deputy Chief Executive Assessment, Kristine Kilkelly, says that the 'New Zealand Scholarship is regarded as the most prestigious secondary school award in the country.

It is designed to challenge the very best students and offers financial rewards for those going on to full time tertiary study in New Zealand.

Ben passed his Physics scholarship exam, and was named as a 2019 Outstanding Scholar Award winner for Accounting and Economics.

Most notably, he achieved the Top Subject Scholarship Award for Economics.

These results placed him in approximately the top 3% of Year 13 students in the country who

studied these subjects.

For his efforts, Ben received a scholarship of \$5,000 each year for up to three years of his tertiary study. He is enrolled at Canterbury University to study a Bachelor of Commerce, majoring in Accounting and Finance, and has commenced his studies.

In achieving this success, Ben acknowledged the assistance he received from Ashburton College teachers Bryan Bell (Physics), Clair Bedward (Accounting), and Ange Mitchell (Economics).

In turn, Ashburton College acknowledges Ben's stellar academic career at College and the input of the teaching staff which enabled extension to this exceptionally high level. A top result in New Zealand exceeds the word 'impressive!' Ben is wished well for his tertiary studies.



YEAR 9 ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP

Ashburton College Year 9 Academic Scholarship Winners

The Year 9 Academic Scholarships were established, in 2004, by the Ashburton College Board of Trustees with up to two scholarships awarded annually. Awardees are selected via two examination tests, one in English and one in Mathematics.

The scholarships are open to any Year 8 student who is a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident, and who applies for entry to Year 9 at Ashburton College.

The two awards were gained this year by Luke Hay and Steven Harris and allocated at the end of 2019, for the 2020 College year.

Steven said it was 'really exhilarating' to gain a scholarship, suggesting he 'didn't expect to win as he thought he had done some questions really badly, so the phone call advising of his success was unexpected'.

Luke indicated he also 'didn't expect to win as his older brother was smarter than him and didn't gain a scholarship'. He said he was 'pretty pleased' to have gained one of the two available.



Luke Hay



Steven Harris

Both students will put their funding towards supporting an aspect of their schooling and, importantly, both enjoyed their first day at College, were successful in finding their way around even when getting slightly lost, and

enjoyed catching up with friends and having fun.

YEAR 13 GRADUATION CEREMONY



DUX of Ashburton College 2020

Lily Lyu

and therefore recipient of the Rotary Club of Ashburton Trust Scholarship Award and the Ashburton High School Centennial Trust Plaque

In gaining Dux, Lily attained the following Awards –

Economics

Legal Studies (Argyle Welsh Finnigan Prize) (Joint Award)

University of Otago Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship

Level 3 Excellence Award

Application and Effort



Proxime Accessit (Runner-Up to the Dux)

Penny Stilgoe

And recipient of the Rotary Club of Ashburton Scholarship Award

Penny's pathway to this achievement came via –

- Agricultural Science (Five Star Beef Prize and BNZ Cup)
- Biology (Drummond Memorial Prize and Watson Cup)
- Mathematics with Statistics (John Stewart Memorial Prize)
- Level 3 Excellence Award
- Application and Effort

and was also presented the –

- NBS Ashburton College Alumni Scholarship
- Ashburton Trust Tertiary Study Scholarship
- C H Andrews Prize for Initiative and Enterprise
- John Grigg Scholarship
- John Bell Memorial Scholarship

MATHEMATICS SUCCESS FOR LUKE HAY

Year 9 student Luke Hay has had an outstanding year competing in various problem-solving mathematical competitions.

In April Luke entered the University of Otago Junior Mathematics Competition where he gained a grade of 73 which placed him in the top 10% of New Zealand Year 9 students.

In July Luke entered the Kiwi Mathematics competition. He was the top Year 9 student in New Zealand.

In August Luke gained a High Distinction in the Australian Mathematics Competition placing

him in the top 3% of his year group. 300 schools entered this competition.

In October Luke gained a High Distinction award in the ICAS Mathematics Competition. This result placed him in the top 1% of all Year 9 New Zealand and Pacific students.

These are outstanding results. Congratulations on your well-deserved success.



SCHOLARSHIPS & SPECIAL AWARDS

John Grigg Scholarship	Penny Stilgoe
John Bell Memorial Scholarship	Penny Stilgoe
John Lane Scholarship	Sam Kuipers
Rosalie Begg Memorial Scholarship	Isaac Bazley
Turner Memorial Prize for Citizenship	Seluvaia Ratoul, Sam Kuipers
T T Ryder Prize for application, cheerful effort and building significantly on his learning	Joshua Apoldo
C H Andrews Prize for Initiative and Enterprise	Penny Stilgoe, Kyle Cabangun
Butterick Memorial Trophy for scholarship in English and Sporting Endeavour	Shania Harrison-Lee
Ashburton Club and MSA Scholarship	Jonty Small
Ashburton Masonic Lodge Centennial Scholarship	Klara Harrison
EA Networks Scholarship for a student studying to enter the Electrical Industry	Marshall Ashdowne
Ashburton Trust Tertiary Study Scholarships: Isaac Bazley, Maria Costas, Jane Cribb, Willow Diedricks, Klara Harrison, Shania Harrison-Lee, Poppy Kilworth, Sam Kuipers, Harriet Leverton, Georgia Muir, Penny Stilgoe	
NBS Ashburton College Alumni Scholarship	Penny Stilgoe
Lions of Ashburton County Award for Citizenship and Community Involvement	Willow Diedricks
R O McDowell Award for pride in their school and community	Matt De Ocampo
Lions Club of Ashburton Senior Service and Leadership Award	Maria Costas
R O McDowell Crystal Trophy for character and leadership (presented by the Ashburton High School Centennial Trust)	Poppy Kilworth
Rotary Club of Ashburton and Fooks Memorial Award for prominence in scholarship, leadership and extra-curricular activities	Henry Chapman
Proxime Accessit (runner-up to the Dux) Rotary Club of Ashburton Scholarship Award	Penny Stilgoe

Rotary Club of Ashburton Scholarship Award and Ashburton High School Centennial Trust Plaque for the

DUX of Ashburton College 2020	Lily Lyu
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PRIZE LIST

YEAR 13 PRIZE LIST 2020 GENERAL AWARDS				
Sophie Adams	Level 3 Award	Shaun Fuluasou	Level 3 Award	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Ryan Geeson	Level 3 Award	Level 3 Merit Award
Jorene Aguinaldo	Achievement in Level 1	Jacob Gray	Level 3 Merit Award	Application and Effort
	Korean Online	Klara Harrison	Level 3 Merit Award	Application and Effort
	Level 3 Award	Spencer Ifopo	Level 3 Award	Level 3 Award
Estee Aiulupotea	Level 3 Excellence Award		Application and Effort	Nicole Swaney
	Application and Effort	Christian Juntilla	Level 3 Award	Delta Taeauga
Laurraine Aperocho	Level 3 Award	Ronan Kenny	Level 3 Award	Application and Effort for the SLSU
Anna Bennett	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Kalen Tait
	Application and Effort	Lachlan Kingan	Level 3 Award	Hayley Tallentire
Crystal Brown	Level 3 Award	Sapphire Kururangi	Level 3 Award	Henrik Tawatao
	Application and Effort		Application and Effort	Scott Thomson
Sam Brown	Level 3 Award	Harriet Leverton	Level 3 Award	Achievement in Level 3 Music Online
Ken Bulagnir	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Level 3 Award
Mac Burdett	Level 3 Award	Dredgewell Madla	Level 3 Merit Award	Application and Effort
Kyle Cabangun	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Winonalei Tupa
	Application and Effort	Ramona McIlroy	Level 3 Award	Level 3 Award
Sam Chamberlain	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Riley Vessey
	Application and Effort	Brooke Miller	Level 3 Merit Award	Achievement in Level 3 Electronics and Engineering Online
Joseph Collins	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Level 3 Award
Hunter Corbett	Level 3 Award	Hayden Miller	Application and Effort for the SLSU	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Jenna Moore	Level 3 Award	Ethan Walsh
Rob Corbett	Level 3 Award	Ricalene Pantoja	Level 3 Award	Caleb Wells
	Application and Effort		Application and Effort	Level 3 Merit Award
Maria Costas	Level 3 Merit Award	Kotiti Patea	Level 3 Award	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Grace Quinn	Level 3 Award	Level 3 Award
Jane Cribb	Level 3 Merit Award	Yvangeline Radan	Level 3 Award	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Aannana Rai	Level 3 Award	Level 3 Award
Denielle De Leon	Level 3 Merit Award	Jestena Raj	Level 3 Award	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Ryan Robinson	Level 3 Award	Amy Zhen
Matt De Ocampo	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Emma Rollinson	Level 3 Award	
Shikarna Delore	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	
	Application and Effort	George Rosevear	Level 3 Merit Award	
Kavan Faoagali	Level 3 Award		Application and Effort	
Kiesha Fourie	Level 3 Award	Angela Salvador	Level 3 Award	
	Application and Effort	Emma Smith	Level 3 Award	

SERVICE SPORTS & ARTS

Sophie Adams	Faith Trophy for contribution and sportsmanship in Girls' Basketball
Isaac Bazley	Boys Squash Champion Trophy for Squash Leadership and Service to Green House

PRIZE LIST

Henry Chapman	Senior Speech Trophy	Digital Technology (Heartland Ricoh Prize)	Application and Effort
Dr Jim Benefield	Trophy for Classics and Art History	Achievement in Level 3 Computer Science Online	Maori
Joseph Collins	Addis Trophy for Vocal Contribution to College music	Level 3 Merit Award	Level 3 Award
	Leadership and Service to Red House	Application and Effort	English Language Studies
Jane Cribb	Leadership and Service to Orange House	Caitlyn Barwell Gateway Award for excellence in the workplace and application to Gateway study	Level 3 Award
Sophie Dalgety	Daly Trophy for Excellence in Senior Visual Arts	Level 3 Merit Award	Application and Effort
		Application and Effort	Hospitality
BJ Fakataha	Rugby Cup for Contribution to College Rugby	Isaac Bazley Physical Education (Ashburton District Council Prize) (Joint Award)	Level 3 Award
Jacob Gray	The Top All-round Male Sportsperson (Cochrane Cup)	Level 3 Merit Award	Business Studies
	Ashburton Hockey Association Trophy for the player displaying the most dedication, loyalty and contribution to the Boys' Hockey team	Application and Effort	Top Overall Student in Level 3 Web Design Online
Shania Harrison- Lee	Most Elite Female Sportsperson in the College - Senior Girls' Sports Cup	Chloe Blake Food and Nutrition	Level 3 Merit Award
	NZ Cadets Ladies Challenge Cup - Senior Shooting Champion	Jed Cameron Visual Art: Creative Design	Application and Effort
	L Clayton Trophy - Best Female Shooter	Level 3 Merit Award	Health
	To Collect on behalf of the Smallbore Rifle Shooting Team the Bevan Bain Trophy as the team that brings the most credit to Ashburton College. Team members are Shania Harrison-Lee, Emma Smith and Charlotte McKenzie	Application and Effort	Application and Effort
Chloe Johnson	Ashburton College Trophy for the female showing the most grit and determination in sport	Henry Chapman University of Otago Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship	Graphics
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Top Senior Graphics Student (A W Thomson Trophy, and Chilton and Mayne Architecture Ltd Prize)
Jay Jung	Registered Music Teachers' Award for the most dedicated instrumental student in the senior school	Application and Effort	Level 3 Merit Award
		Kaveesha Clark Child Development (Joint Award)	Application and Effort
Hiromune Kakeda	Golf (Glover Trophy)	Level 3 Merit Award	Drama
	Ashburton College Golf Challenge Trophy for Golf	Application and Effort	Level 3 Award
Poppy Kilworth	The Top All-round Female Sportsperson (Cochrane Cup)	Sophie Dalgety Visual Art: Painting and Printmaking (Ashburton District Council Prize)	Application and Effort
	Leadership in Netball (Netball Cup)	Level 3 Award	Dance
Sam Kuipers	Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 13	Eddie Davis Level 3 Merit Award	Level 3 Award
Sapphire Kururangi	Ashburton College 1st XI Trophy for outstanding contribution to College Football	Citizenship Award for Outstanding Contribution - Peer Support Mentoring in SLSU	Application and Effort
	Leadership and Service to Green House	Application and Effort	Dance
Harriet Leverton	Leadership and Service to Blue House	Hayley Dickson Geography (Arnott Award and Jane Taylor Cup)	Level 3 Award
Roi Makutu	Ashburton College Rugby Cup for Contribution to Girls' Rugby	General Science	Application and Effort
	Maui Award for Spirit of Tikanga Maori	Tourism	Application and Effort
Georgia Muir	Senior Performance Cup for Drama	Ashburton Lions Club Award for individual research in Mathematics with Statistics	National Heart Foundation Award for a student moving into Health Sciences in a Tertiary Institution (Mike O'Reilly Memorial Cup)
Kotiti Patea	Most Elite Male Sportsperson in the College - Senior Boys' Sports Cup	Level 3 Excellence Award	University of Otago Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship
Grace Quinn	Neill Trophy for the player displaying the most dedication, loyalty and contribution to the Girls' Hockey team	Application and Effort	Level 3 Merit Award
		Willow Diedricks History (John Stewart Memorial Prize and Digby Prosser Cup)	Application and Effort
Emma Smith	A member of the Smallbore Rifle Shooting Team as the team that brings the most credit to Ashburton College (Bevan Bain Trophy)	University of Otago Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship	Physics (John Hefford Memorial Prize)
Emma Stagg	The Top All-round Female Sportsperson (Cochrane Cup)	Level 3 Merit Award	German (German Embassy Prize) (Joint Award)
Aidan Soal	Whitelaw Memorial Rook for College Chess Champion	Application and Effort	Level 3 Merit Award
Liam Sullivan	Stewards Cup for the male showing the most Grit and Determination in Sport	Brendan Fleming Mathematics with Calculus (Hogg Memorial Prize and Robb Cup)	Citizenship Award for Outstanding Contribution - Peer Support Mentoring in SLSU
	Leadership and Service to Blue House	Life Ashburton Pharmacy Cup and Prize for the top overall student studying three Sciences	Application and Effort
Hayley Tallentire	Wilson Cup for Netball for displaying the most dedication, loyalty and contribution to the team	German (German Embassy Prize) (Joint Award)	Sport and Exercise Performance
	Leadership and Service to Red House	Achievement in Level 3 Biology Online	Level 3 Award
Naumai Terekia	Girls Rugby Cup - For Dedication to Girls Rugby	Level 3 Excellence Award	Application and Effort
Revival Tuvale	Midland Choir Scholarship	Application and Effort	Application and Effort
Riley Vessey	Leadership and Service to Orange House	Bailey Gray Technology Materials - Furniture	Agricultural Science (Five Star Beef Prize and BNZ Cup)
Brianna Williams	Jenkinson Family Cup for Inclusive Education	Level 3 Award	Biology (Drummond Memorial Prize and Watson Cup)
		Shania Harrison-Lee English (Maria Jarman Prize and Cup)	Mathematics with Statistics (John Stewart Memorial Prize)
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Level 3 Excellence Award
		Application and Effort	Application and Effort
		Jay Jung Music (John Stewart Memorial Prize)	Visual Art: Photography
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Level 3 Award
		Application and Effort	Child Development (Joint Award)
		Poppy Kilworth Physical Education (Ashburton District Council Prize) (Joint Award)	Level 3 Award
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Level 3 Award
		Application and Effort	University of Otago Pacific Peoples' Entrance Scholarship
		University of Otago Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship	Level 3 Merit Award
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Application and Effort
		Application and Effort	Application and Effort
		Sam Kuipers Chemistry (Drummond Memorial Prize and Keith Gunn Cup)	Technology Soft Materials - Fabrics
		Legal Studies (Argyle Welsh Finnigan Prize) (Joint Award)	Achievement in Level 3 Media Studies Online
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Level 3 Merit Award
		Application and Effort	Application and Effort
		Lily Lyu Economics	Application and Effort
		Legal Studies (Argyle Welsh Finnigan Prize) (Joint Award)	Level 2 Merit Award
		University of Otago Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship	Application and Effort
		Level 3 Excellence Award	Level 2 Award
			Level 2 Award

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Phoenix Andrew	Accounting (Gabites Ltd Prize)
	Level 3 Merit Award
	Application and Effort
Joshua Apoldo	University of Otago 150th Anniversary Entrance Scholarship
	Level 3 Merit Award
	Application and Effort
Marshall Ashdowne	Rakirua Trophy for the top all-round achievement by a Maori student in Year 13

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Katelin Adcock	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading
	Level 2 Excellence Award
	Application and Effort
Shrina Afu	Level 2 Merit Award
	Application and Effort
Zedrick Agreda	Level 2 Award
Jet Aguila	Level 2 Award

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Cat Anderson	Level 2 Merit Award				
Ethan Annear	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Michael Lin-Nguyen	Application and Effort	Rebecca Wilson	Application and Effort in the SLSU
Christopher Bernarte	Level 2 Award	Victoria Lovett	Level 2 Merit Award	ACADEMIC AND SPECIAL AWARDS	
Ashleigh Binnie	Application and Effort	Hayley Luxton	Application and Effort	Olivia Bishop	General Mathematics – Ashburton District Council Prize
Victoria Binnie	Level 2 Award	Flynn Mackenzie	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Award
Parker Bradford	Level 2 Merit Award	Rangaikore Makutu	Level 2 Award	Brad Blundell	Prime Minister's Vocational Excellence Award
McKenzie Bridger	Level 2 Award	Tasha Mann	Application and Effort		Harmony Masonic Lodge Trophy for the top student in the Trades Experience course
Jacob Bruce	Application and Effort	Otto Mareko	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Award
Ila Cabalse	Level 2 Award	Jayden Marshall	Level 2 Award	Madison Brown	Application and Effort
Stacie Cameron	Application and Effort	Nazarene Masina	Level 2 Merit Award		Level 3 Japanese (Japanese Consul's Prize and Ton's Thai Award)
Georgie Cartney	Level 2 Merit Award	Harrison McKee	Level 2 Award	Taylah Burrowes	Accounting
	Application and Effort	Sarah McKerrow	Level 2 Award		New Zealand Law (Argyle Welsh Finnigan Prize)
Sierra Chambers	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Isaac Murray	Application and Effort		Achievement in Level 2 Psychology Online
Ryan Cox	Level 2 Award	Gabby Naylor	Level 2 Award		Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading
	Application and Effort	Damian Neal	Level 2 Award	Jayden Butler	Level 2 Merit Award
Coty Cuadrado	Level 2 Award	Dennis Nguyen	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading		Application and Effort
Miar Diab	Achievement in Level 2 Biology Online	Tamaki Nishioka	Level 2 Award		Product Design – Hard Materials – Wood
	Level 2 Merit Award		Achievement in Level 2 Psychology Online		Level 2 Merit Award
	Application and Effort		Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Himanshu Chand	Sport and Exercise Performance
Emma-Paige Dickson	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Fergus O'Neill	Level 2 Merit Award	Alex Chapman	Ashburton Technical High School Old Pupils Trade Scholarship
	Level 2 Award	Rj Pasion	Application and Effort	Samuel Corbett	Automotive Skills (Joint Award)
Annabel Dolan	Level 2 Award	George Penjueli	Level 2 Award	Blair Donaldson	Materials Technology: Building
Alex Eddington	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Mahina Pongia	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Award
	Level 2 Award	Drew Porter	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Malachi Drye	Music Performance
Buddhika Ekanayake	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading		Level 2 Award		Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading
Miles Esponja	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort	Easterlin Faamausili	Level 2 Award
Blake Farr	Level 2 Award	Violet Purcell	Application and Effort		Biology (Ashburton District Council Prize)
Langi Foaga	Application and Effort	Sam Rakthong	Level 2 Award		Life Ashburton Pharmacy Prize for the top overall student enrolled in three Sciences
Mark Gabriel	Level 2 Award	Mikayla Roulston	Application and Effort		Economics
Shalie Gare	Level 2 Award	Brie Rudolph	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Merit Award
Steph Geeson	Level 2 Award	Jamie Rushton	Application and Effort	Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria	Grow Mid Canterbury Trophy for most consistent level of application in the Trades course
George Goodes	Level 2 Award	Libby Ryan	Application and Effort		Level 2 Award
Skye Gulleford	Level 2 Award	David Satui	Level 2 Award	Ines Forster Lobato de Faria	Child Development (Joint Award)
Chloe Guthrie	Application and Effort	Kurt Scott	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Award
	Level 2 Award	Ben Simons	Level 2 Award	Sam Holland	Chemistry (Ashburton District Council Prize)
Pasi Hala	Level 2 Award	Matt Smith	Level 2 Award		Digital Information Technology (Heartland Ricoh Prize)
Brooke Halliday	Achievement in Level 2 Psychology Online	Samuel Smith	Application and Effort		Level 2 Merit Award
	Level 2 Award	Nathan Steer	Level 2 Award	Matthew Hopkins	Application and Effort
Megan Harrison	Level 2 Award	Cloe Stowell	Level 2 Award		Tourism
Megan Hurley	Level 2 Award	Milli Sullivan	Application and Effort		Level 2 Award
Shikayla Hutchinson	Application and Effort	Harrison Tacbaya	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Kiho Irie	English as a second language
Yuta Inoue	Level 2 Award	Harry Trumper	Level 2 Excellence Award	Angus Jemmett Noel Hoskin	Memorial Cup for Cricket
Ian Jerao	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Nicholas Tuck	Application and Effort	Samantha Jerao	General Science
	Level 2 Award	Isileli Ula	Application and Effort		Level 2 Award
	Application and Effort	Dante Vannini	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort
Emma Johnson	Level 2 Award	Caleb Ward	Level 2 Merit Award	Hannah Kuipers	Ashburton Musical Club Trophy for the best performance student
	Application and Effort	Shasha Watagedara	Level 2 Award		Achievement in Level 2 Social Studies Online
Jorja Johnston	Level 2 Award	Abbey Williams	Application and Effort		Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading
Rhiannon Jones	Level 2 Award	Emily Wilson	Level 2 Award		Level 2 Excellence Award
Lynx Keen	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort	Ellie Lawn	Application and Effort
Dom Kerr	Level 2 Merit Award		Level 2 Award		Music
Emily King	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort		Achievement in Level 2 Physics Online
Amy Kleber	Application and Effort		Level 2 Award		Level 2 Merit Award
	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort		
Hayley Lefeber	Level 2 Award		Application and Effort		
Olivia Lill	Achievement in Level 2 Psychology Online		Level 2 Award		
	Level 2 Merit Award		Application and Effort		

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Tyler Leonard	Application and Effort Boys Tennis Champion (Boys Tennis Trophy)	Visual Art: Creative Design Achievement in Level 2 Design and Communication Online	Denzel Banghal Aleisha Barry Alex Bateman	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Connor Mackenzie	Level 2 Award Outdoor Education	Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Matthew Bensemenn	Application and Effort Level 1 Award
John Magyaya	Level 2 Award Dance	Jacob Stewart Automotive Skills (Joint Award)	Crystal Bentley Ashleigh Blakemore	Application and Effort Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
	Visual Art: Painting and Printmaking Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Level 2 Award Application and Effort	Kaiden Boardman Michael Bradley Mariz Bravo Caleb Brine Jack Brown	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Tia McCallum	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort Drama (Jenny Smith Trophy) History (Joint Award)	Jacob Swan Mathematics (Ashburton District Council Prize)	Verity Burgess	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Pat Stephenson Trophy for the Top Student in Writing Rarakiroa Award for the top Year 12 Maori Student Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Level 2 Excellence Award Application and Effort	Gemma Taylor Lauren Taylor	Angela Burrowes	Application and Effort Level 1 Award Application and Effort
Ben Middleton	Firestone Fairplay Trophy Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Ethan Titheridge Cycling (Ron Clayton Challenge Cup) Toetu Touli 1st XV Rugby Player of the Year (Philishave Cup)	Kyle Cabading Marc Calzada	Level 1 Award Level 1 Excellence Award
Georgia Moke-Harvey	Application and Effort Health	Penina Vaelua Firestone Fairplay Trophy	Zane Cameron	Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
Michael Munro	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort Kirsty Trophy for cheerful participation in Drama	Eliane Vinculado Japanese (Ton's Thai Award) Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Mia Christie Jaimee Chute	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Application and Effort
Honoka Nagai	Level 2 Award Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 12	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort	Matty Colcord Pedro Collins Ben Conaghan	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award
Hannah O'Reilly	Application and Effort Materials Technology: Fabrics Achievement in Level 2 Biology Online Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Ged Wall Steve Beveridge Trophy for Best Performing Rower	Jayde Cook	Application and Effort Level 1 Award Application and Effort
Yash Patel	Level 2 Excellence Award Application and Effort Hospitality (Joint Award)	Sophie Watson Top student in Year 12 Agriculture Horticulture Academy (Primary Industry Training Organisation Cup) For Effort and Academic Improvement in NCEA Level 2 (Presbyterian Support Cup and Prize)	Skyla Cramond Ethan Cumberland Mitch Cushnie Xavier Dalton Irish David	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award
Thomas Patterson	Level 2 Award Application and Effort 1st XV Trophy for service and contribution to the Rugby team Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort Todd White Boardercross Trophy for the Boardercross Champion	Jesca Descargar Carl Dizon Boaz Drye	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Emma Petrie	Application and Effort Music	Maddie Whyte Visual Art: Photography	Boaz Drye	Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
Victoria Pupuke	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort Corbett Trophy for Tikanga M ori Hospitality (Joint Award) Maori	Te Rira Wikohika Foundation Studies Maddy Wilson Agriculture (Five Star Beef Prize and BNZ Cup)	Jessalene Eclipse Kaeleb Evans Joseph Fakataha	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
John Radan	Level 2 Award Application and Effort Food and Nutrition – Herbert Watts Cup and Mid Canterbury Federation of Country Women's Institute Prize	Level 2 Merit Award Application and Effort Abbey Wood Child Development (Joint Award)	Luvepa Falealili Josh Feron Devon Flannery Daemyn Frost Liam Fuller Brodyn Gabites	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Cameron Radford	Application and Effort Ashburton College Technical Crew Prize for Service and Contribution to Technical Support in the College Auditorium	ANZ Bank Academic Achievement Award for the Top Student in Year 12 Marlese Schoonderbeek	Jessalene Eclipse Kaeleb Evans Joseph Fakataha	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
Annya Rawlings	Level 2 Merit Award History (Joint Award)	YEAR 11 PRIZE LIST 2020 GENERAL AWARDS	Alex Gabriel Oakley Gairns Dawn Gargar	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award
Samuel Reilly-Sigel	Level 2 Merit Award Geography – R B Ching Prize and Trophy Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Annalise Ackroyd Level 1 Merit Award	Bri Gaze-Inia Bailey Gleeson Ben Glenie Emma Graham	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award
Emma Scammell	Level 2 Award Business Studies Citizenship Award mentoring students in reading	Amanda Adachi Level 1 Merit Award	Ruby Gray	Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
Marlese Schoonderbeek	Level 2 Award Application and Effort English (Mary Bovett Prize and Murrow Cup) Physics (Ashburton District Council Prize and Seagar Cup)	Tiffany Agacer Level 1 Merit Award	Emily Greer Caendal Harris	Level 1 Award Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
	Graphics German (German Embassy Prize)	Lauryn Aiolupotea Level 1 Award	Izayah Harris Riley Harris Georgia Hart	Level 1 Award Level 1 Award Level 1 Award
		Cole Aitken Level 1 Award Libby Alford Level 1 Award Application and Effort	Cairo Hawkes	Application and Effort Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort
		Angela Allen Level 1 Award Jed Amos Level 1 Award Chris Angus Level 1 Award Kylie Apaipo Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort		
		Julianna Apoldo Level 1 Merit Award Application and Effort		
		Matthew Ashdowne Level 1 Award Application and Effort		

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Dominic Hay	Level 1 Merit Award	Glena Prado	Level 1 Merit Award	ACADEMIC AND SPECIAL AWARDS
Skyler Heads	Level 1 Merit Award		Application and Effort	
Bailey Hill	Level 1 Award	Rajjit Prasad	Level 1 Award	Semisi Balenaisa Sport and Exercise Performance
Ethan Hill	Application and Effort	Lonnie Ranay	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Award
Olivia Hill	Level 1 Award	Ethan Reodique	Application and Effort	Finn Bishop Primary Industries ITO Cup and Prize for Top Student in the Primary Industries Academy
Henry Hobbs	Level 1 Merit Award	Amelie Robertson	Level 1 Award	Sharla Brightwell Girls Rugby Trophy for Most Improved Back (Joint Award)
Lydia Hooley	Application and Effort	Ciara Ross	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Award
MacKenzie Hunter	Level 1 Award	Lucy Ross	Application and Effort	Gracie Brine Foundation Studies
Salatielu Iakopo	Level 1 Merit Award	Jorja Roulston	Level 1 Merit Award	Level 1 Award
Iolama Iolama	Application and Effort	Charles Savage	Application and Effort	Kyle Christie Materials Technology: Building Digital Information Technology (Heartland Ricoh Prize)
Mia Jessep	Level 1 Award	Anjali Savaiinaea	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Award
Molly Jones	Application and Effort	Ella Shanks	Application and Effort	Brooke Cornish-Madden Girls Squash Champion Trophy for Squash
Angel Kohunui	Level 1 Award	Ron Sildo	Level 1 Merit Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Kurt Lamb	Level 1 Award	Charlotte Sinclair-Donnelly	Application and Effort	Imogene Felton Top Scholar in Science (Gordon Binsted Cup Ashburton District Council Prize)
Jamie Larter	Application and Effort	Harry Soal	Level 1 Award	Music
Kaleb Leonard	Level 1 Award	Neiv Sol	Application and Effort	Level 1 Excellence Award
Ashton Lilley	Application and Effort	Guy Stanway	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Fononga Lisala	Level 1 Merit Award	Conner Stewart	Level 1 Award	Heer Giroti Accounting (Brophy Knight Limited Prize) (Joint Award)
Jordan Lockington-Teokotai	Application and Effort	Amy Stilgoe	Application and Effort	Level 1 Merit Award
Mia Love	Level 1 Award	Billie Surridge	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Hamish Lyth	Application and Effort	Hannah Swindley	Application and Effort	Anna Gray Physical Education
Sefilinga Maamaloa	Level 1 Merit Award	Pevelise Taeauga	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Jervin Madla	Level 1 Award	Laurelle Tahapehi	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Misty Mafiti	Application and Effort	Jacob Tallentire	Level 1 Award	Ethan Gray Outdoor Education
Parixit Maharjan	Level 1 Merit Award	Jayden Tangaroa	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
William Makutu	Application and Effort	Gemma Tapurau	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Cassidy Mann	Level 1 Award	Sivailoa Teomatavui	Level 1 Award	Jordan Green Rakiroa Trophy for the top performing Year 11 Maori Student
Lindalaurosa Masina	Level 1 Award	Maretta Terekia	Application and Effort	Level 1 Merit Award
Lusungu Mbambo	Application and Effort	Claudia Thomas	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Rachel McArthur	Level 1 Merit Award	Shaun Thompson	Application and Effort	Elizabeth Hastie Agriculture (Five Star Beef Prize and Young Farmers Trophy)
Joel McDonald	Application and Effort	Riley Tindall	Level 1 Merit Award	Level 1 Award
Kane McDonnell	Level 1 Award	Christine Tomokino	Level 1 Merit Award	Application and Effort
Ashton McGrath	Application and Effort	Holly Trotter	Level 1 Award	Chinatsu Hunt History (Judith Prosser Cup)
Charlize McKenzie	Level 1 Award	Tc Trusler-Clark	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Amy McLachlan	Application and Effort	Tuvale Tuvale	Application and Effort	Application and Effort
Caleb McNulty-Burns	Level 1 Merit Award	Lucas Vainerere	Level 1 Merit Award	Jack Jessep Geography
Molly Milmine	Application and Effort	Bradley Vercoe	Application and Effort	Level 1 Merit Award
Ella Molloy	Level 1 Award	Henry Wallis	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
Caitlin Muir	Level 1 Award	Charlotte Watson	Application and Effort	Felicity Johnston Visual Art
Layrah Nassif	Application and Effort	Josh Wilding	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Ron Naui	Level 1 Award	Trey Williams	Application and Effort	Mya Johnston Jane Petrie Trophy for top female skier
Millar Newlands	Application and Effort	William Wills	Level 1 Merit Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Max Nicol	Level 1 Award	Jessica Wilson	Application and Effort	Application and Effort
Ian Pabualan	Application and Effort	Nicole Wilson	Level 1 Award	Jade Jung Economics
Luke Pasion	Level 1 Award	Brodie Winstone	Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
Mae Patterson	Application and Effort	Jack Withell-O'Grady	Level 1 Award	Maddi Lowry EClayton Cup for Girls' Cycling
Tokoono Pori	Level 1 Award	Jack Wood	Application and Effort	Level 1 Award
		Ophelia Yao	Level 1 Award	Tomika Lucido English as a second language
		Mickele Young	Application and Effort	Level 1 Award
		Gwen Zamora	Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
			Application and Effort	Ngahuia Maeva Te Reo Maori
			Application and Effort	Level 1 Merit Award
			Application and Effort	Application and Effort
			Level 1 Award	Joanne Mafiti Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 11 (Joint Award)
			Level 1 Award	Level 1 Award
			Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
			Level 1 Award	Myan Martizano Graphics (Herbert Watts Cup)
			Level 1 Award	Technology – Hard Materials Wood (Lynns Trophy)
			Level 1 Award	Level 1 Merit Award
			Level 1 Award	Application and Effort
			Level 1 Award	Sarah Mattson Materials Technology - Fabrics
			Application and Effort	Level 1 Award
			Application and Effort	Application and Effort
			Application and Effort	Campbell McBride Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 11 (Joint Award)

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	Level 1 Award	Jordis Double	Excellence in Money Management	Mischa Moore	Application and Effort
Eli Orena	Winner of the Year 11 Speech Competition	Mollie Elvy	Application and Effort	Simon Moore	Excellence in Outdoor Education
	Level 1 Excellence Award	Danielle Faichnie	Application and Effort		Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Metal
Paige Parker	Application and Effort	Lani Fifita	Application and Effort	Erin Murray	Application and Effort
	Hospitality	Sophie Fine	Application and Effort	Delyna Nguyen	Application and Effort
Matt Pearce	Level 1 Award	Anna Ford	Excellence in Art	Mao Nishioka	Excellence in German
	Technology - Hard Materials Metal (D R Gordon Cup)	Alia Forrester	Excellence in Agriculture		General Excellence in 10L
Aaliyah Power	Level 1 Merit Award	Kya Fox	Application and Effort	Hamish O'Reilly	Application and Effort
	Music Performance	Janelle Galos	Application and Effort		Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Wood
Zoe Ritchie	Level 1 Merit Award		General Excellence in 10M - joint award	Jesse Oakley	Application and Effort
Top Scholar in English (Ashburton District Council Prize and Stapleton Cup)	Application and Effort	Alyssa Gilbert	Application and Effort	Cedrick Orena	Application and Effort
	Dance	Archie Glanville	Excellence in Outdoor Education	Sam Orr	Excellence in Mathematics
	Drama		Application and Effort		Excellence in Science
	Achievement in Level 1 Japanese Online	Freedom-Lee Gleave	Application and Effort		Excellence in Physical Education & Health
	Level 1 Excellence Award	Henry Goodes	Application and Effort		General Excellence in 10X
	Application and Effort	Adam Goudie	Excellence in German		Application and Effort
Dillon Rogers	Top Scholar in Mathematics (Ashburton District Council Prize)	Jasmin Greer	Application and Effort	Mykel Pascual	Application and Effort
	Level 1 Merit Award	Jessica Hayman	Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics	Nuku Penisoni	Application and Effort
Riley Sa	Shepherd Cup for Commitment and Leadership in Senior Boys' Basketball		General Excellence in 10M - joint award	Kate Petersen	Application and Effort
	Level 1 Award	Kasey Higson	Application and Effort	Byron Pincott	Application and Effort
Ella Skinner	Accounting (Brophy Knight Limited Prize) (Joint Award)		Excellence in Drama	Jessie Pitney	Application and Effort
	Health	Oliver Hobbs	Excellence in Food and Nutrition	Georgie Poole	Application and Effort
	Level 1 Merit Award		Application and Effort	Sunny Rana	Excellence in Japanese
	Application and Effort		Excellence in Design and Visual Communication	Hershel Ranay	Excellence in Food and Nutrition
Mitchell Taylor	German (German Embassy Prize)	Alice Homer	Application and Effort	Kash Rapaea	Excellence in Maori Studies
	Level 1 Merit Award	Amelia Hood	Application and Effort	Rhea Rashee	Application and Effort
	Application and Effort	Hani Hurst-Evangelista	Application and Effort	Jim Reyes	Application and Effort
Nesha Thompson	Girls Rugby Trophy - Most Improved Forward	Jamila Jimenez	Application and Effort	Chloe Robinson	Excellence in Maori Studies
	Application and Effort	Zari Jimenez	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Matthew Wong	Japanese (Ton's Thai Award)	Jack Jones	Application and Effort	Georgia Rowland	Excellence in Dance
	Application and Effort	Edelma Kelsall	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Maddy Young	Food and Nutrition (Mark and Shane Prendergast Memorial Prize)	Nick Kershaw	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Wood	Hazel Ryan	Application and Effort
	Level 1 Merit Award	Jess Lamb	Application and Effort	Waimarie Seagar	Excellence in Maori Studies
		Mitchell Leath	Application and Effort	Taylor Shaw	Excellence in English
		Ruby Leverton	Application and Effort		Excellence in Social Studies
		Serena Levy-Marsh	Application and Effort		Excellence in Exercise Performance
		Emma Lill	Excellence in Agriculture	Harmony Shea	Application and Effort
			Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics		Excellence in German
Ashburton High School Centennial Trust Top Scholar Award for Year 11			Application and Effort	Ben Sheppard	Application and Effort
	Imogene Felton	Seth Lucido	Excellence in English as an Additional Language		Excellence in Outdoor Education
	Thistle Masonic Lodge Prize for Citizenship	Braden Luxton	Application and Effort	Orpah Sildo	Application and Effort
	Claudia Thomas		Excellence in Outdoor Education		Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics
YEAR 10 PRIZE LIST 2020 GENERAL AWARDS			Excellence in Music	Maddy Soal	Application and Effort
Jackson Adcock	Application and Effort	Ashlein Lyttle	Application and Effort	Sama Soailo	Application and Effort
Harvey Apolonio	Application and Effort		Excellence in Physical Education & Health	Rose Stevens	Excellence in Food and Nutrition
Shimee Araguas	Excellence in Japanese		Excellence in Dance		Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics
	Application and Effort	Sean Madla	Application and Effort	Caitlin Stewart	Application and Effort
William Armstrong	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Metal		Excellence in Digital Information Technology		Excellence in Drama
	Application and Effort	Mia Manoa	Application and Effort	James Stocker	Application and Effort
Rinna Bernabe	Application and Effort	Mina Mataiti	Application and Effort	Lj Tampipi	Application and Effort
Rachelle Bernarte	Excellence in English as an Additional Language		Excellence in Dance	Nick Taojo	Excellence in English as an Additional Language
	Application and Effort	Jasmine Matangaro	Application and Effort	Henry Thomas	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Wood
Eddie Bessai	Application and Effort	Brooklyn McHaffie	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Josh Broker	Application and Effort	Jack McIntosh	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Wood	Jessica Thomas	Application and Effort
Zara Bull	Excellence in Dance	Piper McLauchlan	Application and Effort	Daniel Thompson	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Metal
	Application and Effort	Seb McMillan	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Tasmyn Cameron-Neighbour	Application and Effort		Excellence in Design and Visual Communication	Mia Tilleyshort	Application and Effort
Lily Campbell	Excellence in English		Excellence in Money Management	Lloyd Tuhao	Application and Effort
	Excellence in Digital Information Technology		General Excellence in 10P	Sera Ula	Excellence in English as an Additional Language
	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Riley Campbell	Excellence in German	Molly Meehan	Excellence in Japanese	Cecillia Vaelua	Application and Effort
Shania Cartman	Application and Effort		Excellence in Music	Laura Walsh	Excellence in Product Design Hard Materials - Wood
Cassie Chamberlain	Application and Effort	Jack Middleton	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Max Clarke	Application and Effort	Lyn Militante	Application and Effort	Hannah White	Excellence in Art
Tim Connelly-Whyte	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Kellie Corbett	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		
Paulina Cuadrado	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		
Claudia Cudmore	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		

PRIZE LIST

Lily Williams Application and Effort
 Michael Wills Application and Effort
 Alexia Wilson General Excellence in 10N
 Application and Effort
 Jacob Wilson Application and Effort
 Sarah Wilson Excellence in Exercise Performance
 Laura Winchester Excellence in Music
 Application and Effort
 Katie Wood Application and Effort

Molly McKenna Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most
 Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 10
 Top Student in Outdoor Education
 Excellence in Physical Education & Health
 General Excellence in 10W
 Application and Effort
 Charlotte McKenzie Most Elite Junior Female
 Sportsperson in the College (Junior Girls' Sports Cup)
 ATC Trophy for Junior Shooting Champion
 A member of the Smallbore Rifle Shooting Team as
 the team that brings the most credit to Ashburton
 College (Bevan Bain Trophy)
 Application and Effort

Cara Bowker Application and Effort
 William Boyles Application and Effort
 Chloe Braas Application and Effort
 Honor Bradford Application and Effort
 Lily Briggs Application and Effort
 Riley Broker Application and Effort
 Finn Brown Excellence in Food and Nutrition
 Excellence in Music
 Latham Brown Excellence in English
 Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Japanese
 General Excellence in 9J

SUBJECT AND SPECIAL AWARDS

Kaimana Acidera Top Student in Digital Information
 Technology
 Top Student in German
 (German Embassy Prize) – joint award
 Application and Effort
 Ollie Bubb Top Student in Exercise Performance
 – joint award
 Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Drama
 Application and Effort
 Khalani Brightwell Most Improved Back (Girls' Rugby
 Trophy) – joint award
 Laura Cameron Top Student in Physical Education &
 Health
 Top Student in Materials Technology – Fabrics
 Excellence in Agriculture
 Application and Effort
 Andreea Ciora Top Student in Mathematics (McLean
 Cup)
 Excellence in Social Studies
 Excellence in Money Management
 Excellence in Art
 General Excellence in 10V
 Application and Effort
 Angela Ciora Top Student in German (German
 Embassy Prize) – joint award
 Top Student in Food and Nutrition
 Excellence in English
 Excellence in Science
 Excellence in Social Studies
 General Excellence in 10K
 Application and Effort
 Emma Cochran Clough Family Cup for Excellence in
 Investigative Science
 Excellence in Music
 Application and Effort
 Lily Davidson Top Student in Design and Visual
 Communication – joint award
 Application and Effort
 Kyle Dickson Top Student in Money Management
 Excellence in Digital Information Technology
 Application and Effort
 Simone Forster Lobato de Faria Top Student in Art
 Excellence in Drama
 Application and Effort
 Amelia Harris Top Student in English (Lonsdale Cup)
 Top Student in Science
 Top Student in Social Studies
 Top Student in Music
 Top Student in Japanese – joint award
 Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Physical Education & Health
 General Excellence in 10Y
 Application and Effort
 Fletcher Hobbs Top Student in Product Design Hard
 Materials – Metal
 Excellence in Design and Visual Communication
 Application and Effort
 Lachie Jemmett ANZ Bank Junior Cricketer of the Year
 Denise Jerao Myers Junior Netball Trophy for Skill,
 Sportsmanship and Dedication in Netball
 Excellence in Design and Visual Communication
 Excellence in Digital Information Technology
 Application and Effort
 Maria Lawn Top Student in Agriculture
 Application and Effort

Sean McQuillan Registered Music
 Teachers' Trophy for the most promising instrumental
 student in the junior school
 Excellence in Music
 Application and Effort
 Laura Mihailescu Bogdan Ashburton Society
 of Performing Arts Trophy for a student participating
 to a high standard in the performing arts
 Top Student in Drama
 Application and Effort
 Olivia Pearce Top Student in Design and Visual
 Communication – joint award
 Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Exercise Performance
 Excellence in Food and Nutrition
 General Excellence in 10J
 Application and Effort
 Grace Prendergast Top Student in Exercise
 Performance – joint award
 Application and Effort
 Princess Pureza Top Student in English as an
 Additional Language
 Top Student in Japanese – joint award
 Application and Effort
 Kaiwhaiki Peetitumango Top Student in Maori Studies
 Application and Effort
 Diego Quispe-Kim Most Elite Junior Male
 Sportsperson in the College (Junior Boys' Sports Cup)
 Ross Family Trophy – Junior Boys' Tennis Champion
 Will Rollinson Top Student in Product Design Hard
 Materials – Wood
 Excellence in Agriculture
 Application and Effort
 Lara Shierlaw Top Student in Dance – joint award
 Excellence in Japanese
 Excellence in Money Management
 Application and Effort
 Rere Strickland Top Student in Dance – joint award
 Application and Effort
 Ruby ThomasDuncan Norrie Farrier Equestrian Trophy
 Isabel Wall Toro Iwika – Archie Keepa – Kaumata
 Ashburton College 1993-2003 Trophy for Top Overall
 Year 10 M ori student
 Excellence in English
 Excellence in Science
 Excellence in Social Studies
 Excellence in Art
 Application and Effort
**Ashburton High School Centennial Trust Top
 Scholar of Year 10
 Amelia Harris**
YEAR 9 PRIZES 2020 GENERAL AWARDS
 Taymah Aiken-Wheeler Application and Effort
 Tafu Aiono Falealili Application and Effort
 Paige Aitken Application and Effort
 Emily Annear Application and Effort
 Mere Apaipo Excellence in Design and Visual
 Communication
 Application and Effort
 Jamieson Arras Application and Effort
 Phoenix Aspin Application and Effort
 Doreen Awaikera Excellence in Agriculture
 Emori Balenaisa Excellence in English as an Additional
 Language

Amelia Bruce Application and Effort
 Newel Buenafe Application and Effort
 Jack Bull Application and Effort
 Tyson Butler Application and Effort
 Lacey Campbell Application and Effort
 Izacc Carr Excellence in German
 Application and Effort
 Tamsin Cartney Excellence in Music
 Excellence in German
 Excellence in Digital Information Technology
 General Excellence in 9K
 Application and Effort
 Briar Clark Excellence in Materials Technology – Hard
 Application and Effort
 Application and Effort
 Rachel Clement Application and Effort
 Ezekiel Colcord Application and Effort
 Isla Connelly-Whyte Excellence in Music
 Application and Effort
 Stacey Cooper Excellence in Digital Information
 Technology
 Sir Aron Da-al Application and Effort
 Sam Danielson Application and Effort
 Hector Diamante Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Japanese
 Application and Effort
 Application and Effort
 Hannah Digby Excellence in Physical Education
 Zac Douglas & Health
 Application and Effort
 Tate Dryland Application and Effort
 Chloe-Lyn Edwards Application and Effort
 Maafala Faamausili Application and Effort
 Aisea Fakataha Application and Effort
 Samuel Fangai'uiha Application and Effort
 Genevieve Felton Excellence in English
 Excellence in Science
 Application and Effort
 Application and Effort
 Holly-Jayne Feutz Application and Effort
 Leigha Fletcher Application and Effort
 Meg Ford Excellence in Art
 Excellence in Materials Technology – Fabrics
 Application and Effort
 Eden Gairns Application and Effort
 Jasmine Galos Application and Effort
 Ashley Gee Excellence in Food and Nutrition
 Excellence in Materials Technology – Fabrics
 Application and Effort
 Sophie Gibson Application and Effort
 Ellie Glenn Application and Effort
 Mia Graham Application and Effort
 Nevaeh Green-Thompson Application and Effort
 Marshall Green Application and Effort
 Meadow Gulleford Application and Effort
 Maria Hala Application and Effort
 Ashlin Hala'ufia Application and Effort
 Jack Halford Application and Effort
 Izzy Harris Application and Effort
 Steven Harris Excellence in Mathematics
 Excellence in Science
 General Excellence in 9P
 Application and Effort

PRIZE LIST

Poppy Jemmett	Excellence in Art	Pairu Teokotai	Application and Effort	Lorraine Paterson	Application and Effort
	Excellence in Design and Visual Communication	Gabbie Tindall	Application and Effort		Top Student in Materials Technology - Fabrics
	Application and Effort	Lee Tod	Application and Effort		Excellence in Mathematics
Sam Jessep	Application and Effort	Tere Tomokino	Application and Effort		Excellence in Music
Hannah Joyce	Application and Effort	Pippo Trinidad	Application and Effort		Excellence in Agriculture
Sophie Kenny	Application and Effort	Sophie Trott	Application and Effort		General Excellence in 9I – joint award
Aleisha King	Excellence in Drama	Gracie Trotter	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Sam Kingsbury	Application and Effort	Savannah Tuanui	Application and Effort	Keisha Power	Top Student in Japanese – joint award
Samantha Lagapa	Excellence in English as an Additional Language	Mounga Ulupano	Excellence in Maori Studies		Excellence in Music
	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Violet Lambert-Lane	Excellence in Food and Nutrition	Ripena Umaga Vaeila	Application and Effort	Ella Rickard	Top Student in Mathematics (Williamson Cup) – joint award
	Application and Effort	Elliott Ward	Application and Effort		Top Student in Social Studies (Edsall Cup) – joint award
Kamal Larry	Application and Effort	Taylah Ward	Application and Effort		Top Student in German (German Embassy Prize)
Luke Larter	Application and Effort	Ripena Umaga Vaeila	Application and Effort		Excellence in Science
Dick Layno	Application and Effort	Elliott Ward	Application and Effort		Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics
Abbey Linwood	Application and Effort	Isla Watt	Excellence in Agriculture		General Excellence in 9V
Charlotte Livingstone	Excellence in Drama		Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Selaima Loloma	Application and Effort	Madison Whyte	Application and Effort	Keanu Smith	Top Student in Maori Studies
Wharepapa Makutu	Excellence in Maori Studies	Mylee Williams	Application and Effort	Angel Spooner	Top Student in Physical Education & Health
Iela Mangubat	Excellence in Japanese	Melissa Wilson	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
	General Excellence in 9W	Kayla Wise	Application and Effort	Madi Tourle	Top Student in Design and Visual Communication
	Application and Effort	Tessa Wright	Application and Effort		General Excellence in 9I – joint award
Ela Marilla	Application and Effort	Shawn Zietsman	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Lucy Marshall	Application and Effort				General Excellence in 9I – joint award
Sean McArthur	Application and Effort	ACADEMIC AND SPECIAL AWARDS			Application and Effort
Elyse McCallum	Application and Effort	Iulia Bessai	Top Student in Art	Rose Vannini	Top Student in Social Studies (Edsall Cup) – joint award
Jordy McGillen	Excellence in Maori		Excellence in Japanese		Top Student in Food and Nutrition
Liberty Mendez	Excellence in English as an Additional Language		Excellence in Design and Visual Communication		Excellence in English
	Application and Effort	Dale Burgess	Application and Effort		Excellence in Physical Education & Health
George Milo	Excellence in English as an Additional Language		Top Student in Materials Technology - Hard		Excellence in German
	Application and Effort	Nic Dalgety	Application and Effort		Excellence in Drama
Emma Moodie	Application and Effort		Junior Chess Champion		General Excellence in 9Y
Moana Moore	Application and Effort	E-J Elliott	Application and Effort		Application and Effort
Jared Munn	Excellence in Maori Studies		Rakiura Trophy for the Top Overall Year 9 Maori Student	Paige Williams	Top Student in English (Hill Cup) Application and Effort
	Application and Effort		Excellence in Physical Education & Health		Application and Effort
Lilly Naughton	Application and Effort		Excellence in Art	Ashburton High School Centennial Trust Top Scholar of Year 9	Top Student in English (Hill Cup) Application and Effort
Keagan Nel	Application and Effort		Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics		Ella Rickard
Talitha Nel	Excellence in Materials Technology - Hard		Excellence in Materials Technology - Hard		
	Excellence in Social Studies		General Excellence in 9L		
	Application and Effort	Olivia Fox	Application and Effort		
Tara Nevin-Smith	Application and Effort		Mihi Pai Award for receiving the most Mihi Pai acknowledgements in Year 9		
Holly Ngutu	Application and Effort		Galletly Award for Leadership, Initiative and Innovation		
Daniel Nicoloiu	Application and Effort		Top Student in Music		
Patrizio Novello	Application and Effort		Excellence in Science		
Bill'e O'Brien	Excellence in Maori Studies		Excellence in Art		
Kingsley Olawale	Excellence in Agriculture		Excellence in Drama		
	Application and Effort		Excellence in Food and Nutrition		
Ezechie Paese	Application and Effort		General Excellence in 9N		
Harsh Patel	Excellence in Digital Information Technology		Application and Effort		
	Application and Effort	Bree Greer	Top Student in Agriculture		
Maia Protheroe	Application and Effort		Excellence in Design and Visual Communication		
Ruby Robinson	Excellence in Social Studies		Application and Effort		
	Application and Effort	Luke Hay	Top Student in Mathematics (Williamson Cup) – joint award		
Tiffany Rodgers	Excellence in Materials Technology - Fabrics		Excellence in Digital Information Technology		
	Application and Effort	Kayne Johnston	Application and Effort		
Donnie Ross	Application and Effort		Smitheram Trophy for the Top Male Skier		
Tereise Salima	Application and Effort	Darcy McCully	Top Student in Science		
Charlie Scammell	Excellence in Agriculture		Excellence in English		
Mahalia Scarlett	Application and Effort		Excellence in Physical Education & Health		
Sara Sheppard	Excellence in Materials Technology - Hard		Excellence in Social Studies		
	Application and Effort		Excellence in Japanese		
Ava Sila	Application and Effort		General Excellence in 9M		
Emily Simons	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		
Sienna Skilling	Application and Effort	Sami Mead	Animal Supplies Equestrian Trophy		
Hayley Smith	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		
Stephanie Solomon	Application and Effort	Oliver-Jack Munro	Top Student in Drama		
Gregory Taumaao	Application and Effort		Application and Effort		
Raven Tayaban	Application and Effort	Jesse Nieman	Top Student in Japanese – joint award		
Liam Taylor	Application and Effort	Bella Oakley	Top Student in Digital Information Technology		



YEAR 13 GRADUATION CEREMONY



The National Anthem was led by College stalwart performer Joseph Collins.



Head Girl Poppy Kilworth and Head Boy Henry Chapman speak on a year like no other, with their own observations for the audience, and looking ahead.



Head Girl Poppy Kilworth with RO McDowell Crystal Trophy for Character and Leadership (presented by the Ashburton High School Centennial Trust)



Marshall Ashdowne with the Rakirua Trophy for top all-round achievement by a Maori student in Year 13



Guest Speaker – world-famous, but yet local, Alumnus Simon O'Neill and below performing with the Phoenix Chorus



STUDENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES

Ambassador Committee

This year the Ambassador Committee set out with clear goals in mind, to build relationships and show off Ashburton College to the feeder schools around the region. We started the year with intentions to do this through avenues such as reading and sports. We somewhat achieved our goals in what was a challenging year with COVID which largely kept us out of the schools. We started the year off with being officials at the primary schools' county swimming sports - timekeeping for races and being general helpers for the day. As the year progressed we were involved in organising the Head students to judge the Fairton speech competition. This was a very successful day as we judged the speech competition and also managed to play games and read to the Fairton School pupils.

In what was a very challenging year the Ambassador role got adapted to fit into what became normal life. This included picking up tasks and events that would usually lie outside of the Ambassador role. The first event that was picked was the RYDA Day. This was a day that promoted safe driving and gave out tips to our Year 12 students. The day was overall a success



(Pictured above, back row, left to right): Tia McCallum, Ellie Lawn, Easterlin Faamausili.
(Front row, left to right): Gemma Taylor, Jonty Small (Head of Committee), Matthew Hopkins, Hannah Kuipers.

and saw some valuable information taken in. Kotiti (Head of Sports) and I are currently organising Shave for a Cure, we hope to raise funds for blood cancer patients, by enticing students, staff and the wider community to donate and see some of our exec members' heads get shaven.

This year I am very proud of my committee members: Easterlin Faamausili, Gemma Taylor, Tia McCallum, Ellie Lawn, Matthew Hopkins, and Hannah Kuipers. They had to endure what was a very testing year with many disruptions. I wish

them all the best for their endeavours next year whether that is academically, for Leadership positions, and any sport/cultural activities. I would also like to thank the Student Executive members for making my last year at Ashburton College such a memorable year although the 6:30am wake ups were a bit of a drag. All good things must come to an end which will see the majority of Year 13 break off into other directions and hopefully make AshColl proud.

- Jonty Small

Ball Committee

This year the original ball date was June the 27th but after COVID restrictions were put in place, our ball was put on hold. After managing to secure a new date to hold it at the Ashburton Trust Event Centre, on August the 7th, this allowed us to continue with our original plans. We had Somerset Grocer as our caterers who supplied us with delicious finger food that was a hit for everyone! Flowers and Balloons helped us to fabricate our ideas and create an almost replica to our vision, for our theme of Fabulous Las Vegas. We had Street Talk as the band who performed live for us, singing old throw backs and new hit songs which had everyone up and dancing! Brent Gray did a sterling job announcing everyone's names as they walked down the red carpet and lastly to our photographers and videographers, thanks for catching all of our special moments and making it one to remember.

Due to their only being two Year 13s in the whole of the Ball Committee this year, Ms Shore Taylor took a lot of the responsibility for organising Graduation Dinner, alongside the



(Pictured above) from Left, back row: Ms Shore Taylor, Emily Wilson, Victoria Binnie, Annabel Dolan, Megan Harrison, Lucy Moore (Co-Head of Committee), Shasha Watagedara, Emily King from Left, Front row: Jacob Gray (Co-Head of Committee), Blake Farr. Inset: Buddhika Ekanayake

Head students. This year it was again held at the Hotel Ashburton who supplied us with delicious food and a great venue. One of the highlights of the night was the PowerPoint playing on loop of our Year 9 and Year 13 photos beside one another and the fun lip syncing video that we created in the last weeks of school. The night was broken into House colours where the House Captains spoke, followed by graduation certificates for those in the respective House colours. The night ended with a wrap up of

student committee reports and fun awards for 'most likely to'.

Thanks again to all who have been mentioned above and for everyone else's help behind the scenes in working with us through this tough and unpredictable year. For not only making it memorable for all of us but for being able to adapt to circumstances and creating such amazing events!

- Lucy Moore

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Cultural Committee

The Cultural Committee consisted of Ocean Waitokia, Zoila Suyat, Monaro Tahapehi, Aannana Rai, Shrina Afu, Mahina Pongia and Ilapaula Cabalse. The Cultural Committee's plans are to embrace and showcase many of the different cultures that are present at Ashburton College. With the pandemic, not many events were held, however, we did manage to have an international food day, where foods from different countries were for sale. This was a success as many students came by to support and stalls managed to sell out almost instantly. The stalls that were represented had food from the Philippines, Germany, Japan and New



Zealand. Most of the Cultural Committee team will be back at school for their last year as Year 13 and I hope they will be able to accomplish many more great plans for 2021. - Aannana Rai

From left to right: it is Shrina Afu, Ila Cabalse, Aannana Rai, Zoila Suyat, Mahina Pongia. Inset: Ocean Waitokia (Head of Committee), Monaro Tahapehi

Student Welfare Committee

This year's Student Welfare Committee was made up of Drew Porter, Emma-Paige Dickson, Sam Reilly-Sigel, Tamaki Nishioka, Lauren Taylor, Chloe Blake, and Ngakau Howell (Head). The SWC would like to thank all its members as well as the Student Executive and Mrs Bruce for all their support throughout the year. I would like to make a special thank you to all of our Year 12s who stepped up this year when nobody else did - you made this committee what it is and I know that next year you will all do amazing things. This year was exceptionally hard for us on the SWC as we were unable to achieve all we wanted. I am so proud of what we did with the 40 Hour Famine and all the money we raised for climate change-vulnerable communities in Malawi. Our group chat and meetings throughout lockdown were always entertaining and helped us keep track of what was needed of us and how we can



help AshColl during Covid. This year has been incredibly hard and I just want to congratulate everyone at AshColl for continuing to work hard through it all. To my team on the Student Welfare Committee, there is nobody I would have rather stood beside this year than all of you. Good Luck to everyone next year and keep up the good work.

- Lauren Taylor

(Pictured above, back row, left to right): Samuel Reilly-Sigel, Ngakau Howell (Head of Committee), Lauren Taylor, Emma-Paige Dickson. (Front row, left to right): Tamaki Nishioka, Chloe Blake, Drew Porter

Canteen and Environment Committee

For the duration of the year, the Ashburton College Canteen and Environment Committee has worked with the common goal of finding ways which can better the environment of Ashburton College. During Term One our committee member Matt De Ocampo organised and worked alongside a group of students to help clean and collect the rubbish in the

(Pictured right) From left to right: Logan Moore, Matt De Ocampo, Crystal Brown, Ian Jerao. Inset: Ian Teves (Head of Committee)



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surrounding gardens of R Block in addition to under the boardwalk. We collected over 100 buckets of rubbish across the term. Following the same values, the committee also took time to remind Ako classes of the importance of disposing of rubbish correctly and the

significance of recycling. Across the year the committee has worked with the lovely College Canteen Manager, Kelven, and the amazing Jo, who supported us and allowed us to better understand and comprehend the behind the scenes operations of the College Canteen,

placing us in a position where we were able to have valued input in the running of the canteen. I'd also like to thank and acknowledge all of the committee's wonderful members for their ongoing assistance and support throughout the year. - Logan Moore.

Community Services Committee

Underestimating the role of Head of Community Services has been one of the most notable mistakes I made before starting the year. Looking back at what we have accomplished is incredibly rewarding and I will start by thanking the people that kept me sane. Our committee members: Hayley, Beatrice, Irish, Mahina, Maddie and Cloe without you I would not have been able to accomplish anything throughout the year. I hope you are all just as proud of yourselves as much as I am. It was an honour chairing you all! Due to Covid we were not able to volunteer as much within the community compared to previous years. Turns out leading the Community Services Committee is harder to lead without a community. During the brief volunteering stint our committee were able to be a part of before lockdown I learnt a lot about this group. Volunteering for the Lions Club was quite the afternoon. We participated in a lot of heavy lifting. From carrying lamps, to fridges. Let's just say this short bunch could probably outlift you and I. Having a group that shared the same amazing work ethic and passion for helping others was a gold mine I was lucky



(Pictured above, back row, left and right): Cloe Stowell, Maddie Whyte. (Middle row, left and right): Beatrice Bernarte, Hayley Dickson. (Front row, left to right): Irish Bernarte, Seluvaia Ratoul (Head of Committee), Mahina Edwards.

enough to hit. So again, Thank You!

Our goal as a group was to volunteer in ways that could not only help our community in these trying times, but to encourage our own AshColl students to do the same. The initiative our committee is most proud of, is no doubt being a part of the annual Ashburton Blood Drive. We undertook the task of organising students to be a part of the two day drive. Ashburton College students made up the majority of 'brand new' donors, as well as filling up all of our reserved slots. Those needles were not the thinnest piece of metal in the world so thank you to the brave

students who donated blood. Thank you to Atawhai Te Hau, the NZ Blood Co-Ordinator for helping our committee be a part of this initiative.

I would like to thank Mrs Bruce for not only your printing account, but for your guidance throughout the year. I am sure you did not appreciate us pushing you back. So for that I'd like to thank you.

This year has been incredibly hectic for our committee, yet so rewarding. All the best for the future. - Seluvaia Ratoul.

Sports Committee

Due to a variety of reasons the sports committee has been unable to run as smoothly as it has in past years. However, the committee members; Jack Soal, Taylah Burrowes, Cathleen Anderson, Samantha Jerao, Sophie Watson and Ben Middleton have all shown a great deal of commitment and enthusiasm towards all of the activities that were expected of them and the committee. They have shown all of the great qualities that were expected of them to ensure that we all work as a well-rounded team.

Due to each of their high work ethics in school and as a committee we have been able to adapt to any of the unexpected changes that happened throughout the year. The majority of the committee consisted of Year 12 students who



(Pictured above, back row, left to right): Sophie Watson, Cat Anderson, Taylah Burrowes. (Front row, left to right): Ben Middleton, Samantha Jerao, Jack Soal, Kotiti Patea (Head of Committee).

were all equally committed and an honour to have as a part of the committee. The committee experienced many high points and moments of

solidarity which proved to me that they were the type of team that I hoped for when choosing the members for the committee.

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Throughout the year we have undertaken many different activities that were all related to sports. This included scoring and sometimes refereeing House sports, assisting Jayne with setting up the playing fields/courts for the House sports and assisting Darion Gray with any sports day events, as well as getting as many people as possible involved with lunchtime sports and activities during the year. We found that due to an unexpected lockdown because of a global

pandemic, we were unable to run as many lunchtime activities as previous years, however I hope that the Sports Committee next year will be able to get involved in as many lunchtime activities as possible. We were also unable to follow in last year's committee's footsteps as they were able to have a swimming day for the students with impairments, however I believe that getting these students involved with school activities is a worthy goal for the future.

To all the Year 13s, I wish you luck with whatever you are all pursuing in the future. I would like to thank all of the teachers that have helped pave my way over the years. I would also like to thank the rest of the Student Executive committee for all of their work and support during the year. As always, all good things must come to an end.

Thank you - *Kotiti Patea*

HOUSE TROPHY

Blue House Sneaks in to Break Red House's hold on the Trophy

Blue House was rightly jubilant at breaking Red House's five consecutive years' stronghold on the trophy, by a mere 1.71 points, over just fifteen events this year compared with 2019's twenty three events!

A healthy House rivalry permeates amongst students and staff and acknowledgement is given to the **Staff House Leaders** – Stacey Monk (Blue House), James List (Green House), Pete Lee (Orange House) and Sarah Lassen (Red House) – and to the **Student Co-Captains of each of the four House Executives** – Harriet Leverton and Liam Sullivan (Blue House); Sapphire Kururangi and Isaac Bazley (Green House); Jane Cribb and Riley Vessey (Orange House), Teresa Herewini and Joseph Collins (Red House).

Oliver Davidson was a former member of the Blue House Executive until finishing at College in August.



The Final House Points for the year were –

Blue:	116.00 points
Red:	114.29 points
Green:	92.56 points
Orange:	82.15 points

Winning Blue House members (pictured above, back row, left to right): Thomas Patterson, Harriet Leverton (Co-Head of Blue House), Stacey Monk (Staff Head of House), Emma Rollinson, Ethan Walsh. Front row, left to right: Bailey Gray, Coty Cuadrado, Milli Sullivan, Malachi Drye, Liam Sullivan (Co-Head of Blue House).

Flagpole Legacy Project

'The Year 13's Legacy Project For 2020 is up' was the announcement!

Each of the four flagpoles (pictured right), sited on the Chessboard in front of the library, now fluttering in the various wind directions represent a House at AshColl – Blue, Green, Orange and Red.

The flags will be adjusted to the height of whoever is in 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th place at the time.

A massive shout-out is given to Ashburton Contracting Limited (ACL) for installing the poles and to Head Boy Henry Chapman for organising this project!

This year's Student Executive has issued a challenge for 2021 when a competition will be held to design each House's unique House Flag.



LEADERS STILL WHEN IN LOCKDOWN

Student Executive Leaders are Leaders Still When in Lockdown

Information provided by Head Girl Poppy Kilworth with Student Executive Input

During the isolation period the College's fifteen-member Student Executive Committee was still working hard, which was challenging due to the fact that they couldn't come together to organise events. The Executive worked around this by still meeting every Tuesday morning at 8:30am, but on a Google-meet virtual meeting. Here they organised future events, discussed current events and talked about what could be done to stay connected with our school.

These discussions led to the Exec coming up with daily content to post on the Instagram, including:

Motivational Monday, TLC Tuesday, Workout Wednesday, Tiktok Thursday and Funday Friday.

Instagram is a social media platform run by Head Girl Poppy Kilworth and Deputy Head Girl Maria Costas, and followed largely by the Ashburton College Student body.

By posting daily on the Instagram the Executive was able to spread inspiration, stay involved and have some fun with the students during the quarantine. Many students took part in these daily posts/challenges which was super rewarding for the Exec.

At Dawn on Anzac Day

On Anzac Day many of the students walked to the end of their driveway, at 6:00am, for their moments of silence in respect of the ANZACs.

International Days of Celebration

Alongside this also, posted were some international days of celebration that were felt to be appropriate. Ian Teves,

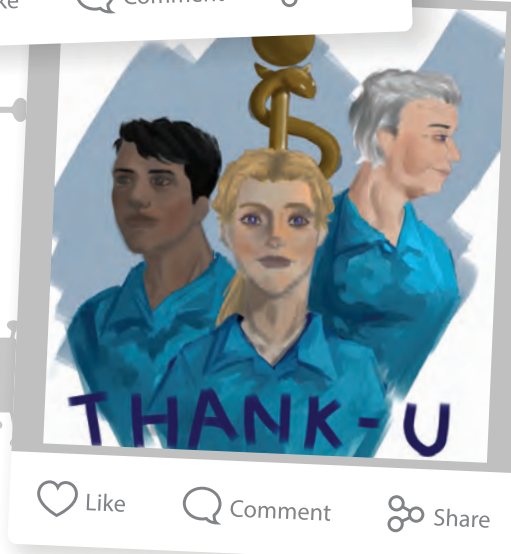
Head of the Environment and Canteen Committee, created some stunning visual art work to show appreciation for International Nurse Day, Earth Day and Orange Juice Day.

Future Exciting Events

Exciting events were planned ahead: including sending out baking to local businesses that had to work during lockdown, and a 24-hour Bike Challenge to raise funds for the Salvation Army who are on call 24/7. This was planned to take place later in the term.

As hard as these unprecedented times were, the Exec stayed strong and did its best to stay focused on improving the school.

Nonetheless they said: 'we are happy to see the back of COVID-19 and to be back at school!'



ALEX THOMSON TRIBUTE



The foundations of Ashburton College have been strongly laid by many who have gone before our current era.

Alex Thomson, Deputy Principal at College from 1976-1988, was one of these people.

After a full, lengthy life Alex sadly passed away on 16 July.

Alex's contributions to the life, work, students and staff of Ashburton College over twenty three years was impressive; from the time he commenced, as Head of Department Engineering in 1966. His teaching portfolio at that time was engineering and technical drawing. His time at College was only broken by two terms of overseas leave, one in 1980 and one in 1985, while being overseas for half of 1966.

He was 'Senior Master' from 1972-1975 prior to his appointment as Deputy Principal, the role he continued in until embarking on retirement at the end of 1988.

Talking of Alex without referring to his wife, Daphne Thomson, would not give a complete picture. They shared a strong partnership in life and at College where Daphne held equivalent roles, being 'Senior Mistress' from 1969-1978; and also, Deputy Principal – from 1978-1988. In the mid 1970's College was divided into two sections – North School and South School, with Alex responsible for North School, and Daphne for South School. It is assumed this must have made for interesting conversations!

There have been many tributes paid to Alex, all along the lines of a statement from a colleague, describing him as 'a man of great energy and accomplishment'.

Alex's strong Scottish accent remained a distinctive feature following his and Daphne's immigration to New Zealand in 1951. Alex's first career was as an engineer until, in 1957, he changed careers to train as a teacher through Auckland Teacher's College. Prior to being appointed at Ashburton College he was a teacher of Engineering at Shirley Boys' High School.

Throughout his tenure at Ashburton College Alex contributed to a number of additional roles, key of which were Head of Orange House; leading the timetable team for twenty years, with timetabling always a challenging and time-consuming role; Director of the 'Night School' programme; Second-in-Command of the College's Cadet Unit; and overseer of Teacher Day Relief, a constant task. Football coaching was another contribution.

Augmenting his attention to detail, planning and overall hard work for the College was Alex the person, importantly recognised by students as 'firm but fair'. Tributes from colleagues and friends encompassed the themes of being fair,

a real gentleman, a brilliant person and Deputy Principal, offering amazing support to new staff and all staff, a good man indeed, a good friend and mentor, a special person..

Recognised repeatedly was the generous hospitality offered regularly by both him and Daphne, with others saying they were great teachers who gained respect from their students, ran a tight ship and were lovely, a special couple.

The Mid Canterbury wider community, through his many involvements and talents, and the Ashburton College community have been the richer for Alex's commitment, capabilities, contributions and interest in and concern for others. We thank both Alex and Daphne for all they gave of themselves and their family for sharing them with us. Our thoughts are with sons Malcolm and Ian, and all family members.

(Pictured below): Alex and Daphne outside the Principals' Suite as they left for retirement, noting the fishing rod awaiting action. The contents of Daphne's gift remain undisclosed.



THE ASHCOLL WAY – STUDENT GROUP



From time-to-time we have highlighted the AshColl Way, being the Values by which we want staff and students to operate by in their daily interactions and representation of Ashburton College.

The AshColl Way is represented through our Values of Pride - Manawa Whakahi, Quality - Ako Pai and Respect - Whakaute, as promoted through the related logos.

To add to this a group of Year 9 and 10 students worked, with facilitation by Deputy Head Girl

Maria Costas, on ways to further promote these Values to the College community. Teacher James Aulsford worked with this group as required, and was the students' 'go-to' person.

This group, having reconvened in the fortnight following lockdown, met weekly to share ideas and prepare information. The intent of this group being Year 9 and Year 10 students was that they can continue this mahi forward and then include a next group of younger students.

Initiated are their Mihi Pai notebooks where

they recorded Mihi Pai issued to students who displayed the College's expected positive behaviours. The group devised a system to ensure not only the recipients of the highest number of Mihi Pai receive a prize. A series of other ideas were on the table, including videos and voice-over options, working with teachers to incorporate ideas suggested from them, teaching an AshColl Way Dance.



(Pictured above): Year 9 student Bree Greer shows adapted versions of posters she has designed for use around the College, to add to the more formal ones already on display, and to clearly show specific aspects of the AshColl Way.

(Pictured below, left to right): The group at work, sharing ideas – Amelia Bruce, Rebekah Clement, Paige Aitken, Mounga Ulupano, Bree Greer, Maria Costas, Tayla Wikitera, Jordan Green.



AUTOMOTIVE COURSE AT COLLEGE



New this year at College was the Automotive class. Teacher of Automotive Studies Kyle Backhouse-Smith said there has been a significant take-up by students, with two classes of sixteen students where they work in groups of four on all aspects of the automotive industry. Students work online in class, accessing resources and undertaking their assessments, alongside of practical work, towards gaining their MITO (Industry Training Organisation) Ignition Programme Qualification Level 2.

To date, student Tod White holds the record for the fastest tyre change (1.37 minutes). Apparently this is equal to teacher Kyle Backhouse-Smith's time!

As Automotive classes resumed after lockdown, Kyle was very pleased to report that it's all cylinders and rotors firing back onsite at College as Automotive class students are hard at work with hands-on learning' Supporting this programme is staff member Daniel Tew. The students were involved in compression testing, oil changes, panel work, head gasket replacements and water heating problem-solving across three different vehicle types, being a V6 Ford Telstra, Mazda RX8 Rotary and a Honda CRV, 2.4L. The Year 12 students pictured in this article, working on the Mazda, were involved in engine servicing, water change to solve heating issues and an inspection of the catalytic converter.



(Pictured above) Automotive class members.

(Pictured left): Samuel Corbett working on the left CV Joint.

(Pictured below left, clockwise from left): Tod White, Sophie Woods and Blake Farr, working on the CV Joint.

(Pictured below, left to right): Harry Trumper, Matt Smith (obscured), George Goodes, Nathan Steer, Samuel Corbett, Nicholas Tuck.



TRADES COURSE STUDENTS



Kyle Backhouse-Smith, teacher-in-charge of the Trades Course, advised that students gained a number of tickets as part of the process of getting 'work ready'.

Students worked through their First Aid Level 1 qualification, Pro Med Health and Safety ticket, Site-Safe ticket and their Introduction to Mig Welding through Ara Polytechnic.

This preparation is designed to ensure students are ready to safely operate on work-sites, the opportunities from which add to their job applications at a later stage.

Following this was the community component of the course where students gain experience in a range of different trades and then narrow these down to specific trade areas of interest and suitability.

Also planned for the year were the experiences of 'Plumber for a Day', 'Builder for a Day', 'Mechanical Engineer for a Day' and 'Sparky for a Day'.

(Pictured above): Ashburton College Trades Course students at Ara Polytech, Timaru. (Back row, left to right): Aidan Bennett, Timothy Poasa, Matt Giles, Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria, Jack Gibbons, Alex Chapman. (Front row, left to right): Laurence Van Zeyl-Hemara, Josh Dunlea, Lily Wills, Brontson Cudmore, Brad Blundell, Cameron Radford.

(Pictured below): Trades course students in the workshop, with Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria (front left) and Lily Wills (light blue overalls) facing the camera.



BALL - 'FABULOUS LAS VEGAS NEVADA'

Ball Report

A very successful event was held on Friday night 07 August and, again, we thank the many sectors of the community for their involvement and support. The effectiveness and buoyancy of this annual highlight on the College calendar wouldn't be as significant as it is without the help and input of the community – across businesses, parents and caregivers, co-operation around the road closure and the high number of spectators who viewed the students entering the venue.

The College's appreciation goes to Deputy Principal Helen Shore-Taylor for her oversight of the organisation and to the College's Ball Committee for their commitment, planning and hard work.

Given the COVID-19 year this has been, and delays to the initial June date, the event was all the more exciting for participants as earlier in the year it certainly didn't present as a viable option.

Ball Committee Members were: Jacob Gray and Lucy Moore (Co-Heads of Committee), and committee members Victoria Binnie, Annabel Dolan, Buddhika Ekanayake, Blake Farr, Megan Harrison, Emily King, Shasha Wategedara, Emily Wilson.

Princess, Prince; Queen, King; and Best Dressed Students:

Chosen by staff towards the end of the evening were the traditional Princess, Prince; Queen and King; and Best Dressed students.

Helen Shore-Taylor said the students were a very inclusive group, with all involving themselves in the evening's entertainment, the music, and making good use of the photo booths, with behaviour respectful of the flavour of the evening. Helen said that by the end of the evening the dance floor was 'rocking'.



(Pictured above, left to right): Henry Chapman (Head Boy) totally into the theme, and Harmyn McLean; Bobby Tomokino and Sayime Metuatini; Liam Sullivan and Charlotte Gray.



(Above, left and right) Best Dressed Year 12 Student: Annya Rawlings and Katelin Adcock. Best Dressed Year 13 Student: Daniel Lockington Teokotai and Abby Kneebone.



(Pictured above, left to right): Princess: Mahina Pongia and Isileli Ula; Prince: Blake Farr and Spencer Penman; Queen: Willow Diedricks; King: Kyle Cabangun.

GRADUATION DINNER

This annual and final College event for the Year 13 students, before they move to their post-secondary school endeavours, was held at the Hotel Ashburton on Sunday 06 December, attended by 188 students, parents and caregivers, and staff.

Key organiser, Deputy Principal Helen Shore-Taylor, said that it was a very enjoyable, formal event, where students' completion of their secondary schooling was celebrated. The evening provides a wonderful finale and group gathering to the students' years at College.

Appreciation is given to the Hotel Ashburton for their organisation and the meal quality and, from College, to Helen Shore-Taylor and Head of Senior School Abbey Bruce for their organisation of the event.

A great atmosphere had the evening ably linked together by Master of Ceremonies Deputy Principal Ron Cresswell; and added to by House Captains' final speeches for the year and presentation of Graduation Certificates to leavers; a 2020 Leavers' Video and the very amusing Year 9 v Year 13 student photo comparisons. Performances from Year 13 leaving students Joseph Collins and Jay Jung followed the welcome by the Principal and the main course respectively.



Back row from left: Jonty Small, Jacob Gray, Isaac Bazley, Liam Sullivan, Bailey Gray, Mac Burdett, George Rosevear
Front row from left: Sophie Adams, Poppy Kilworth, Hayley Tallentire, Harriet Leverton and Lucy Moore



Above: Jestena Raj, Willow Diedricks, Shania Harrison-Lee, Maria Costas



Above: Ethan Walsh, Emma Rollinson, Liam Sullivan, Harriet Leverton, Bailey Gray

BUSINESS STUDIES MARKET DAY

Year 12 Business Studies Market Day Groups Donate to Various Causes

A beautiful spring day provided improved conditions for the Year 12 Business Studies Cycle 2 Market Day on Thursday 24th September, on the College Chessboard.

Economics and Money Management Teacher Kirsty Moffett said that, after the initial Market Day in July, the Business students spent several weeks further developing their Business Plans and Production Processes for the second market day.

The AshColl 'SNAG' Group produced barbequed sausages and did a brisk trade with hungry students. Selling approximately 100 sausages they were able to donate \$59.40 to their chosen charity, Motor Neuron Disease New Zealand.

Dames American Hot Dogs solved their power issues from last Market Day and sold 64 Hot Dogs producing \$41.60 for their charity, the SPCA.

Terry TN's produced loaded wedges once again and improved their timing issues by having their wedges ready for sale at the beginning of the lunchtime. Their product was incredibly popular with students and they had sold all fifty boxes in fifteen minutes. This group donated \$40.00 to the Christchurch Mosque Attack Victims.

Year 13 'Elusive' Group T-shirts: The Year 12 Business Studies students were joined by a Year 13 group selling t-shirts which they had screen-printed themselves. This group had not sold many of their products, so showcased them for sale at Market Day as a contingency plan. This paid off and they made several sales to staff members and found that offering Eftpos helped them make sales.

Appreciation

Many thanks go to Caretakers Richard Horrell and Warren Reid for their work supporting the students, and to staff members Mandy Harrison and Kay Rotch for manning the College Eftpos machine.



*(Pictured top): Stall holders and customers at the 'Snag' Stall.
(Pictured above, left to right): Dames Hot Dog Group Megan Hurley, Alex Rielly and Damian Neal, serving customers
(Pictured right, left and right): Phoenix Andrew and George Rosevear, setting up the T-shirt stall..*



KIWISHIELD



KiwiShield – Year 13 Business Group Create VPN

Information from Ivan Mangubat

We are KiwiShield, a business group that consists of five senior students in our final year of school.

We know that the vast majority of this generation is always on the Internet, but we felt that people were not secure enough or did not understand the dangers that are sometimes present online.

(Pictured above, clockwise from the left): The Business Group of Ivan Mangubat, Marshall Ashdowne, Caleb Wells, Logan Moore and Ronan Kenny.

Our VPN App can be downloaded on Android devices from the Google Play Store.

We also have a website at <https://kiwishield.nz/> where you can learn more about our business and gain customer support.

KiwiShield will be also donating 10 cents per sale to Netsafe's Youth Action Squad (<https://www.netsafe.org.nz/yas/>).

Each week Netsafe answers about 450 requests for help related to online safety topics - including bullying, grooming, illegal content and scams.

Connect to a secure VPN made by Kiwis, for Kiwis.

So we chose to create KiwiShield VPN, a fast and secure virtual private network made by Kiwis, for Kiwis.

Our vision is to provide a secure, private and affordable connection to ensure that all users' data is not compromised or stolen. We utilise the skills our directors are developing in their online classes in Computer Science and Web Development.

ECONOMICS

ASX Sharemarket Game – Year 12 Economics Students

Economics teacher Kirsty Moffett advised that our 2020 Year 12 Economics students were very fortunate to be offered the opportunity to play the Australian Sharemarket game this year.

The game involved investing \$50,000 in

companies of their choice from the Australian Sharemarket, and Michelle Parkin from Forsyth Barr Ashburton very kindly donated her time to mentor the students and teach them about the sharemarket.

Team Members

Three teams were involved: 'Alpha' consisting of Ged Wall, Flynn Mackenzie, Parker Bradford

and Ben Simons whose portfolio was worth \$44,571 at the end of the competition.

'The Wolves Of Walnut Ave' were Sam Holland, Harry Trumper, Jayden Marshall and John Magyaya whose portfolio was more successful, finishing at \$50,015.

Creditable 10th New Zealand Placing

The all-girl team 'ODE', of Emma Scammell, Drew Porter and Olivia Lill were very successful and considered in their investing, coming a creditable 10th from 189 New Zealand teams entered.

The team finished with a final portfolio value of \$52,477.

Appreciation to Forsyth Barr

(Pictured left) is Michelle Parkin from Forsyth Barr with the winning girls' team of (left to right) Emma Scammell, Drew Porter and Olivia Lill and their winning prize of an Echo Dot Smart Speaker, each kindly donated by Forsyth Barr Ashburton.



COLLEGE COFFEE LAB

The Ashburton College Coffee Lab is a focused, quietly purposeful team-learning environment. Under the experienced tutelage of Pauline Blunden Year 12 and Year 13 students are learning step-by-step Barista processes. To the casual observer, this fine art has a number of complexities to it, let alone learning how to deliver a quality product and service under time and customer pressure.

The course, part of the Hospitality Food and Nutrition subject range, supports students to develop skills suited to employment in the hospitality sector, and to evaluating what type of employment they may wish to pursue. The two-day courses are an option for Year 12 and Year 13 students.

For Year 12 students (at Level 2) the course is about equipment, the coffee and the beans, while at Level 3 (Year 13) after a 'refresher' time it is about groups of two-four students learning to run the lab independently. Both levels undertake a theory assessment alongside of the practical assessment.

From this the progression is preparation for student and staff customers at intervals and lunchtimes, Mondays through to Thursdays, offering coffee of choice or hot chocolate

for sale. Year 13 students are required to undertake a minimum of thirty hours of customer experience and work in order to achieve their Level 3 Barista Unit Standard.

(Pictured right, left and right): Ayana Kageyama and Amy Kleber undertaking theory component work.

(Pictured below): Steph Geeson checking instructions as she works at the coffee machine, while (pictured below right) John Radan and Evangeline Radan dispense coffees.



COLLEGE HOSPITALITY COURSE

College Hospitality Course: Off-Site Experience for Students

At the end of August, eighteen Year 12 students from the College Level 2 Hospitality Course were hosted by staff at the Hotel Ashburton, for a two-hour practical session.

Students were given a tour of the facilities and were involved in a number of activities including table setting, order taking and beverage service. As they were setting up for lunch and dinner service, hygiene and accuracy were emphasised.

Teacher Kent Slocombe said that fortunately all survived having their drink

order served to them, although not without the odd scare!

Ashburton College thanks the Hotel Ashburton Management and Staff for their support of this programme.

(Pictured below left): Charlotte Thomas delivers the order to 'guest' Gabby Naylor.

(Pictured below): Charlotte Thomas takes care with her drink order under the close supervision of Hotel Ashburton's Event Co-ordinator Paige Lott.



COMMUNITY ENTRY PROGRAMME

Peel Forest Horse Trekking

At the end of Term Three, as part of their outdoor education activities programme, students and staff from Ashburton College's Community Entry Programme headed to Peel Forest to trek along the Rangitata River.

Andrew Shepherd, College Counsellor and Community Entry Programme support, said the staff at Peel Forest Horse Trekking were fantastic, ensuring the novice riders felt confident before taking on the

challenging terrain of the riverbed over the two hour trek.

(Pictured below, left to right): On their trusty steeds – Denise Farr (Community Entry Programme Manager), Lela Butler, Ainsley Worling, Damian Akaroa, Andrew Shepherd, Pip Giles-Hosken (Learning Support Assistant), Brad Foster, Waimanu Edwards.



DEBATING

Two Wins at Inaugural Selwyn Schools' Debating Competition

Teacher of English Penny Bayley said that, on Tuesday 17 March, College had a Junior and Senior Debating Team travelling to Lincoln High School for the inaugural Selwyn Schools' Debating competition which is planned to be held once a term in 2020.

Results

Both College teams were very happy to have a win, and were rewarded with chocolates by their Lincoln hosts!

The Senior Team of Year 12 students; Lauren Taylor, Tia McCallum and Gemma Taylor successfully negated the moot that 'This house would ban cosmetic surgery' against the Ellesmere College Senior Team.

The Junior Team of Chloe-Lyn Edwards (Year 9), Danielle Faichnie (Year 10) and Genevieve Felton (Year 9) successfully affirmed the moot that 'This house supports parents having access to all their kids' online activity' against the Lincoln High School Junior Team.



(Pictured above, left, left to right): Junior Team members, Chloe-Lyn Edwards (Year 9), Danielle Faichnie (Year 10) and Genevieve Felton (Year 9)



(Pictured above, left, left to right): Senior Team members, Lauren Taylor, Tia McCallum and Gemma Taylor.

ASHBURTON COLLEGE LIBRARY

Library Study Nights in August and September an Unprecedented Success

Study Nights in the Library (Te Whare Pukapuka Matauranga) have been operating for a good number of years, as a way of supporting students in their preparation for practice and external exams. Teacher Librarian Anne Williams said that the latter years of a more formal arrangement of accessing teaching staff volunteers, advertising the evenings to the student body has paid dividends in terms of numbers of students attending.

The library staff are certainly acknowledged for their management of this programme. Anne said that, in the early years, it was celebrated when thirty students attended – on a good night.

This has changed over the years and the uptake by both staff and students this year hit an all-time high. Over the seven nights, there

were 537 sign-ins by students and twenty eight staff members supporting the students.

Putting these numbers in perspective, attendance at Study Nights leading up to external exams last year, held 394 sign-ins over ten nights.

On Tuesday 02 October alone, 94 students signed in, with a second room being opened up to accommodate everyone.

These evenings provide an opportunity for students to ask questions of staff, learn how to revise effectively, to collaborate with each other and staff, and to adopt positive exam preparation procedures.



We acknowledge the students' commitment and mahi (work) by staff, not just for making Study Nights happen but also meeting students outside of the Study Nights to provide revision support during free periods, intervals and lunchtimes, across departments.

STUDENT LIBRARIANS AND VOLUNTEERS

The Ashburton College library, Te Whare Pukapuka Matauranga, has a marvellous team of student librarians and volunteers.

Anne Williams, Teacher Librarian and eDean, said that every year approximately twenty five students volunteer to become student librarians at Ashburton College. The students apply for the positions, and train for a term, before being assessed and earning their 'Librarian' badge.

Their role involves working at intervals or lunchtimes to help the Librarians with tasks such as issuing and returning items, helping other students, answering library-based queries, shelving books and items and helping with displays.

Alongside this team our library staff are also fortunate to be supported by sixteen Year 13 volunteers. These students give up one of their study times each week to run the library front desk. This is a great experience for them and a way for them to give back to the College community they have been part of for four years.

Our Student Librarians and Volunteers are an invaluable part of the library team.

Those involved in 2020 are:

Student Librarians: Emily Annear, Ethan Annear, Irish Bernarte, Rachel Clement, Rebekah Clement,

Miar Diab, Jessalene Eclipse, Ines Forster Lobato de Faria, Olivia Fox, Emily Greer, Hannah Kuipers, Hayley Luxton, Rona Malabuyoc, Iela Mangubat, Harrison McKee, Lara Shierlaw, Zoila Suyat, Eliane Vinculado, Shasha Watagedara, Paige Williams.

Library Volunteers:

Laurraine Aperocho, Anna Bennett, Irish Bernarte, Chloe Blake, Crystal Brown, Nadine Cabanatan, Joshua Cameron-Neighbour, Hayley Dickson, Klara Harrison, Lily Lyu, Rona Malabuyoc, Lottie Norton, Yvangelina Radan, Zoila Suyat, Winonalei Tupa, Amy Zhen,



(Pictured above): Henry Goodes shelving books.

(Pictured below right, left and right): Laurraine Aperocho and Yvangelina Radan, Year 13 Volunteers, shelving books on the Returns Trolley.

(Pictured left): Student Librarian Hannah Kuipers at the Issue Desk organising a pile of books to return.



READING MENTOR PROGRAMME

AshColl Reading Mentor Programme Future Guaranteed

After a slow start this year, due to the COVID-19 lockdown, the Ashburton College Reading Mentor programme kicked into gear again in Term Two.

Joanne Wakelin, Reading Teacher, Reading Mentor Programme Co-ordinator and Within-College Hakatere Community of Learning (Kahui Ako) Literacy Co-ordinator, said that this successful mentoring programme has run for many years and continues to go from strength to strength.

Sponsorship Appreciation

Advance Ashburton, along with other community organisations Altrusa Club of Ashburton, Rotary Club of Ashburton and the Ashburton Plains Rotary Club have been sponsors of the programme in the past.

On-going Commitment by Advance Ashburton

This year Advance Ashburton has confirmed an on-going commitment to ensuring the programme remains funded.

This security is wonderful news for the College. Sandi Wood, Advance Ashburton Executive Officer visited College recently, getting the opportunity to see the programme in operation. Sandi was impressed with the structure, which sees specifically selected Year 12 students volunteering to read to Year 9 students.

(Pictured right): Advance Ashburton Executive Officer, Sandi Wood with the Year 12 Reading Mentor leaders.

(Pictured below left): Year 12 Student, Emma-Paige Dickson, reading to her Year 9 buddy.

(Pictured below right): The Reading Mentor programme sees students in small groups all around the Library.

(Pictured below): Advance Ashburton Executive Officer, Sandi Wood with the Year 12 Reading Mentor leaders during her visit to see the programme in operation.

The scheme initially started following the research of Dr Joseph Driessen, a renowned academic on raising student achievement and due to the encouraging results every year, the scheme has become a permanent part of the College programme.

The scheme not only has positive academic results, but the role modelling and mentoring by the senior students has had many wonderful spin-offs for the Year 9 students, including things such as increasing their confidence, encouraging them to be on time for school and their classes, and helping with personal issues. Senior students also gain leadership skills and enjoy the mentoring opportunities.

We thank Advance Ashburton, along with our other anonymous donor, for ensuring that literacy continues to be a priority at Ashburton College.

This year's Reading Mentors have been:

Katelin Adcock, Ethan Annear, Taylah Burrowes, Georgie Cartney, Emma-Paige Dickson, Malachi Drye, Alex Eddington, Buddhika Ekanayake, Ian Jerao, Hannah Kuipers, John Magyaya, Tia McCallum, Ben Middleton, Dennis Nguyen, Tamaki Nishioka, Hannah O'Reilly, Thomas Patterson, Mahina Pongia, Drew Porter, Samuel Reilly-Sigel, Emma Scammell, Marlese Schoonderbeek, Milli Sullivan, Eliane Vinculodo.



SPEECH COMPETITIONS

These competitions took place in the College Auditorium on Wednesday 21 October (Year 12 and 13) and Wednesday 28 October for Year 11 students.

Appreciation

Our appreciation again goes to Don McLeod and Denise O'Halloran for judging both events. Both come with expertise in this field. We thank our judges for their continuing support of our school and students.

Final Year 12 and 13 placings were –

- 1st Year 13: Henry Chapman - 'Failure Builds Resilience'
- 1st Year 12: Lauren Taylor - 'The Obvious? Sexism'

Year 11 Student Competition

Six Year 11 students took to the stage to present their speeches for this annual event.

Prior to the finals day, students gave a thirty second byte of their speech in a twelve-person run-off, to win a position in the competition. This alone exemplifies the strength of oratory skills within our school.

Topics covered material ranging from pigs as allies in space exploration, through to being true to yourself. Judges Denise and Don, were both impressed with the speakers' clarity and engagement of the audience.

Final Year 11 placings were –

- 1st: Eli Orena - 'Luck and the Individual'
- 2nd: Ciara Ross - 'The Referendum on Medicinal Marijuana'
- 3rd: Salatielu Iakopo - 'Technology and the Teen'



(Pictured above, left and right): Year 12 finalist Easterlin Faamausili and Year 12 winner Lauren Taylor.



The top six students who made their way into the finals competition were (pictured above, left to right) Imogene Felton, Eli Orena, Salatielu Iakopo, Ciara Ross, Mae Patterson and Anna Gray.

DRAMA

Year 13 drama students took to the stage on Thursday 15 October to present the bittersweet comedy Nightcleaners, by Angie Farrow.

Claire Bubb, Teacher of Drama and Dance, said the play focuses on a group of night cleaners who work at the Allied Airlines building, where we meet the unsavoury junior manager, Darren Sharp, who has little or no respect for the cleaners and their dreams.

When he loses an important file, he promises the cleaners a free airline ticket to find it for him, which leads to them exploring where they would take off to if they 'won' the ticket. However, once the file is found, Darren Sharp does not make good on his promise and we see everyone get their just desserts - especially the ones who tread on the dreams of others.

The cast performed with great skill and the audience was unanimous in their praise of those involved.



GOT (GET OUT THERE) DAY

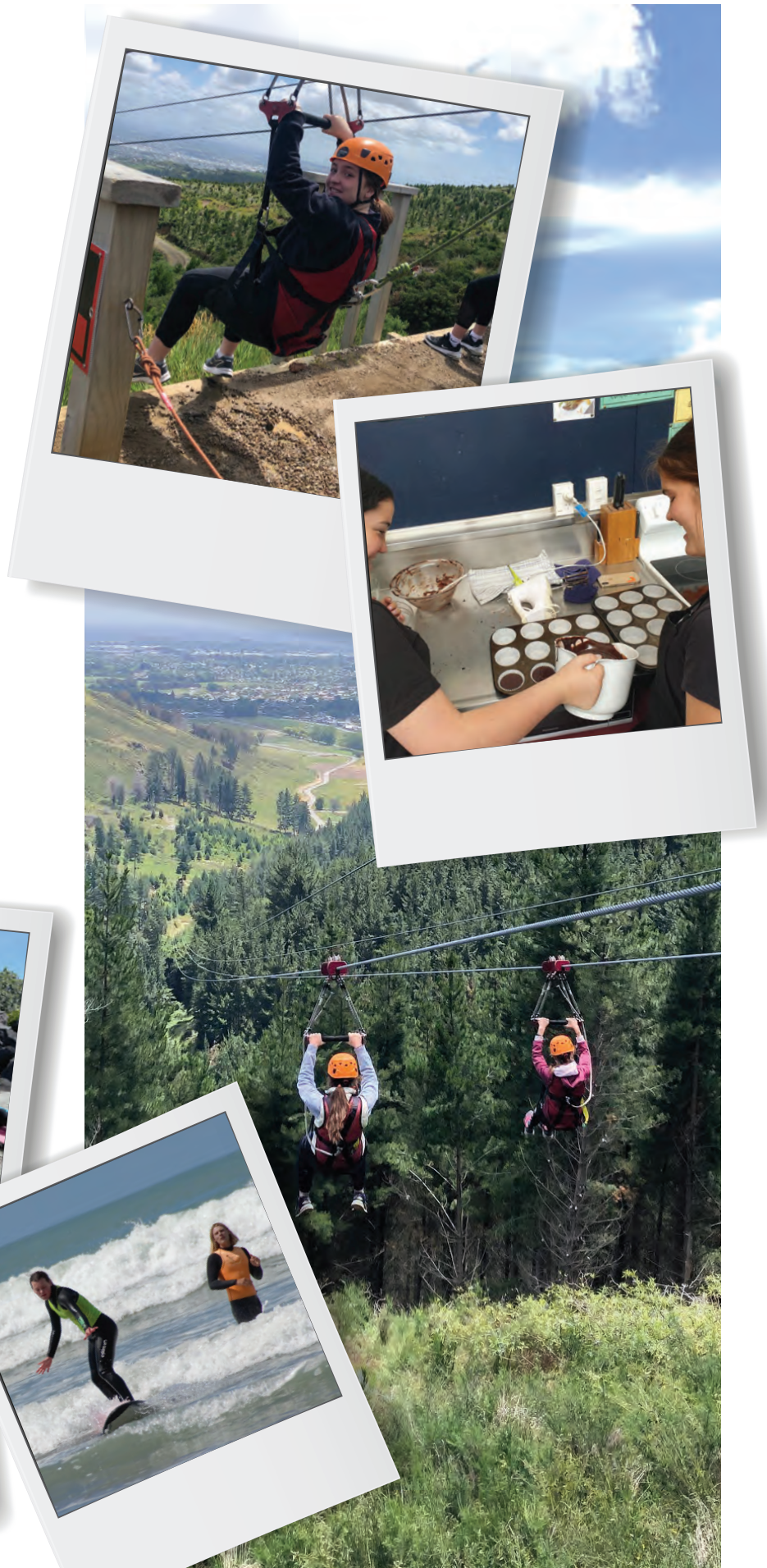
The annual GOT (Get Out There) Day, was held for Year 9 and 10 students on Tuesday 01 December on a day which, after rain the previous day, turned out to be fine and suited to the activities.

Administrative organiser Karen Stockdill, from the College Office team, is thanked for mahi and efficiencies, which saw just under 350 students out and about the county, further afield and undertaking activities at College, which was also a hive of purposeful activity.

Eighteen different activities went ahead on the day. Christchurch-based activities were at Adrenalin Forest; Zip Line at the Adventure Park; Escape Artist; Ice-Skating and Jellie Park; Orana Park; Paintball; Mega Air and Rock Climbing; Surfing at Sumner Beach; Mini Golf and Ten Pin Bowling; Mountain Biking at the Adventure Park.

Around the district students were involved in Fishing at Lake Lyndon; and Clay Shooting/ Archery/Golf mini-Olympics challenge.

At College were Board Games and E-Sports; Cake Decorating; Masterchef and serving Christmas Dinner to some of our Support Staff; Craft - from Christmas decorations to wire art; Volleyball and Basketball with barbecue lunch; Bake, Balance and Binge (baking and icing cupcakes, Les Mills Body Balance, Binge - (movie 'Mean Girls' while eating a cupcake or two); Maori craft.





GERMAN CLASS

This is Language – Nutty Tilez Winners in Oceania Top Ten

In German classes, teacher Tom Kitchen and students use an on-line learning tool called 'This is Language' for vocabulary, grammar and various other language learning aspects.

As with last year our College students of German took part in the annual 'This is Language' Nutty Tilez competition, where students play against other students in real time, recalling vocabulary they have learned.

For each correct answer, a student gets a point in a square in their colour. Students win by either knocking out the other players (filling the entire square with their colour), or by having the most amount of colour in the square at the end of two minutes. Students only have five lives and lose a life by spelling a word wrongly.

The competition ran over the weekend of 06-08 March with a qualifying round on Friday, where students had to reach a certain level after twenty four hours to qualify for the final round which ran over Saturday and Sunday.

Excellent Results

College students placed extremely well with eight finishing within the Top Ten in Oceania, and gaining all of the top three placings as well.

The College students were in the Australasian competition, competing against students from New Zealand, Australia, Hong Kong and Singapore.

The eight College students and their Top Ten placings were – Tamaki Nishioka (1st), Brendan Fleming (2nd), Riley Campbell (3rd), Mao Nishioka (5th), Angela Ciora (7th), Olivia Lill (8th), Marlese Schoonderbeek (9th), Aidan Soal (10th).



(Pictured left to right): The top three place-getters Brendan Fleming, Tamaki Nishioka and Riley Campbell.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

International Students' Day Trip

On Friday 31 January Michelle Hosking, our International Director, had the pleasure of taking international students new to College, to the picturesque Lake Tekapo to experience one of New Zealand's finest tourist spots.

International students starting at College this year have come from Japan, Germany and Argentina. They were warmly welcomed into College and well-supported by their buddies during a three day orientation programme designed to ensure that they had a positive start to the year.

As always Lake Tekapo was stunning, despite strong winds, with the group visiting the Church of the Good Shepherd (pictured above) and taking on the steep three-hour loop track climb to the summit of Mt John and site of the Mt John Observatory. From there they enjoyed the 360 degree stunning views encompassing Lake Tekapo, the Southern Alps and the Mackenzie Basin Flat.

The day was finished off experiencing the Jumpernaut, Aqua Drop and



relaxing in the hotpools. Michelle said it was a real pleasure seeing current AshColl students making sure the new students had a very positive Kiwi experience.

Through the year international students also had the chance to try horse riding, skiing, ten pin bowling, surfing as well as many exciting activities.

This year proved challenging for everyone and to all parts of the world with COVID-19. The International Department would like to extend a special thanks to our wonderful host families who made their home 'bubble' inclusive for our International Students.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



International students tried horse riding, surfing, paddleboarding as well as many other exciting activities.



INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES WEEK

Kia ora! Guten Tag! こんにちは! Bula! Talofa Lava!

Namaste! Kamusta! 你好! Hola! Hello!

Languages Week was held from 25-29 May, with students having a chance to win prizes. This year the event was held online, answering quizzes prepared by the Languages teachers, with students testing their knowledge of languages and cultures throughout the world.

Monday's quiz topic was culture, Wednesday - language, and Friday - food.

The purpose of the week was to raise awareness of international languages and promote cultures that we have here at school by including questions that only people from that culture might know. From this it was hoped that conversations would be sparked with other people about what that food might be, what is in it, and similar.

Each student who submitted their answers before 3:30pm on Monday, Wednesday and Friday received a Mihi Pai, went into a draw for a Chocolate Bar Spot Prize, while the top student gained a \$20 Canteen Voucher.

Organiser Tom Kitchen advised participation levels were high, with over 700 responses received during the week and an impressive number scoring high marks.

Prize-winners were:

Vouchers for the top students – went to Jaimee Chute, Henry Goodes and Ron Naui.

Spot Prize winners –

Year 9: Tamsin Cartney, Rebekah Clement, Kayne Johnston.

Year 10: Charlotte McKenzie.

Year 11: Denzel Banghal, Jack Brown, Jade Jung, Amy McLachlan, Jervin Madla, Joanne Mafiti, Connor Stewart.

Year 12: Kaitlin Adcock, Laurissa Crawley, George Goodes, Ian Jerao, Raungaikore Makutu, Damian Neal, Mahina Pongia, Marlese Schoonderbeek, Penina Vaelua.

Year 13: Anna Bennett, Maria Costas, Ryan Geeson, Chloe Johnson, Lisa Lemberg, Sapphire Kururangi, Roi Makutu, Lagisa Teomatauvui, Zac Woolf, Amy Zhen.

(Pictured below): Prize-winners pictured with teaching staff members (left to right) Hiromi Horsley, Tiipene Philip and Tom Kitchen.



JAPANESE CONSUL PRIZE



Japanese Consul's Prize for Madison Brown

Year 12 student, Madison Brown received the Japanese Consul's Prize and Ton's Thai Award and Top Student in Year 13 Japanese, at this year's Year 11 and 12 Prize-giving. Her teacher of Japanese, Hiromi Horsley said that Madison has been learning Japanese one year ahead of her year level since she was a Year 10 student.

Described as having a huge knowledge of Japanese culture and lifestyle, Hiromi advised further that Madison's understanding of language is amazing, learning new Kanji (a system of Japanese writing using Chinese characters), vocabulary and grammar every day.

Madison participated in the College's 2019 Japan Tour and had various experiences such as homestay, and attending the College's Sister School in Japan, Tokorozawa Kita High School, plus visiting famous tourist spots in Hiroshima, Kyoto, Osaka, and Tokyo.

LEADERSHIP CAMP

The camp this year saw a change from long-standing tradition, with an outside provider running the bulk of the programme, as opposed to staff.

Staff member Ron Carlson said forty-three keen and enthusiastic students arrived on Monday 27 January to take on a variety of challenges over three days, and based this year at Glenroy Lodge, in the Hororata region.

With some added exciting outdoor activities the students were ready to take on the challenges including Cave Stream and a 30metre abseil at Washpen Falls.

After a series of challenges designed to develop individual skills and other leadership activities the group was ready to make their leadership aspiration speeches and vote for this year's House Captains.

House Captains 2020

The successful contenders and thus House Captains for 2020 are –

- Blue House** Harriet Leverton and Liam Sullivan.
- Green House** Sapphire Kururangi and Isaac Bazley.
- Orange House** Jane Cribb and Riley Vessey.
- Red House** Teresa Herewini and Joseph Collins.

Congratulations go to these students on their success.



(Pictured above): Jonty Small undertaking the abseil.



Exiting Cave Stream, with instructors. (Pictured right, left to right): Ocean Waitokia, George Rosevear, Matt De Ocampo, Jonty Small, Zac Woolf, Jack Savage, Riley Vessey, Teacher Ron Carlson, Jane Cribb, Logan Moore. (Front from right): Penny Stilgoe, Anna Bennett, Sapphire Kururangi.



JUNIOR SKI DAY 2020

LEADERSHIP CAMP



(Pictured above): Oliver Davidson, Ngakau Howell, Liam Sullivan, Ethan Walsh first off the block in the Minefield Challenge where students had to move across a set area standing on a number of plates but remaining constantly in contact with the ground. The winning team was the team who achieved getting their whole team across in this manner.

MATHEMATICS - PROGRAMMING 4 GIRLS



On Tuesday 17 November six Year 10 girls went to University of Canterbury to participate in a nationwide Programming 4 Girls Competition.

Teacher of Mathematics Liz Cabout said that this was a problem-solving competition where the answers had to be found using the Python programming language, which is an interpreted, high-level and general-purpose programming language. The aim is to help programmers write clear, logical code for small and large-scale projects.

Results

Twenty seven teams took part, competing in pairs, and our students finished with Erin Murray and Orpah Sildo in 11th place, Isabel Wall and Tayla Wikitera in 13th place and Maddy Soal and Alexia Wilson in 19th place.

Liz said that these were great results as programming with Python was new to our girls. They had completed a basic online course prior to attending the competition, had two hours practice on the university system on the morning of the competition and then the competition began at 12 noon, for 2 hours. These, therefore, were good outcomes.

(Pictured left, clockwise from top left): The AshColl pairings of Alexia Wilson and Maddy Soal; Tayla Wikitera and Isabel Wall, Orpah Sildo and Erin Murray.

GREAT KIWI MATHEMATICS

Outstanding Mathematics Results and Top Student for Luke Hay

During Term Three several students entered both the Great Kiwi Mathematics Competition and the Australian Mathematics Competition. These are online problem-solving competitions where the students have one hour to complete the questions.

Assistant Head of Mathematics Faculty Liz Cabout said that this year we had some outstanding results:

In particular, Year 9 student Luke Hay gained Distinction and the top student result in the Kiwi Mathematics Competition placing him in the top 0.5% of Year 9 students who entered. Luke also gained High Distinction in the Australian Mathematics Competition, placing him in the top 3% of his year group.

In the Kiwi competition other students to do very well were Hector Diamante and Ella Rickard who both scored in the top 25% of Year 9 students.

In the Australian Mathematics Competition Jacob Swan, Steven Harris and Ella Rickard all gained Distinction, scoring in the top 20% of their respective year groups.

Only very capable students enter these competitions which makes these results even more impressive.

Full results are:

Great Kiwi Mathematics Competition Results

Participation: Andreea Ciora, Nic Dalgety, Alice Homer, Jordy McGillen, Iolanthe Mangubat, Keagan Nel.

Achieved (top 50%): Kaimana Acidera, Laura Cameron, Steven Harris, Laura Jensen.



(Back row, left to right): Jacob Swan, Hector Diamante, Ella Rickard. (Front row, left to right): Steven Harris, Luke Hay.

Merit (top 25%): Hector Diamante, Ella Rickard.

Distinction (top 0.5%): Luke Hay

Australian Mathematics Results

Participation: Laura Cameron, Shasha Watagedara.

Proficiency (scored greater than 32%): Marc Calzada, Angela Ciora, Nick Collie, Jordy McGillen, Dillon Rogers, Ryan Robinson, Credit (top 55%): Zane Cameron, Gian Diamante, Brendan Fleming, Dominic Hay, Iolanthe Mangubat, Keagan Nel, Cedrick Orena.

Distinction (top 20%) Steven Harris, Ella Rickard, Jacob Swan.

High Distinction (top 3%) Luke Hay.

AORAKIMATHS COMPETITION

Strong Results at AorakiMaths 2020 Competition

Held in Timaru on Wednesday 05 August at Timaru Boys' High School, this is a problem-solving Maths competition where teams of four work to answer twenty questions in thirty minutes.

Year 9 Competition – first place

Teacher of Mathematics Liz Cabout said that the Year 9 competition

consisted of twenty eight teams. This number certainly made the competition a challenge to come out near the top, which the College teams achieved.

(Pictured below): The teams hard at work, with the College Year 9C team at the front centre table.



AORAKIMATHS COMPETITION

The AshColl Year 9C team finished in first place, well clear of the rest of the field. Team members were (pictured right, left to right, with their trophy): Steven Harris, Luke Hay, Finn Brown and Nic Dalgety.

They achieved the ultimate outcome by answering all twenty questions correctly with just under ten minutes to go.

The competition's second placed team answered nineteen questions correctly but took almost all of the thirty minute allocation.

The AshColl Year 9B team of Ella Rickard, Melissa Wilson and Hector Diamante were very narrowly beaten into fourth place with seventeen questions correct.

Our other AshColl Year 9 team of Lela Mangubat, Genevieve Felton, Sophie Kenny and Leigha Fletcher, finished very creditably in the middle of the field.

Year 10 Competition – second place

The Year 10 competition consisted of twenty one teams, with the Ashburton College team of (pictured right, left to right) Braden Luxton, Cedrick Orena, Andreea Ciora, Angela Ciora finishing in first equal place.

They were then forced into a three-way tie breaker against Timaru Boys' High School and Roncalli College, finishing in second place with Timaru Boys' High School first and Roncalli College third.



ASHCOLL MATHS COMPETITION

The AshColl Year 9 and Year 10 Maths Competitions took place at lunchtimes during the last week of term.

The teams of four had twenty minutes to answer fifteen problem-solving questions. Assistant Head of Faculty Liz Cabout said although there was a small number of entrants, they were keen and enthusiastic with some good outcomes achieved.

Results were:

Year 10 Competition

1st placed Andreea Ciora, Angela Ciora, Braden Luxton and Cedrick Orena – with thirteen questions correctly answered.

2nd placed Mollie Elvy, Ben Rushton, Maddy Soal, Isabel Wall – eleven

questions correct.

Year 9 Competition

1st placed Nic Dalgety, Steven Harris and Luke Hay – impressively with all fifteen questions answered correctly in ten minutes!

2nd placed Ella Rickard, Ruby Robinson, Melissa Wilson – thirteen questions correct.

(Pictured below): Groups of Year 9 and Year 10 Students working on their questions.



ANNUAL CHESS MATCH

Staff v Students Chess Match – Fourth Consecutive Victory to the Staff!

Held on the Chessboard on 16th October, this annual event was again held according to a pre-drawn historical set game of Chess but with the shifting and removal of chess players aided by copious amounts of water!

We are assured that this annual end-of-year event started as a very formal affair, with players wearing 'boards' depicting their positions. At some stage it morphed into the event it is today, always a lot of fun, and providing wonderful opportunities for students to douse staff and vice versa. It can be challenging to distinguish between staff and students when it comes to enthusiasm and water skills.

As is also traditional, the staff moves are made by a staff member who is leaving College. Jason Vannini Master of Ceremonies suggested this as being a long-serving older staff member, well-respected and leaving College at the end of the year. Mary-Anne Evers fitted the last two of these criteria!



(Pictured above, left and right): Year 13 student Aidan Soal College Senior Chess Champion; and Mary-Anne Evers – teacher of English and Senior Dean.



(Pictured above,) Water by the bucketful.



(Pictured above): The two teams combined for the post-match photo, with Mary-Anne Evers (back row) triumphantly holding the trophy aloft. There will doubtless be double security for next year's chess match draw, given this was the fourth consecutive victory for the staff side!

SCIENCE LEARNING

Connecting Real World Experience to Science Learning

Science teacher Heena Shah's Year 12 Science class worked towards their Education for Sustainability NCEA Achievement Standard. This standard requires students to investigate physical and biological factors within a river system. They are also required to discuss the interactions between these physical and biological factors and then human activity impact on the river system.

The standard requires students to gather data as well as research these aspects.

Two time slots were undertaken in relation to this Standard. The first



(Above, left to right): Noah Clement, Jayden Butler and Ryan Cox collecting living organisms/invertebrates from the creek water.

was on Friday 24 July at the Wakanui Stream, Argyle Park, where students were able to action the practical water testing component. This was made available via the Waterwatch–Wai Kaitiaki Education programme with the students having an opportunity to use scientific gear and methods to collect relevant data.

One of the objectives of Waterwatch is to provide schools and community groups with the expertise and equipment to study their local waterways.



(Above, clockwise from front left): Gabby Naylor, Teacher of Science Heena Shah, Chloe Guthrie and Tegan Boath separating invertebrates from the water sample.

YEAR 12 ANTARCTIC CENTRE TRIP

Year 12 Science Students to Antarctic Centre

Outlined as a 'fantastic trip' this was undertaken by Year 12 Science students when they visited the Antarctic Centre in Christchurch, towards the end of Term 3.

Teacher Heena Shah said that Miranda Satterthwaite, a well-informed scientist, took them on the journey to learn about the 'Extreme Environment' that is the Antarctic. Students learnt a lot about the continent; the conditions; adaptation of animals; and implications of not looking after this pristine environment. Attending the presentation was described as a privilege, thoroughly enjoyed by the students, as were the Hägglund ride (the all-terrain amphibious Antarctic vehicle) and the 4D movie. With 3D glasses participants are 'wobbled' in their seats, have mist and wind blown in their faces, feel 'things' grabbing at their legs and see incredible sights on the screen.

The day's learning dovetailed with students' current NCEA standard. Following this visit students then completed their research and reporting.



The class group in the Storm Room, where an Antarctic Storm is simulated.

TE WHARE MANAAKI CELEBRATION



Te Whare Manaaki Prize-Giving and Farewell Lunch

Held on Wednesday 02 December this event was its customary celebratory occasion followed by a superb lunch contributed to by all families.

Teacher-in-Charge Cheryl Hardy and Support Teacher Porsha Coley spoke to the year that had been, to the students' successes, family support and to the renaming of the Student Learning Support Unit to the more relevant Te Whare Manaaki. Cheryl outlined the historical titles through to the decision for this rebranding.

Cheryl said further that this was an opportunity to celebrate the name change to Te Whare Manaaki, citing manaaki as a lovely word of inclusion and caring, being supportive and welcoming. All students are Ashburton College students and being part of that community and having a sense of belonging prepares them well for life. Sometimes reading and writing are better enhanced or replaced with life skills that enable students to increase their success in social interactions and achieve their potential.

Learning in Te Whare Manaaki gives an individualised programme of support for each student, assistance in mainstream classes, an alternative space to reinforce that learning, and stress-free opportunities to grow and learn social and life skills.

2020 has shown that these students have meaningful learning when they feel accepted and enjoy positive relationships with others, with our thanks to the support from our Principal, Deputy Principals and the College Pastoral team.

Looking ahead, the pending rebuild looks to provide Te Whare Manaaki with a positive learning environment.

Students then ably each presented a personal summary of the meaning of Te Whare Manaaki to them.

(Pictured top, left to right): Te Whare Manaaki students presenting their outline of what the name change meant, and what the title meant to them: Delta Taeauga, Danny Glanville, Jacob Olsen, Raglan Patrick, Jonathan Hardy, Chelsea Cheesman, Dom Wayman, Rebecca Wilson, Hayden Miller (partially obscured, in wheelchair), Harry Johnston, Keira Moodie and Stacey Cooper.

Awards were presented by Deputy Principal Jono Hay (pictured middle right) presenting awards to Raglan Patrick, and (below) to Keira Moodie.

Pictured right: Stacey Cooper shares a moment with Deputy Principal Ron Cresswell, after receiving her awards.



PAKEKE LIONS DAY OUT

Students from Te Whare Manaaki were treated to a wonderful day out by the local Pakeke Lions Club at the Plains Museum in Tinwald, on Wednesday 25 November.

Staff and students were given rides in vintage cars and a police car; received presents from Santa and had an amazing barbeque.

Lions members Trevor Andrews and Peter O'Neill organised the 2020

event with Sandy McNeill, a Learning Support Assistant at College.

Cheryl Hardy, Teacher-in-Charge, said that this day out and the organisation by the Pakeke Lions 'is a special relationship that has grown through this annual event now of at least twenty five years. Te Whare Manaaki staff and students feel like we have been adopted by a caring group of people.'



(Pictured above): The group of students, College Staff and Pakeke Lions Club members.

(Pictured below, left and right): Raglan Patrick at the barbeque, and Keira Moodie enjoying the ride in one of the vintage cars.



MASTERCHEF

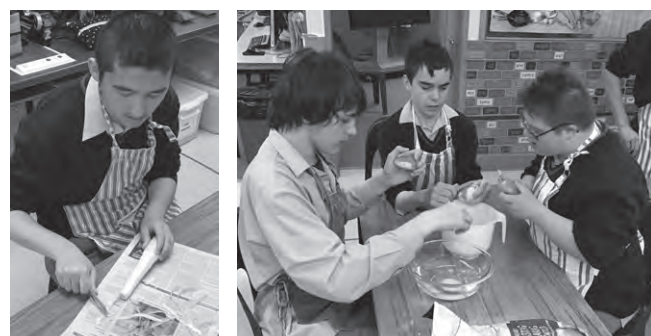
Master Chef Skills by Te Whare Manaaki Students

Te Whare Manaaki students used their life skills to great advantage towards the end of Term Three, preparing and cooking a roast chicken dinner.

Teacher-in-Charge Cheryl Hardy said that their menu read: roast chicken with stuffing; roast potatoes, kumara, parsnip and pumpkin; cabbage; mixed vegetables; gravy and mint sauce.

Also provided were sausages and chips for the 'alternative' eaters! Dessert was fruit and ice-cream.

Peeling and preparation involved both learning how to peel and cut vegetables, and then lots and lots of practice. Of course, the best part was the eating!



(Pictured above right, left to right):

Harry Johnston, Raglan Patrick and Delta Taeauga enjoying their meal.

(Pictured right): Jonathan Hardy peeling parsnips and learning a new skill (and left to right): Raglan Patrick, Cody Robin and Jacob Olsen peeling potatoes ...and there's still more in the bag!

PHYSICAL EDUCATION YEAR 13 DUATHLON

Oliver Davidson blitzed the field in the Year 13 Physical Education Duathlon held on Thursday 28 May in cool but fine conditions. The 3.3km run and 10.6km mountain bike was scheduled to take place on 09 April but this of course was disrupted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Throughout Term One students had been training around the streets of Allenton initially, and then on the Ashburton River Trail, which many students found quite challenging. All students were encouraged to run and cycle during the lockdown, as they were able to do so within the various restrictions.

Outcomes

Competition amongst the males is always fierce and 2020 was no different to other years. **Liam Sullivan** (pictured right) was the stand-out runner while **Oliver Davidson** was the standout mountain bike rider. These two were pushed hard by **Isaac Bazley** whose lockdown training paid off as he came in in second place while **Zac Woolf** and **Mac Burdett** stormed in for 4th and 5th placings.

The female competition was taken out by **Poppy Kilworth** (pictured right) who was very pleased to sneak into Excellence level with eight seconds spare. **Sophie Adams** (pictured far right) made up three minutes on the mountain bike to take out 2nd placing over **Anna Bennett**.

Twenty two students started the race, with only two not reaching the Achieved level time.

Results and times were:

Males:		Females:	
Oliver Davidson	38.34	Poppy Kilworth	53.46
Isaac Bazley	42.50	Sophie Adams	56.17
Liam Sullivan	43.02	Anna Bennett	58.00

Appreciation

Many thanks go to the all-important Course Marshalls: Ron Carlson, Vaughan Matheson, Helen Shore-Taylor, Debbie Van Rooyen, Emma Waite. Paul Macfie was 'tail-end Charlie', while Darion and Kieron Gray were chief photographers for the event.



Zac Woolf heading-off Isaac Bazley



(Pictured bottom left): Oliver Davidson en route to recording the fastest time of the day.

(Pictured below): Christian Juntilla airborne as he negotiates the cycle trail.



ASHBURTON RIVER TRAIL BIKE TRIP

Ashburton River Trail Bike Trip for Physical Education Assessment

Physical Education teacher Ron Carlson said that Tuesday 26 May was the day set for the Year 11 Physical Education students' bike trip down the river trail track, with the purpose of this outing being to practise safety in an outdoor activity, a part of the assessment for an Achievement Standard in their course.

The course was in good condition, however Ron said that for many of the students not having been on a bike for a number of years nor on a track surface provided some new challenges, leading to a number of minor incidents at the start as they got used to the conditions of the track.

However, as they were required to demonstrate key aspects including self-management, good communication and working together, the group performed well with many instances of these being demonstrated.

In many cases the course was completed in good time, with a few catch-ups along the way for instructions and, despite the unfamiliarity of the activity students finished in high spirits despite being a little muddy and dirty.

From this it is back to class to complete the written work following the event.



(Pictured above, left to right): Jack Nicol, Bailey Hill, Bradley Vercoe, Cole Aitken.

(Pictured right, left to right): Elizabeth Hastie, MacKenzie Hunter, Amelie Robertson, Lusungu Mbambo, Mya Johnston, Holly Trotter.



SECOND RIVER TRAIL BIKE TRIP

Second Year 11 Class to Ashburton River Trail

On Friday 05 June, Physical Education teachers Rachel Donaldson and Hannah Young, had the second Year 11 Outdoor Education Class biking, and getting muddy, on the Ashburton River Trail.

Rachel said that the eighteen students enjoyed a part-day out of the classroom, despite the cold temperatures, and the puddles that surrounded the track. The purpose of the outing was for students to be

able to gain experience on the track for their future assessment around self-management strategies. Students also had time to show off their jumping skills at the skills park!

(Pictured below): Some of the group assembling for action: (Clockwise from front left): Georgia Hart, Charlize Mckenzie, Hannah Young (Teacher), Brodyn Gabites, Danny Glanville, John Forstner, Josh Feron, Neiv Sol, Charles Savage, Ethan Gray.



SECOND RIVER TRAIL BIKE TRIP

The class, overall, finished the track in good time showing their experience and confidence in outdoor activities. Rachel advised this was exciting to see as the class prepared also for their first hiking trip of the year, scheduled to Wool Shed Creek next Friday, 19 June.

(Pictured below, left and right): Bradley Cumberland, Bradley Vercoe, attack the mounds. Pausing in preparation for progress.

(Pictured right, front - left to right): Josh Feron, Neiv Sol, Charles Savage. (Back): Danny Glanville.



SAFETY OUTDOORS

The Year 11 PED (Phys Ed) course students, during the last week of Term Three, completed their Achievement Standard on Safety in the Outdoors.

Teacher Ron Carlson said that twenty four students headed to Peel Forest to complete a loop around the Fern Walk to Allans Track, then to the Acland Falls before returning to the carpark and the vans.

While conditions on the drive up were windy, the track was very sheltered and mainly within the bushline, giving pleasant conditions for the type of activity.

The focus for the students was to demonstrate safe practices in an outdoor activity. The track gave ample opportunity to demonstrate this with a mixture of gentle rolling terrain, to some fairly steep climbs, to a narrow track that was a little slippery covered in tree roots. A few minor stumbles happened but there were no real injuries and the group managed the complete loop in a much quicker time than expected. This allowed them time to return to College with time to complete the write-up while the experience was fresh in their minds.

Prior to this outing the class had completed a cycle ride along the Ashburton River Track, also with the intent of demonstrating safe practices, showing good communication and positive team work.

(Pictured below): The group at the carpark prior to setting out.

(Pictured bottom, left to right): The quickest group around the circuit, William Makutu, Bradley Vercoe, Ben Glenie, Cole Aitken and Bailey Hill.



TRIPS & EXCURSIONS GEOGRAPHY

Year 13 Geography Class to Hakatere River Mouth

On Tuesday 03 March the Year 13 Geography class took a quick trip down to the mouth of the Hakatere River. Teacher Annie Lees said that, currently in Geography, students are studying Coastal Processes and looking at coastal features like spits, and also the process of Long Shore Drift (LSD).

The mouth of the Hakatere (pictured below left) shows well how Long Shore Drift and the Hakatere River moves sediment along the coastline. This visit was compared against photos taken on 21 July last year when the river was in full flood, and the riverbed looked very different.

(Pictured below, back row, left to right): Estee Aiolupotea, Josh Ackerley, Ryan Gosling. (Middle row, left to right): Ronan Kenny, Jestena Raj, Harriet Leverton, Paddy Dekker. (Front row, left to right): Lachlan Kingan, Isaac Bazley, Henrik Tawatao.



Year 13 Geography Field Trip To Kaikoura

The annual Year 13 Geography Field Trip to Kaikoura took place from Wednesday 12 - Friday 14 August, accompanied by teaching staff members Annie Lees and Jemma Hurst. Annie said that this is a trip usually made in late autumn, so the group saw the peninsula in a different season.

The class was based at the Canterbury Underwater Club Lodge on Torquay Street, which is not quite the working environment

groups used to have at the UC lab on the Esplanade, but adequate just the same.

Having studied, in the classroom, interacting natural coastal processes for ten weeks (back in Term One before lockdown) it was time to see if these really did occur in the 'field'. The group was fortunate to have reasonable weather conditions when walking around the peninsula.

Activities at this time included avoiding seals (!), surveying slopes, avoiding seals,

not falling over on wet rocks, avoiding seals, field sketches and observing and analysing the landscape. Did Annie mention avoiding seals? She noted that some students were really not very keen on this smelly, snorting and yawning mammal!

The group travelled back to Ashburton on Friday afternoon, having successfully completed collecting data for use in an Internal Research topic, and more able to make connections between the theory of coastal processes and their operation in the Kaikoura environment.



(Pictured left, left to right): At Jimmy Armer's Beach ready to start the Beach Profiles exercise: Harriet Leverton, Henrik Tawatao, Hayley Dickson, Estee Aiolupotea, Jestena Raj, Ronan Kenny, Annie Lees, Ryan Geeson, Lachlan Kingan. (Front): Isaac Bazley.

At the South Bay Reserve (pictured right, front row, left to right): Hayley Dickson, Henrik Tawatao, Jestena Raj, Isaac Bazley. (Back row, left to right): Lachlan Kingan, Ryan Geeson, Ronan Kenny, Teacher Annie Lees, Estee Aiolupotea, Harriet Leverton.



TRIPS & EXCURSIONS HISTORY

Year 12 and 13 History Trip to Banks Peninsula

On Thursday 19 March, College's Year 12 and 13 History students were treated to an adventure to Banks Peninsula to investigate the local history of the area. Teacher Greta Hampton said it was an early start and a long, but worthwhile, day for students and staff as they visited many places of historical significance on the Peninsula.

Students enjoyed a walk up Onawe Peninsula to see the site of the battle between Ngati Toa chief Te Rauparaha and local Ngai Tahu chief Te Maiharanui. Other highlights included visits to the French cemetery, local museum and Britomart, the site where Britain raised their flag and claimed sovereignty over the French in the area (*pictured right*).

There were also lots of laughs, diet coke and lollies during the day!

Students will use the research they did at the site to complete internal assessments towards NCEA.

Teaching staff accompanying the group were Greta Hampton, Amanda Grigg and Patrick Sandrey.



TRIPS & EXCURSIONS OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Year 12 Outdoor Education Students Mt Somers Trip

The Year 12 Outdoor Education classes had their second and final tramping trip for the year on 27-29 July. Teacher Luke Martin said that due to everything that has happened in recent months, the venue of this hike was changed to a three-day trip around Mt Somers, staying at both the Pinnacles and Woolshed Creek huts.

Considering it was winter the weather was great, which made the trip that much more enjoyable, as it was perfect tramping weather. With some snow still around, this gave students the experience of hiking through snow.

The first two days made for some challenging but reasonably short days, giving students time to iron out any issues that arose - from poorly packed bags, straps that needed adjusting, and figuring out a pace that everyone could walk comfortably at and stay as a group. By day three they had these minor issues all sorted, which was good timing as the last day was the 'biggie', being an 8 hour hike back to the Sharplin Falls carpark from Woolshed Creek hut.

Luke noted that staying in the huts gave everybody the chance to rest up and enjoy a few card games, while the fire did its job



keeping everyone warm. He also said that it was great to see all students improve their tramping skills over the three days, taking onboard advice from each other as well as learning from their own mistakes.

(Pictured above, left to right): Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria, William Joyce, George Gooles, Josh Dunlea and Laurence Van Zeyl-Hemara taking a well-deserved rest at the 'bus stop'.

TRIPS & EXCURSIONS OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Year 12 White Water Rafting Trip

Outdoor Education teacher Luke Martin said that the Year 12 Outdoor Education students were very happy indeed to get the 'nod' to be able to head out on their trips again.

White Water Rafting down the Rangitata River on Wednesday 17 June became the first trip after lockdown and, although in the middle of winter, the weather-gods played nicely and put on a warm sunny day.

The trip gave students the opportunity to put into practise what they had learnt from their Risk Management Unit. Luke said that it is all well and good talking about risks and how to minimise them, but first-hand experience is always more meaningful.

All students gained some helpful insights from the experienced guides and were able to

discuss strategies used to minimise the risks associated with white water rafting.

The day was enjoyed by all and, for all, it was great to be back in the outdoors. Several students braved the cold to jump overboard towards the end of the trip, while some chose the stay-dry approach. At a balmy 7 degrees this option seemed sensible.

It was rewarding to have the guides say they were very impressed with our students, commending them on their behaviour and positive attitudes.

(Pictured below): The students ready to go.

(Front row, left to right): Buddhika Ekanayake, Samuel Reilly-Sigel, Dennis Nguyen, Alex Eddington.

(Back row, left to right): Soshin Kobayashi, Victoria Lovett, Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria, Nathan Steer, George Goodes, Connor Mackenzie, Josh Dunlea, William Joyce, Blair Donaldson, Alex Chapman.



Outdoor Education Classes Tackle Little Mt Peel

Two Year 10 Outdoor Education classes benefitted from superb weather for their tramps to the top of Little Mt Peel.

Monday 07 September Trip

Teacher-in-Charge Ron Carlson said that Monday dawned bright and clear and one of the groups of the Year 10 Outdoor Education classes gathered to travel to Peel Forest where

they were set to tackle Little Mt Peel.

Nineteen students, with two staff (Ron Carlson and Rachel Donaldson) set off on the journey to walk up the South Ridge track to the Trig Station at the top, and planned to return via the Deer Spur track.

The trek up took about three hours with some steep sections and a little bit of snow along the way. A short lunch break at the top in the hut was a welcome break, albeit with a cold wind blowing from the mountain tops.

The journey down was much easier, and with the help of a series of boardwalks on the upper slopes. However, most of the way was through a little run-off causing a lot of mud with many squeals and yells emitting, given balance was often difficult.

The quicker-footed students completed the downward journey in only an hour and a half, and then spent a little time in the cold creek at the car park cleaning off the layers of mud!

Ron said that a very successful day was had but he suspected there were a few sore bodies the next day.

Tuesday 08 September Trip

On Tuesday the second Year 10 Outdoor Education group went on their hike up Little Mt Peel, accompanied by Teacher-in-Charge Luke Martin and Phys Ed teacher Annabelle Simpson.

Luke said that many students had fond memories from their Year 8 experience of climbing Little Mt Peel, only to find this time would be slightly more challenging due to taking the South Ridge route to the top. This route is just a little bit steeper than the usual Deer Spur route.

The weather was again superb, which meant a great day's hiking for the group. There were some students who found the climb pretty tough but they persevered and made it to the top, with many of the students feeling proud of what they had achieved. It was great to see the groups working together and helping each other along the way.



At the Trig Station (Pictured top left, front row, left to right): Teaching staff member Rachel Donaldson, Georgie Poole, Vince Cabading, Matthew Binnie, Hani Hurst-Evangelista. (Back row, left to right): Jemma Burns, Nic Stringer, Ashlein Lyttle, William Armstrong, Ben Sheppard, Logan Scammell, Simon Moore.

(Pictured left): Students enjoying lunch at the top after their tough ascent. (Left to right): Hazel Ryan, Chloe Rutledge, Eddie Bassai, Logan Johnson, Braden Luxton, Mason Bird, Molly McKenna and Jake Lawson.

TRIPS & EXCURSIONS OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Year 11 Outdoor Education Students to Mt Thomas

Mt Thomas lies in the foothills of the Southern Alps, in the Oxford area. Made up of 10,800 hectares of native tawhai/beech and scattered podocarp forests, this is an area of interest and information.

On Friday 11 August Phys Ed teachers Rachel Donaldson and Luke Martin, with a dozen Outdoor Education class students tackled this

(Pictured right): Group members heading up the track into the falling snow.

(Pictured below, left to right): Trying to keep warm at the summit are Ethan Gray, William Makutu, Danny Glanville, Oakley Gairns, Jamie Larter, Guy Stanway, Bailey Gleeson, Georgia Hart, Elizabeth Hastie, Brodyn Gabites.



tramp up the 1023 metre high Mt Thomas. Regarded as an advanced tramping track, this is a 4-7 hour outing!

Rachel said they had a great day, completing the walk in a very good time and, with snow falling at the top of the mountain, there were great scenic views, albeit a very cold temperature.



Year 12 Outdoor Education Weather-Impacted Mountain Bike Trip

From 16-18 September the Year 12 Outdoor Education students took part in their last trip for the year and, said Teacher-in-Charge Luke Martin, 'what a trip it was'.

The group was scheduled to complete part of the Ghost Road Trail on the West Coast, just past Reefton, with staff members Luke and Rachel Donaldson. Wednesday night was set for camping out at Lyell Conservation Campground, which turned out to be 'an experience'. Luke said that it rained all night and by 3:00am the wind was 'quite strong, to say the least'.

Due to this wild weather, it was decided on Thursday morning that it was safer to not attempt the trail and to head back via Hanmer Springs and bike some of the trails there. This turned out to be a great call as the weather only got worse on the Coast.

A lunchtime arrival at Hanmer Springs saw them ready to finally get some mountain biking in, in fine sunny weather but the forecast was for possible rain, snow and some strong wind gusts later. Fortunately, this held off until the evening and all students got the chance to try many of the trails (pictured right, front to back): Nathan Steer, Jack Cochrane, Sam Reilly-Sigel, Connor Mackenzie, Blair Donaldson and Alex Eddington.

Thursday night's camping was at the Forest Campground, where the owners very kindly gave the group some rooms, seeing the snow was imminent. This made for some very happy students and a restful sleep after the previous evening. Upon waking up all were welcomed by plenty of snow (pictured right).

Luke said that all students had a great time, were a credit to the College with their behaviour, and got some great experience in dealing with making last-minute changes around safety when dealt with challenging weather conditions.



TRIPS & EXCURSIONS OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Overnight Mountain Bike Trip, 11 and 12 November

First up was a cycle trip along the Ashburton River Trail to Hakatere at the coast. Sixteen students made this journey in pleasant, warm conditions, starting the day with a short journey to the Skills Park so the troops could get their balance and show off their skill levels. Then it was off on the 27km trip to the coast. With a few breaks along the way the group arrived, with no mishaps.

Preceding the afternoon of some game activities and a short exploration around the area, were the organisational factors of setting up camp, followed by a little time to recover! A warming fire at night on the beach and the cooking of a few snags topped off the day.

The second day started with organisation of gear for loading into the van. Teacher Ron Carlson noted that the trip home was a lot slower as a few tired bodies and legs kicked in.



Undertaking the stretcher activity. Students had the task of building a stretcher to carry an injured person over rough ground for a reasonable distance to simulate what could happen on an outdoor activity.

Bush Survival Camps

During the week of 23 November, the two Year 10 Outdoor Education classes had their Bush Survival camps, on 23 and 24 November, and 26 and 27 November. One group was led by Ron Carlson, and the other by Luke Martin.

The focus of the camps is to demonstrate a number of the survival skills for the outdoors, including building and sleeping in an emergency shelter; lighting a fire from scratch; collecting fresh water; emergency first aid training; and a few other minor activities.

Ron said their group completed their camp with a few minor incidents. The evening was made eventful by a nosy possum that was chased through one of the girls' shelters with the resulting chaos. However, apart from an injury in the evening's Spotlight game the students survived, despite having very little sleep. They returned to College the better for their experience.



Group members at the Acland Falls, one of the walks at Peel Forest

TRIPS & EXCURSIONS ENGLISH

Heritage Centre Visit for Year 13 Students of English

As part of their English programme and visual text study of 'Jojo Rabbit', the anti-hate satire film by Taika Waititi, Year 13 students of English took in the Children's Holocaust Memorial at the Ashburton Art Gallery and Heritage Centre on Friday 28 February 2020.

Max Reeves, the Visitor's Programmes Co-ordinator, challenged the students to take a critical view of the exhibition in terms of how it is presented and its relevance today as an exhibition in Ashburton.

The exhibition highlights the loss of innocent Jewish children at the hands of the Nazis by displaying 1.5 million buttons in a stair format, each button representative of the loss of a child's life.

The exhibition challenges the viewer to consider the loss of innocence and the scale of the horrors of the Holocaust by beginning the display with an orderly display of buttons in small metal boxes. The individuality of each unique button is then deliberately lost amongst the more disorderly arranged buttons in taller metal boxes, the tallest of which are unable to be viewed as they reach towards the ceiling.

Max then took the students through a question and answer session gathering-in their understanding of themes the exhibition presented, as well as the intended audience and how the message could reach different people in different ways.



TRIPS & EXCURSIONS INNOVATION

Year 9Y trip Ashburton River Trail

Choosing Innovation Class placement has been an option available at College since the start of 2019 for Year 9 students and, this year, extending to students transitioning into Year 10 this year.

The 9Y class decided on 'Identity in Mid Canterbury and Diversity' as the topics to explore this year. Earlier in the year, the group checked out the wonderful facilities at Lake Hood and also mountain-biked the Ashburton River Trail.

The topic was a co-operative venture involving teachers Karen McKenzie (Phys Ed), Mary-Anne Evers (English) and Greta Hampton (Social Sciences) and the students of 9Y.

For many, the mountain bike experience was a novelty and - while most coped very well with the jumps, drops, berms and twisting track - some found the boardwalks a little narrow and others had difficulty negotiating the loose gravel.

The Ashburton Skills Park behind Ashburton Contracting Ltd, tested everyone's skills.

9Y's trip to Lake Hood was a perfect example of cross-curricular learning in action

Mary-Anne described that, at Ashburton College, Innovation Class teachers work to create authentic learning opportunities that incorporate skills and knowledge from each of their learning areas.

On the Lake Hood trip on Tuesday 17 March, Health and Phys Ed featured in the physical activity of walking the lake and exploring its sporting connections to our community and wider (pictured below).

Social Studies featured in study of the



Donnie Ross (pictured above left) was able to show some excellent skills while Rose Vannini (above right) was the most adventurous of the girls.



role Lake Hood plays in the Mid Canterbury identity as a recreational and sports area, as well as the planning and administration around the creation of such an area.

English skills were put to use in a reflective blog post where students wrote about their experience and included visual representations (photos) of their experiences.

As an extra, a number of keen students ran the whole lake, but most took the option to enjoy a brisk walk, followed by lunch lake-side.

Students thoroughly enjoyed their time and are already thinking of other opportunities to apply their Innovation class learning in real life.

Museum Trip for 10Y Innovation Class

Angela Mitchell, Head of Social Sciences Faculty, outlined one of the activities undertaken with 10Y Innovation learning this year, encompassing collaborative learning from both the English and Social Studies learning areas.

The learning this term was focused on two of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals - Reducing Inequality and Ensuring Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions.

On Tuesday 17 March the class spent the afternoon at the Ashburton Museum learning about Protest. Protest can be used to bring attention to situations where inequality may have existed or where peace and justice were not present.

There are many great historical examples of people and groups who have used various forms of protest to stand up for the rights of others, with the students shown historical examples of protests in New Zealand that were highlighted in the Topp Twins' exhibition. These protests included the Springbok Tour, New Zealand's Nuclear Free stance, Gay Rights and Bastion Point.

The students then started to design their own Protest to campaign on an issue of importance to them. This was a great learning opportunity as a lead into their Innovation Project for Term One.



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(Pictured above): Students brainstorming issues that are of importance to the youth of New Zealand, by creating a person with a placard. (Left to right): Amelia Harris, Ruby Thomas, Sarah Bradley and Alice Homer.

Many thanks are given to the Ashburton Museum staff for hosting us.

Industry by Year 10 Social Studies Classes

Teacher and Head of Social Sciences Faculty Ange Mitchell advised that the Year 10 Social Studies classes were studying an Economics Unit during Term 3.

The final project completed by them was 'Industry Innovation', a group assignment where students selected a New Zealand business or industry to study.

The project goal was to investigate the past, present and future of the New Zealand industry. Students looked at how the industry has already contributed to the New Zealand economy, as well as how it could change or



(Pictured above, left to right): Hershel Ranay, Princess Pureza and Andreea Ciora with their display showing Melancholy Island and environmental impacts.

adapt in the future to help deliver a higher standard of living within New Zealand and for its people.

Students considered a variety of aspects including sustainability, environmental impact, health and wellbeing, employment and economic growth.

'Survival' Innovation Project

Teacher of Science Heena Shah said that Year 10V students worked on the concept of 'survival'.

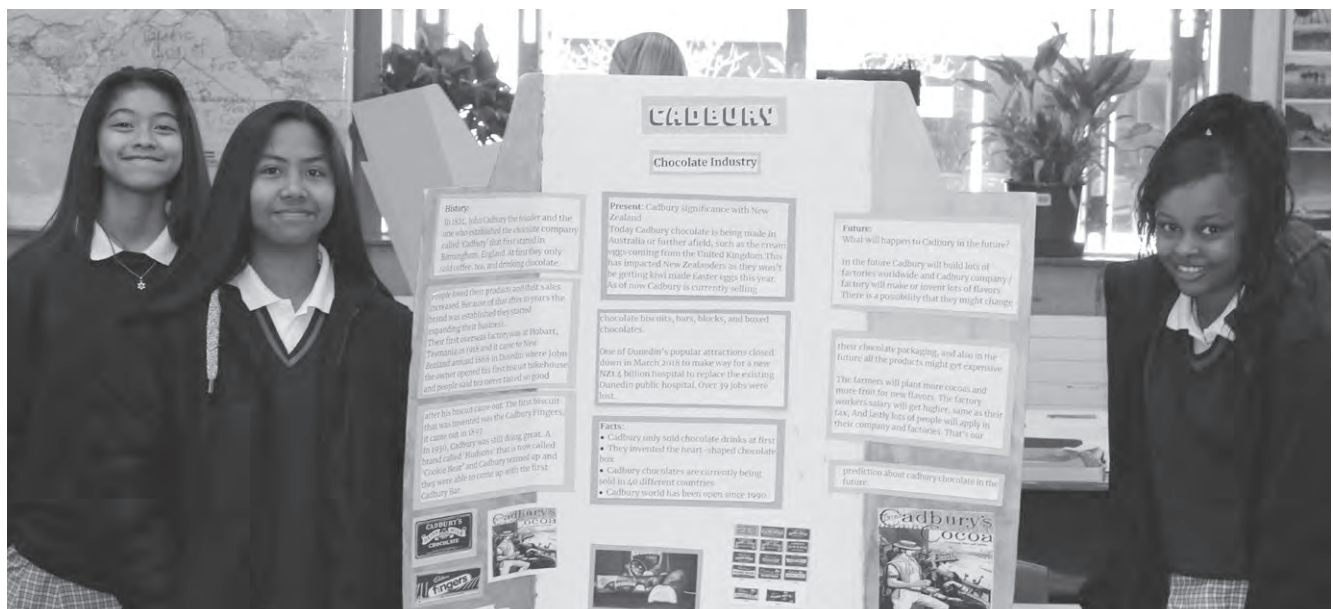
This encompassed all the discussions on the pandemics as well as covering basic ideas of survival for humankind, including food, shelter and clothing. Student explained these factors with the help of scientific investigations such as 'how to keep warm' or 'what soils can grow better food' to name but two areas of research.

Also researched was material on what makes us 'us', involving genetics and thoughts

on social justice and hierarchy, based on Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs Triangle. This is a motivational theory in psychology comprising a five-tier model of human needs, often depicted as hierarchical levels within a pyramid. ... from the bottom of the hierarchy upwards, the needs are: physiological, safety, love and belonging, esteem, and self-actualisation.

Students' research also included some ideas of changes in civilisations from the past to present; going back to basics when humans learnt to make tools and pottery. These were put together using their skills in short-story writing as well as presentations, and were on display in the Auditorium for visiting students and family members to view, on Thursday 25 September.

(Pictured below, left to right): Rinna Bernabe, L J Tampipi and Deborah Muchiri with their Cadbury presentation.



RESTORATION OF WHARE CARVINGS

The carvings which have adorned the College's Whare Wananga since its inception approximately twenty seven years ago when completed by Master Carver, the late Vince Leonard, have been beautifully restored.

The restoration process commenced early on the morning of 31 May 2019, when the carvings were removed from the College's Whare Wananga. The delicate task of removal of the carvings was undertaken by McIntosh Commercial Construction Ltd, who were also responsible for managing the re-installation.

The restoration process was spearheaded by Damian Peeti who had previously worked with Vince Leonard on a number of projects.

A number of that original team were involved in this restoration, under the guidance of Damian. Some students were also involved in the original work and it was therefore positive to have this opportunity available to some of our existing students providing a valuable connection to their heritage. The carvings were stored inside for their restoration.

On Monday 27 January 2020, a dawn karakia was held to lift tapu and re-dedicate the carvings. A huge thank you goes to Damian for co-ordination of, and commitment and dedication to, the work, plus his many hours given outside of the customary work day. The results are impressive and will serve the College community well into the future. Thank you Damian and to all who contributed to this fantastic outcome.



DANCE SHOWCASE PERFORMANCES

Held over two lunchtimes in the College Auditorium on Thursday 29 and Friday 30 October, Dance teacher Julia Bell said that this provided an opportunity for students of dance to perform and showcase the results of their year's learning and hard work. The two lunchtime performance approach was planned in advance as an adaptation to ensure adherence to any COVID restrictions which may have limited one full, evening performance.

The performances were open to the public also and drew good crowds on both days. Julia said that, this year, the Dance Showcase covered a range of styles as shown by the two different performance programmes. Thursday's Showcase featured Hip Hop, Stepping, Maori dance styles and Contemporary, while Friday's programme featured Musical Theatre, Contemporary and Jazz.

Year 10-13 Dance cohort began learning their dances at the beginning of 2020, including at home via online classes during lock-down, and then continuing once returning to classes at school.

Fifty talented dancers were involved in the performances, with up to thirty five dancing on stage at one time.

The Year 11, 12 and 13 performances were part of these senior students' NCEA assessments, where part of the standard criteria requires students to perform in front of a live audience.

The students produced some amazing work to be incredibly proud of.

Year 13 students finish off their Musical Theatre performance to 'Another Day of Sun' from the hit 2016 musical film, *La La Land*. (Below)



(Pictured top right): 'Pania' was performed by the Year 11 Ensemble, inspired by the Maori Myth and Legend 'Pania of the Reef'.

(Pictured middle right): The Year 11 Dance cohort form a group Kowhaiwhai pattern, during their Maori-inspired routine.





LIP SYNC

The changing COVID requirements necessitated a change to the customary live Lip Sync performance evening, which was scheduled for Tuesday 18 August. This evening was instead replaced by video entries.

The Junior and Senior Sections were judged by Teacher of Drama Jack Hanrahan, and the HouseFest by our ever-versatile House Sports Co-ordinator and Withdrawal Room Supervisor Jayne Cornelius.

Performance Director and Teacher of Drama Claire Bubb said that auditions were held before COVID restrictions created the need to change to online, but that these were very well attended. From these auditions fourteen groups were selected to go through to the finals competition.

Results from the online competition were:

Junior Competition:

1st Dancing Queens – Ollie Bubb, Eddie Galbraith, Kasey Higson and Molly McKenna.

2nd Sisters of the Heart – Danielle Faichnie and Tasmyn Cameron-Neighbour.

Senior Competition:

1st Sandra D – Brooke Miller, Hannah O'Reilly, Olivia Lill and Hayley Tallentire.

2nd Red Mash Mix – Hannah O'Reilly, Christian Juntilla, Joseph Collins, Olivia Lill, Caleb Ward, Hayley Tallentire, Arnold Pantoja and Brendan Fleming.

3rd Better When I'm Dancing – Jessalene Eclipse.

House Fest Placings were:

1st – Blue House;

2nd – Red House;

3rd – Orange House;

4th – Green House.



Junior Competition winners (pictured above, left to right): Molly McKenna, Ollie Bubb, Eddie Galbraith, Kasey Higson.

Senior competition winners (pictured below, left to right): Brooke Miller, Hayley Tallentire, Olivia Lill. (Front): Hannah O'Reilly.



The victorious Blue House members (pictured below, back row, left to right): Riley Tindall, Molly Milmine, Kasey Higson, Ella Shanks, Ruby Leverton. (Middle row, clockwise from front left): Mikayla Roulston, Caendal Harris, Coty Cuadrado, Harriet Leverton (Blue House Co-Captain), Lily Davidson, Will Rollinson, Poppy Kilworth, Molly McKenna. (Front, left to right): Lusungu Mbambo, Bailey Gray, Liam Sullivan (Blue House Co-Captain), Nahteshiya Watene.



TOP SUCCESS AT PASIFIKA AWARDS

Top Success at sPACIFICally PACIFIC Supreme Academic Awards

Ashburton College student Estēe Aiolupotea was awarded the Female Top Scholar Award and received the Amosa Fa'afoi Pasifika Academic High Achiever Cup at the Christchurch sPACIFICally PACIFIC Supreme Awards on Tuesday 03 March.

This prestigious event is organised to bring together the education community and Pasifika community to inspire and celebrate Pasifika identity, language, culture, and achievement. It was hosted by Avonside Girls' and Shirley Boys' High Schools.

Each Canterbury secondary school had the opportunity to nominate their top two Pasifika Academic achievers, from their 2019 Level 2 (or higher) results, and from these, the overall top academic male and female students are awarded. Estee gained an impressive 69 Excellence Credits at NCEA Level 2.

This award is a great recognition for Estee's hard work and dedication.

Joseph Collins was College's second nominee, following success in Year 12, and indicated it was a great experience for him. All Year 12 nominees were finalists, each receiving a presentation certificate. Being nominated alone indicates a high level of achievement, as the criteria requires a minimum of a Merit Endorsement in NCEA Level 2.

In addition, College student Easterlin Faamausili was part of the contingent supporting the students. As a Year 11 student, Easterlin, although high-achieving, was not eligible for nomination. All three students are of Samoan ethnicity.

Estēe said she was 'really nervous' throughout the whole ceremony, and that she was pleased to have the two other College students and her parents there with her. She said she was just happy to represent our school at such a big ceremony.

When announced as the female winner of the Amosa Fa'afoi Pasifika Academic High Achiever Cup she was 'really shocked' and stayed 'glued to her seat' not believing it was her. Estēe said she was very thankful to receive the award and appreciated being nominated. She also noted that being outside of Christchurch and still able to achieve the award was significant. Estēe's subjects last year were English, Law, History and Classics combined, Geography, Business Studies and Tourism. She plans to study Law in the future.

It is notable that this is the second time in four years that an Ashburton College student has captured this title, that time by Deputy Head Girl Uati Soafai.



Estēe Aiolupotea (pictured above) with the Top Scholar award.



(Pictured above, left to right): The College students at the event – Easterlin Faamausili, Joseph Collins and Estēe Aiolupotea.

The evening was also live-streamed, reaching an even bigger audience than the capacity audience present on the night.

sPACPAC aims are to sow the seeds of Pasifika success in order to REAP the rewards of the future by focussing on:

- Reconnecting our Education community with our Pasifika Community;
- Educational aspirations, collaborations and success;
- Accelerating achievement using our Pasifika identities, languages and cultures;
- Pathways that lead to tertiary education, careers and business ownership.

PHOENIX CHORUS PERFORMANCES

Cocktails with the Chorus

This evening at the Ashburton Trust Event Centre was held on Friday evening, 25 September, and was a thoroughly enjoyable and relaxing way to finish Term Three.

The beautifully balanced programme highlighted the talent of Chorus members with some very fine voices and harmonies evident, including from Year 10 students. Customarily Year 10 students are part of the Phoenix Rising Choir, with Year 9 students, but a number had been brought into Phoenix Chorus as part of succession planning for a scheduled tour to Singapore next year. These plans of course have been stymied by COVID but the students remain with the Chorus gaining significant experience and contributing well.



Phoenix Chorus 2020 Members – Tamsin Cartney, Emma Cochrane, Paulina Cuadrado, Emma-Paige Dickson, Jessalene Eclipse, Mahina Edwards, E-J Elliott, Imgene Felton, Olivia Fox, Janelle Galos, Emily Greert, Laura Mihailescu Bogdan, Amelia Harris, Izzy Harris, Alice Homer, Kiho Irie, Zoe Kenny, Aleisha King, Lahsinee Laki-Sooialo, Maria Lawn, Ngahua Maeva, Charlotte McKenzie, Emma Petrie, Grace Prendergast, Anya Rawlings, Ruby Robinson, Libby Ryan, Taylor Shaw, Sana Sooialo, Gracie Trotter, Madison Whyte, Melissa Wilson.

Special thanks and acknowledgement of their talents and invaluable contributions is extended to – Angela Cresswell (Musical Director), Stephen Diedricks (Accompanist); Carolyn Clough (Choral Manager); Zoe Kenny, Emma-Paige Dickson, Emma Petrie (Choral Leaders); Ron Cresswell (Sound); Michael Petrus (Recording) and Claire Bubb (Stage Manager).

A special thank you is extended also to the wonderful team at the Ashburton Trust Event Centre and to Ashburton TV for highlights videoing.



(Pictured at top): The Chorus, suitably dressed in their cocktail attire, as opposed to their customary performance uniform, concluding their entertaining and enjoyable rendition of 'Girls Just Want To Have Fun'. A highlight of the evening was to hear Guest Performer College Alumni Lucy Clough (pictured above).

PHOENIX CHORUS TERM END

Performing for Pakeke Lions 40 Years Celebration

The Phoenix Chorus was delighted to be asked by Pakeke Lions Ashburton to perform at their 40th birthday celebration held on Monday 28 September at the Hotel Ashburton. Phoenix Chorus has a long association with Lions and it was an honour to perform at such a special occasion.

The Chorus opened proceedings with the New Zealand National Anthem and then performed a selection of songs from our repertoire. The acapella number, 'Girls Just Want to Have Fun', was particularly popular.

Despite the performance being during the student holiday break, most of the choir members were able to attend and we are particularly grateful to Head of Music Stephen Diedricks and former student Lucy Clough, who both made their way back from Dunedin in time to support the Chorus.

Sincere Appreciation

Our performance concluded with a hearty rendition of 'Happy Birthday'



(Pictured above): Chorus members focused on the direction of Angela Cresswell.

and we were then delighted to be presented with a donation for our proposed tour to Northland in 2021.

Congratulations to the members of Lions who work so hard to support our community.

PHOENIX CHORUS WORKSHOP

Phoenix Chorus Workshop with World-Famous Tenor Simon O'Neill

The Arts Foundation has been touring New Zealand in partnership with Creative New Zealand and The Chartwell Trust, which supports the visual arts and creative thinking in New Zealand in the belief that creative thinking is for everybody. The purpose of the tour was to shine a spotlight on how the Arts and creativity can make a difference in our lives, and especially in these difficult times!

This tour provided a wonderful local opportunity when, on Tuesday 03 November, The Arts Foundation Laureate was at Ashburton College to workshop and work with some of our young people.

The Arts Foundation Laureate was none other than former AshColl student and Phoenix Chorus member, and world-famous tenor Simon O'Neill.

In the Ashburton College Auditorium during Period 2 on Tuesday 03 November the thirty-plus strong choir had the opportunity to workshop with Simon, who spoke about his journey in music and the impact that this has had on his life.

Phoenix Chorus Manager Carolyn Clough said they were incredibly fortunate to be able to host Simon at College and they very much valued the jewels of wisdom and musical advice he shared with our choir.

The opportunities from this workshop translated into a wonderful experience at the Year 13 Graduation Ceremony as you can read further through this edition.

(Pictured lower left): Simon O'Neill, and at centre, with the Phoenix Chorus and Musical Director (Angie Cresswell [far left]) at the conclusion of a very successful and inspiring workshop hour.



RED CARPET EVENING

Red Carpet Evening a Crowd Pleaser

After the unavoidable cancellations of musical events during this year, including the ever-popular Music Evening, it was a real pleasure to share talent on Thursday 22 October in the College Auditorium with the annual Red Carpet Evening festival of music. A balanced and varied programme was enjoyed by the audience, with the number of own composition pieces being a real feature of the evening, and an indicator of the skills of the students.

The Phoenix Chorus, under the directorship of Angie Cresswell, opened and concluded the evening with two brackets of three choral presentations (City of Stars, Send Me a Song, Girls Just Wanna Have Fun; and Oh Moon, Sweet Talkin' Guy, Sisi Ni Moya).

Their opening bracket set the scene for Jay Jung on piano (Blind Man's Bluff and Secret) in what is Jay's farewell to College, as a Year 13 student. Intrepid 6, comprised of Ollie Bubb, Kasey Higson, Jack Jones, Sean McQuillan and Laura Mihaelescu-Bogdan performed an own composition, Dreamlike, followed by YKM performing Marunouchi



(Pictured above): Guitar Ensemble of Michael Petrus, Jade Jung, Sean McQuillan, Jay Jung and Marc Calzada performed Ad Joseph and Rex Ultimus, both composed by music teacher Michael Petrus.

Sadistic with Kiho Irie as soloist, alongside Yuzuki Okazaki and Marc Calzada. The String Ensemble concluded the first half with Wacht Aug and Allelujah.

Matt De Ocampo opened the second half with the vocal Folsom Prison Blues, followed by the Orchestra's three presentations of Finale from Symphony No 5, Cavatina and Best of Green Day, under the baton of Stephen Diedricks.

Also finishing at College at the end of this year is regular and talented performer and composer Year 13 student Joseph Collins, who



(Pictured above): Joseph Collins performing his self-accompanied vocal I'll Be There.

performed his self-accompanied vocal I'll Be There.

The Year 12 Band of Malachi Drye, Imogene Felton and Harrison McKee performed an own composition Take Me Higher, while the Guitar Ensemble of Michael Petrus, Jade Jung, Sean McQuillan, Jay Jung and Marc Calzada performed Ad Joseph and Rex Ultimus, both composed by music teacher Michael Petrus.

A beautiful conclusion was Revival Tuvale singing Someday I Will Be With You (original composition), prior to the Phoenix Chorus concluding the evening with Oh Moon, Sweet Talkin' Guy and Sisi Ni Moya.

Acknowledgements

An event such as this night cannot be presented without the hard work of many and we give a special thanks to – the Music Department staff: Stephen Diedricks (Head of Department), Michael Petrus (Blues Band), Angie Cresswell (Musical Director Phoenix Rising), Paula Green (String Group); MC for the evening: Carolyn Clough; Set Design and Lighting: Claire Bubb; Stage Manager: Michael Petrus; Lighting Crew: Cameron Radford and Jared Munn; Front of House: Jo Wakelin and Claire Bubb; Caretakers Richard Horrell and Warren Reid; and to staff musicians who supported the orchestra - Dave Christensen (cornet) and Helen Wakelin (violin).

A special thanks is given to James Wood of the Ashburton Trust Event Centre who stepped into the breach as Sound Technician in the absence of Ron Cresswell.

Music Evening Finalists 2020

On the theme of music, mentioned above was the cancellation of Music Evening. However, between COVID levels, auditions were held and House points allocated.

However, we acknowledge and congratulate the 2020 finalists who would have performed at Music Evening, on the last Thursday of Term Three:

Matt De Ocampo	-	'I want to be ready'
Joseph Collins	-	'Leave me like this', original composition
Revival Tuvale	-	'Someday I will be with you', original composition
Ngahuia Mavea	-	'Drifting kite', original composition
Conner Stewart	-	Guitar instrumental
Marc Calzada	-	'A Team'



(Pictured above): Jay Jung on piano Blind Man's Bluff and Secret.

Ellie Lawn	-	'My brother lived in San Francisco'
Guitar Trio (Jay, Marc, Jade)	-	'Ad Joseph'
Joseph and Sama	-	'Rewrite the stars'
Band 1	-	'Gravity', original composition
Before 4	-	'Love High'
Intrepid 6	-	'Dreamlike'
Sam Kuipers	-	Rondo alla Turka
Charlotte Livingstone-		'Almost there'
Mae and Tielu	-	'Amnesia'
Hannah and Sam Kuipers	-	'Pirates' medley
Shimee Araguas	-	'A million dreams'
Kasey Higson	-	'She used to be mine'
Gwen Zamora	-	'My future'
Brooke Miller	-	'Raining'
Michael Munro	-	'Falling'
Matthew Hopkins	-	'Supermarket Flowers'
Imogene Felton	-	A different song
Jay Jung	-	A different piece
Laura Bogdan	-	A different song

(Pictured below): Revival Tuvale singing original composition, Someday I will be with you.





ROCKQUEST REGIONAL FINALS

Smokefree Rockquest/Tangata Beats Competition

For the last thirty two years Smokefree Rockquest has been recognised as a launching pad for many New Zealand musicians. The Smokefree Tangata Beats is run alongside this competition, but focusing on the unique cultural identity of Aotearoa New Zealand and the South Pacific.

Reflecting the COVID-19 alert level restrictions, this year's competitions were arranged to be online, with musicians recording and submitting their music via video submission. These were viewed and assessed against all entries within each region.

A live national Final event was planned for September.

Ashburton College Performers

Ashburton College had three acts entered - Imogene Felton in the Solo/Duo category; our Year 13 group Empoly8; and the Year 11 group Before Four in the band category.

1st Placing for Imogene Felton (pictured right)

Music teacher Michael Petrus has advised of the top result for Imogene Felton, being awarded 1st place for the Timaru Region Solo/Duo category. Imogen performed her original composition, Midnight's Lullabye.



(Pictured below, left to right): Band Empoly8 - Revival Tuvale, Joseph Collins, Zac Woolf (keyboard) Ocean Waitokia, Scott Thomson (drums), Jay Jung, Spencer Ifopo.

The Before Four Band was made up of (pictured bottom, left to right): Aaliyah Power, Bailey Hill, Marc Calzada, Daemyn Frost.





ATHLETIC RECORDS

AS AT 1ST APRIL 2020

EVENT	TIME	HOLDER	YEAR	EVENT	TIME	HOLDER	YEAR
BOYS U19				GIRLS U19			
100m	11.1sec	K. Plunkett/T. Cochrane/I Watson	1943/69/79	100m	12.2 sec	R Patterson	1976
200m	22.4sec	T Cochrane	1969	200m	25.2 sec	J Lloyd	1985
400m	50.7 sec	S Wilson	2003	400m	60.0 sec	M O'Connell	1978
800m	1min59.8	M Young	1979	800m	2min23.2	M Mackay	1988
1500m	4min18.5	J McDonald	2011	1500m	5min02.4	M Mackay	1988
3000m	9min24.1	T Mbambo	2018	3000m	11min31.3	K Kingan	1984
100m Hurdles	14.8sec	M Bennett	1993	100m Hurdles	20.04 sec	G McLeod	1998
High Jump	2.00m	S Hollings	1987	High Jump	1.59m	M O'Connell	1978
Long Jump	6.66m	T Cochrane	1969	Long Jump	5.37m	E Prescott	2000
Triple Jump	12.95m	R Wells	1986	Triple Jump	10.20m	S Pugh	1988
Shot Put (5.00Kg)	14.30m	N Caucau	2014	Shot Put (4.00Kg)	12.72m	V Cavill	1982
Discus (1.5Kg)	42.21m	A Pelesikoti	2014	Discus (1.00Kg)	32.85m	S Hopwood	1990
Javelin (700g)	54.24m	M Dunlea	1999	Javelin (600g)	33.97m	A Sibley	2001
Relay	47.0sec	Green	1997	Relay	53.8 sec	Orange	1978
BOYS U16				GIRLS U16			
100m	11.5sec	S Wilson	2002	100m	13.2 sec	E Prescott	1999
200m	23.4 sec	K Marshall	1992	200m	27.10 sec	E Prescott	1999
400m	52.4 sec	S Wilson	2002	400m	63.3 sec	N Hamilton/ H Read	1995/ 2000
800m	2min05.6	J McDonald	2009	800m	2min28.3	H Read	2000
1500m	4min23.2	A Cavill	1985	1500m	5min07.4	C Cochrane	2000
100m Hurdles	14.6 sec	M Bennett	1992	80m Hurdles	14.1 sec	S Webb	1993
High Jump	1.89m	S Hollings/ B Jones	1985/98	High Jump	1.45m	A Whiting	2000
Long Jump	6.38m	K. Plunkett	1943	Long Jump	4.86m	F McAdam	2007
Triple Jump	12.74m	B Jones	1998	Shot Put (3.25Kg)	10.87m	S Adams	2018
Shot Put (5.00Kg)	12.37m	A Davis	1988	Discus (1.00Kg)	33.05m	G Hooper	2013
Discus (1.25Kg)	40.82m	D Mawhinny	1992	Javelin (600g)	32.44m	A Sibley	2000
Javelin (700g)	48.79m	A Meager	1974	Relay	54.0 sec	Green	2000
Relay	49.0 sec	Green	2009	GIRLS U15			
BOYS U15				100m	12.5 sec	J Lloyd	1984
100m	11.6 sec	C Stockdale	1981	200m	26.1 sec	J Lloyd	1984
200m	23.8 sec	C Stockdale	1981	400m	61.2 sec	S Scott	2000
400m	53.0 sec	C Stockdale	1981	800m	2min24.1	M Mackay	1987
800m	2min06.2	J McDonald	2008	1500m	5min04.6	J Cuff	1985
1500m	4min20.0	S Skilling	1983	80m Hurdles	13.5 sec	S Webb	1992
80m Hurdles	12.1	M Bennett	1991	High Jump	1.56m	L Rawiri	1984
High Jump	1.80m	B Gordon	1986	Long Jump	5.14m	S Scott	2000
Long Jump	5.88m	K Plunkett	1941	Shot Put (3.25Kg)	10.60m	S Adams	2017
Triple Jump	11.93m	G Hunt	2014	Discus (1.00Kg)	29.68m	S Hopwood	1988
Shot Put (5.00Kg)	12.01	T Kamoe	2014	Javelin (600g)	29.48m	T Stokes	1984
Discus (1.25Kg)	41.42m	A Onicas	2014	Relay	54.6 sec	Orange	1991
Javelin (700g)	42.09m	A Meager	1973	GIRLS U14			
Relay	50.4 sec	Green	2008	100m	13.1 sec	M Bain/ D Beatty/J Lloyd	1975/81/82
BOYS U14				200m	26.9 sec	M Bain	1975
1100m	12.2 sec	S Wilson/A Onicas	2000/13	400m	62.6 sec	M Mackay	1985
200m	25.1 sec	S Wilson	2000	800m	2min30.9	M Mackay	1985
400m	55.5 sec	S Wilson	2000	1500m	5min14.6	J Cuff	1983
800m	2min13.6	J McDonald	2007	80m Hurdles	13.6 sec	S Howard/ M Burrowes	1991/2
1500m	4min40.4	S Skilling	1982	High Jump	1.46m	M Pearson	2017
80m Hurdles	13.6 sec	M Bennett	1990	Long Jump	4.87m	E Prescott	1997
High Jump	1.70m	S Wilson	2000	Shot Put (3.25Kg)	11.16m	K Hollis	1988
Long Jump	5.54m	J Hands	1965	Discus (1.00Kg)	26.98m	R Harper-Grey	2013
Triple Jump	10.97m	J Fowke/ R Powell	1967/94	Javelin (600g)	24.22m	B Bayliss	1989
Shot Put (4.00Kg)	12.46m	A Williamson	2008	Relay	56.1 sec	Blue	1981
Discus (1.0Kg)	35.93m	A Anicas	2013	8x100m Interhouse	1min43.9	Orange/ Red	97/02
Javelin (600g)	39.55m	D Bennett	1991	Relay			
Relay	53.1 sec	Green	2007				

SPORTS

ATHLETICS



Athletics Champions pictured above:

Back row, left to right: Matthew Pearce (Under 16 Boys Joint Champion), Regan Lilley (Under 14 Boys), Matthew Hopkins (Under 16 Boys Joint Champion), Kyle Cabangun (Under 19 Boys Joint Champion), Flynn Mackenzie (Under 19 Boys Joint Champion).

Front row, left to right: Lusungu Mbambo (Under 16 Girls), Angel Spooner (Under 14 Girls), Poppy Kilworth (Under 19 Girls), Laura Winchester (Under 15 Girls).

Inset: Chris Angus (Under 16 Boys).

Ashburton College Athletics Finals

Finals Day took place on Thursday 27 February, in the Ashburton Domain. Head of Sport Ron Carlson said that the athletics finals day was quite ideal. Competitors took to their events with great enthusiasm and some very good racing and competitive natures were on display, right through to the final relay at the end of the day.

(Below): Kyle Cabangun leading his event.



(Above): Poppy Kilworth heads the 100m sprint.
(Below): Some of the title-winners in action.



(Above): Matthew Pearce leading the 400m.
(Pictured below, right): Under 16 Girls' Champion Lusungu Mbambo in the Long Jump, under the watchful eye of Bruce Welch.



ASHBURTON COLLEGE SWIMMING RECORDS

AS AT 1ST MARCH 2020

EVENT	SWIMMER	HOUSE	TIME	YEAR					
YEAR 9 GIRLS					YEAR 11 GIRLS				
50m Freestyle	Hannah Joyce	Orange	32.63	2020	50m Freestyle	Bailey Tait	Orange	29.23	2016
100m Freestyle	Hannah King	Blue	1:09.62	2019	100m Freestyle	Bailey Tait	Orange	1:04.75	2016
50m Backstroke	Hannah Joyce	Orange	38.24	2020	50m Backstroke	Maggie Tarry	Blue	38.28	2016
100m Backstroke	Hannah King	Blue	1:20.54	2019	100m Backstroke	Bailey Tait	Orange	1:17.69	2016
50m Breaststroke	Hannah King	Blue	41.77	2019	50m Breaststroke	Sol Gonzalez	Orange	38.79	2016
100m Breaststroke	Hannah King	Blue	1:27.54	2019	100m Breaststroke	Sol Gonzalez	Orange	1:23.33	2016
50m Butterfly	Hannah Joyce	Orange	37.94	2020	50m Butterfly	Sol Gonzalez/Bailey Tait	Orange	34.30	2016
100m Individual Medley	Hannah King	Blue	1:20.06	2019	100m Individual Medley	Bailey Tait	Orange	1:15.05	2016
100m Freestyle Relay	Blue House		1:16.30	2016	100m Freestyle Relay	Orange House		1:04.57	2016
100m Medley Relay	Blue House		1:27.23	2016	100m Medley Relay	Orange House		1:10.23	2016
YEAR 9 BOYS					YEAR 11 BOYS				
50m Freestyle	Kalen Tait	Green	29.17	2016	50m Freestyle	Josh Giles	Blue	26.03	2017
100m Freestyle	Blake Farr	Green	1:03.12	2017	100m Freestyle	Blake Farr	Green	55.74	2019
50m Backstroke	Jesse Martin	Blue	40.01	2018	50m Backstroke	Matthew Clough	Green	30.55	2016
100m Backstroke	Blake Farr	Green	1:17.04	2017	100m Backstroke	Matthew Clough	Green	1:04.60	2016
50m Breaststroke	Jesse Martin	Blue	43.70	2018	50m Breaststroke	Matthew Clough	Green	33.94	2016
100m Breaststroke	Blake Farr	Green	1:29.17	2017	100m Breaststroke	Jared Scammell	Red	1:18.31	2017
50m Butterfly	Blake Farr	Green	33.27	2017	50m Butterfly	Jared Scammell	Red	29.05	2017
100m Individual Medley	Blake Farr	Green	1:15.70	2017	100m Individual Medley	Jared Scammell	Red	1:05.51	2017
100m Freestyle Relay	Green House		1:03.56	2017	100m Freestyle Relay	Blue House		1:00.28	2017
100m Medley Relay	Green House		1:15.55	2017	100m Medley Relay	Red House		1:08.05	2017
YEAR 10 GIRLS					YEAR 12/13 GIRLS				
50m Freestyle	Mollie Gibson	Orange	34.31	2016	50m Freestyle	Bailey Tait	Orange	28.82	2017
100m Freestyle	Hannah King	Blue	1:07.41	2020	100m Freestyle	Lucy Clough	Red	1:02.17	2016
50m Backstroke	Meagan Binnie	Green	38.16	2020	50m Backstroke	Sarah Whyte	Orange	35.24	2016
100m Backstroke	Meagan Binnie	Green	1:21.21	2020	100m Backstroke	Bailey Tait	Orange	1:15.29	2017
50m Breaststroke	Hannah King	Blue	40.46	2020	50m Breaststroke	Sol Gonzalez	Orange	40.64	2017
100m Breaststroke	Hannah King	Blue	1:27.38	2020	100m Breaststroke	Lucy Clough	Red	1:22.23	2016
50m Butterfly	Hannah King	Blue	34.65	2020	50m Butterfly	Lucy Clough	Red	30.35	2016
100m Individual Medley	Hannah King	Blue	1:15.64	2020	100m Individual Medley	Lucy Clough	Red	1:10.33	2016
100m Freestyle Relay	Orange House		1:07.21	2016	100m Freestyle Relay	Orange House		1:01.07	2017
100m Medley Relay	Orange House		1:18.37	2016	100m Medley Relay	Orange House		1:08.21	2017
YEAR 10 BOYS					YEAR 12/13 BOYS				
50m Freestyle	Blake Farr	Green	26.36	2018	50m Freestyle	Josh Giles	Blue	25.59	2018
100m Freestyle	Blake Farr	Green	57.40	2018	100m Freestyle	Matthew Clough	Green	58.38	2017
50m Backstroke	Jay Martin	Orange	35.53	2016	50m Backstroke	Rikuya Shibahara	Blue	28.99	2017
100m Backstroke	Jared Scammell	Red	1:07.84	2016	100m Backstroke	Matthew Clough	Green	1:03.47	2018
50m Breaststroke	Jay Martin	Orange	38.72	2016	50m Breaststroke	Rikuya Shibahara	Blue	32.78	2017
100m Breaststroke	Jared Scammell	Red	1:19.92	2016	100m Breaststroke	Rikuya Shibahara	Blue	1:10.89	2017
50m Butterfly	Jared Scammell	Red	31.35	2016	50m Butterfly	Rikuya Shibahara	Blue	26.95	2017
100m Individual Medley	Jared Scammell	Red	1:08.33	2016	100m Individual Medley	Rikuya Shibahara	Blue	1:02.34	2017
100m Freestyle Relay	Green House		1:03.33	2017	100m Freestyle Relay	Blue House		55.21	2017
100m Medley Relay	Blue House		1:13.38	2016	100m Medley Relay	Blue House		1:03.01	2016

SWIMMING

AshColl Swimming Sports

This annual event, inclusive of the fine tradition of House Competition, was held on Wednesday 11 March at the EA Networks Centre, with eighty swimmers competing. There was great encouragement and House spirit along with some fine performances across the age groups.

New records set by Hannah Joyce were:

50m Freestyle (32.63); 50m Backstroke (38.24); 50m Butterfly (37.94).

New records set by Hannah King were:

100m Freestyle (1:07.41); 50m Backstroke (38.16); 100m Backstroke (1:21.21); 50m Breaststroke (40.46); 100m Breaststroke (1:27.38); 50m Butterfly (34.65); 100m Individual Medley (1:15.64).

New records set by Cody Robin were:

25m Freestyle (19.44); 25m Backstroke (24.72); 25m Breaststroke (29.01).



Swimming Champions were, (Pictured above, back row, left to right): Hannah Joyce (Year 9 Girls Champion), Izacc Carr (Year 9 Boys), Blake Farr (Year 12/13 Boys), Victoria Binnie (Year 12/13 Girls Joint Champion). (Front row, left and right): Hannah King (Year 10 Girls), Caendal Harris (Year 11 Girls).

(Insets, left to right): Poppy Kilworth (Year 12/13 Girls Joint Champion), Cody Robin (Year 11 Boys Champion), Logan Scammell (Year 10 Boys).

(Pictured right, various swimmers.

(Pictured below: Cody Robin on the starting block, prior to an event. (Far left) Is organiser Carolyn Clough.



BASKETBALL

Senior Girls A

The Senior Girls finished the 2020 season 6-4, placing 4th in Division One of Canterbury's Whelan Trophy Competition. With a number of junior players on board in 2020, Coach Mark Douglas was pleased with the leadership of his senior contingent. Team captain Sophie Adams led from the front, assisted by long serving College basketballers Roi Makutu and Cat Anderson. With no tournament clashes this season, Poppy Kilworth and Hayley Tallentire were welcomed back to the hardwood, rounding out the senior group. The girls worked hard throughout the season, challenging themselves to improve their skills in what was a significantly reduced practice and playing season. Sophie and Poppy were named in the Whelan Trophy All-Star team.

Junior Girls A

The Junior Girls A team had a challenging 2020 season in the Christchurch Intermediate Premier Grade. Competing against teams with a number of Year 11 players, the girls were unable to register a win. This, however, didn't deter them from playing hard in every game, competing with passion and pride.

The girls came together as a team and always played right to the final whistle. Throughout the season each girl was dedicated to team practices, with them all improving their individual skill sets. Coach Pip Johnston was extremely happy with the dedication and performance of the girls this season.

Senior Boys A

This year was more about a rebuild after having a number of senior players graduate. The 2020 squad included six Year 11 students, three Year 12 and three Year 13 players, so there was a lot of inexperience and plenty to learn.

The team competed in the Thomson Trophy, where they pushed the top team STAC to a single point after trailing by 18 points earlier in the match. They also just missed out on getting a win against Rangiora, losing by two points. They remained competitive for long periods in the majority of their games and collected a few solid wins along the way.

They also played in the Mid Canterbury Men's A grade competition where they were beaten semi-finalists. However, they managed to claim two big scalps in the form of the top two teams. They also had a memorable week where they won three games in as many days, two in the Thomson Trophy and one in the Men's



Senior Girls A. Back row: Mark Douglas (Coach) Sophie Adams, Margret Eli, Claudia Thomas, Mae Patterson, Cat Anderson, Michelle Adams (Manager) Front row: Poppy Kilworth, Eva Kelly, Roi Makutu, TC Trusler-Clark, Amelie Robertson, Hayley Tallentire.



Junior Girls A. Back row: Taylor Shaw, Edelma Kelsall, Holly Ngutu, Shylah Johnston, Amelia Harris, Pip Johnston (Coach) Front row: Hannah Joyce, Lily Williams, Laura Winchester. Absent: Zeahn Otene and Deborah Muchiri.

competition.

Whilst the team improved throughout the season and each player played some really good minutes, it was Riley Sa and Kambell Stills who led the way. They were tireless workers at both ends of the court, both able to score heavily as well as do the hard yards on defense. The biggest learning for this group was the necessity of playing hard defense which is essential to success. We showed against some good teams what intensive defense could achieve.

A large number of these boys should return next year which bodes well for further development. Kambell Stills received the MVP for Ashburton College in the Thomson Trophy and Riley Sa was named to the South Island Selection All Stars team.



Kambell Stills received the MVP for Ashburton College in the Thomson Trophy.

BASKETBALL

Senior Boys B

The Senior Boys B team had a great season, beating all the other teams at least once and making it to the finals of the South Canterbury Secondary Schools A Grade competition. Unfortunately, this game didn't go to plan and after establishing an 18 point first quarter lead it all went downhill and they lost to a very calm and efficient Roncalli Boys A team.

There was great improvement from all the players and their passionate coach Nicky Withell-O'Grady did exceptionally well to manage the 13 players. Most games were played as a team and this certainly contributed to their success.

Junior Boys A

The Junior Boys A team had a successful 2020 in the South Canterbury Secondary Schools Junior A Competition, finishing their 2020 campaign with a 58-51 win over Timaru Boys High School in the final of the South Canterbury Junior A Competition. The College boys started strongly on defense, pressuring Timaru Boys into a number of errors. The College guards moved the ball quickly in transition to convert these into points. The boys maintained a five point buffer throughout the game, securing the win in the final quarter with some tenacious defense and good shot selection. The team's Coach, Summer Anderson, was extremely proud of the team's effort throughout the season, happy that the hard work at practice had paid off.



Senior Boys B. Back row (L-R): Nina Bradford (Manager), Denzel Banghal, Marc Calzada, Ethan Reodique, Ged Wall, Parker Bradford, Nicky Withell-O'Grady (Coach), Jack Withell-O'Grady, Caleb McNulty-Burns, Chris Angus. Front row (L-R): Ken Bulagnir, Tau Daniel, Jet Aguila, Arnold Pantoja, Mickele Young



Junior Boys A. Back row (Left to right): Ashlin Hala'ufia, Tom Patterson, Ollie Strawbridge, Sonny McMillan, Steve Terekia, Nick Taoja, Summer Anderson (Coach) Front row (Left to right): William Fifita, Eddie Galbraith, Fletcher Hobbs, Oliver Hobbs, Jim Reyes.

CRICKET

Cricket: Year 10 Boys' Team's Successful Run Ended by St Bede's College

Advancing further through the New Zealand Cricket Junior Boys Knockout competition than any previous College team, Ashburton was well-beaten by St Bede's in 2020. The regional semi-finals exposed the team to a degree of competition that few young cricketers experience.

Team Members:

Lachie Jemmett (Captain), Nicolas Stringer, Seb McMillan, Tom Rosevear, Sam Orr, Hamish O'Reilly, Mitchell Leath, Jack Middleton, Oliver

Hobbs, Fletcher Hobbs and Logan Johnson travelled to Redwood Park on a foggy morning to face off against a team that had, in the previous round, bowled out St Andrew's College for 93 runs.

Knowing that they faced an uphill battle, Lachie elected to take to the field after winning the toss. The foggy morning had left the outfield damp, although drying quickly, meaning that the St Bede's top order would have a harder time scoring runs.

St Bede's openers built a steady partnership, scoring 65 runs off the first fifteen overs

before Tom Rosevear made the breakthrough that Ashburton had been waiting for, throwing down the wickets from cover to run out St Bede's Harry Cory for 27.

St Bede's would fall three overs later for 44, leaving them on 77 for 2 after 18 overs, and two fresh batsmen at the crease. Seb McMillan secured a wicket off St Bede's for two runs, caught in the slips. This brought out Charlie Croy to bat, who scored a stunning 52 off 60 balls during his 70 minutes at the crease. Supported by Flynn Bainbridge (28), Fraser Brown (15) and Hunter Stewart

CRICKET



(Pictured above): Seb McMillan (bowler) and Hamish O'Reilly (wicket keeper) in action.

(17n.o.), Charlie would see out the remainder of the innings and set Ashburton a daunting target of 204.

With the ball, Ashburton's Jack Middleton continued his form from the first half of the season, bowling seven overs for 29 runs. Logan Johnson also stood out with the ball, taking one wicket for 8 runs off his two overs. Seb McMillan battled through his eight overs, giving up 45 runs but being rewarded with a late wicket. Fletcher Hobbs also had a challenging time with the ball, fighting for five overs, giving up 28 runs but preventing St

Bede's from scoring a coveted 50.

Set an imposing required run rate of 5.1, Nicholas Stringer and Hamish O'Reilly set about building Ashburton's innings. Nicholas would set a blistering pace in the first two overs, matching the required run rate. Yet, as the overs passed, the pace slipped and the pressure mounted. Nicholas lost his wicket, caught by St Bede's for 10. Soon after Hamish also returned to the pavilion, caught and bowled; Sam Orr was quickly run out for one and Lachie Jemmett stumped on 13 (top-scoring, shared with Mitchell Leath).



Ashburton would fight for 32.3 overs but eventually succumbed to the relentlessly accurate bowling. St Bede's made Ashburton earn every run that they scored.

While Ashburton's tournament came to an end in a disappointing fashion, the team achieved the best result in Ashburton College's history, a fact that should not soon be forgotten. The players have had a chance to experience competition at a higher level, and now look forward to participating in the top New Zealand Secondary School competition, The Gillette Cup, in the coming years.

CYCLING

Maddi Lowry, Year 11 College student, competed successfully at the South Island and National Schools' Track Cycling Championships held at the SLT Indoor Velodrome in Invercargill during the school holiday period, on 06-07 October 2020.

The schools' event attracted over 150 riders from forty six schools, and incorporated the South Island Schools' Championship. This year was the second National Schools' Track Championships, following the inaugural event in Cambridge last year.

Racing was held over two days and was run in an Omnium-style (multiple race event) points system, where points were allocated

on finishing positions in each race, across the events of Scratch, Points and Keirin (where cyclists sprint for victory following a speed-controlled start behind a pacer).

Results

Maddi, competing in the Under 17 Girls' age group, raced hard and was competitive in all of her races, finishing very creditably in 4th place in the South Island competition and 6th place in the National competition overall.



(Pictured above and right, left and right): Maddi in the Scratch Race and the Points Race

EQUESTRIAN

Showjumping

Ashburton College had a team of four riders who competed at the Canterbury Schools' Show Jumping competition, held at the National Equestrian Centre, McLean's Island Christchurch on Wednesday 26 February 2020.

Eighteen schools participated, which involved 115 riders and horses jumping anywhere between 80cm-105cm in height. Team Coach and Manager Karen McKenzie said that College's experienced senior riders from 2019 had left for university and, consequently, our equestrian team is in a rebuilding phase.

Each rider participated in two jumping competitions with the aim of achieving four clear rounds to gain maximum points.

Team members were:

(Pictured top right): Charlotte Bota, riding Aorangi Bella, jumping at 95cm; Ruby Thomas, riding Chico, jumping at 105cm; Sarah Mattson riding Windward Legacy, jumping at 80cm; and Sami Mead, riding Freelance II, also jumping at 95cm.

Results

The team had mixed success but Ruby Thomas gained a 4th placing in the first competition. Sami Mead (pictured far right middle) was our most successful rider with 8th placing in the first competition and 6th placing in the second competition, from 50-60 riders.

Sarah Mattson had a severely sprained ankle and rode amazingly well, considering she could not walk, to achieve a double clear, but was not fast enough for a placing.

The team's final overall placing was eighth.

Many thanks go to parents of each rider who all provided assistance in the running of the event.

Canterbury Secondary Schools' One Day Horse Trials

The Canterbury Secondary Schools' One Day Horse Trials was held at the National Equestrian Centre, McLean's National Equestrian Centre Island on Sunday 09 August 2020. Teacher Karen McKenzie said that twenty-two teams from sixteen schools competed.

All competitors completed a Dressage test, Cross-country jumping and a Show jumping course, with the goal being to finish with the least amount of penalties.



The AshColl Four Member Team and 7th Placing Results were:

Ruby Thomas on Chico

Dressage: 35.7; Cross-country: clear; Show Jumping: clear in the 95cm section; for an overall total of 35.7 points.

Sami Mead on Night Beetle

Dressage: 37.6; Cross-country: clear; Show Jumping: clear in the 95cm section; for an overall total of 37.6 points.

Taylah Ward on Micha

Dressage 35.3, 20 penalties; Cross-country: clear; Show Jumping: in the 80cm section; for an overall total of 55.3 points.

Sarah Mattson on Windward Legacy

Dressage: 36.3; Cross-country: clear, 4 penalties; Show Jumping: in the 80 cm section; for an overall total of 40.7 points.

The top three combined scores make up each team's final score and placing, which for Ashburton College was a very commendable 114 total points, for 7th placing.

Karen said they were very pleased with their final result, especially given the team is young. Sami Mead and Taylah Ward are both Year 9 students, Ruby Thomas Year 10 and Sarah Mattson Year 11. Their competition results auger well for future successes.

Best Presented Team Award for the Second Consecutive Year

The AshColl team did themselves proud also in the presentation aspect, being awarded the above title. To gain this outcome, a judge, who was different to last year's, inspects the ponies which have to be clean and plaited; and the riders tidy and wearing matching uniform items.



(Pictured above): Taylah Ward and Micha in the Dressage Arena..

Appreciation

Appreciation is given to the accompanying parents, who were all given tasks on the day to assist in helping to run the event. A One Day Event needs over 100 volunteers for it to be run.

Dressage

Twenty seven teams from the wider Canterbury area competed at the Canterbury Schools' Equestrian Dressage event on

EQUESTRIAN



(Pictured above, left): Sami Mead and Night Beetle making a good job of their clear Cross-Country round. (Pictured above, left to right): Best-presented team members Taylah Ward on Micha; Sami Mead and Night Beetle; Ruby Thomas and Chico; Sarah Mattson on Windward Legacy.

Monday 07 September 2020 at McLean's Island National Equestrian Centre.

Teacher-in-Charge Karen McKenzie said that the event was held under strict COVID-19 rules. This meant there was very little contact with other teams and, following completion of the two dressage tests, teams then had to leave the facility.

As part of the team requirements, two Year 9 girls, Sami Mead and Taylah Ward, were required to move up to Level 2 which was a considerable step up for these girls, and both competed very well under the circumstances.

Results:

Level 2

Sami Mead on Night Beetle (scored 61.1%, 60.35%) and Taylah Ward on Micha (56.2% and 60%).

Level 1

Sarah Mattson on Windward Legacy (scored 62.6% and 60.7%) and Jessica Taylor on My

Majic Mike (51% and 58.7%).

The team gained 23rd placing from the twenty seven teams, and gained valuable experience.

Appreciation

Many thanks is given to the parents who were required to act as officials to help run the event: Pip Allan, Angelina Taylor, Angela

Mattson and Leanne Ward.

(Pictured below, left and right): Sami Mead and Night Beetle; and Taylah Ward and Micha undertaking their test.



Ashburton College currently has a new, young team, and is in a rebuilding phase. (Pictured below, left to right): Jessica Taylor and My Majic Mike, Taylah Ward and Micha, Sami Mead and Night Beetle, Sarah Mattson and Windward Legacy.



FOOTBALL - GIRLS

2020 was not quite the football year we had hoped for or wanted. After getting the team together and starting to train, football was put on hold for a few months.

Fortunately once out of lockdown we were able to get back into it. We entered our team into the Timaru competition as usual. Although this year there was no competition, just a chance for teams to play against each other, it was great to get some football played. It was a disappointment for the team but also the Year 13s missing out on their final national tournament.

Our team this year was quite a new team with five Year 9s joining the squad. The first game we played was against Craighead. Our girls were quite nervous being a new squad and not having played much football together. We ended up losing 2-nil but the improvement in just that game was a real positive. From that point on the girls' confidence grew each game and by the end of the 8 weeks we had only lost 2 games. The girls were a great bunch to work with and, as



a team, worked hard to improve each week. There were many standout performances throughout the year. Special mentions go to Gabbie Tindall (Year 9) our speedster and goal scorer, E-J Elliott (Year 9) our defensive brick wall, Lauren Taylor (Year 12) our defensive brick wall, and Sapphire Kururangi (Year 13) our cCaptain and mastermind in the mid field.

With only losing 2 players at the end of this year, the girls are looking very strong for the 2021 season.

Squad for 2020 was Gemma Taylor, Lauren Taylor, Jessalene Eclipse, Gracie Trotter, Darcy McCully, Sapphire Kururangi, Chloe Johnson, Sarah Mattson, Gabbie Tindall, Libby Ryan, Georgie Poole, Laura Jensen, Hayley Smith, Lusungu Mbambo and E-J Elliott.

GOLF

Cricket: Year 10 Boys' Team's Successful Run Ended by St Bede's College

The Canterbury Secondary Schools' Golf Championship was played at the Waitikiri Golf Course in Christchurch on Monday 09 March and forty five golfers contested the individual competition. Josh Ackerley and Hiromune Kakada represented Ashburton College, along

with teacher Liz Cabout as Coach/Manager. Liz said that both students played well, with Hiromune shooting one under his handicap. However, the winning gross score was 68 by a player from St Andrew's College. Both Josh's and Hiromune's gross and nett results were in the middle of the field, with Joshua (pictured below) scoring 83 for a nett of 76;

and Hiromune (pictured below) 79 for a nett of 71 to gain College's best gross and nett individual.



HOCKEY

College Hockey Boys 1st XI

With their final game on Friday 25 September 2020 the Ashburton College Boys 1st XI Hockey team finished their season first on the table and undefeated after a dominant performance in the Secondary School Boys 1st division in the Christchurch Schools Hockey Competition. The delayed season began on Friday 19 June after the switch back to COVID level 1 and, while the season was slightly shorter, the boys made the most of it, with great consistency in their results and excellent support from parents travelling up to watch. Unfortunately they were not able to attend tournament week to show off their growth as a team this season but the boys made the most of the rest of the season.

At the start of the season a squad of 19 was named, with the intention of picking 16 players for tournament week. Although this didn't happen, a match day squad of 16 was sent to Christchurch on Friday nights and this enabled the players new to the squad this year to experience a higher level of hockey. Over the season the team grew to improve a lot, with many of the younger players becoming more confident while many of the senior players stepped up to become leaders in the group.

The top goalscorer for the year was Tim Harford with more than 20 goals, and he was supported well by Ethan Walsh at penalty corners and the other strikers up front getting the ball in the back of the net a remarkable 73 times in 13 games. In the midfield, Jed Cameron created opportunities with his speed and stick skills, and Jonty Small passed and defended well to help both backs and forwards. In the backs, Jacob Gray captained the team with great defence and the ability to score drag flicks off penalty corners. He was ably supported at the back by Ryan Geeson, who also played striker for a whole 4

minutes this season - and scored a goal! Archie Glanville played very well in goal this year, and only conceded 16 goals in the 13 league games. Despite the high scores, the team still enjoyed many close games against teams, like the 2-1 victory to open the season over STAC 2nd XI and the game against the recently relegated Burnside 1st XI, whom we beat 4-1 for our first victory over them in a number of years.

More recently, College had a chance to play a friendly against the Timaru Boys HS 1st XI - one of the top teams in New Zealand. A good effort from Ashburton saw the score 0-0 at half time before going down 3-0 in the third quarter. After a quick intercept, Devon Flannery deflected the ball between the keepers' legs to put College on the scoreboard. We pressed hard for the remainder of the game but couldn't add another



Boys 1st XI. Back row L to R; Tom Walkham (Coach), Ryan Geeson, Dante Vannini, Jonty Small, Jacob Gray, Harry Soal, Todd White Devon Flannery, Henry Wallis, Jason Vannini (Manager), Sam Orr, Hamish O'Reilly, Jed Cameron, Archie Glanville, Ethan Walsh, Tim Harford, Zane Cameron Cole Aitken. Pictured left, left to right: Also in Squad: Tom Rosevear, Braden Luxton, Riley Harris.



Girls 1st XI. Back row left to right: Joanne Wakelin (Manager), Caitlin Muir, Emma Lill, Sierra Chambers, Grace Quinn (Captain), Hannah O'Reilly (Vice-captain), Rachel McArthur, Angel Spooner, Hannah Young (Coach). Front row left to right: Laura Cameron, Lily Davidson, Anna Gray, Brie Rudolph, Maddy Wilson (Vice-captain), Sarah Wilson, Jessie Pitney. Pictured left, Absent: Holly-Jayne Feutz

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goal. Despite the 3-1 loss the boys were happy with the effort and it was a great game ahead of their final match against St Bedes 2nd XI which finished in a 7-1 win to sum up the season.

Girls Hockey 1st XI

This year the Ashburton College Girls 1st XI Hockey team entered the Christchurch Secondary Schools Division 2 competition on Wednesday afternoons for the first time.

They performed well in this competition. They started the season off with two warm-up games then went onto play one complete round, a semi-final week, and a finals week. There were 10 teams entered into the competition.

In the warm-up games the girls had a loss against Avonside Girls 4-3 and a draw with St

Margaret's White 1-all.

In the round-robin, the first game was rained off. The girls then went on to have 5 wins, 2 draws, and 1 loss which left them sitting in 3rd place going into the semi-finals.

Semi-Final Vs Christchurch Girls 3rd XI
Loss 4-2

3rd V 4th playoff vs Rangī Ruru 3rd XI
Loss 2-1

Finishing in 4th place overall.

Grace Quinn captained the team with the support of Maddy Wilson and Hannah O'Reilly as the vice-captains. This was a good building year for the team and without tournaments or interchanges, the Christchurch competition

gave the season a point of difference and allowed the players to experience some different playing conditions as well as the opportunity to improve their own game.

They had their wins and their losses and various frustrations throughout the season. Overall, it was a great season and the girls have really grown in their hockey as a team and socially off the turf. Thank you parents, for allowing and supporting your daughter to play in the team in the Christchurch competition.

We say goodbye to Grace Quinn, thank you for your contribution to AshColl Girl's 1st XI over the years, you are certainly leaving a big gap to fill in the defence. All the best for your future and we hope that you continue to play hockey.

LAWN BOWLS

In preparation for the Aoraki Lawn Bowls Championships our students were fortunate enough to have the continued support of the Allenton Lawn Bowls Club, practising weekly after school under the guidance of Bob Holdem, Tom Sutton, Bob Harrison and Bruce Hopwood.

The Club also sent the students on their way with nine sets of newly purchased bowls, so they really did look the part on their arrival at Meadowbank Lawn Bowls Club in Oamaru, on Friday 13 March said Manager Darion Gray. College entered five pairs teams in the Competition Grade (two female and three male teams).

Results – 2nd Placing

Nine rounds were contested, with the standard of play quite impressive, denying four of our teams a podium place.

Our best result of the day was the team of Emma Rollinson and Victoria Binnie who were placed 2nd from the three teams.

Darion said that it was a thoroughly enjoyable day, with the players coming away with improved skills for the game and bowls banter for our return journey!

*(Pictured right): Oliver Davidson in action.
(Pictured below, back row left to right): Team members: Zac Woolf, Sophie Watson, Maddy Wilson, Emma Rollinson, Henry Hobbs, Caleb McNulty-Burns. (Front, left to right): Oliver Davidson, Liam Sullivan, Victoria Binnie, Ethan Walsh.*



MID CANTERBURY SPORTS AWARDS

College Students, Staff and Coaches Feature Amongst 2020 Mid Canterbury Sports Awards.

Mid Canterbury sporting excellence was again recognised this year, but online, and congratulations go to the organisers for keeping this momentum going and ensuring recognition was maintained. A number from our College community were nominees and award recipients over the days each sector was acknowledged.

As always, we acknowledge the hard work, commitment and focus which takes students to high levels of success in their chosen fields. The awards also highlight the national and international capabilities of a significant number of Mid Cantabrians, quality coaching and the support of families.

College Student Category Winners



Outstanding Junior All-Rounder Athlete

Taylah Burrowes – Karate (pictured above):

Having a stand-out twelve months, Taylah produced strong results on the netball court and, particularly, in her specialist sport of Karate. Taylah currently holds the Australian and New Zealand National Secondary Schools' titles for Kumite Cadets (under sixteen), and is the New Zealand Open Champion. Despite her busy Karate schedule Taylah still found time to compete in other sports and support by instructing other athletes.

Outstanding Junior Official, Referee, Umpire

Jacob Gray – Hockey Referee (pictured top right):

Hockey official Jacob Gray was recognised for his capabilities when appointed to referee the final at National Under 15 Premier Hockey Tournament, the Johnson Cup at Secondary School level and the National Under 18 Women's Hockey Tournament.

Outstanding Junior Team

Ashburton College Smallbore Rifle Shooting Team – Shania Harrison-Lee, Jacob Kilworth (2019 College student), Charlotte McKenzie,

Emma Smith, Samuel Smith.

A dominant twelve-month period saw this team delivered outstanding results, including claiming the New Zealand Secondary Schools' Shooting Championship title from twenty-five other competing schools. Within this event the team also produced two individual place-getters in the competition, and three individual grade champions.

Runners-Up: Ashburton College A Netball Team

Members were: Grace Adams, Taylah Burrowes, Samantha Holden, Poppy Kilworth, Dani McArthur, Ella Pearson, Mia Pearson, Faith Scott, Emma Stagg, Jasmin Strawbridge, Billie Surridge, Hayley Tallentire. The team was winner of the Mid Canterbury Premier Netball competition, fourth-placed finishers at the South Island Secondary Schools' Championships and therefore qualifying for the New Zealand Secondary Schools' Championships (15th placed) and performing with distinction in the Christchurch Supernet Competition.

2020 'Moment in Sport' Winner

Angus Jemmett – Cricket

As a Year 11 student Angus (pictured over page, batting, Photo: Courtesy of Doug Bovett) was selected into the Mid Canterbury Senior Hawke Cup cricket side, marking that occasion with a more than impressive debut, where he scored a century. Angus was a member of the Mid Canterbury Under 17 team and the Ashburton College 1st XI team in which he was the leading run scorer and leading wicket taker.

Outstanding Junior Sportsperson

Diego Quispe-Kim – Tennis

14-year-old Diego (pictured right), was enhancing Mid Canterbury tennis, with his No 1 Age Group New Zealand ranking. A New Zealand team representative at the World Junior Teams' Event in Malaysia, Diego was also named in the Canterbury Under 17 side, capping off an impressive twelve months on the court.

Runners-Up:

Sophie Adams (Basketball) and Shania Harrison-Lee (Smallbore Rifle-Shooting)



Sophie was a member of the National Under 17 Oceania Basketball Team; a member of the Canterbury Wildcats Women's team, the Waitara Under 19 and the Senior Mid Canterbury Basketball team. Additionally have been athletics successes, particularly in Shot Put.

Shania competed overseas at the Oceania Championships, gaining Gold and Bronze Medals and two new Oceania records, bringing her record-breaking total for the year to four. Shania's trophy gains totalled twenty four for the twelve-month period, she was a member of eleven different New Zealand teams and is currently ranked at number two in New Zealand. Her record is impeccable, ranking as top individual in Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

Outstanding Volunteer Awards

Eva Kelly – Basketball

As a Year 9 student, despite a busy playing schedule, Eva has also given back significantly to both netball and basketball off the court. Eva coached weekly at the Mid Canterbury Basketball Academy and was also selected as Coach and Assistant Coach to Mid Canterbury representative sides.



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Tessa Thompson – Basketball

2019 Year 13 College student, Tessa had a busy officiating schedule across the Canterbury region developing her own refereeing, but also encouraged participation and development of players through coaching.

Mindy Morrison (former staff member) – Basketball

Mindy was appointed Manager of the Canterbury Wildcats for the 2019-2020 season, and dedicated her time to delivering the best support possible for the team, including budgets, uniforms, and travel arrangements. As Organiser and Floor Manager for Mid Canterbury Basketball she is valued as a key cog in keeping the sport operating locally and further afield.

Outstanding Senior Sports Team

Luke Martin, College Physical Education and Outdoor Education teacher, was a member of the trophy-winning Mid Canterbury United Senior Football team. This team repeated their previous year's winning performance by again winning the Mainland Football Division One Competition, collecting the Division One Cup. The side, impressively, scored 95 goals and conceded only 18 during the season.

College Student, Staff and Coach Nominees

All with significant portfolios and successes to their names, nominees additional to those outlined above, were –



Outstanding Junior Official, Referee, Umpire Section

Cat Anderson (Basketball Refereeing).

Outstanding Junior Sportsperson Section

Kyle Cabangun (Karate); Maddi Lowry (Cycling); Kotiti Patea (Softball); Mia Pearson, 2019 student (Netball); Riley Sa (Basketball); Hayley Tallentire (Netball).

Outstanding Senior Sportsperson Section

Brittany Fowler (Equestrian), Logan McCorkindale (Croquet).

Outstanding Coach Section

Kaye Kennedy (College Netball A Team).

Outstanding Senior Sportsperson

Kimberley Bird (Equestrian); Brittany Fowler (Equestrian).

Former College Student Success

Outstanding Senior Sportsperson

Matthew Clough – Multisport

Despite his year being interrupted by a broken leg, Matthew achieved highly again. Matthew won the World Under 20 Cross Tri Championships, placing well ahead of his rivals; he placed third in the New Zealand Men's Under 25 Xterra Championships and, coming back from injury, placed third in the two-day Coast-to-Coast Open Men's Division.

MOUNTAIN BIKING

The Ashburton College team had strong results at the Aoraki Secondary Schools' Mountain Bike Championships which was held at Herbert Forest on 20 September 2020. Jocelyn Johnston said they were very fortunate to be able to attend the championships, in sunny spring weather at the beautiful Herbert Forest where the tracks were in mint condition thanks to the amazing team from Mountain Biking North Otago. Jocelyn and Michael Johnston again were in the coach/manager roles.

Competitive fields of thirty four riders competed in the Enduro Event in the morning, and sixty one riders took on the challenging Cross Country course in the afternoon.

Results

The AshColl team had a successful day with Brad



(Pictured above, left to right): Nick Collie, Riley Blundell, Keagan Nel, Kayne Johnston, Will Watson, Mya Johnston, Brad Blundell, and Mitchell Leath.

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and, Riley Blundell, Mya and Kayne Johnston all gaining podium finishes in one or both of their events.

Individual placings were –

First placings

Riley Blundell

Under 17 Boys' Enduro

Mya Johnston

Under 17 Girls' Enduro

Second placings

Brad Blundell

Under 19 Boys' Enduro

Kayne Johnston

Under 15 Boys' Enduro

Riley Blundell

Under 17 Boys' Cross Country

Third placing

Kayne Johnston

Under 15 Boys' Cross Country

Fourth placings

Nick Collie

Under 15 Boys' Enduro

Keagan Nel

Under 15 Boys' Cross Country

Fifth – thirteenth placings

5th - Keagan Nel

Under 15 Boys' Enduro

6th - Will Watson

Under 15 Boys' Enduro

12th - Mitchell Leath

Under 15 Boys' Cross Country

13th - Will Watson

Under 15 Boys' Cross Country

The College Mountain Bike team enjoyed a trip to Wellington for the 2020 Cycling NZ Schools Mountain Bike Championships in the school holidays from 02-04 October. They were accompanied by Jocelyn and Michael Johnston



Kayne Johnston working hard in the Under 15 Boys' Enduro where he secured second place.



First-placed Mya Johnston in the Under 17 Girls' Enduro.



Riley Blundell who gained second place in the Under 17 Boys' Cross Country



The College Mountain Bike team of (pictured above, back row left to right): Riley Blundell and Brad Blundell (Front, left to right): Oli Nicholls, Kayne Johnston and Mya Johnston

in the Coach/Manager roles.

The events were very competitive with high total entries overall, being 225 in the Downhill, 246 in the Cross-Country, and 425 in the Enduro.

Bronze Medal for Mya Johnston

The Downhill event was held at Maidstone Park in Upper Hutt on a grade five trail, which required more pedalling than most downhill tracks. Mya gained the Bronze Medal, competing in the Under 17 Girls' race.

With the size of the fields all results gained by the riders were well-earned and commendable.

The Individual Final Results Summary was –

Mya Johnston 3rd and Bronze Medal Under 17 Girls' Downhill

7th Under 17 Girls' Enduro

Oli Nicholls 5th Under 15 Boys' Enduro

7th Under 14 Boys' Cross Country

10th Under 15 Boys' Downhill

Kayne Johnston 9th Under 14 Boys' Downhill

Brad Blundell 12th Under 20 Boys' Downhill

23rd Under 20 Boys' Enduro

Riley Blundell 24th Under 16 Boys' Downhill

30th Under 16 Boys' Cross-Country



(Pictured above): Mya Johnston on her way to her Bronze Medal in the Downhill event.

(Pictured below): Oli Nicholls negotiating the Cross-Country course.



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Ashburton College Netball A Team

This year was a rebuilding season for the team with just three players returning from the team last year - these being co-captains Poppy Kilworth and Hayley Tallentire along with Taylah Burrowes. New players to the team were Milli Sullivan, Penina Vaaelua, Samantha Jerao, Cassidy Mann, Alex Bateman, Riley Tindall and Ruby Gray. With the arrival of COVID-19 the season was thrown into chaos (along with many other sporting codes), but with this disruption it allowed co-operation between the two sporting codes of netball and basketball which enabled Sophie Adams to join the team.

With the shortened season the team's goals were revised, with the first focus being the local competition playing in Premier 1 grade. The team's first goal was to remain in Premier 1 after the first round and avoid the promotion/relegation game. With so many new players to the team, outside expectations were not high but from game one the girls showed their intent, losing to last year's finalists, Celtic A, by only a small margin. With every game the team continued to improve and played their way into the final championship round. A new goal was set to make the top four and the team ticked this box off too. With no semi-finals this season it was straight into playoffs for 3rd and 4th positions against Celtic A, one they won to finish a very creditable 3rd. This was a fantastic result and one that the team can be so proud of.

Unfortunately South Island Secondary Schools, age group representative and Aoraki netball tournaments were all canceled but the team was lucky to complete one round of SuperNet netball in Christchurch. Travelling each week to Christchurch the girls got to play their own age group, an entirely new experience for the younger members of the team. The girls stepped up to the new challenge, matching the speed and intensity of secondary schools netball and it's something they will take forward to the 2021 season.

Poppy Kilworth (Most Valuable Player), Taylah Burrowes (Most Improved Player), Sophie Adams, and Hayley Tallentire (Most Outstanding Team Person) were the leaders of the team. They were wonderful role models, so supportive and encouraging of their younger teammates. Poppy, Hayley and Sophie leave the team in good heart and we all look forward to an uninterrupted 2021 season!

Ashburton College Netball B Team



Netball Senior A Team. Back Row left to right: Penina Vaaelua, Taylah Burrowes, Sophie Adams, Hayley Tallentire, Samantha Jerao, Alex Bateman. Front left to right: Cassidy Mann, Milli Sullivan, Poppy Kilworth, Riley Tindall, Ruby Gray.



Netball Senior B Team. Back Row, Left to right: Mikayla Roulston, Molly Milmine, Claudia Thomas, Nahteshiya-Jade Watene, Joe Tallentire (Coach). Front Row Left to right: Victoria-Jade Pupuke (obscured), Olivia Lill, Olivia Bishop, Emma Graham, Charlize McKenzie. Inset: Victoria-Jade Pupuke (unobscured).

It was a tough year with interruptions to our training and games for the Senior B team. It was especially hard for families not there to support us, but the girls embraced it and worked

hard, and played hard. We also had a tough first round with the competition being so high in Premier 2. The girls played some tough but great netball but we found ourselves playing off

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U18 Netball Team. Back row left to right: Ange Mitchell (Coach), Emily Wilson, Emma Scammell, Ciara Ross, Ellie Lawn, Sierra Chambers, Jemma Hurst (Manager). Front row left to right: Brooke Griffiths, Jayde Cook, Chloe Johnson (Captain), Olivia Hill, Mia Jessep.



Netball 10A team. Back Row: Cecilia Vaelua, Amelia Harris, Olivia Pearce (co-Captain), Katie Shearer, Taylor Shaw, Grace Prendergast, Tania Rule (Manager). Front row: Teagan Cameron, Laura Walsh, Emma Silva (Coach), Te Whetu Mapu-Patea, Denise Jerao (co-Captain)

in promotion relegation where we went down to Premier 3 grade. We had some great wins and some tough losses but were very happy with the team's performance and wish the girls all the best for the 2021 season.

Under 18 Team

Our season this year was an interesting one. From starting the season late and having interruptions due to Covid19 to introducing a new player halfway through, it was eventful,

to say the least. From our first game, we all knew we were going to play well together. We experienced many wins and a few sad losses, but continued to play strong. Halfway through our season, we introduced Brooke Griffiths to our team, although she played as though she was with us from the start. Not long after, the second wave of Covid19 hit, sending us into level 2 again, resulting in a few cancelled games. When we were able to play again it wasn't the same.

Our last few games had to be done without any spectators, leaving the stadium too silent. When our final game rolled around, we definitely had a challenging time, us being down by 7 in the 3rd quarter. Luckily for us, we were able to fight back to being 1 behind, and at the final buzzer, we were given one more chance to draw from a contact. Our Captain, Chloe Johnson, was able to shoot it, leaving us in 3rd place. It was a great season and even though we didn't come out on top, we all finished with smiles on our faces.

Year 10A Team

The Year 10A team has had a cracker of a season this year. We were lucky enough to be one of six teams competing for the new Premier 3 trophy, coming away with second place after a nail biting final to Hampstead U18A. Sadly due to COVID-19 our tournaments and exchanges were cancelled, but we were all very grateful that our Ashburton competition was able to continue. At the end of year prize-giving we were able to thank our lovely Coach (Emma Silva) and Manager (Tania Rule) for all the hard work they put into us this season, as well as see 3 of our girls presented with awards. Amelia Harris received the Most Improved award, Olivia Perace was awarded Best Sportsmanship, and Taylor Shaw got a well deserved Most Valuable Player.

Year 10B Team

A smart, hardworking group of girls who came together from different teams and made netball fun. During lockdown they motivated each other by creating at-home workouts and sharing them in a group chat. Through our season this year we had so much fun working together and playing netball as a team. Although our season wasn't as long as we thought it was going to be, we were very proud as to how far we have come together in the short time we had. It has been an amazing experience and a big thanks to Nat our coach and everyone around us for the ongoing support. Thank you girls and all the best for 2021 and the future.

Under 16A Team

This unusual season for the Under 16 A's was full of ups and downs - the downs being we were unable to do team bonding and pre-season training at the start of the year with the netball seasons also being shortened to 2 rounds. But there were definitely more ups. The Under 16 A girls all individually improved immensely throughout the season due to their commitment and determination. This led the

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girls to win the majority of their games this season, to overall place 2nd in their grade with a very tight and well played final.

Under 16B Team

Even though it was a short season the girls had a great season, finishing 3rd overall.

They all played their best and all improved in different ways and as a team. Considering the girls did not know each other at the start, by the end of the disruptive season, they really came together. They were a great bunch of girls and seemed to enjoy themselves.

Well done girls, finishing 3rd overall is a great effort.

Year 9A Team

The Year 9A Ashburton College netball team started off the season with some wonderful practices and getting to know each other but Lockdown really put all of our netball thoughts on hold. When we were finally able to practise again, we had lost one member of our team due to them moving so we adjusted again. Every player grew tremendously throughout the season and we took out many wins and learnt from our losses. We were gutted to miss out on exchanges with other schools but in the final round of the Mid Canterbury Netball competition we finished strongly by beating the team who ended up winning the Senior A grade. We were happy to get second knowing that we could beat the team in first place.

Year 9B Team

Like all the teams the season was a bit disrupted, but the girls coped with change very well. We started with 3 pre-season practices which was great for the team to get to know each other.

Our first game was a good win against Methven. The team went on to have only one loss for the remainder of the games. This resulted in our team being 1st equal on points heading into the final against Hampstead. Hampstead was an unknown as had come down from the grade above and we hadn't played them. The girls pulled out the best game they had played and gelled really well to win 28-16 and take out the grade win!

I thoroughly enjoyed coaching these enthusiastic fun girls for 2020



10B Team. Back row: (left to right): Kasey Higson, Emma Cochrane, Lily Campbell, Alexia Wilson, Shylah Johnston, Edelma Kelsall. Front row (left to right): Molly McKenna, Sama Soialo, Mao Nishioka. Absent: Freedom-Lee Gleave.



U16A Team. Back row left to right: Mia Chambers, Hani Hurst-Evangelista, Sera Ula, Jessica Hayman, Charlotte McKenzie. Front row left to right: Zari Jimenez, Simone Forster Lobato de Faria, Jamila Jimenez. Absent: Deborah Muchiri, Caitlin Stewart.



U16B Team. Back row, left to right: Jordie Hurst, Lara Shierlaw, Paulina Cuadrado, Amila Manoa. Front Row: Sarah Bradley, Orpah Sildo, Kate Petersen, Rose Stevens. Absent: Carly Van Wyk.

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9A Team. Back row left to right: Selaima Loloma, Chloe Braas, Izzy Harris, Sophie Gibson, Briar Clark, Tapairu Teokotai, Holly Ngutu, Siasini Satui. Front row left to right: Leah Reid, Sasha Williams.



9B Team. Left to right: Charlotte Bota-Wilson, Liberty Mendez, Hannah Digby, Lorraine Paterson, Doreen Awaikera, Bill'e O'Brien, Poppy Jemmett, Elyse McCallum, Emma Moodie.



U15 Team. Left to right: Kayla Wise, Cara Bowker, Madison Whyte, Tara Nevin-Smith, Sami Mead, Mylee Williams, Emily Simons, Sara Sheppard and Paula Strawbridge (Coach).

Under 15 Team

What a year this has been, we started the season off with training and getting to know each other on and off the court and then COVID caused interruptions to our season. We started the season in 2nd Grade and won this round to promote us to Senior Reserve for the final round. The training was paying off and the combinations were forming on the court – having fun as well. The competition was tougher in Senior Reserve, plenty of experience was gained and we finished 5th in this grade. Kayla Wise was awarded the Most Improved, Sara Sheppard received Most Valuable and Sami Mead the Sportmanship award. A great season by everyone.

ROGAINE CHAMPIONSHIPS



Year 12 students Ellie Lawn and Emma Scammell competed at the Canterbury Secondary Schools' Championships, at Charteris Bay, on Sunday 01 March.

Rogaine is a competitive event where runners find their way across open country by means of a map and compass.

Fifty-one teams contested the four-hour event, and eight in the secondary school teams' section. The day was reported as a really fun day, with some steep hill-climbs and creek-crossing en route to as many checkpoints as possible within the four-hour time limit.



(Pictured left, left and right): Ellie and Emma in the map study phase.
(Pictured above): Emma deciding whether this is the right route or not.

ROWING

Canterbury Rowing Championships 2020

From student and rowing cox Harriet Leverton

In mid-January, the Ashburton College Rowing squad ventured down to Lake Ruataniwha to compete in the above regatta. An early start on Friday morning saw us leaving school by 7:00am and arriving at the lake to rig boats at mid-day. The rowers took to the course in the afternoon to familiarise themselves with the typical Twizel conditions (boiling hot and slightly breezy!) in preparation for a weekend filled with racing.

At 6:00am on Saturday morning, Lake Ruataniwha was covered in thick fog, which meant racing was on hold for two hours. This delay led to races still going at 7:00pm. However, after this, Saturday night saw a squad barbeque for all the rowers, parents and supporters. On Sunday we managed to get all racing in and came away with some impressive results as below.

Results were –

A Finals:

3rd placings

Boys' Under 15 Coxed Four
Tim Connelly-Whyte, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Charles Savage, Jed Amos (Cox).

Men's Club Double
Ged Wall, with Ashburton Rowing club member, and former AshColl rowing student Haxby Hefford.

4th placing

Men's Novice Coxed Quad
Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Tim Connelly-Whyte, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

5th placing

Men's Novice Coxed Four
Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Tim Connelly-Whyte, Jed Amos (Cox).

6th placings

Men's Novice Coxed Four
Zane Cameron, Riley Harris, Charles Savage, with a Dunstan Rowing Club member, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

Men's Club Coxless Quad

Ged Wall with Ashburton Rowing club members.



(Pictured above, left to right): Jed Amos (Cox), Charles Savage, Mitchell Taylor.

8th placings

Women's Novice Double

Meagan Binnie, Isabel Wall.

Men's Novice Double

Zane Cameron, Mitchell Taylor.

Men's Novice Coxed Quad

Zane Cameron, Riley Harris, Charles Savage, Jed Amos (Cox).

Boys' Under 17 Single

Ged Wall.

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(Pictured above, left to right): Harriet Leverton (Cox), Isabel Wall, Laura Jensen, Ruby Leverton, Meagan Binnie.

B Finals:

1st placing

Men's Novice Double
Matthew Pearce, Tim Connelly-Whyte.

3rd placings

Men's Club Single
Ged Wall.

6th placings

Men's Novice Double
Riley Harris, Henry Wallis.

Women's Novice Double
Ruby Leverton, Claudia Thomas.

Women's Novice Coxed Four
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton, Claudia Thomas, Mia Chambers,
Harriet Leverton (Cox)

Heats:

5th placing Women's Novice Double
Laura Jensen, Mia Chambers.

7th placing

Women's Novice Coxed Quad
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton, Laura Jensen,
Isabel Wall, Harriet Leverton (Cox)

South Island Club Rowing Championships

From student and rowing cox Harriet Leverton

In the weekend of 1-2 February the Ashburton College Rowing squad again travelled down to Lake Ruataniwha in Twizel. Another early start for the team meant a quick stop in Fairlie along the way following the tradition of grabbing a pie from the Bakehouse and of course there were no complaints!

Throughout the weekend, white caps filled Lake Ruataniwha as a result of strong winds, making racing a challenge, especially for the smaller boats.

Results

After a hard day of racing on Saturday, the squad earned themselves ten crews in the A Finals and four crews in B Finals.

The squad woke up at 5:00am on Sunday ready to race. However, we had to wait out the two-hour wind delay which meant all races were two hours later than scheduled. Despite a slow start to the day and a late finish, we came away with some impressive results.

These results were as follows:

A Finals:

2nd Placings

Women's Under 19 Coxed Quad
Harriet Leverton (Cox).

Women's Masters Coxed Quad
Jed Amos (Cox).

Boys' Under 17 Single Sculls
Ged Wall.

5th Placings

Men's Club Coxless Quad
Ged Wall.

Men's Novice Coxed Quad
Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Tim Connelly-Whyte, Zane Cameron, Harriet Leverton (Cox)

7th Placings

Women's Novice Double
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton
(pictured below).

Men's Novice Coxed Four
Tim Connelly-Whyte, Mitchell Taylor, Riley Harris, Matthew Pearce, Jed Amos (Cox)
(pictured below right)

8th Placing

Men's Novice Coxed Quad
Riley Harris, Henry Wallis, Parker Bradford,
(Dunstan Club rower), Jed Amos (Cox).

9th Placings

Men's Novice Double
Tim Connelly-Whyte, Riley Harris.

Women's Novice Coxed Quad
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton, Laura Jensen,
Isabel Wall, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

B Finals:

1st Placings



(Pictured above) Men's Novice Double Zane Cameron, Henry Wallis.

Men's Novice Coxed Four
Zane Cameron, Henry Wallis, Parker Bradford,
(Dunstan Club rower), Isabel Wall (Cox).

Mens Club Single
Ged Wall.

Men's Novice Double
Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor.

2nd Placings

Men's Novice Double
Zane Cameron, Henry Wallis.

Heats:

5th Womens Novice Double
Isabel Wall, Claudia Thomas.

7th Women's Novice Double
Laura Jensen, Mia Chambers.

7th Women's Novice Coxed Four
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton, Claudia Thomas, Mia Chambers, Harriet Leverton (Cox)

Canterbury Junior Rowing Regatta

Information provided by Harriet Leverton, Cox

This event was held at Lake Hood over the weekend of 29 February-01 March.

Harriet said the rowers were fortunate to have this regatta at Lake Hood, as not having to travel meant the rowers were able to get a sleep-in, and be at the lake for 6:30am! (This timing still may not constitute a 'sleep-in' for many!).

Considering Lake Hood's windy conditions,



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Harriet noted they were able to get through the whole regatta schedule, which was a 'miracle'.

Results

College had eleven crews in the finals with five earning placings.

A Finals Placings were:

1st Placings

Boys' Under 17 Single Sculls
Ged Wall

2nd Placings

Boys' Under 18 Single Sculls
Ged Wall

Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Four
Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Parker Bradford, Jed Amos (Cox).

3rd Placings

Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Eight
Matthew Pearce, Parker Bradford, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Tim Connelly-Whyte, Charles Savage, Zane Cameron, Riley Harris, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

Boys' Under 18 Coxed Quad

(Pictured below, left to right): Charles Savage, Matthew Pearce, Zane Cameron, Riley Harris, Harriet Leverton was Cox, but is absent from this photo.

4th Placings

Boys' Under 18 Novice Double Sculls
Mitchell Taylor, Zane Cameron.

Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Four
Tim Connelly-Whyte, Riley Harris, Zane Cameron, Charles Savage, Claudia Thomas (Cox).

Boys' Novice Coxed Quad

Tim Connelly-Whyte, Henry Wallis, Mitchell Taylor, Parker Bradford, Jed Amos (Cox).

5th Placing

Boys' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Matthew Pearce, Henry Wallis.



7th Placings

Girls' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton.

Girls' Novice Under 19 Coxed Quad
Isabel Wall, Ruby Leverton, Laura Jensen, Meagan Binnie, Harriet Leverton (Cox)

Heats:

5th Placing

Girls' Under 15 Coxed Quad
Isabel Wall, Mia Chambers, Ruby Leverton, Meagan Binnie, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

Boys' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Tim Connelly-Whyte, Riley Harris.

7th Placing

Girls' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Claudia Thomas, Laura Jensen.

8th Placing

Boys' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Parker Bradford, Charles Savage.

Girls' Novice Under 18 Double Sculls
Isabel Wall, Mia Chambers.

South Island Secondary Schools

With information from Harriet Leverton, Rowing Cox

The Ashburton College rowers had an exciting weekend from 13-15 March, in Twizel competing at the SISS regatta. With racing starting at 1:00pm Friday afternoon, the rowers left the Ashburton College bus bay early, at 6:00am.

The water was superbly flat the whole weekend but, on Saturday morning the fog was thick, resulting in a three hour delay which was maintained throughout the whole day. With the recent cancellation of the Maadi Cup, due to Covid-19, sadly this was the last regatta for this season. The novice rowers this season have come a long way, progressing every regatta and this is shown in their results. Therefore - that's a wrap on the 2019/2020 season and we now look forward to winter training and next season, under Team Coach Justin Wall.

The weekend results were as follows:

Bronze medal winners in the Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Quad

Jed Amos (Cox), Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Riley Harris, Fran Connelly-Whyte (Co-coach)

A Finals

1st placing Boys' Under 17 Single
Ged Wall.

3rd placing Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Quad

Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Riley Harris, Jed Amos (Cox).

4th placing Boys Under 18 Novice Double

Matthew Pearce, Riley Harris.

Boys' Under 18 Single

Ged Wall.

5th placing Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Four

Zane Cameron, Parker Bradford, Henry Wallis, Charles Savage, Jed Amos (Cox).

8th placing Boys' Under 18 Novice Double

Parker Bradford, Charles Savage.

B Finals

1st placing Boys' Under 18 Novice Double

Zane Cameron, Mitchell Taylor.

7th placing Girls' Under 15 Double

Meagan Binnie, Ruby Leverton.

Boys' Under 15 Double

Henry Wallis, Mitchell Taylor.

8th placing Girls' Under 15 Coxed Quad

Isabel Wall, Mia Chambers, Ruby Leverton, Meagan Binnie, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

Heats

5th placing Girls' Under 18 Novice Coxed

Quad

Isabel Wall, Claudia Thomas, Mia Chambers, Laura Jensen, Harriet Leverton (Cox).

6th placing Girls' Under 18 Novice Double

Claudia Thomas, Laura Jensen.

7th placing Girls' Under 18 Novice Coxed

Four

Claudia Thomas, Mia Chambers, Isabel Wall, Laura Jensen, Harriet Leverton (Cox).



Gold Medal winner Ged Wall.

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(Pictured above, left to right): Boys' Under 18 Novice Coxed Quad Bronze Medallists Jed Amos (Cox), Matthew Pearce, Mitchell Taylor, Henry Wallis, Riley Harris.

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Mid Canterbury Combined 1st XV

Enjoyed by a great crowd on 12 June was the excitement and play of a pre-season rugby match held at the College grounds between the Mid Canterbury Combined 1st XV (Ashburton and Mt Hutt College players) and Timaru Boys' High School 2nd XV team.

Mid Canterbury spectators were boosted by good numbers from Timaru, with the pleasure of being able to play sport again very evident. Played in good spirit, with positive sportsmanship evident, management and the team were pleased with the performance and the final score of 33-17 to Mid Canterbury Combined, after they were down 17-14 at



(Pictured left): The teams at the end of the game.

half-time. The team did well to hold their opposition scoreless in the second half.

Team members for this game were – Michael Hennings (Captain), Alex Barnaby, Aidan Bennett, Charlie Brown, Tuarangi Daniel, Joshua Dunlea, Benjamin Fakataha, Mark Gabriel, Richmiracle Fuluasou, Shaun Fuluasou, Pasi Hala, Fononga Lisala, Otto Mareko, Ben Middleton, Thomas Patterson, Tim Poasa, Alex Roderick, Samuel Ree, Liam Sullivan, Christian Thompson, Toetu Touli, Isileli Ula.

Coaches are Shane Enright, Jason Rickard, James Roderick; and **Manager** Nicki Woods.

Mid Canterbury Combined Boys' 1st XV Rugby vs Nelson Boys' College

The team (pictured bottom, presenting the opening Haka) travelled to Nelson for what they anticipated would be a challenging encounter against last year's UC Secondary Schools' Champion team, played on 20 June.

This indeed proved to be the case, concluding with a decisive full-time score of 75-3 to Nelson Boys' College. Manager Nicki Woods said that the team had a strong first twenty minutes, but then slipped in intensity, creating gaps for the opposition to run through. Mid Canterbury Combined put in a strong last few minutes, however. Christian Thompson received a concussion injury but the balance of the team were fit to prepare for the next encounter.

Team members were Aiden Bennett, Alex Barnaby, Charlie Brown, Taurangi Daniel, Josh Dunlea, Benjamin Fakataha, Richie Fuluasou,



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Shaun Fuluasou, Mark Gabriel, Foni Hala, Pasi Hala, Fononga Lisala, Ben Middleton, Otto Mareko, Thomas Patterson, Tim Poasa, Sam Ree, Alex Roderick, Liam Sullivan, Christian Thompson, Isileli Ula; with Coaches Shane Enright, Jason Rickard, James Roderick; and Manager Nicki Woods.

Mid Canterbury Combined Boys' 1st XV Rugby vs Christ's College

Manager Nikki Woods reported on the team's home game on Saturday 04 July, against a strong Christ's College team, in Round 3 of the UC Championship.

Nikki said the team put in a great first-half effort, showing real courage, for a half-time score of 28-5 to Christ's College. Fitness levels let the team down in the second half, with more mistakes creeping into the Mid Canterbury team's play for a final outcome of 54-5 to the opposition.



gathered along Belt Road to support the home team against the strong St Bede's College side. St Bede's started strongly, scoring within a few minutes to lead 0-5, followed by a repeat to push out to a 10-0 lead.

After this, College entered the game and from a good scrum allowed room to attack on the blindside with stand-out Captain Michael Hennings setting up Isi Ula over for a try, with new half-back for the rest of the season, Charlie Brown, making the conversion to bring the score to 7-15. A spell of 'ball-watching' cost the team however, allowing St Bedes' simple tries from kick-offs to push away in the last fifteen minutes of the first half.

Some good rugby was played in the second half and an outstanding try scored, using the draw and pass for Michael Hennings to score a try of the day. He also just missed a second after a breakaway 40 metre run only to be cut down about 5 metres out. Year 11 Fononga Lisala, also returning from a knee injury, hit a brilliant gap from a great pass and headed over the try line.

The team worked hard for the last eight minutes to score the Bonus Try for a Bonus Point to allow the team to draw level with Roncalli on the points table but, alas, despite crossing the line the ball had been knocked on and the try not able to be allowed.

Three tries and nineteen points against a Top 4 Team in the competition, contained much that was positive, despite St Bedes score of 62 points.

Mid Canterbury Combined Player of the Day

This award was earned by Isi Ula.

(Pictured left): Alex Roderick and Pasi Hala on attack with the ball for Mid Canterbury Combined.



(Pictured left, clockwise from the left) Mid Canterbury players working hard to stay in possession of the ball – Tyler Tuirangi, Josh Dunlea, Pasi Hala. (Front, clockwise): Ben Middleton (on ground), Toetu Touli, Aidan Bennett.

Mid Canterbury Combined Boys' 1st XV Rugby vs Marlborough Boys' High School

Coach Shane Enright noted when COVID-19 hit they had no idea of the UC Championship being a reality for this year but thirteen games of rugby were played, culminating in the trip to Blenheim to play Marlborough Boys' High School on Saturday 12 September.

A notable aspect to the match was advice from Marlborough Boys' that one of their players, Monu Moli a younger brother of Chiefs/All Black

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player Atu Moli was, amazingly, playing his 50th game for their 1st XV. This is a significant milestone at the secondary school level, for which there was a presentation post-game. As Shane said, this alone was a warning that the Marlborough team was going to be on-task for this game.

The Mid Canterbury Combined team made a slow start to the game, being 12-nil down early, but a great take from the kick-off by Pasi Hala allowed them to stay inside the opposition's 22m for some time, put together some great phases and enable Tom Patterson through for a try, converted by 100% kicker Charlie Brown. Millar Newlands was very close to scoring later but touched the try line short and, from this stage, Marlborough took charge of the game.

Mid Canterbury Combined Player of the Day

However, our team never gave up and, in his final game in the jersey, **Tau Daniel was Player of the Day.**

Mid Canterbury Combined Boys' 1st XV Rugby Season Concludes Rugby Caps

Following the team's last game of the season several players received caps (*pictured below*).

The criteria for gaining a cap requires players to have played at least twelve games in one season, or at least fifteen over two seasons, for the 1st XV.

Team Goals for 2020

Although the final result was not what the team wanted, with a 60-7 loss, Shane said the team has achieved its goals for 2020 and made these goals stick for the season. The team played thirteen games, winning one, to finish 13th in a competition of fourteen teams. The team's last win was three years ago and they made their goal of having a full squad for selection through to the final game, plus starting to build a culture and 'Rise the Spartans'. Shane believes that adding these together has the team on the right track to start 2021 in the right frame of mind.

(*Pictured below, left to right*): Capped players for this year – Josh Dunlea, Charlie Brown (Mt Hutt College), Toetu Touli, Tau Daniel, Fononga Lisala, Sam Ree (Mt Hutt College), Liam Sullivan, Alex Roderick (Mt Hutt College), Pasi Hala, Shaun Fuluasou, Thomas Patterson.



AshHutt Girls' 1st XV

Successful Gala Night

The AshHutt Girls' 1st XV played their first games of their season on Wednesday 24 June, at a Gala Night held at Alpine Energy Stadium in Timaru, where each of the six teams entered played two twelve-minute half games.

With all but one of the AshHutt players unable to make it, due to work commitments, it was very pleasing for management to be able to take a full squad of twenty eight players, several of whom had not played before. These numbers also included four Under 15 girls as observers – Mere Apaipo, Maria Hala, Lela Mangubat, Tereise Salima, Ripena Umaga.

Game One was against the St Kevin's College/Waitaki Girls' High School team at 5:15pm, after a short warm up/team run. The first half produced two individual and very good team tries to give **AshHutt a 20-0 lead at half time.**

St Kevin's/Waitaki Girls' came back strongly in the second half however, scoring two tries and with their defensive effort keeping AshHutt scoreless, **for a final score of 20-10.**

With no time to catch breath, the team then shifted fields to play Timaru Girls' High School at 5:45pm.

The first half required a strong defensive effort by AshHutt, but, with little possession in the first five minutes, the team scored the first two tries of the game. Timaru Girls' High School responded well, with two tries also. **AshHutt lead at the break 15-10**, two further AshHutt tries in the second half **secured the win of 25-10.**

The team (*pictured above*) showed a great deal of emotion after the final whistle, and was very pleased with their efforts, as were the Coaches, Management and supporters. Paying off also, is the time that has been spent on the basic skills of the game.

Gala Night team members were – Mere Apaipo, Grace Bleach, Khalani Brightwell, Sharla Brightwell, Margret Eli, Steph Geeson, Chloe Guthrie, Maria Hala, Megan Hurley, Iela Mangubat, Ngahuia Maeva, Rangi Makutu, Roi Makutu, Tasha Mann, Mandy Manukau, Wikitoria Manukau, Caitlin Roberts, Emma Rollinson, Tereise Salima, Gemma Taylor, Laurelle Tahapehi, Lauren Taylor, Naumai Terekia, Madison Trusler-Clark, Ripens Umaga, Sophie Woods.

Team Coaches are – Shaun Bovey (for the first two weeks), Jim Henderson, Teo Murray and Vaughan Ward. **Team Manager** is Deb Kell.

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Pre-Season Game Success Continues for AshHutt Girls' 1st XV Rugby Team

The AshHutt Girls' 1st XV played their final pre-season game on Wednesday 01 July, against the Geraldine High School team.

Coach Vaughan Ward said that the away game to Geraldine provided some challenges with team numbers, due to sickness and work commitments, and with the team therefore fielding just seventeen. The team did travel with twenty players, including one injured team member and two players without age dispensation. It was important to note that for two of the seventeen starting players this was their first game of rugby.

Unfortunately Geraldine was also short on players, and unable to field a full team of fifteen players, so the match started with both teams fielding thirteen players.

Grace Bleach and Roi Makutu were named as Co-Captains.

AshHutt started well, dominating possession early. Grace Bleach, Megan Hurley and Madison Trusler-Clark again worked well as a loose forward trio, and provided exceptional go-forward ball and leadership within their on-field roles. Distribution was controlled well from #9 Caitlin Roberts in the 1st half, and newcomer Tokoono Pori in the 2nd, with the decision-making role of #10 again left to Lauren Taylor for the game's entirety.

Tries to AshHutt were scored in quick succession in the first half, with a 35-0 score at half time. AshHutt players were then loaned to Geraldine to cover injuries and both AshHutt players Chloe Guthrie and Rangi Makutu were applauded for their gamesmanship.

Try Scorers and Kicking Outcomes

Try Scorers were: Grace Bleach – 5; Madison Trusler-Clark – 3; Roi Makutu – 1 plus 4 conversions; Neshia Thompson – 1; Laurelle Tahapehi – 1; Megan Hurley – 1.

AshHutt kicking duties were undertaken by Roi Makutu with some brilliant conversion attempts. A further individual performance from Roi also deserves mention, as she exit-kicked from #13 from within College's own 22, chased, waited for the bounce in order to regather the ball, caught and ran an impressive 20 metres to score, to close out the game.....brilliant!

This outing led to a final score of 68-5, to AshHutt Girls' 1st XV.

Vaughan said that the team discipline and behaviour was exceptional both on and off the field.

Farewell

Sadly this was the team's last outing with Shaun Bovey as part of the coaching group. The squad gave him a fitting farewell, showing their appreciation for his commitment to not only Women's Rugby, but to Mid Canterbury Rugby also.



(Pictured above): AshHutt Girls' with their Geraldine counterparts.

Nailbiting Finish for AshHutt Girls' Rugby 1st XV

Round 1 of the South Canterbury Secondary Schools' Girls' Rugby Competition started on Wednesday 22 July, 5:30pm, at the Alpine Stadium in Timaru on a clear and chilly night. Contesting teams for this competition were AshHutt, Timaru Girls' High School, Craighead Diocesan, Geraldine High School, St Kevin's/Waitaki Girls' Combined, and Roncalli College.

Team members were Grace Bleach (Co-captain), Khalani Brightwell, Sharla Brightwell, Steph Geeson, Chloe Guthrie, Megan Hurley, Ngahua Maeva, Rangi Makutu, Roi Makutu (Co-captain), Tasha Mann, Tara Mellish, Caitlin Roberts, Emma Rollinson, Gemma Taylor, Lauren Taylor, Naumai Terekia, TC Trusler-Clark, Sophie Woods; with Vaughan Ward and Jim Henderson (Coaches) and Deb Kell (Manager).

Game Summary/Final Score

Vaughan said they had a very good turnout to a two-hour training session on the Monday prior, and with a confirmed squad of twenty four, were expecting to have to rest two players. Unfortunately, this wasn't to be the case and the team arrived with only eighteen players, mainly due to work commitments.

AshHutt again started extremely well with two early tries, to lead 12-0 before Waitaki/St Kevin's came back strongly and scored two well executed backs tries to close the score to 12-10. A final first half try to Madison Trusler-Clark kept AshHutt ahead at the break by 17-10.

The second half began with a flurry of tries to Waitaki/St Kevin's who used their substitutions bench well, and AshHutt lost #10 Lauren Taylor to a blue card (concussion) early in the second half, requiring a



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reshuffle of the back line.

Constant commitment on attack from AshHutt held the score at 42-29 with just 10 minutes to go, when an awesome backs' move allowed Roi Makutu to score under the posts and convert with a quick drop goal.

Another period of possession and constant pressure again allowed Madison Trusler-Clark to score out wide with only minutes remaining.

Unfortunately, the conversion attempt was unsuccessful, to give the closest of final scores, of 42-41 to Waitaki/St Kevin's.

Vaughan noted there were some very promising parts to the game, especially on attack and the determination to not give up.

Quality Performance by AshHutt Girls' 1st XV Rugby Team

The AshHutt Girls 1st XV Rugby Team played their final round-robin game, on Wednesday 19 August, against Roncalli College.

Coach Vaughan Ward said that a COVID-19 interruption saw the cancellation of the Wednesday 12 August game against Geraldine High School. Due to this, all teams received two points. Unfortunately this was a game AshHutt was hoping to take full points from but, following the cancellation, AshHutt was placed in 5th position after the fourth round.

Therefore, that Roncalli game was crucial to both teams, with the winner taking a 3 v 4 play-off spot. The match was held at the Hampstead Rugby grounds, whose committee was thanked for offering to host the match. Unusually warm and dry conditions added to the already dry grounds, but did allow for some exciting rugby for those watching from their cars!

Kick-off proved difficult looking directly into the sun, but AshHutt was fortunate enough to come away with a lineout which opened the opportunity to start a long period of possession, with three excellent tries being scored early, to Margret Eli, Megan Hurley and TC Trusler-Clark.

Unfortunately, this proved to be the end of the game for Megan Hurley, as she suffered a serious knee injury.

Roncalli took time to settle into the game but scored twice late in the first half, and were denied a third due to some determined cover defence brilliance by Roi Makutu, to force a knock on one metre from our line.

AshHutt was then able to again command possession, and were unlucky to have not scored again before half-time showing a bit of 'whiteline fever'.

AshHutt led 17-12 at half-time.

Further possession and territory from the pumped AshHutt squad kept Roncalli in their own half for the first fifteen minutes of the second half. This provided scoring opportunities for sisters Roi and Rangi Makutu in mid field.

Fatigue from some sparked yet another strong comeback from Roncalli, when holes appeared in our defence line around the breakdown. Clever re-start kicks from Roi Makutu forced errors from Roncalli and again AshHutt was able to score points from errors, with an awesome piece of individual work from ever reliable TC Trusler-Clark to score mid-way through the second half.

With the score at 34-22 to AshHutt, and less than ten minutes to go, another defensive breach in our own 22, saw Roncalli break through and seem certain to score again, other than for the excellent cover

defence from both Roi Makutu and Naumai Terekia, to force another handling error from Roncalli.

Late possession from AshHutt, great handling, and relentless phase play allowed TC Trusler-Clark to cross the line for her third try of the night.

Roncalli, however, was determined to finish well and crossed the line again in the same fashion to close out the scoring for a final score to AshHutt 39 - Roncalli 29.

Notable mentions from the game went to –

Caitlin Roberts for her reliable distribution from half back, to Lauren Taylor on her return from concussion, and offered direction at #10, and to Naumai Terekia for her input from fullback, and accurate and dominant defence. Grace Bleach gave continuous hard work and leadership, and newcomer Gemma Tapurau made a great contribution on the left wing.

3rd v 4th Play-Off

The team was poised for this important game, being held at the Alpine Energy Stadium against the Waitaki/St Kevin's team. Unfortunately, due to COVID Level 2 restrictions only the 1 v 2 playoff will take place, without spectators.

Pictured below: Gemma Taylor for AshHutt trying to stop Roncalli's forward momentum, as the ball rolls loose.



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Ashburton College Triple SSS Winning Team for Amazing Sixth Consecutive Year

Excitement was high amongst the College Team Shooters with the announcement of the New Zealand Secondary Schools' Shooting Competition (NZSSS) confirmed results.

This competition is shot throughout the length and breadth of New Zealand and demands a high standard to win. With five member teams, the process really tests the depth of a school's talent. Ashburton College should be rightly proud to not only have won, in a new record result, but to have their Number 2 team beating out other schools' first teams. The result is a very real credit to the students, to their dedication and talent, and especially in such a trying year.

Overall the two teams gained a remarkable set of results, with Ashburton College having medallists in four of the five individual grades. Jack Jones was perhaps the hard luck story, finishing with an excellent score, for a close 4th in C Grade, just out of the medals.

Ashburton College 1 Team

The winning team members were: Shania Harrison-Lee (Captain), Jack Jones, Jack McIntosh, Charlotte McKenzie and Emma Smith. More than impressively, this is the sixth consecutive year that Ashburton College has won this title and, while there is a consistency of team members there are also new shooters in the mix which speaks hugely well for the depth of talent within the Mid Canterbury Community.

Gold Medal and Champion Team with a Record-Winning Score

The team gained this win with a more than impressive record score of 1954.102, which the co-ordinator of the event noted 'would take some beating' in the future. Second-placed was Palmerston North Girls' High School, on 1941.81 which Manager Nina McKenzie said was a score that, in many other years, would have won the competition. Third was Cambridge High School with 1919.70 points.

To give some idea of how strong this final winning team score was, the team's average across the targets was at a Master Grade level (the highest grade of shooting in New Zealand), which is simply exceptional for secondary students.

In the final double card round, which is generally considered to be demanding of

secondary students, the Ashburton College 1 team produced an average of 196.75/200, which is phenomenal shooting on any day, let alone under pressure. This level sealed the victory for the team, after entering the final round with only a slim two point lead!

Impressive Individual Results were:

In amongst the College 1 Team result, were also impressive individual results:

Shania Harrison-Lee: Gold Medal Master Grade Champion, and second Overall Individual, after a very close tussle with her Palmerston North counterpart, Stephanie McNair.

Emma Smith: Bronze Medal in A Grade, and

5th Overall Individual.

Charlotte McKenzie: Gold Medal B Grade Champion, and 4th Overall Individual.

Jack Jones: Fourth placed in C Grade and 13th Overall Individual.

Jack McIntosh: Tenth placed and 22nd Overall Individual.

Ashburton College 2 Team

Team members were: Brontson Cudmore, Bree Greer, Tane Moore, Sama Soialo, Madi Tourle.

Claudia Cudmore competed as an individual.

Nina reported that the results of the Ashburton College 2 Team were excellent also,



(Pictured top, left to right): Jack Jones (Team 1), Shania Harrison-Lee (Team 1), Madi Tourle (Team 2) and Charlotte McKenzie (Team 1)

(Pictured above, left to right): Ready for action Charlotte McKenzie, Jack Jones, Shania Harrison-Lee and Madi Tourle.

(Absent): Emma Smith, Jack McIntosh, Sama Soialo, Bree Greer, Tane Moore and Brontson Cudmore.

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with Year 9 student Madi Tourle leading from the front.

Individual Results were:

Madi Tourle: Silver Medal (Runner-up Champion) in D Grade, and an impressive 15th Overall Individual.

The balance of the team, plus Claudia shooting as an individual, had **good individual finishes** in D Grade, being: Claudia Cudmore 8th; Brontson Cudmore 11th; Sama Soialo 25th, Bree Greer 35th, and Tane Moore 41st).

Very Sound Team 2 Result

Madi Tourle helped steer the Ashburton College 2 team to 9th placing overall, impressively beating first teams of some other schools and showing exciting potential, particularly given the majority of team is made up of junior students.

Congratulations go also to neighbouring Mt Hutt College shooters, who finished a very creditable 8th placing overall, with their shooters being Amelia Swan, Eddie Millichamp, Hunter Lill, Jess Heaven and Jess Lill.

Baton Changes Ahead and Contribution Appreciations

This will be both Shania's and Emma's final year for this match, as they are Year 13 students this year. Their contribution to the team, in their time at Ashburton College has been enormous. They leave Ashburton College in good stead though, with all three other members of the first team only being Year 10 and, together with Madi and many others, there is perhaps the strongest contingent coming through that the College has ever seen, which bodes well for continued success.

National Target Shooting Top Team and Individual Results

Recently available from Target Shooting New Zealand (TSNZ) were the full results for the 2020 New Zealand Challenge Secondary Schools' Postal competition. TSNZ thanked all who took part in this difficult year, events within which had delayed the competition and final results.

Ashburton College – National Title

Once again College student shooters performed outstandingly, taking out the National Title, over the other nine teams entered, 11.10 points ahead of second place-getters and regular close competitors Palmerston North Girls' High (578.24), with Queen Margaret College placed third on

575.23.

The National Title Team members were – Emma Smith (194.10), Charlotte McKenzie (197.11), and Shania Harrison-Lee (198.13), who gained a total score of 589.34.

1st and 2nd Individual Placings to College Students

Additionally, continuing their fine form, Shania Harrison-Lee was the Top Shooter with Charlotte McKenzie in second place, ahead of Stephanie McNair of Palmerston North Girls' High School on 197.10, meaning 1.03 points separated the top three shooters. With high entry numbers overall, these results were won from very competitive fields, with forty eight competitors in the girls' individual competition.

Overall Team Results for the Balance of the Ashburton College Shooters

Overall the AshColl teams all had very creditable results, indicated as follows:

Mixed Grade – 5th

The Ashburton College 3 team of Madi Tourle (186.04), Tane Moore (180.03) and Claudia Cudmore (180.05) placed 5th from thirteen teams.

Boys' Grade – 8th

The Ashburton College 2 team of Jack Jones (187.03), Jack McIntosh (188.06) and Brontson Cudmore (175.03) placed 8th from twenty one teams.

Overall Girls' Individual Rankings, from forty eight competitors, for AshColl Students were:

- 1st Shania Harrison-Lee (Y13)
- 2nd Charlotte McKenzie (Y10)

8th Emma Smith (Y13)

23rd Madi Tourle (Y9)

33rd Claudia Cudmore (Y10)

Overall Boys' Individual Rankings, from eighty four competitors, for AshColl students were:

17th Jack McIntosh (Y10)

22nd Jack Jones (Y10)

38th Tane Moore (Y10)

47th Bronston Cudmore (Y12)

With Madi Tourle currently a Year 9 student; Charlotte McKenzie, Claudia Cudmore, Jack McIntosh, Jack Jones and Tane Moore at Year 10 currently; and Bronston Cudmore back as a Year 13 student next year the future of Ashburton College shooting looks to remain strong, and we acknowledge the invaluable family and coaching support enabling this growth as well.

Smallbore Rifle Team Continue Successes

Nina McKenzie, for the College team, advised that the Ashburton College Smallbore Rifle Team of Emma Smith, Charlotte McKenzie and Shania Harrison-Lee (Captain) on Sunday 27 September, took on the best shooters in New Zealand. The team was competing in the New Zealand Inter-Secondary Schools' national 'shoulder-to-shoulder' (meaning in-person, as opposed to a postal shoot) match.

Ashburton College started strongly, holding a slender lead after the first full round and, at the two-thirds mark were still in front. There was a lot of nervous chatter and refreshing of internet pages, as the announcement of the final results were pending.



(Pictured above, left to right): Emma Smith (194.10), Charlotte McKenzie (197.11), and Shania Harrison-Lee

SHOOTING

Results

The College team finished, however, as **Runner-Up Champions** to Palmerston North Girls' High School, who put together a slightly stronger last round. Palmerston North's total score was 877.42, 2.02 points ahead of Ashburton College on 875.40 points. This epitomised the on-going strong team and individual competition between these two schools. Ashburton College was 13.06 points clear of third-placed Onslow College.

Shania Harrison-Lee was top-equal scorer for the match.

Although a little disappointed to not go one better, the College team's score was 9 points better than their 2019 score, and would have been a winning score in many other years.

With twenty six schools competing from around New Zealand, the team has every right to be very proud of their outcomes.

South Island Secondary Schools' Team Selection for North v South Competition

From these results all three girls were selected into the South Island Secondary Schools' team, to take on the North Island team.

After a further 2 x 10 shot matches, our girls were the top three within the 10-person South Island team. Unfortunately, the North Island got away with a win in this match, 1944.92 points to 1925.61.

Top Student

Shania Harrison-Lee took the honours of being Top Student for the South Island team (on 199.13 and 1.02 points behind the North Island top scorer), against some truly impressive secondary shooting.

New Zealand Secondary Schools' Team Selection

These combined scores were used as the selection match for the New Zealand Secondary Schools' team.

Huge accolades go to Shania Harrison-Lee (named as Captain) and Charlotte McKenzie who were selected for the New Zealand team, with Emma Smith unfortunate to miss selection by a very small margin. It must be noted that this is Charlotte's first selection at this level, which is very exciting for her and for the future of College team shooting.

This New Zealand Schools' team then went on to shoot in a postal match against the Great British Schools' team, posting top scoring results, which they can be really proud of. Shania and Charlotte both posted 199 points

from the possible 200, sitting second equal on the team's table, with Briar Summerhays from Palmerston North Girls' High School scoring the perfect 200.

Certainly, throughout the season, Ashburton College's name has been either at the top, or very near the top, of most lists.

Acknowledgment

This completes schools' shooting for both Emma Smith and Shania Harrison-Lee. They have been excellent team members, exceptional ambassadors for the sport and their school, and very encouraging of up and coming shooters.

We also thank Team Manager, and former College staff member, Bryan Hunter for all of

his hours of work with the team. We are told he was a very proud Manager!



(Pictured above): Charlotte McKenzie, newly selected to the New Zealand Team.



(Pictured above): Shania Harrison-Lee, selected again to the New Zealand team, as Captain.

SKIING

The Canterbury Secondary Schools' Ski Championship

The Canterbury Secondary Schools' Ski Championships were held on Thursday 13 August at the Mt Hutt Skifield, involving College student siblings Kayne Johnston and Mya Johnston, with father Michael as Manager.

Michael said that racing was held in 'bluebird conditions' with a total of over 180 skiers plus snowboarders competing.

The ski group numbers were significant with sixty nine female skiers and ninety two males.

Results

Mya skied well to finish strongly in 14th place in the girls' race and Kayne also had a great result, finishing 19th in a field dominated by senior students.

SISS Ski Championships

Siblings Mya and Kayne Johnston competed at the South Island Secondary Schools' Ski Championships at the Cardrona Skifield on Saturday 19 September. Parents Jocelyn and Michael were 'coach and manager', with Jocelyn reporting that Cardrona hosted a small but very competitive field of skiers for this event.

Competitors completed two runs of the giant slalom course, with their final scores based on the combined times.

Results

In the women's race there were only a few seconds between all of the skiers with Mya finishing well in 6th place.

Kayne (pictured below) was the youngest of the thirty one male skiers and finished strongly in 15th place.

In the women's race there were only a few seconds between all of the skiers with Mya finishing well in 6th place.

(Pictured bottom middle) Mya on her slalom run.



Tucker Trophy Ski and Snowboard

This annual competition was held on Thursday 30 July at Mt Hutt Skifield in windy but warm conditions.

Teacher-in-Charge Karen McKenzie said that racing got underway around 11:30am and that a mere 0.18 seconds separated the sibling rivalry between Mya and Kayne Johnston. Mya's combined runs totalled 1.06.83 and Kayne's combined runs 1.07.01!

While Year 11 Mya had the edge over her brother in the first race, Year 9 Kayne had the slightly better time in the second race. Between them, however, the Johnston's were seven seconds clear of 3rd place-getter Parker Bradford on 1.14.44.

Todd White (1.41.31) took out the snowboarding competition title from Mac Burdett, on 1.43.13 in 2nd place with only 1.82 secs separating these two.

Many thanks were given to staff members Michael Clark, Mike Pearce, Ron Carlson and Helen Shore-Taylor for helping out on the day.

Top three place-getter results were:

Skiing

Overall

- 1st Mya Johnston
- 2nd Kayne Johnston
- 3rd Parker Bradford.

Males

- 1st Kayne Johnston
- 2nd Parker Bradford
- 3rd Flynn Mackenzie.

Females

- 1st Mya Johnston
- 2nd Honor Bradford
- 3rd Izzy Harris.

Snowboarding

- 1st Todd White
- 2nd Mac Burdett
- 3rd Jack Wood.



(Pictured above, left and right) A Cardrona welcome for Mya and Kayne Johnston.

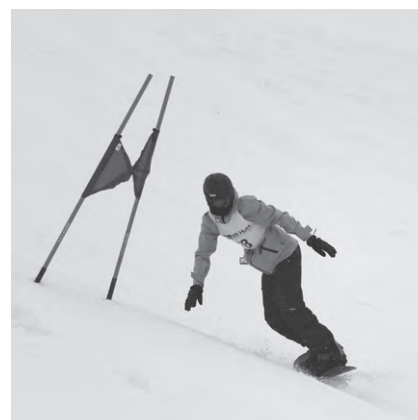


(Pictured above): Mya in action on the slalom course.



(Pictured above): Kayne Johnston in hot pursuit of his fastest time.

(Pictured below): Snowboard Champion Todd White.



SPECIAL OLYMPICS

SPECIAL OLYMPICS – ATHLETICS DAY

This event was held in Timaru with schools from Oamaru, Timaru, Geraldine and Ashburton participating. Teacher-in-Charge Cheryl Hardy said that, once again, it was a pleasure to take the Te Whare Manaaki (formally Student Learning Support Unit) students to the event and that all staff who attended were extremely proud of the students' behaviour, attitude and achievements. They certainly personified all that's good about an all-encompassing, inclusive sports event.

Each student excelled in the way that they did their very best and supported each other. It was a day full of fun and sporting 'highs'.

The event is completed in heats only and results for Ashburton College were as follows:

Chelssea Cheesman

2nd 50m Walk, 4th Girls' Standing Long Jump, 4th 100m Walk.

Stacey Cooper

3rd Girls' Standing Long Jump, 4th Girls' Softball Throw, 4th 50m Walk.

Danny Glanville

2nd 100m Run, 3rd Boys' Long Jump, 5th Boys' Shot Put.

Jonathan Hardy

6th 50m Walk, 6th Boys' Shot Put.

Hayden Miller

1st 50m Wheelchair Race, 3rd Boys' Softball Throw.

Jacob Olsen

1st 50m Walk, 4th 50m Run, 5th Boys' Softball Throw.

Raglan Patrick

1st 100m Run, 1st 200m Run, 2nd Boys' Shot Put.

Tom Roberts Forbes

2nd 50m Wheelchair Race, 4th Boys' Softball Throw.

Cody Robin

1st Boys' Softball Throw, 1st Boys' Standing Long Jump.

Delta Taeauga

1st Boys' Shot Put, 2nd Boys' Long Jump, 2nd

100m Run.

Harrison Thorpe

3rd 50m walk, 5th 100m walk, 6th Boys' Softball Throw.

Dominic Wayman

2nd 50m Walk, 2nd 100m Walk, 3rd Boys' Softball Throw.

Rebecca Wilson

2nd 50m Walk, 3rd 100m Walk, 5th Girls' Softball Throw.

4 x 100m AshColl Avengers Relay Winners – Sixth Consecutive Year

For the sixth year in a row, the 4x100m Relay team, AshColl Avengers, won the event.

This year there were new members in the team, made up of - Delta Taeauga, Cody Robin, Danny Glanville and Raglan Patrick. Well done boys, you did us all proud!!



(Pictured right top): Delta Taeauga poised as first runner in the relay.

(Pictured right, front and back): Chelssea Cheesman at the Standing Long Jump watched by Stacey Cooper.

(Pictured far right): Dominic Wayman in the Softball Throw.

TENNIS

Aoraki Secondary Schools' Senior Tennis Championships

Ashburton College was represented by ten players at these championships, held in Timaru on Thursday 13 February. Teams were made up of two players, each of which played a doubles tie and a singles game respectively. The tournament was well represented by teams from throughout the Aoraki region, with both the boys' and the girls' draw having two pools, with the winners and runners-up of each pool then battling it out for the final placings. Ashburton entered three boys' teams and two girls' teams.

Results

First Overall

The Boys' A team of Tyler Leonard and Ollie Bubb placed first overall in the Boys' Competition taking the final against Timaru Boys' High School A. To get to the final, Ashburton had to see off some stiff competition, particularly against Waitaki Boys' High School A.

3rd v 4th Play-Off

Pleasingly, Ashburton has some new talent coming through the ranks and the Girls' A team consisted of two Year 9 students, Holly-Jane Feutz and Angel Spooner. The Girls' B team was comprised of Ruby Gray and Ila Cabalse.

The two teams met to play-off for 3rd and 4th with the A team taking the honours. The players were looking forward to the South Island Secondary Schools' Championships at the end of February, also to be held in Timaru.

South Island Secondary Schools' Tennis Championships

The 'best of the best' hit the courts in Timaru for the annual South Island Secondary Schools' Tennis Championships over the last weekend of February 2020. Coach/Manager Michael Clark said that College entered a boys' and a girls' team, both of whom came up against some stiff opposition.

In their first match of the tournament, the boys went down against Christ's College before succumbing to St Bede's College later that day. However, they followed that loss up with a victory against Timaru Boys' High School on the Sunday and then a narrow loss against John McGlashan College, with the result decided on a countback of games.

The girls' team fared similarly with St Margaret's College and Rangī Ruru Girls'



Aoraki Team (Pictured above, back row, left to right): Matt Hopkins, Henrik Tawatao, Holly-Jane Feutz, Angel Spooner, Tyler Leonard, Ollie Bubb. (Front row, left to right): Tom Patterson, Eddie Galbraith, Ruby Gray, Ila Cabalse



SISS Team members (pictured above, back row left to right): Angel Spooner, Matthew Hopkins, Ollie Bubb, Holly-Jane Feutze, Tyler Leonard, Ruby Gray. (Front row, holding rackets, left and right): Henrik Tawatao, Ila Cabalse.

High School proving dominant. The matches, however, were more evenly matched against St Hilda's College but their Dunedin opponents proved to be too strong in the end. Ashburton had more success in their match against Columba College but, with both Ashburton College teams sporting young players, the experience of such high calibre opposition, including playing New Zealand representatives, will serve them well in tournaments to come.

2020 Canterbury Secondary Schools' Year 9 and 10 Tennis Championships

Held in Christchurch on 24-25 November 2020 four College students were involved in this Singles and Doubles championship.

Team Manager Claire Bubb said that the swirling and gusty wind did not provide ideal conditions at Christchurch's Wilding Park, but did nothing to dampen the enthusiasm and energy of our fantastic junior team.

Results were –

Holly-Jayne Feutz (pictured below) competed in the main draw of the Year 9 Girls' Singles and Doubles. As third seed in the Singles draw she defeated the eighth seed in the semi-finals to then play-off in the final against the number one seed, Tatum Falck. This resulted in a win to Tatum.

In the Doubles, Holly-Jayne and her tennis



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partner, Angel Spooner, also won through to the final where they were beaten by number one seeds, Tatum Falck and Laura Powley.

Angel also competed in the main draw of the Year 9 Girls' Singles, where she won her first round, but was then knocked out by Holly-Jayne.

Ollie Bubb competed in the main draw of the Year 10 Boys' Singles and Doubles. In the Singles, where Ollie was seeded at number three, he played and lost to the number one seed in the semi finals, but then went on to claim the 3rd v 4th play-off, for third place against George Brakenridge.

In the Doubles draw, where Ollie partnered with Eddie Galbraith, they won the quarter-final, but were knocked out in the semis by the number one seeds.

Eddie also competed in Division 2 for the Year 10 Boys' Singles, winning his first game, but subsequently beaten by the number one seed.



(Pictured above, left to right): College players Angel Spooner, Holly-Jayne Feutz, Ollie Bubb and Eddie Galbraith.

JUNIOR TOURNAMENT WEEK

Aoraki Region Junior Students' Tournament Week

An innovation this year was the introduction of the above tournament, held from 16-20 November. College teams took part in Tennis, Touch Rugby, Smallbore Rifle Shooting, Hockey, Volleyball and Beach Net. Additionally on offer were the Caroline Bay Relays, Football 6s Festival, Lawn Bowls and Badminton.

Word has it that this successful foray is likely to be carried forward as part of the Aoraki Region's fixtures. Meanwhile this year, although there were results, the emphasis was about participation and fun.

Aoraki Secondary Schools' Junior Tennis Championship

Played on Monday 16 November in Timaru the event was divided into three sections, being Boys' Championships (eight teams), Girls' Championships (three teams) and Boys' Festival of five teams.

Team members for the day were – (pictured top right, back row left to right): Eddie

Galbraith, Logan Williams, Ollie Bubb, Tyler Leonard (Manager), Tom Rosevear, Sam Kingsbury.

(Front row, left to right): Angel Spooner, Holly-Jayne Feutz, Jack Ellis.

Results included –

Ollie Bubb and Eddie Galbraith placed third in the Boys' Championships. In the final round they were drawn against team mates **Tom Rosevear and Logan Williams**.

Holly-Jayne Feutz and Angel Spooner placed at the top of Girls' Championship group, while **Sam Kingsbury and Jack Ellis** competed in the Festival Section.



(Pictured right, left to right): Winning players with their certificates – Holly-Jayne Feutz and Angel Spooner (first place); and Ollie Bubb and Eddie

JUNIOR TOURNAMENT WEEK



Smallbore Team (Pictured above, back row, left to right): Jack McIntosh, Charlotte McKenzie, Jack Jones, Claudia Cudmore. (Front row, left to right): Sama Soialo, Tane Moore, Madi Tourle, Bree Greer.



(Pictured above right, left to right): The AshColl Girls' Beach Net team of Hannah Joyce, Lucy Marshall, Nevaeh Green-Thompson, Lorraine Paterson, Briar Clark, Hannah Digby, Sara Sheppard, Sophie Gibson.

Sports Coordinator Darion Gray said the day started off very warm and, with the wind picking up after lunch, this proved challenging, adding to the mix of the day. However, there was still a good calibre of tennis on display, and they all had a 'super day'.

Year 12 student Tyler Leonard was very supportive as the Team Manager, stepping up well into the role.

Smallbore Rifle Shooting

Having strong shooters, Ashburton College was able to field two teams to this competition, held on Wednesday 18 November.

Team members were –

Angry Birds: Bree Greer, Charlotte McKenzie, Claudia Cudmore and Jack Jones.

Funky Phoenix's: Jack McIntosh, Madi Tourle, Sama Soialo and Tane Moore.

Stephen Millichamp and Bryan Hunter were the Coach/Manager team.

This was a first time for Smallbore Rifle Shooting, with just Ashburton and Mt Hutt Colleges entering the competition – with two teams from AshColl and one from Mt Hutt College. Contributing to this was the fact that the indoor shooting season has finished, plus being a difficult year overall. These numbers are expected to grow in the future.

However, Darion said it was fantastic to see so many quality junior shooters competing together, boding very positively for future Smallbore competition at Ashburton College, promising much.

It is important to note that some of these students are 'tyros' (first year competitors in this sport), and the remainder are still relatively inexperienced. Considering this, the results were very encouraging, and the

students can be very happy with their effort. The event was held in great fun, with all students enjoying their day.

There were great individual performances from the team members, and improvements across the three rounds. For some, this was their first taste of Smallbore Inter-school competition, and they acquitted themselves very well.

Results were –

As this was a festival event, the two AshColl teams were mixed age, grade and experience, alphabetically via first name!

Each team had four shooters, with the best three scores counting in each of the three rounds. Each round consisted of a 10-shot match, meaning each round's total was out of 300.30, with the final total from 900.90.

Results were exceedingly close between all three teams each round.

At the end of the first round –

The Funky Phoenix's led on 280.06 due to great consistent scoring from the team, with Tane leading the way with 95.04. Mt Hutt scored 277.07 in this round.

The Angry Birds concluded this round on 275.06.

A shuffle in results occurred after Round 2, which saw the **first and only 'possible' score of 100.03 shot by Angry Bird Charlotte McKenzie**, which helped their team total to 555.14 to draw equal with the Funky Phoenix's on 555.10, who both trailed Mt Hutt with 558.14.

The **final round** saw ups and downs with total scores, and the win, to Mt Hutt (842.25), from the Angry Birds (835.21), and the Funky Phoenix's (831.14).

The top cumulative scorers for the Funky Phoenix's were Jack McIntosh and Madi Tourle, and for the Angry Birds, Charlotte McKenzie.

Aoraki BeachNet 2020

A perfect day emerged weather-wise for this event, held on the sand at Caroline Bay, Timaru, on Friday 20 November.

BeachNet was a new sport to many. With no set positions or thirds, players can move around as required, and pass the ball for as long a distance as they can. Diving on the ball is also allowed and encouraged! Players can pass from the sand or stand in their positions before passing the ball.

There are five players on the 'court' from each team, with two allowed in the goal square at any one time.

The AshColl Girls, with the rules firmly read and understood on the journey down, took

(Pictured below): Team member Lorraine Paterson in action.



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(Pictured below, left to right): the AshColl Boys' team of Nick Kershaw, Lachie Jemmett, Hamish O'Reilly, Henry Thomas, Sonny McMillan, Fletcher Hobbs, Tom Rosevear, Eddie Galbraith.

to BeachNet like ducks to water, Darion Gray Sports Co-ordinator advised.

Ten teams undertook this Festival Grade Competition, run with the purpose of 'having a go' without competition pressure, with the structure of the day determined by the number of schools and entries.

As with the other sports, this day was also reported as a fun day all-round and, to top it off, a paddle in the sea provided relief for sore feet.

Aoraki Secondary Schools' Junior Hockey Six-Aside Festival

Three AshColl teams, two girls' and one boys', took part in this Festival event day, hosted by South Canterbury Hockey on Wednesday 18 November, with Hannah Young and Darion Gray - Coach and Manager respectively.

Twenty teams in total participated, seven in the boys' and mixed sections and six in the girls'.

In line with the 'taking part' approach, the event, hosted by South Canterbury, was a 'hockey experience', having fun and no winners recorded.

Teams each included two non-registered players on the field during play, resulting in forty seven students experiencing a new sport.

The fields were half size, with boards on the perimeter allowing for uninterrupted and fast play. Darion said that it was great to see our non-hockey players in amongst the action, and scoring goals. The day proved very popular with all who attended, and big numbers are anticipated for 2021.

Players forming the two girls' teams

were - Laura Cameron, Lily Davidson, Leah Doig, Holly-Jayne Feutz, Alia Forrester, Maria Lawn, Emma Lill, Zeahn Otene, Olivia Pearce, Jessie Pitney, Sam Roberts, Maddy Soal, Laura Walsh, Sarah Wilson.

Winners at Aoraki Secondary Schools' Junior Volleyball

Four Ashburton College teams took part in this event, held at the Aoraki Sports Park in Timaru on Thursday 19 November. Although held during the Junior Sports Tournament Week this event was an actual competition event. Traditionally there is a senior students volleyball competition in Term Two annually, but this was cancelled due to COVID.

Junior students are always scheduled for their tournament towards the end of the year, hence this one being slotted into the week.

The College teams had taken their build-up to this tournament seriously, practising two to three times a week after school. Team rapport was strong, with positive but vocal encouragement, and apparently the roof was lifted off when the Girls' and Boys' A teams won and the Boys' B team was placed 3rd! Staff member Jayne Cornelius said many games were tight and hard-fought.

Results

Girls' Teams

1st placing to Ashburton College A Team: Girls' Division One

The A Team's pool wins came from consistent 2-0 wins over each of Roncalli College B, Timaru Girls' High School Year 9, Mt Hutt College Red and St Kevin's College.

Final game was against Waitaki Girls' High School, which Ashburton College took out,



Junior Girls' A Team (Year 10 players): (Pictured above, back row, left to right): Cecillia Vaaelua, Sera Ula, Ashlein Lyttle, Ripena Umaga Vaeila, Edelma Kelsall. (Front row, left to right): Denise Jerao, Rere Strickland, Sifala Sagaga. Coach was Year 12 student Samantha Jerao.



Junior Girls' B Team (Year 9 players): (Pictured above, back row, left to right):

Laura Mihailescu Bogdan, Shimee Araguas, Tafu Aiono Falealili (at back), Coach Penina Vaaelua, Angel Spooner, Selaima Loloma. (Front row, left to right): Jamila Jimenez, Zari Jimenez, Siasini Satui.



Junior Boys' A Team (Year 10 players): (Pictured above, back row, left to right): Richmond Eclipse, Lauina Arona, David Tugaga, Paulo Kamoe.

(Front row, left to right): Steve Terekia, Talatau Touli, Jim Reyes, Nick Taojo. Coach was Year 12 student Sam Rakthong.

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Pictured above, the final game against Waitaki Girls' High School,

with their consistent score of the tournament (2-0)!

The Ashburton College Girls' B Team finished in 6th place after finishing third in Pool B, and then playing off for 5th v 6th again Roncalli College B, which they lost 2-0.

Boys' Teams

1st placing to Ashburton College A Team: Boys' Division One

Playing in Pool B, the A Team had pool round wins over St Kevin's College (2-0), Waitaki Boys' High School Black (2-0).

3rd placing to Ashburton College B Team: Boys' Division One

The B Team played in Pool A and had pool round wins over Mt Hutt College (2-0), Roncalli College (2-0), Waitaki Boys High School Red (2-1).

Semi-Finals

Semi-final play saw Ashburton College B win over St Kevin's College (2-0) and Ashburton College A win over Waitaki Boys' Red (2-1).

Final

This brought a win to Ashburton College A over St Kevin's College (2-0).

Appreciation

Appreciation is given to Year 11 students Pedro Collins, Ricky Fuluasou and lolama lolama; and Year 12 student Sinifoni Hala for their consistent Volleyball help throughout the year.



Junior Boys' B Team (Year 9 players): (Pictured above, back row, left to right) Beaver Touli, Wilson Aitofele-Arona, Patrizio Novello, Redict Teves, Kaia Kereopa.

(Front row, left to right): Samuel Fangai'uiha, Latham Brown, Fauea Suione, River Fuluasou. Coach was Year 12 student Isileli Ula.



9BJV



Top Row: Wharepapa Makutu, Phoenix Aspin, Hunter Tindle, Harry Spicer, Keagan Nel, Dave Walker

Middle Row: Charlotte Addison, Kaitlyn Adams, Sally Lang, Madison Whyte, Leah Reid, Sophie Trott, Mr Ji (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Jack Ellis, Rebekah Clement, Taymah Aiken-Wheeler, Bree Greer, Ashley Jenkins, Amelia Bruce, Gabe Rigor

Absent: Iulia Bessai, Stacey Cooper

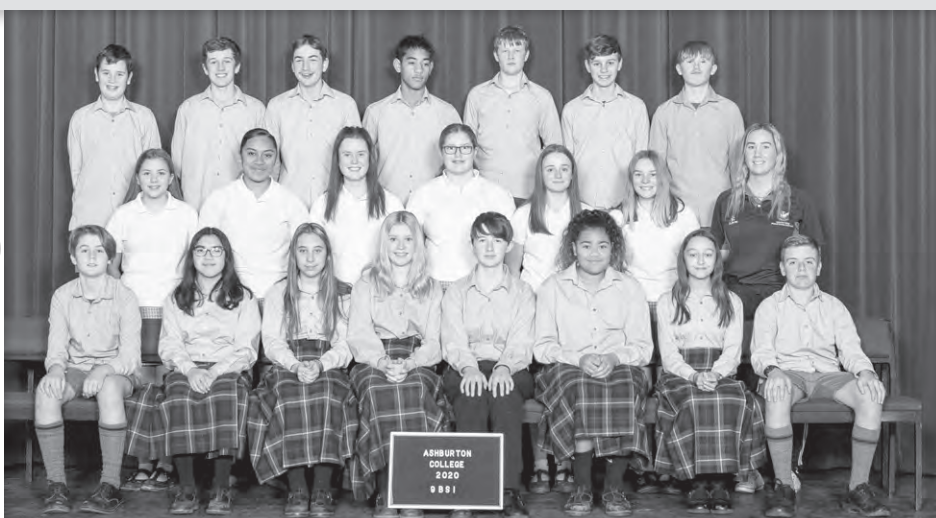
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Top Row: Emmett Rowlands, Izacc Carr, Tyler Rattray, Stephen Palavi, Jack Halford, Austin Rollinson, Zak Haydon-Gliddon

Middle Row: Gabbie Tindall, Selaima Loloma, Maddie Bryant, Isla Connelly-Whyte, Sienna Skilling, Charlotte Bota, Miss Simpson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Leo Burgess, Ela Marilla, Meeah Pawsey, Skye Olliver, Paige Williams, Holly Ngutu, Danielle Hill, Zac Douglas



9BWS

Top Row: Marshall Green, Tipeti Afu, Patrizio Novello, Austin Watson, Titan Hetet, Sam Kingsbury, Dick Layno

Middle Row: Parteshwar Lal, Josh Fitzgerald, Emma Warden-Clements, Ripena Umaga Vaeila, Tayla Davidson, Dale Burgess, Shauwn Zietsman, Mr Wakelin (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Mollie McLauchlan, Rachel Clement, Haylea Cary-Smith, Ashley Gee, Emma Moodie, Moana Moore, Olivia Hansen, Iela Mangubat, Talitha Nel



9GBL

Top Row: Chris Faifua, Emori Balenaisa, Tate Dryland, Daniel Muir, Charlie Scammell, Latham Brown

Middle Row: Caleb Sluys, Fauea Sione, Bella Bryden, Mia Otene, Bill'e O'Brien, Maddy Aubrey, Lachie Sheehan, Ken De Lara, Miss Bell (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Samuel Fangai'uiha, Kaylie Pierce, Savannah Ohlson, Shelley Cossey, Sami Mead, Maddie Williams-McGrath, Rose Vannini, Ellie Glenn, Steven Harris



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9GSS



Top Row: Lachie Lansdown, River Fuluasou, Ezekiel Colcord, Kurtis Guilford, Jared Munn, Conor Rogers, Liam Taylor, Harsh Patel

Middle Row: Kayne Johnston, Oli Nicholls, Mere Apaipo, Sophie Kenny, Jess Taylor, Sir Aron Da-al, Luke Hay, Miss Stockdill (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Stephanie Solomon, Maddi Muir, Angel Thomas, Leigha Fletcher, Meadow Gulleford, Cara Bowker, Tereise Salima

9GYA



Top Row: Lee Tod, George Milo, David Tu'atonga, Mita Maamaloa, Junior Eli, Beaver Touli

Middle Row: Yozan Apiata, Riley Broker, Alan Jamieson, Emma Ledingham, Samantha Lagapa, Lucy Marshall, Julius Apolonio, Mr Young (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Will Watson, Emily Simons, Ruby Robinson, Genevieve Felton, Angel Spooner, Kadugli Taeauga Mafiti, Seb van Rooyen

Absent: Shanel Davis, Eteta Tanunu

9OBY



Top Row: Seth Clarke, Tom Patterson, Kaia Kereopa, Lukas Fowler, Elliott Ward, Dylan Smith

Middle Row: Jack Bull, Hannah Joyce, Sophie Gibson, Isla Watt, Madi Tourle, Luke Larter, Miss Bedford (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Bella Oakley, Sasha Williams, Chanakah Mamapomisa, Tiffany Rodgers, Honey Reuben, Gracie Trotter, Liberty Mendez, Justine Iolama

Absent: Delaney Richards

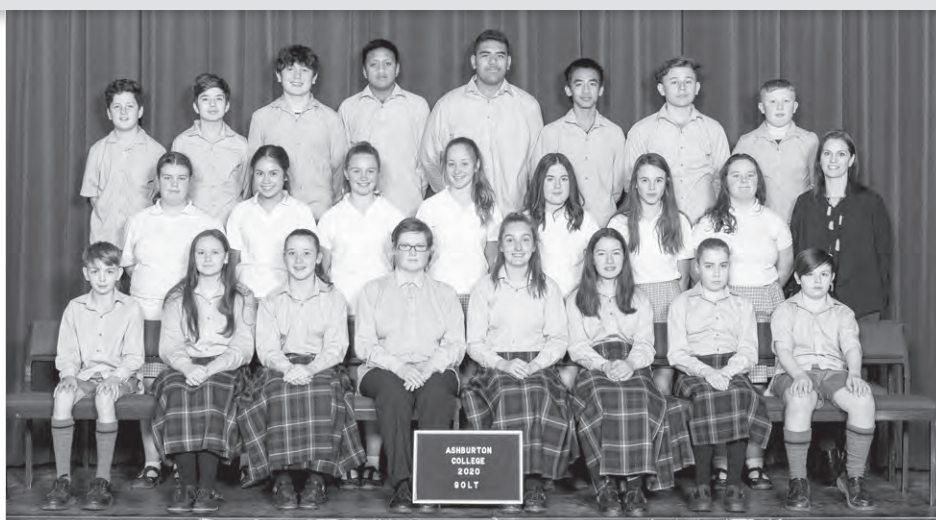
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9OLT

Top Row: Jaydyn Steenhart, Daniel Nicoloiu, Jaykob Argyle, Wilson Aitofele-Arona, Gregory Taumaoe, Raven Tayaban, Logan Williams, Cooper Kellett

Middle Row: Briar Clark, Lorraine Paterson, Sara Sheppard, Holly-Jayne Feutz, Lilly Naughton, Emerson Stevens, Caitlin Conaghan, Mrs List (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Nathaniel Saxon, Abbey Linwood, Savannah Tuanui, Emily Annear, Tamsin Cartney, Darcy McCully, Charlotte Livingstone, Nicholas Clough



9OST

Top Row: Brandon Marshall, Riley Richards, Newel Buenafe, Finn Brown, Jesse Chapman, Kaleb Thompson, Hector Diamante

Middle Row: William Boyles, Nic Dalgety, Waimaria Large-Marsh, Lily Briggs, Violet Lambert-Lane, Doreen Awaikera, Arras Jamieson, Mr Stephen (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Chloe-Lyn Edwards, Amelia Cuthbertson, Eden Gairns, Maria Hala, Meg Ford, Izzy Harris, Mia Graham

Absent: Ava Sila



9RDO

Top Row: Declan Pretorius, Levi Browne, Jonathan Hardy, Raglan Patrick, Thomas Robertson, Sam Jessep

Middle Row: Rosalyn Rhodes (LSA), Donnie Ross, Sean McArthur, Honor Bradford, Olivia Fox, Chloe Braas, Hannah Digby, Tyson Butler, Ezechiel Paese, Miss Donaldson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Nicholas Collie, Katie Ashworth, Aleisha King, Mahalia Scarlett, Elyse McCallum, Savanna Heads, Kaiya Amorante, Nevaeh Green-Thompson, Kingsley Olawale



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9RMN



Top Row: Richie Rushton, Dante Mitchell, Jesse Nieman, Maafala Faamausili, Jack Harrison, Zach Rowland

Middle Row: Kayin Moore, Mouna Ulupano, Pairu Teokotai, Tafu Aiono Falealili, Kayla Wise, E-J Elliott, Gabriel Teves, Mrs Mitchell (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Keisha Power, Melissa Wilson, Lacey Campbell, Poppy Jemmett, Hannah Thickett, Maia Protheroe, Holly Wright

Absent: Malia Mannex-Peters, Keanu Smith

9RMO



Top Row: Seth Lambert, Jordy McGillen, Kamal Larry, Ashlin Hala'ufia, Oliver-Jack Munro, Pippo Trinidad

Middle Row: Josh Pitney, Aisea Fakataha, Mylee Williams, Taylah Ward, Paige Aitken, Hayley Smith, Tere Tomokino, Mr Molyneux (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Mason Bland, Tessa Wright, Tara Nevin-Smith, Jasmine Galos, Siasini Satui, Emily Rouse, Ella Rickard, Sam Danielson, Brac Wells

10BBA



Top Row: Ethan Stenton, Redict Teves, Logan Johnson, Braden Luxton

Middle Row: Bailey May, Kaz Wilson, Serena Levy-Marsh, Alyssa Gilbert, Tane Moore

Bottom Row: Rinna Bernabe, Hannah King, Simone Forster Lobato de Faria, Delyna Nguyen, Molly McKenna

Absent: Eddie Bessai, Max Lawson, Neko Whymark, Ms Bayley (Teacher)

CLASS OF 2020

10BKR

Top Row: Eddie Galbraith,
Ollie Strawbridge, Kaimana Acidera,
Lachie Jemmett

Middle Row: Chloe Robinson,
Laura Walsh, Sera Ula, Ella MacDonald,
Zeahn Otene, Miss Keenan (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Sam Orr, Lyn Militante,
Hayley McQuillan-Ross, Ruby Leverton,
Sarah Bradley, Seb McMillan

Absent: Khalani Brightwell,
Taylor Shaw



10BMF

Top Row: Hamish O'Reilly,
Will Rollinson, Jacob Wilson,
Mason Bird

Middle Row: Jack McIntosh,
Jayden Williams,
Kaiwhaiki Peetitumango,
Cole Nicolson, Mrs Moffett (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Lahsinee Laki-Sooialo,
Lara Shierlaw, Te Whetu Mapu-Patea,
Sophie Fine, Kasey Higson, LJ Tampipi

Absent: Ro'Elle McKay, Alissa Mellish,
Carly van Wyk, William Fifita



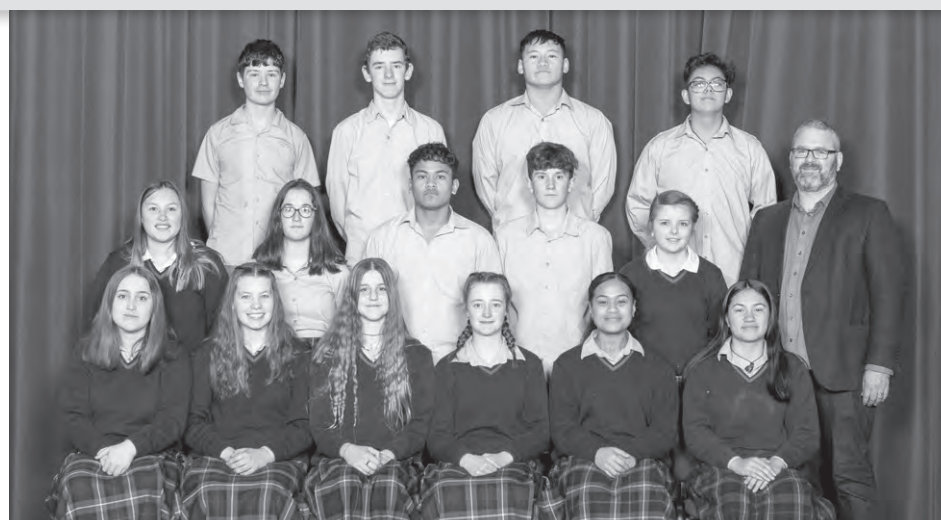
10BPT

Top Row: Max Clarke, Zac Evans,
Brooklyn Culshaw, Bilshan Ate

Middle Row: Leah Doig,
Kellie Corbett, Paulo Kamoe,
Riley Blundell, Lily Davidson,
Mr Petrus (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Cassie Chamberlain,
Emma Cochrane, Paulina Cuadrado,
Claudia Cudmore, Edelma Kelsall,
Kitaana Kenny

Absent: Lela Butler, Grason Rutene



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10GAS



Top Row: Nick Freer, Fletcher Hobbs, Regan Lilley, James Marriott

Middle Row: Talatau Touli, Molly Meehan, Tayla Wikitera, Sawyer Stewart, Mrs Aulsford (Teacher)

Bottom Row: April Pantoja, Sifala Sagaga, Lily Williams, Rose Stevens

Absent: Richmond Eclipse, Freedom-Lee Gleave, Finn Kelly, Misdee Toa

10GES



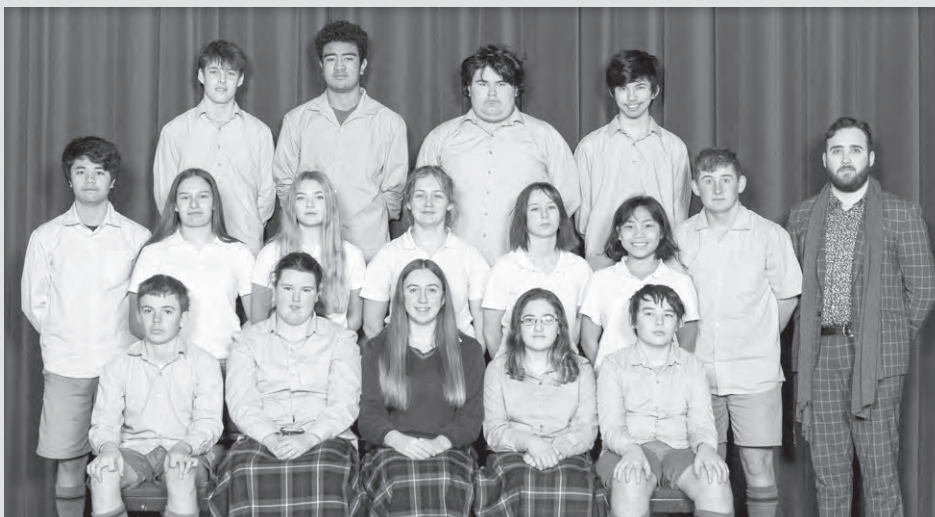
Top Row: Matthew Binnie, Jack Jones, Cohan Reid

Middle Row: Casey Flett, Rere Strickland, Chloe Rutledge, Jessica Thomas, Mitchell Leath, Ms Evans (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Jhade Patricio, Hershel Ranay, Mia Manoa, Grace Prendergast, Jess Lamb

Absent: Seta Faifua, Fiona Hales, Seth Hosken, Jamila Jimenez, Daniel Wells

10GHN



Top Row: Oliver Hobbs, Nuku Penisoni, Ethan Van Dijk, Bryce Kitson

Middle Row: Seth Lucido, Jordis Double, Harmony Shea, Danielle Faichnie, Gypsy Johnston, Zari Jimenez, Todd McCloy, Mr Hanrahan (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Tom Rosevear, Mollie Elvy, Teagan Cameron, Kate Petersen, Rikki Hollis

Absent: Archie Glanville

CLASS OF 2020

10GSY

Top Row: Brodie Burrowes,
Daniel Cousins, Jackson Adcock,
Flynn Gooseman

Middle Row: Laura Cameron,
Harry Johnston, Kyle Dickson,
Vince Cabading, Harvey Apolonio,
Hani Hurst-Evangelista,
Mr Sayed (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Meagan Binnie,
Shania Cartman, May Penjueli,
Teagan Clark, Mia Chambers,
Rachelle Bernarte

Absent: Eli Clement



100CA

Top Row: Byron Pincott,
Simon Moore, Jasper Wharehinga

Middle Row: Laura Winchester,
Cedrick Orena, George Ryan,
Katie Shearer, Mr Carlson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Caitlin Stewart,
Jordie Hurst, Georgia Humm,
Laura Mihailescu, Charlotte McKenzie

Absent: Jess King,
Dontae Mamapomisa, Aiden
Marchant, Ruby Thomas



100CK

Top Row: Oliver Davies,
Lauina Arona, Koby Bennett,
Ryan Bishop

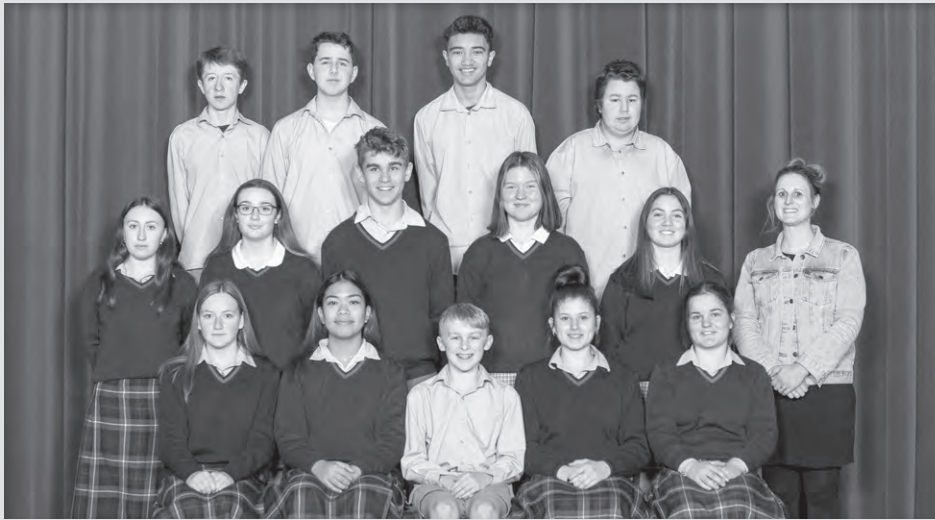
Middle Row: Jack Donnelly,
Georgie Poole, Shylah Johnston,
Lily Campbell, William Armstrong,
Mr Clark (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Damian Akaroa,
Amie Brownie, Zara Bull,
Andreea Ciora, Shimee Araguas,
Chrissea Cheesman, CJ Bernarte



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100HA



Top Row: Sean McQuillan, Max Lambert-Lane, Steve Terekia, Tarquin Kittelty-Williams

Middle Row: Anna Ford, Caitlyn Hunter, Benjamin Rushton, Charlotte Clifford, Maddy Soal, Mrs Hampton (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Alia Forrester, Maria Mangawil, Jack Templeton, Ashlein Lyttle, Sarah Wilson

Absent: Kya Fox, Alice Homer, Kahu Ross

100SK



Top Row: James Stocker, Jake Farrar, Nick Kershaw

Middle Row: Henry Thomas, Amelia Harris, Princess Pureza, Jazz Surridge, Ben Sheppard, Mr Slocombe (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Isaac Chisholm, Amy Waldron, Mina Mataiti, Ethan Lewis, Alexia Wilson, Orpah Sildo, Tommy Patrick

Absent: DJ Reuben, Mischa Moore

10RHL



Top Row: Henry Goodes, Thomas Kairau, Aidan Watson, Adam Goudie

Middle Row: Michael Wills, Emma Lill, Laura Jensen, Katie Wood, Sunny Rana, Mrs Horsley (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Jack Smith, Piper McLauchlan, McLeod Sherratt, Cecilia Vaaelua, Mao Nishioka, Mia Tilleyshort, Jesse Oakley

Absent: Denise Jerao

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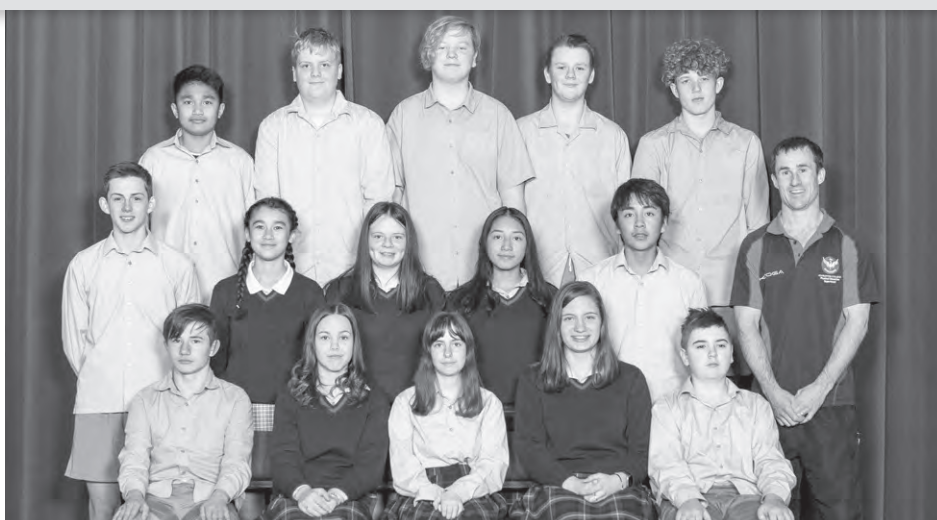
10RMV

Top Row: Lloyd Tuhao, Josh Broker, Evan Graham, Riley Campbell, Sonny McMillan

Middle Row: Ollie Bubb, Lani Fifita, Brooklyn McHaffie, Janelle Galos, Diego Quispe-Kim, Mr Matheson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Lachlan Crosbie, Abby Dennett, Tasmyn Cameron-Neighbour, Angela Ciora, Anton Box

Absent: Bailey Arras, Harry Russell



10RPL

Top Row: Jack Middleton, Logan Scammell, Ashton Kidgell, Daniel Thompson

Middle Row: Nick Taojo, Eva Kelly, Jasmine Matangaro, Sama Sooiolo, Mykel Pascual, Mrs Poole (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Tevita Vea, Hannah White, Ashanti Weir, Jessica Hayman, Olivia Pearce, Hazel Ryan, Jim Reyes

Absent: Sophie Livingston



10RSD

Top Row: Nick Tapurau, John Montojo, Nicholas Stringer, Jake Lawson, Sean Madla, Mr Shepherd (Teacher)

Middle Row: Markus White, Jessie Pitney, Georgia Rowland, Maria Lawn, Kyle Watkins

Bottom Row: Rhea Rashee, Isabel Wall, Waimarie Seagar, Amelia Hood, Jemma Burns, Deborah Muchiri

Absent: Sabastyan Finn, Jasmin Greer



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11BBE



Top Row: Mackenzie Lockyer, Bradley Vercoe, Lucas Vainerere, Emily Greer

Bottom Row: Riley Tindall, Ella Shanks, Verity Burgess, Lily Wilson, Molly Milmine

Absent: Byron Breen, Daemyn Frost, Matthew Herewini, Eazale Hetet, Bailey Hill, Joel McDonald, Mr Bell (Teacher)

11BBI

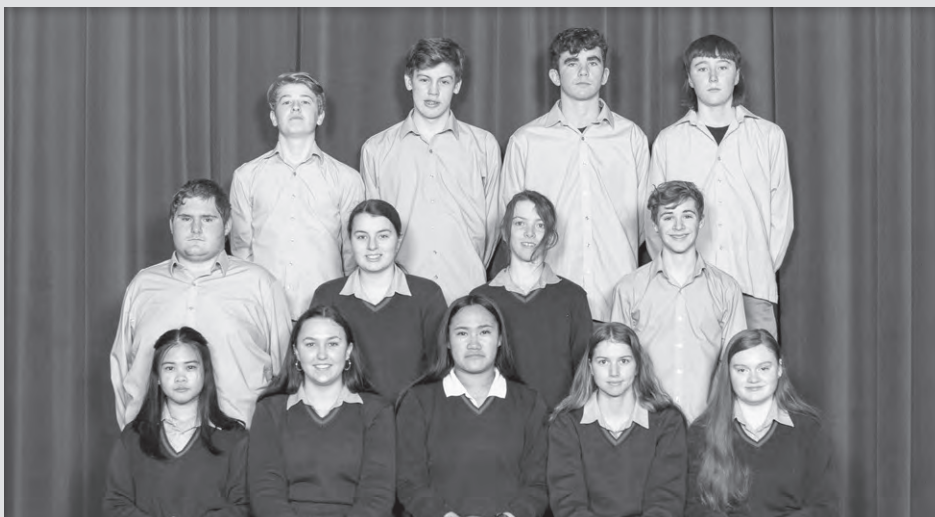


Top Row: Lusungu Mbambo, Mia Christie, Cairo Hawkes, Jack Wood, Dion Reid, William Makutu, Caendal Harris, Mrs Bowis (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Cory Jenkins, Maddy Young, Skyla Cramond, Charlotte Sinclair-Donnelly, Kane McDonnell

Absent: Aleisha Barry, Josh Feron, Devon Grant, Georgia Kettley, Jacob Tallentire, Maui Tetai

11BSZ



Top Row: Jed Amos, Riley Harris, Devon Flannery, Liam Fuller

Middle Row: Dom Wayman, Amelie Robertson, Keira Moodie, Charles Savage

Bottom Row: Juliana Apoldo, Molly Jones, Charlie Culshaw, Charlotte Watson, Lydia Hooley

Absent: Darian Pethig, Sharla Brightwell, Mrs Shah (Teacher)

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11GKT

Top Row: John Bernabe, Ivana Milo, Bradley Douglas, Ethan Gray, Ron Naui, Herr Kitchen (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Danny Glanville, Bri Gaze-Inia, Amy Stilgoe, Imogene Felton, Emma Graham, Mya Johnston, Jade Jung

Absent: Matty Colcord, Darnell Lima, Wikitoria Manukau, Jamie Reid



11GLE

Top Row: Henry Hobbs, Caleb McNulty-Burns, Riley Strachan, William Wills

Middle Row: Marc Calzada, Brand Sione, Ben Conaghan, Ricky Fuluasou, Matthew Griffiths, Mrs Lees (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Olivia Hill, Sefilinga Maamaloa, Jorja Roulston, Sivailoa Teomatavui, Jesca Descargar, Chinatsu Hunt

Absent: Pevelise Taeauga, Lahkina Vailepa

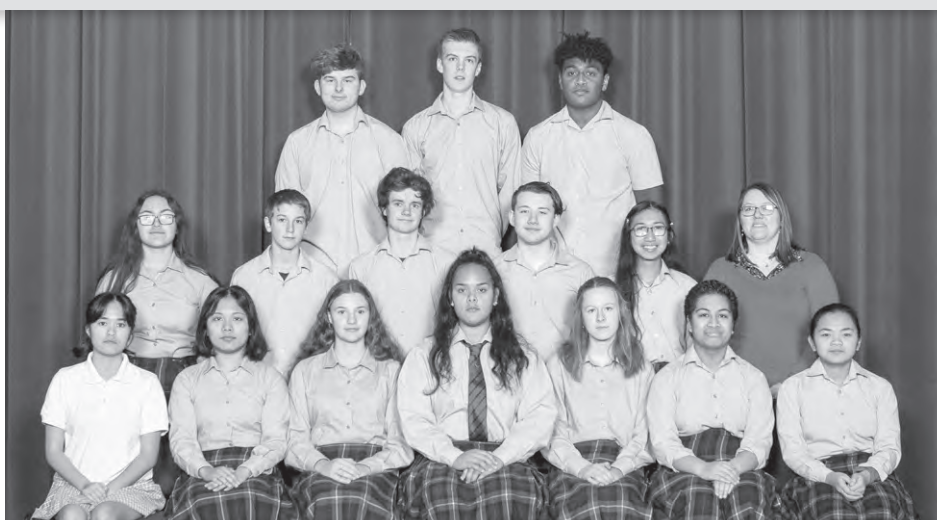


11GRG

Top Row: Jack Brown, Mitchell Taylor, Semisi Balenaisa

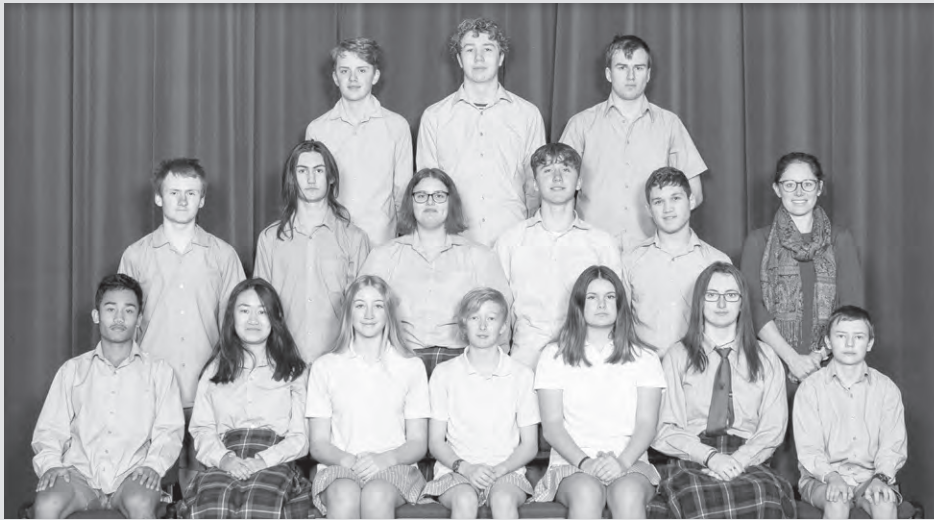
Middle Row: Kyly Apaipo, Zayden Prisk, Zane Cameron, Jordan Green, Jessalene Eclipse, Mrs Rugnitz (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Tomika Lucido, Ionnie Ranay, Caitlin Muir, Margret Eli, Felicity Johnston, Lauryn Aiolupotea, Irish David



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11GSQ



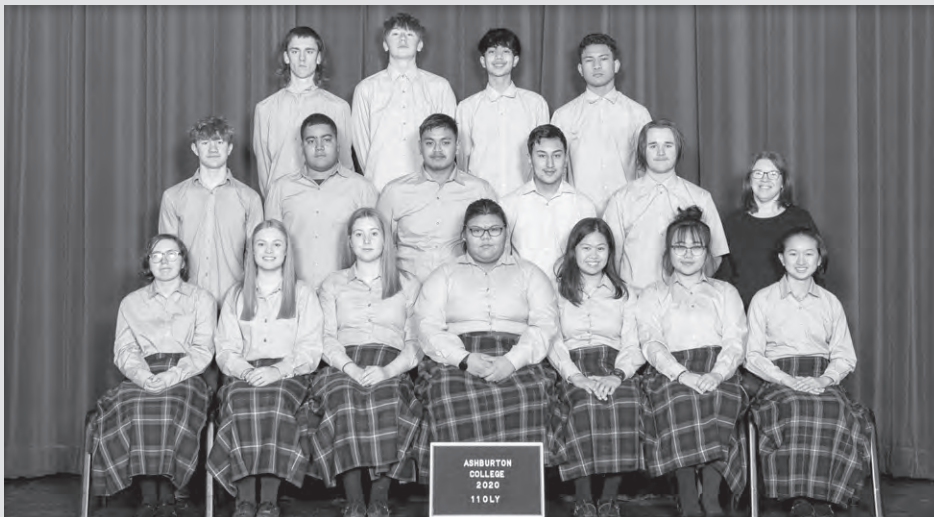
Top Row: Hamish Lyth, Max McLaren, Jakob Gillespie

Middle Row: Dillon Rogers, Conner Stewart, Dj Spies, Chris Angus, Matthew Ashdowne, Miss Stewart (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Kyle Cabading, Ophelia Yao, Sarah Mattson, Nicole Wilson, Zoe Ritchie, Machal Snow, Dominic Hay

Absent: Kaiden Boardman, Matthew Wong

11OLY



Top Row: Mitch Cushnie, Jack Withell-O'Grady, Ethan Reodique, Salatielu Iakopo

Middle Row: Matt Pearce, Jayden Tangaroa, Alex Gabriel, Parixit Maharjan, Michael Bradley, Ms Lilley (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Hannah Swindley, Anna Gray, Mae Patterson, Ma Pollene Encarnado, Tiffany Agacer, Mariz Bravo, Glenna Prado

Absent: Ocean Grant

11OPE



Top Row: Pedro Collins, Jamie Larter, Aaran Chand

Middle Row: Cassidy Mann, Eli Orena, Brodyn Gabites, Ron Sildo, Libby Alford, Mr Pearce (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Ashton Lilley, MacKenzie Hunter, Holly Trotter, Dawn Gargar

Absent: Xavier Teroi, Ben Wallington, Gwen Zamora

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110PI

Top Row: Kaleb Leonard,
Guy Stanway, Izayih Harris,
Brodie Winstone

Middle Row: Caleb Brine,
Ethan Hill, Ashleigh Blakemore,
Nesha Thompson, Bailey Gleeson,
Mia Jessep, Matua Tiipene (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Tokoono Pori,
Jayde Cooke, Annalise Ackroyd,
Te Trusler-Clark, Ella Skinner,
Billie Surridge, Mareta Terekia

Absent: Iolama Iolama



110WW

Top Row: Travis McDowell,
Oakley Gairns, Josh Brinson,
Matthew Bensemann, Finn Bishop,
Matthew Moore

Bottom Row: Anjali Savaiinaea,
Claudia Thomas,
Brooke Cornish-Madden, Ruby Gray,
Amanda Adachi, Mrs Walker (Teacher)

Absent: Ethan Cumberland



110WY

Top Row: Luke Pasion,
Shaun Thompson, Henry Wallis,
Kyle Christie, Ian Pabualan

Middle Row: Ms Watkins (Teacher),
Heer Giroti, Angel Kohunui,
Mia Love, Layrah Nassif,
Mrs McLennan (LSA)

Bottom Row:
Cody Robin, Chelsea Cheesman,
Maddi Lowry, Harmony Janson,
Myan Martizano

Absent: Leyton Aldridge,
Ashton McGrath, Isla Griffiths



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11RCB



Top Row: Campbell McBride, Wil Jemmett, Ben Glenie, Tuvale Tuvala

Middle Row: Tasi Paese, Skyler Heads, Luvepa Falealili, Joradan Lockington-Teokotai, Xavier Dalton, Ms Cabout (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Mahalia Faatili, Ciara Ross, Alex Bateman, Paige Parker

Absent: Teariki Akaroa, Carl Dizon, Brad Foster, Cable Grey, Laurelle Tahapehi

11RDE



Top Row: Shaun Means, Riley Sa, Brody Quinn, Mickle Young, Rc Capote

Middle Row: Josh Wilding, Millar Newlands, Denzel Banghal, Jack Nicol, Fletcher Rhodes-Berends, Jack Jessep, Mr Diedricks (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Amy McLachlan, Ngahuia Maeva, Jessica Wilson, Angela Burrowes, Gracie Brine

Absent: Crystal Bentley

11RJF



Top Row: Paea Matau, Max Nicol, Boaz Drye, Cole Aitken

Middle Row: Zoe Barry, Braydon Haslemore-Hampton, Fononga Lisala, Trey Williams, Bradley Cunningham, Gemma Tapurau, Ms Jeffery-Jones (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Joanne Mafiti, Jaimee Chute, Elizabeth Hastie, Lucy Ross, Rachel McArthur, Aaliyah Power

Absent: Angela Allen, Kurt Lamb

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11RKW

Top Row: Harry Soal, Charlie Banks, Kaeleb Evans, Jc Capote

Middle Row: Rajjit Prasad, Joseph Fakataha, Neiv Sol, Chevy Truman, Jervin Madla, Mrs Kirwan (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Georgia Hart, Charlize McKenzie, Christine Tomokino, Naupara Strickland, Misty Mafiti

Absent: Lindalaurosa Masina, Ella Molloy



12BAU

Top Row: Angus Stewart, Jack Cochrane, Brad Blundell, Jacob Stewart, Damian Neal

Middle Row: Samuel Corbett, Connor Mackenzie, Dom Kerr, Flynn Mackenzie, Thomas Patterson, Laurence Van Zeyl-Hemara, Mr Aulsford (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Emma Johnson, Eliane Vinculado, Kiho Irie, Steph Geeson, Rangaikore Makutu, Tess Harrex, Mikayla Roulston, Sophie Woods

Absent: Noah Clement, Kai Inagaki, Tegan Boath



12BIA

Top Row: Ryan Cox, Bronston Cudmore, Isaac Murray, Malachi Drye, Max Burgerhout, Matty Cornish-Madden

Middle Row: Shikayla Hutchinson, Jacob Bruce, Michael Munro, McKenzie Bridger, Mr Isaacs (Teacher)

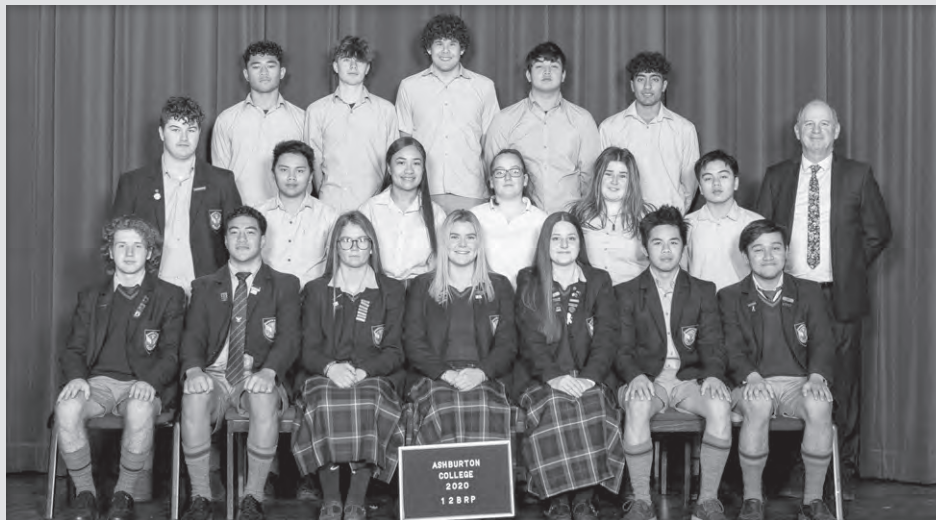
Bottom Row: Annabel Dolan, Mihi Mapu-Patea, Cat Anderson, Hayley Luxton, Milli Sullivan, Nahteshiya Watene

Absent: Riley Molloy, Todd White, Waiana Woods



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12BRP



Top Row: Toetu Touli, Charlie Galbraith, Gabriel Forster Lobato de Faria, Christopher Bernarte, Himanshu Chand

Middle Row: Angus Jemmett, Kyle Manangkil, Shrina Afu, Tasha Mann, Sophie Lawrence, Harrison Tacbaya, Mr Preece (Principal)

Bottom Row: Samuel Smith, Isileli Ula, Sophie Watson, Abbey Wood, Coty Cuadrado, Dennis Nguyen, Ian Jerao

Absent: Chloe Guthrie, Otto Mareko, Katelyn Rattray, Charlie Veamatahau, Whautere Witihira

12GBD



Top Row: Ben Simons, Dante Vannini, Jacob Swan, Pasi Hala, George Penjueli

Middle Row: Kyle Muncal, John Radan, Michael Lin-Nguyen, Abbey Williams, Mahina Pongia, Rj Pasion, Zedrick Agreda, Miss Bedward (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Olivia Bishop, Zoe Kenny, Emma Scammell, Ines Forster Lobato de Faria, Sierra Chambers, Shasha Watagedara

Absent: Johnny Davis, Jayden Karika, Sayime Metuatini, Soshin Kobayashi

12GJE



Top Row: Matt Giles, Xahleiquin Taikiturua, Isaac Diamond

Middle Row: Libby Ryan, Rueben Taylor, Fergus O'Neill, Alex Eddington, Laurissa Crawley, Mrs Johnstone (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Kalani Lawson, Nazarene Masina, Victoria Pupuke, Mahina Edwards, Violet Purcell, Skye Gulleford, Georgia Moke-Harvey

Absent: Mandy Manukau, Jadah Wilson

CLASS OF 2020

12GWZ

Top Row: Jack Stewart-Webster, Lynx Keen, Sam Holland, Josh Dunlea

Middle Row: Blake Farr, Isaac Prisk, Amy Kleber, Hayley Lefeber, Tyler Tuirangi, John Magyaya, Yash Patel, Miss Wakelin (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Renee Otene-Penniall, Victoria Binnie, Katelin Adcock, Taylah Burrowes, Brie Rudolph, Maddy Wilson, Stacey Wilmshurst

Absent: Megan Harrison, Brooke Griffiths



120HK

Top Row: Jayden Butler, Alex Chapman, Ethan Annear, Blair Donaldson

Middle Row: Megan Hurley, Buddhika Ekanayake, Kurt Scott, Rebecca Wilson, Jacob Olsen, Mr Henderson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Marlese Schoonderbeek, Georgie Cartney, Stacie Cameron, India Morgan, Victoria Lovett, Shalie Gare, Gabby Naylor

Absent: Aidan Bennett, Nadine Cabanatan, Naki Nonu, Anthony Pore, Ethan Titheridge, Georgia Winchester



120NM

Top Row: Nicholas Tuck, Jack Gibbons, William Joyce, Matt Smith

Middle Row: Ashleigh Binnie, Abby Rushton, Cameron Radford, Alex Rielly, Connor Lyttle, Emma-Paige Dickson, Maddie Whyte, Miss Neal (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Cloe Stowell, Annya Rawlings, Hannah Kuipers, Emily Polmear, Emily Wilson, Te Rira Wikohika

Absent: Jayden Marshall, Jasmine Sturm



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12RMM



Top Row: Ben Middleton, Nathan Steer, Harry Trumper, Parker Bradford, Harrison McKee, Matt Armstrong, Ged Wall, Jet Aguila, Samuel Reilly-Sigel

Middle Row: Matthew Hopkins, Emma Petrie, Olivia Lill, Madison Brown, Yuzuki Okazaki, Gemma Taylor, Lauren Taylor, Ms Macpherson (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Drew Porter, Jorja Johnston, Hannah O'Reilly, Easterlin Faamausili, Sarah McKerrow, Tia McCallum, Emily King, Brooke Halliday, Tamaki Nishioka, Ellie Lawn

Absent: Emily Munro, Jessi Watson

12RNR



Top Row: Sam Rakhong, Sinifoni Hala, Tyler Leonard, George Goodes, John Vic De Jesus,

Tyler Rose

Middle Row: Mark Gabriel, Yuta Inoue, Timothy Poasa, Richmiracle Fuluasou, Caleb Ward, John Miles Esonja, Ms Noreén (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Rhiannon Jones, Charlotte Thomas, Harmyn McLean, Ila Cabalse, Samantha Jerao, Penina Vaaelua, Honoka Nagai

Absent: Ron Arona, Miar Diab, Langi Foaga, David Satui

13BBZ



Top Row: Henrik Tawatao, Ronan Kenny, Caue Andrade, Ken Bulagnir

Middle Row: Naumai Terekia, Ethan Walsh, Ngakau Howell, Joshua Apoldo, Eliza Wikohika, Kambell Stills

Bottom Row: Zoila Suyat, Harriet Leverton, Jacqueline Teulilo, Adele Burgess, Courtney Wilding, Aannana Rai, Laurraine Aperocho

Absent: Kepueli Maamaloa, Tara Mellish, Mrs Bubb (Teacher)

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13GSW

Top Row: Kalen Tait, Arch Amos, Tim Harford, Caleb Wells, Ryan Robinson

Middle Row: Hayley Dickson, Jed Cameron, Mac Burdett, Jacob Gray, Jonty Small, Henry Chapman, Eddie Davis, George Rosevear, Mr Sandrey (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Isaac Bazley, Sapphire Kururangi, Chloe Johnson, Emma Smith, Ocean Waitokia, Klara Harrison, Penny Stilgoe, Crystal Brown, Jack Savage



13GVN

Top Row: Bobby Tomokino, Rob Corbett, Christian Thompson, Vhal Mamuad

Middle Row: Lagisa Teomatavui, Kyle Cabangun, Aidan Soal, Estée Aiolupotea, Mr Vannini (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Angela Salvador, Lily Lyu, Grace Quinn, Jaz Hoyland, Caitlyn Barwell, Denielle De Leon, Ricalene Pantoja

Absent: Daniel Bao, Sumit Bhatt, Ayana Kageyama, Wendy Sheng, Delta Taeauga



13OHR

Top Row: Matt De Ocampo, Bj Fakataha, Zion Kohunui, Hunter Corbett, Jim Barry, Sam Kuipers, Amon Pongia, Jayden Jenkins, Tau Daniel, Josh McIntyre

Middle Row: Logan Moore, Roi Makutu, Megan O'Brien, Nathan Johnstone, Sam Brown, Kavan Faoagali, Zac Woolf, James Brady, Lachlan Kingan, Callum Breen, Irish Bernarte, Jenna Moore, Mrs Hurst (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Amy Zhen, Shikarna Delore, Chloe Blake, Sophie Adams, Jane Cribb, Anna Bennett, Sophie Dalgety, Winonalei Tupa, Olivia Stockdill

Absent: Lisa Lemberg, Riley Vessey



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13RBH



Top Row: Arnold Pantoja, Daniel Lockington Teokotai, Spencer Ifopo, Divnesh Raj

Middle Row: Nicole Swaney, Dredgewell Madla, Jack Soal, Zymon Magbanua, Hiromune Kakeda, Joseph Collins, Ian Teves, Mr Backhouse-Smith (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Monaro Tahapehi, Brooke Miller, Brianna Williams, Yvangeline Radan, Rona Malabuyoc

Absent: Christian Juntilla

13RMH



Top Row: Scott Thomson, Shaun Fuluasou, Joshua Cameron-Neighbour

Middle Row: Brendan Fleming, Rubie Williams, Ramona Mellroy, Jorene Aguinaldo, Mr Millichamp (Teacher)

Bottom Row: Maria Costas, Revival Tuvale, Kaveesha Clark

Absent: Devon McGrath, Hayley Tallentire, Miina Sakamoto

SLSU



Top Row: Ms Forrester (LSA), Miss Hardy (Teacher), Mrs McLennan (LSA), Mrs Rhodes (LSA), Miss McDonald (LSA), Ms Oliver (LSA)

Middle Row: Mrs McNeill (LSA), Harrison Thorpe, Raglan Patrick, Jonathan Hardy, Delta Taeauga, Danny Glanville, Keira Moodie, Dominic Wayman, Mrs Hodges (LSA)

Bottom Row: Harry Johnston, Rebecca Wilson, Chelsea Cheesman, Cody Robin, Hayden Miller, Jacob Olsen (standing)

Absent: Tom Roberts-Forbes, Mrs Coley (Teacher)

CLASS OF 2020

KOHANGA

Top Row: Mrs Aberhart (Teacher),
Kash Rapaea-Davis, Robin Fifita,
Mrs Dowdle (LSA)

Bottom Row: Zeph Haika, Iraia Langi,
Etu Langi, Bryce Wilson



INTERNATIONAL

Top Row: Ms Hosking (International Director),
Hiromune Kakeda, Yuta Inoue,
Ms Rule (International Administrator)

Bottom Row: Miina Sakamoto, Kiho Irie,
Yuzuki Okazaki, Honoka Nagai

Absent: Kai Inagaki



STUDENT EXECUTIVE

Top Row: Ian Teves, Kotiti Patea, Ocean Waitokia,
Jonty Small, Jacob Gray, Seluvaia Ratoul,
Willow Diedricks

Bottom Row: Lucy Moore, Maria Costas,
Poppy Kilworth, Henry Chapman, Kyle Cabangun,
Penny Stilgoe, Jestena Raj





