

## Distinguished Awards

Most Valuable Year 8 Player:

Ben Siffleet

Most Improved Year 8 Player(s):

David Joines  
Matthew Warner



### FDMC Bucks

Coaches Aaron Waite and Thomas Hill patiently guided this team throughout the season and produced excellent results with the players progress at the individual skills and team concepts.

Congratulations to the players on reaching those goals and thank you to the supporters for your assistance.

Coach:

Aaron Waite  
Thomas Hills

Captain:

Liam Elder

Most Valuable Player:

Kenneth Hau

Most Improved Player:

Seamus Doyle

Best Team Player(s):

Isaac Waite

### BUCKS

Back Row. A. Waite(Coach), T. Brouwers, J. Baker,  
T. Dozell, J. Wackrow, T. Hills(Coach)

Front Row. K. Hau, I. Waite, D. Freeman, S. Doyle.

### FDMC Raptors

A combination of practice and positive attitude from players and coaching staff (Jeremy Webling and Adrian Cleary) had the desired result of improvement in skills exhibited during games throughout the season.

Coach:

Jeremy Webling

Captain:

Stefan Webling  
Zachary Wills

Most Valuable Player:

Michael Hobbs

Most Improved Player:

Desmond Gilmore

Best Team Player(s):

Benjamin Kidd  
Leighton Gopperth



### RAPTORS

Back Row. J. Rabbidge, Z. Wills, J. Barrett,  
M. Hobbs

Front Row. L. Gopperth, S. Webling, D. Gilmore,  
B. Kid

Absent. J. Webling(Coach).



### KINGS

Back Row: S. Barrett (Coach), G. Anderson,  
N. Sole, M. Conaglen (Coach)

Front Row: R. Squire, C. Smith, M. Day,  
M. Shea

Absent: C. Wong

### FDMC Kings

The players provided the commitment and the coaches (Sam Barrett and Michael Conaglen) provided the enthusiasm producing a team which improved in all aspects of basketball during the season.

Coach:

Sam Barrett  
Michael Conaglen

Captain:

Nathan Sole

Most Valuable Player:

Richard Squire

Most Improved Player:

Clifford Wong

Best Team Player(s):

Mitchell Day  
Chad Smith





## DISTINGUISHED AWARDS

Most Valuable Year 7 Player:	Richard Squire	Most Improved Year 7 Player	Seamus Doyle Zachary Wills
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## RESPRESENTATIVE AWARDS

New Plymouth U' 14 team:	Ben Siffleet, Ashley Debique, James Slaats, Abraham Schumacher, Ben Ingram, Matthew Warner, David Joines
Taranaki U' 16 team:	Daniel Bolstad
Taranaki U' 18 team:	Stephen Dobson, Scott Siffleet, Hamish Irving
New Zealand Koru (Development) U' 14 team:	David Joines, Matthew Warner

## CONCLUSION

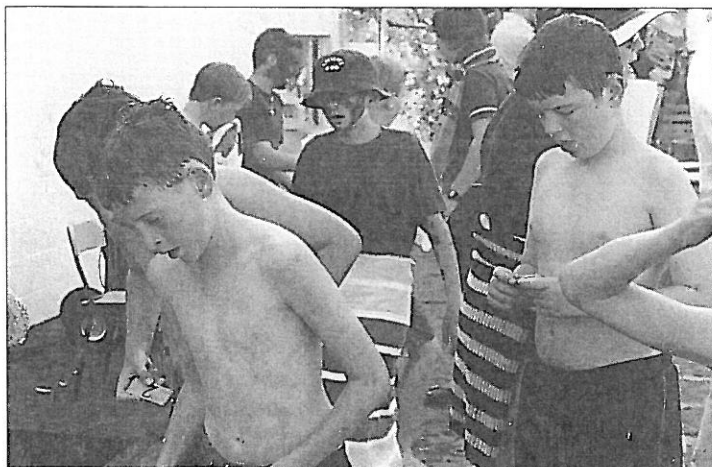
Francis Douglas Memorial College is extremely fortunate in having students who put everything into whatever they participate in. This is also reflected by the teaching, administrative and maintenance personnel. I extend my congratulations to all participants involved in Basketball during the 2000 season and my very heartily expressed "Thank you" to all coaches and supports for your commitment towards the continual progressive direction of Basketball. I would also like to extend my gratitude to the administration staff for their assistance and to the College for all the support given in all aspects of Basketball.

To all returning players, especially Senior 'A' it is never too early to begin preseason.

"Prompt, Positive, Practice  
develops  
Consistency and Confidence"

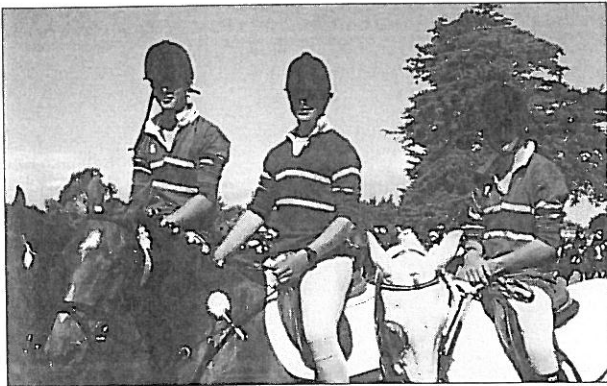
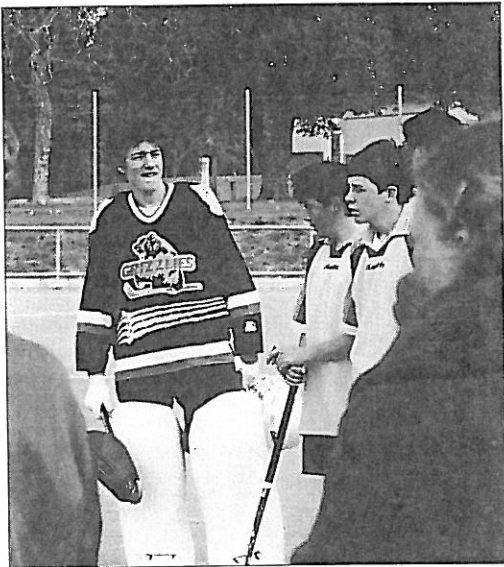
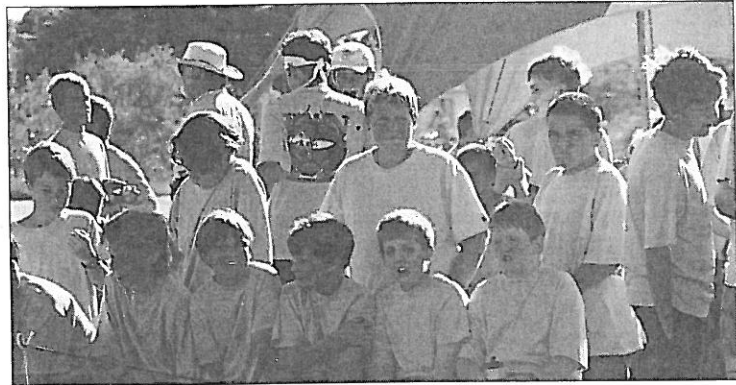
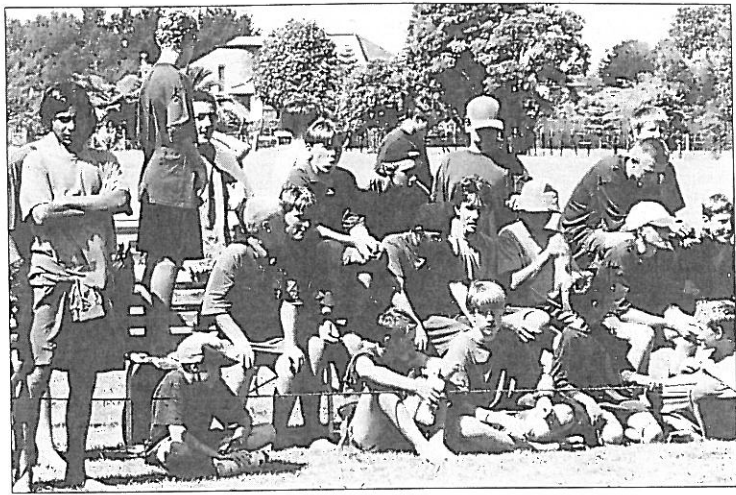
Better Basketbaling through the Millennium

Andy Cowie  
Coordinator





# SPORTS



In Term One FDMC had five inline hockey teams, two secondary and three intermediate. One of our secondary teams made it to the finals and ended up coming 2<sup>nd</sup> as did one of the intermediate teams. All teams enjoyed the season greatly and everyone's skills improved during the season. This term FDMC have four teams competing, two secondary and two intermediate. All teams have made a great start to the season.

Sam Beardman, Matthew Smith and Scott Mathys went to the Inline Hockey Nationals in the Under 16 Taranaki

representative team. Zach Beardman was in the Under 14 team and David Freeman was in the Under 12 team. Sam Beardman made the Under 16 Central North Island team and Matthew Smith went to the trials. Zach Beardman made the Under 14 Central team and David Freeman made the Under 12 Central team. Sam Beardman will also be trialing for the Under 16 New Zealand team and Zach Beardman will be trialing for the Under 14 New Zealand team.

Sam Beardman



**FREEZING HOTS**

Back Row. C. Gordon, D. Parker, J. Hill, H. Gordon  
Front Row. J. Instone, M. Hansman, M. Galvin.



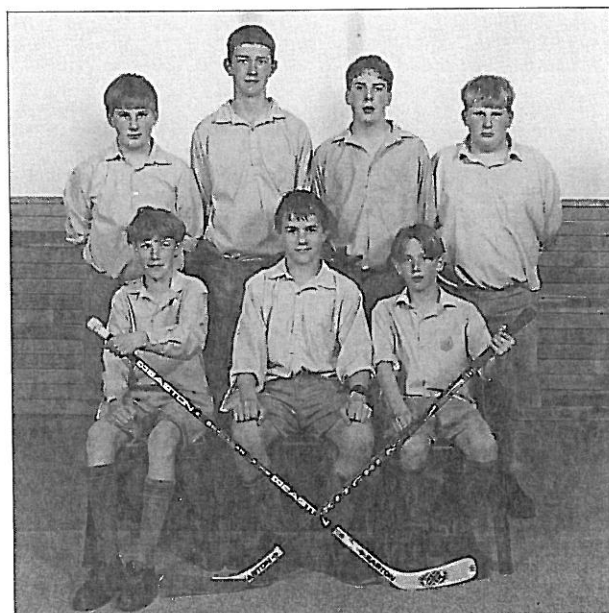
**DYNAMITES**

Back Row. J. Voss, S. Buchanan, D. Barnard  
Front Row. R. Dobson, M. Cowley, N. Jackson.



**IN LINE HOCKEY A TEAM**

Back Row. M. Smith, Z. Beardman, G. Preston  
Front Row. S. Beardman, P. Donaldson, K. Callaghan.



**HOT ICE**

Back Row. H. Osborne, J. Fitzgerald, H. Mazengarb, B. Bowling  
Front Row. L. Callaghan, P. Collins, C. Smith.



## FDMC / SHGC INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY

After many years due to lack of numbers of players Francis Douglas and Sacred Heart now have a co-ed intermediate hockey team. The team was full of many inexperienced players who had never played before and a few experienced players to set off the team. The team got off to a rough start but gradually improved their skills and came together more as a team. We got more than just playing hockey out of being in the team, we met new people and made new friends. The season was greatly enjoyable thanks to our coaches Claire Hensley, Kylie McManus and Mr Hockey. We also had heaps of support from all of our parents. Hopefully next year there will be a continuation of a mixed team between FDMC/SHGC. Unfortunately many of us will have to move on to Secondary Division to play for our respective Colleges and leave behind our new friends.

Kimberley Elliot – Year 8 SHGC  
Hockey team member

## SENIOR HOCKEY

Match statistics: played 12 games, won 6, drew 3, lost 3. 38 goals for, 19 goals against.

A few years ago Brother Tim (thick Aussie accent) used to take van loads of boys to play hockey at Stratford on a Friday night. A few months back Mr Hockey was doing the same thing. It's not often that you'll find an Aussie and a South African helping some Kiwis with their sport. Had it not been for Mr Hockey, we would not have had a hockey team. He set up, organised, managed and coached the team into a winning side. We also thank him for the pizza.

At the start of the season we were at a distinct disadvantage since it was the first time we had all worked together. There were numerous problems with positions and at times poor communication caused us to lose matches. This was evident in comparison to other teams which had been together for a number of years.

In our first preliminary game we suffered a harsh 8-0 defeat against Inglewood. We'd had no pre-season training and so had a very short time in which to develop, but it was good to see the team become a cohesive unit as they worked hard and enjoyed their game. Soon enough we were leaving the ground with victorious smiles.

In the first championship game we beat Inglewood 3-2 and were the only team to record a victory against them in the entire season. When we played them in the final the result was a 1-1 draw and we now share the Woolaston Challenge Trophy. This is the first time that FDMC has won the championship.

All team members played their part, but some deserve special mention. Danniell Smith was invincible at the back.



### JUNIOR HOCKEY

Back Row. C. Sarten, A. Vernon, K. Elliot, A. Hensley  
Middle Row. Claire Hensley (Coach), L. Fevre, P. Squire,  
F. Sutherland, R. Galbreath, Kylie MacManus (Coach)  
Front Row. M. Barrientos, J. Gilliland, C. Preston,  
J. Lucas, C. Gray.



### SENIOR HOCKEY

Back Row. B. Sarten, D. Collins, C. Watkins,  
T. Schumacher, K. Hong  
Middle Row. D. Smith, M. White, A. Gordon,  
S. Martin, M. Hill, Mr. A. Hockey (Coach)  
Front Row. L. Collins, J. Knox, P. Drew (Captain),  
D. Weake, D. Taylor.  
Absent. J. Hawken, G. Young.

Ben Sarten, despite never having played in goal before, became a very reliable goalkeeper, although he missed several matches due to a broken wrist. Philip Drew captained the side and scored 18 goals out of a total of 38. Daniel Collins scored 8 goals.

An enjoyable and successful season was had by all. We eagerly anticipate the defence of our trophy next season.

Matthew White.

# HOCKEY







## 13<sup>th</sup> Grade Coach's Report 2000

When I first started with the team near the end of the grading rounds it was rather directionless and had not been performing. A change of focus saw the previous results change so that the team then won 8 of 9 competition games to win Division 2 of the grade, a fine achievement considering the start to the season. With a small squad several games were won with less than a full team on the park which shows the spirit and team work that developed. All players developed both individual and team skills so that the style of play was a pleasure to watch and from the players reactions a pleasure to play. This was also commented on by opponents. During the competition games the team scored 29 goals (spread among 8 players) while conceding only 14. During the year Paul Barnes and Mitchell Galvin were selected for Taranaki Representative Honours. Their skills did stand out in club play, while Liam Tanner provided leadership as captain.

Matthew Murcott showed a ton of courage tackling much bigger opponents while Gareth Sheehan displayed the loyalty to training that builds results. During the season a farewell was given to Patrick Biggs who moved overseas. Generally I would like to give a medal to all players for sticking through the training sessions and thank them for that. I would also add that they all achieved during the season and I have been privileged to have worked with them and wish them all the best for the future.

Finally a note of thanks to Brendan Clark for showing the courage to work with the team. Without training in the task, coaching is a major challenge. Well done Brendan.

Laurie Jordan  
Coach

Captaincy and outstanding leadership	Liam Tanner
Representative Honours	Paul Barnes
	Mitchell Galvin
Courage and endeavour on the field	Matthew Murcott
Team Spirit (reliability, training)	Gareth Sheehan
Representative Honours	Jeremy Hill
	Nathan Hill
	Tom Peacock
	Paul Cunningham
	Paul Johnston
	Pim Bolyn
	Jonathan Jordan
	Clinton Parkes

## 15<sup>th</sup> Grade

After a slow start to the season the Under 15 "Battlers" made an impressive impact overall. Playing most of our games with the required 11 (no subs) we proved to be a stubborn force for most of our opposition, finishing mid-table. The highlight of our season would have to be turn-

ing up with 9 players (the flu got the rest) and beating a strong Merrilands side 4-1! Praise must go to all the players who gave 110% all of the time. If I had to mention a few people it would be Tom Hill and Luke Mann for their tireless efforts in midfield ably supported by Mark Klenner and Chris Wicky. Seth Payne and Eamonn Brennan worked well up front while Rebecca O'Boone, Michael Drew, Rebecca Cowley and Sam Ward held our defence together. Our brilliant goalkeepers were Patrick and Denise Edmonds who both contributed exceptionally well and in any other position they were asked to play (and there were many!)

A big thank you for the parents who turned up every week and supported the team in all weather.

Red Brennan  
Coach

Most Valuable Player:	Tom Hill
Most Improved Player:	Patrick Edmonds
Best Team Player:	Luke Mann
	Eamonn Brennan



## UNDER 15

Back Row.	C. Wicky, M. Klenner, M. Drew, S. Ward, L. Mann
Front Row.	P. Edmonds, T. Hill, S. Payne, E. Brennan.
Absent.	R. Cowley, D. Edmonds, R. O'Byrne

## Youth Grade

The FDMC 2000 Youth team recorded a successful season reaching the final for the Asphaltic Construction Trophy. On the day they were defeated for only the second time this season. Miles Benton was nominated for the Keith Ross Trophy and to his surprise was awarded the trophy at the Senior Body Prize Giving. Four players were successful selected to play for the Federation 14<sup>th</sup> Grade: Tom Peacock, Paul Cunningham, Tahu Kotua and Nathan Hill. Pim Bolyn was selected for the 16<sup>th</sup> Grade Federation Team. Congratulations to all these students. Well done to Tom Peacock who has been selected to play in the New Zealand 15<sup>th</sup> Grade National Academy.

Captain:  
 Most Improved Player  
 Most Promising Goalkeeper  
 Player of the Year  
 Most Sporting Team Member  
 Most Diligent Players

Miles Benton  
 Tom Peacock  
 Miles Benton  
 Paul Cunningham  
 Mathew Bolton  
 Nathan Hill  
 Jeremy Hill



#### UNDER 15

Back Row. C. Wicky, M. Klenner, M. Drew, S. Ward, L. Mann  
 Front Row. P. Edmonds, T. Hill, S. Payne, E. Brennan.  
 Absent. R. Cowley, D. Edmonds, R. O'Byrne

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Eleven Coach's Report 2000

As for 1999 a College team was sent to tournament with very little preparation. The planned warm-up games disappeared when most needed. Plans were also upset when Dylan Hall suffered a serious injury the day before the tournament. Despite the setbacks the team went on to miss out on a semi final berth on goal difference, but after the subsequent play off games finished fifth. Our section provided 4 of the top 6 teams which show how well the team did despite the lack of preparation. The only loss was in section play to the eventual winner. A penalty shoot was an experience in a playoff game. Perhaps the disappointment of the week was the inability to score despite a large number of opportunities created. Only 5 players got

on the score sheet and we scored only 10 goals with 8 against. On and off the field the team represented the school and themselves well.

On the field Chris Jordan was selected as our most valuable player by opposing teams. As coach my players of the tournament were Nick Rush and Paul Johnson. The team was well lead by Chris Jordan (Captain) and Pim Bolyn and Dylan Hall (from the sideline) with Pim assuming the captaincy for a game late in the week. The tournament was also a useful experience in bleeding younger players to replace Brendan, Chris, Nick, Dylan, Jade and Karl who will not be with the College next year. I wish those players well for the future and thank them for their support while at the College.

The highlight for the college soccer for the year was the selection of Chris Jordan to represent New Zealand Secondary Schools on a tour through Europe in December and possibly again in Australia in January. The selection is a reward for the effort and training put in for a long time and as a school we wish Chris all the best on tour. We know he will represent his country, College and himself with distinction and pride. Well done, Chris.

Finally as coach I am happy to see the code getting some structure together. Having been involved for some time now I look forward to continuing next year to assist progress further.

Laurie Jordan  
 Coach

Captaincy and outstanding leadership  
 National Representative Honours  
 Most Valuable Player at tournament  
 Outstanding endeavour at tournament

Coaching endeavour  
 Loyalty to the College

Chris Jordan  
 Chris Jordan  
 Chris Jordan  
 Nick Rush  
 Paul Johnson  
 Brendan Clark  
 Brendan Clark  
 Dylan Hall  
 Nick Rush  
 Jade Vickers  
 Karl Dolan  
 Chris Jordan



# SOCCER







## Duathlon

There was a good deal of interest in the TSS Duathlon Championships prior to the event, and so it was very disappointing to see the poor turn-out on the day.



Held on Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September at the Hurworth Hall the duathlon consisted of a 2km run, 10km cycle and a further 2km run.

Despite the small field, our sole representative, Nathan Cleaver, maintained a very focused approach from start to finish to take out the Championship comfortably. Great effort! We look forward to seeing a lot more competitors in next year's event.

## Cycling

As with many previous years we struggle to get enough cyclists together to enter the many Secondary School events around the North Island.



Hayden Silby is our most prominent cyclist, featuring amongst the fast finishers, on a regular basis in local club racing. Carlin Lepper uses cycling as a means of supplementing his speed-skating training as he builds up to next years National and Oceania Championships.

Nathan Cleaver and Thomas Dunlop joined these two boys in our team for TSS Time Trial Championships. This year the event was held on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August, again over a 16km out and back course along Mountain Road from Inglewood.

Despite not making much impression on the opposition over the early stages of the race they more than made up for it on the up-hill, into the wind, return journey to Inglewood. For the second year running they reeled their opposition in rapidly during the later stages, almost passing the second place team prior to the finish. Their determined display of gutsy and well organised team riding was well worthy of their first place in the Championship.



The win was capped off by the team reserve, Nicholas Rowland, taking 1<sup>st</sup> place in the 8km individual time trial.

Well done to all!

Many thanks to Wayne Silby who has tremendous experience in the sport of cycling and is a great help to the team.

## Mountain Biking

This is a very popular past time enjoyed by many students in the College, although many of the recreational mountain bikers do not partake in the competitive events.

The TSS Mountain Bikers Championships were hosted by the New Plymouth Mountain Bikers Club at Colson Road on Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> August. The 3 stage event consisted of a cross-country stage for the mud merchants, for the hangmen – a downhill stage and a slalom stage to test technical skills. Clearly something for everyone.

Our top team of Scott Logan, Glen Johnson and Andre Stanway rode outstandingly well to win overall first place in the event. As a two person team, Shane Miller and Alexander Gordon also performed consistently to take 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall.



## MOUNTAIN BIKING

Mr. R. Cleaver(Manager),  
A. Gordon, S. Miller,  
A. Stanway, H. Kemp,  
G. Johnson.





## CYCLING

Back Row.  
Front Row.

Mr. R. Cleaver(Coach), N. Cleaver  
N. Rowland, H. Silby, T. Dunlop

## BEACH VOLLEYBALL

The sun was high in the sky, the fish were in the sea, and an early start was required for the beach volleyball team.

Eight strong and fit men were selected from the hundreds who trialed to represent the college in the prestigious Taranaki Secondary Schools' beach volleyball competition. The sun was out on a mid March Sunday, the crowd was rolling in to catch a glimpse of the athletes, and there we were in the limelight playing on centre stage with a crowd estimated to be one hundred and eighty-nine people. The nerves were running wild and the college men were feeling the tension. It came down to wire in the final but we as a team did not have what it took to capture the crown.

Outstanding players were Benet Carroll and Stephen Dobson, and the worst player would have to be Pat Stevenson. We can thank the coach and managers for a job well done and Tim Carrington our water distributor for his talents in that field.

Next year I hope the team will go on and capture the Beach Volleyball title.

Brendon Hart



## BEACH VOLLEYBALL

Back Row. P. Stevenson, B. Hayward  
Middle Row. B. Hart, S. Dobson  
Front Row. T. Carrington, B. Carroll, J. Webling.  
Absent. M. Hancock, Z. Parkes, A. Straathof



## Badminton 2000

This year badminton was available with a small cluster of students turning up to practice. We entered 3 teams in the Taranaki Interscholar Competition held on Monday nights. All though neither team won, the boys demonstrated excellent sportsmanship with skills improving a lot. Geoffrey Young was selected as most improved player. In the Taranaki Secondary Championship the senior team was Andrew Beale and Christopher Reed. The junior team was Daniel Graham and Steven Tyson. This pairing were runners up in the doubles competition. A great effort and some close games were played by these boys. From the competition Seth Payne and Steven Tyson were invited to attend a development squad on Tuesday nights to develop their skills. Badminton will again be available next year and it is hoped more and more students will want to try this fast and popular sport. Coaching is available Monday nights with Mr Crow.



## BADMINTON

Back Row. A. Prestney, S. Tyson, D. Graham  
Front Row. G. Young, S. Payne.  
Absent. A. Beale

## Squash 2000

This year we entered three teams in the secondary competition. The players gained much experience and although they didn't win their section they enjoyed the competition, and meeting new players. We hope to invite a qualified coach next year and continue to enter teams in this competition.

Back Row: G. Charteris, S. Richardson, B. Holdom,  
T. Neeson, D. Joines.  
Front Row: J. Quinn, J. Neeson, B. Jones



## TENNIS JUNIOR

Back Row. J. McSeveny, K. Bourke, M. Milne  
Front Row. S. Gopperth, B. Gibson.



The tennis year began back in March when four of the top tennis players in the school amalgamated to form a very confident side of individuals. The players included Mark Hussey from the St Joseph's club in Hawera, Bennett Carroll from Huatoki in New Plymouth alongside Geoffrey Bourke and myself from Hawera/Pihama. With Brendon Hart missing out due to injury giving the young Bennet Carroll a chance to stake his claim in the side.

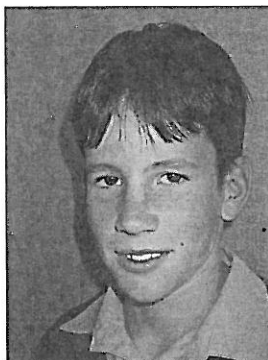
This team was in a very strong position as we had played together before on various occasions. With the help of Michael Flemming through the early part of our practices we soon developed our strengths further and had a very promising outlook on the up and coming games.

As the competition day approached us we were guided through the formalities with the help of Mr George and Mrs Milne. We made promising start to the day beating Inglewood 5-1, and then going on the play Boys High School with high spirits. As fate had it we were not fortunate in this tie going down to this team who had answers for all out attacks.

We now have the up and coming stars scattered throughout the College like Ben Gibson who is currently playing Sofe Cup for Kaponga and Zac Wills from Pukekura is making an extensive impression on the age grade scene to date. With the influence of these two players along with their counterparts I can only see Francis Douglas tennis as making substantial improvements over the next few years.

FDMC Tennis Captain 2000

Patrick Stevenson



Zac Wills



Ben Gibson



## INDOOR BOWLS

Back Row. D. Butler, H. Nganeko,  
K. Fraser, L. Vickers  
Middle Row. A. Franks, D. Bolstad,  
B. Muggeridge, J. Milne,  
D. Gut, R. Smith  
Front Row. S. Barrett, H. Volzke,  
Sjanne Simpson,  
B. Whittington, C. Webby.

On the 30<sup>th</sup> of August this year we set off to the TSS Indoor Bowls Champs at the Belt Road Hall. The team had high anticipation of pulling off a number of victories and maybe even clinching the title.

On the day of the event everyone was in high spirits and ready for a tough battle. As a team we felt prepared as we had been put through a training programme which tested and strengthened our physical and mental toughness for the 2 weeks prior to the event. Our high spirits were soon dismissed when the realities of the competition became evident. Despite some bad luck and pedantic umpiring

decisions the Francis Douglas team provided some encouraging performances. Solid performances came from Hayden Nganeko, Adam Franks, Daniel Butler, Hayden Volzke and Samuel Barrett. This was only a small proportion of the success that the fours experienced. The team of Jono Milne, Ben Whittington, Daniel Bolstad and Daniel Gut were placed first while the team of Kent Fraser, Chris Webby, Rick Smith and Logan Vickers were placed third.

A big thank you must go to Mrs Simpson for the time and effort she put in to help the team.

By Adam Franks and Daniel Butler





Sunday, the 13<sup>th</sup> August saw 12 students representing the College at the annual Taranaki Secondary Schools Ten Pin Bowling Championships.

Three teams were entered in two different divisions. The team of Kent Fraser, Aparangi Hemara, Nicholas Rowlands and Chris Webby bowled in the mixed division and finished 7<sup>th</sup> out of the 15 teams. The other team in the mixed division consisted of Daniel Webby, Hayden Nganeko, Bradley Keegan and Marcus Hancock. Finishing 5<sup>th</sup> overall they scored high enough to win the mixed division which earned them cash and chocolates.

Later in the day the final team that was made up of Luke Mustchin, Mark D'Ath, Samuel Barrett and Jordan Knox bowled in the boys divisions. A team total of 1457 pins earned the team second place in the boys division and 3<sup>rd</sup> place overall.

The success of all three teams and the enjoyment from just participating is due to the work and effort of Mrs Simpson. Mrs Simpson's support, encouragement and organising practice sessions were much appreciated by all of us so thank you very much.

I hope that your hard work will continue in the future to ensure continued success for the College at this regional event.

Luke Mustchin



## TEN PIN BOWLING

Back Row. B. Keegan, D. Webby, H. Nganeko, K. Fraser

Middle Row. J. Knox, N. Rowlands, A. Hemara, M. Hancock

Front Row. C. Webby, M. D'Ath, Sjanne Simpson, L. Mustchin, S. Barrett.



## GOLF TEAM

Back Row. J. Ashley, N. Drought, B. Tofts, T. Hunter  
Front Row. C. Webby, M. D'Ath, A. Hodson.

Trials were held at Manukorihi Golf Club at the end of Term 1. From these trials two teams were selected to represent FDMC at the Taranaki Secondary School Championships at Manukorihi Golf Club on 5<sup>th</sup> May 2000.

The Trial (FDMC Golf Champs) was won by Jamie Ashley, Gross 77, Runner up was Leighton Goodchap 79, third went to Thadius Hunter, and Ben Tofts 82.

The net winner was Aaron Hodson 58, Followed by Cameron Goodchap 65, Chris Webby and Nitaan Glentworth 69.

It was noticeable that a number of players who should have made the teams struggled with the Manukorihi course and were not selected.

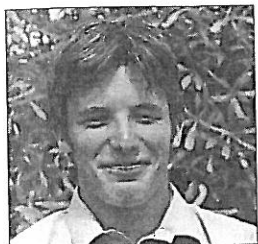
At the Taranaki Secondary School Championships our A team of Jamie Ashley, Thadius Hunter, Ben Tofts and Mark D'Ath finished third. The B team made up of younger players, Chris Webby, Aaron Hodson, Stefan Crofskey and Nigel Drought gained valuable experience.

Thanks to the Manukorihi Golf Committee for allowing us to use their course.

Congratulations to Thadius Hunter, Leighton Goodchap, Jamie Ashley and Cameron Goodchap who have represented Taranaki Juniors this year.

The Taranaki Schools Indoor Rowing Champs were held at New Plymouth Girls High on September 20.

Considering that the only rowing machines in the College are those borrowed for a few days especially to prepare for this event, the level of FDMC participation was reasonably good. The occasion was very competitive and festive as usual, with 220 rowers, high overall standards and 2 new National records.



The only FDMC competitor to get into the individual events medals was Daniel Webby with a strong 3 minutes 15.6 seconds over 1000 metres for a good 3<sup>rd</sup> placing against formidable op-

position. Taratoa Rima finished just out of the medals after winning his heat.

The high point of the afternoon for FDMC came in the last instant of competition when the 1<sup>st</sup> senior 4x500 relay team managed to prevent Waitara High School from overtaking, for equal 1<sup>st</sup> placing. Our 2<sup>nd</sup> senior team was placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the same event – a very commendable team effort.

Team: Chris Webby, Terry Davenport, Tony Maindonald, Adam Thorburn, Daniel Smith, Daniel Little, Tamatoa Rima, Daniel Webby, Hayden Nganeko, Kent Fraser, Brendon Hart, Mark Bridger, Michael Melody, Caide Patten, Simon Gillum



On a pleasant Sunday near the end Term 2 motocross teams from secondary schools all over Taranaki gathered to compete at the Barrett Road motorcycle park. FDMC was well represented with 12 in the team, entering both junior and senior levels.

About 30 competitors rode in each of the three ten lap races, and at the end of the day there was a final race at each level in which the best fifteen riders from each level competed.

When all the senior and junior points were added together, FDMC won the motocross cup with the highest points total overall.

Callan Day

## MOTOCROSS

Back Row. B. Guthrie, S. Coomey, J. Hill

Middle Row. D. Collins, K. Merewether, C. Day, N. Dey

Front Row. K. Cameron, R. Dobson, D. Brett(Captain), G. Maulder, C. Werder



Photo- from left-

Callan Day, Shane Coomey, Daniel Brett, Gareth Maulder, Daniel Collins, Blair Guthrie, Jonathon Hill, Robert Dobson, Charles Werder, Scott Hancock, and Nick Coomey .

Absent: Kim Cameron



The senior touch team played their Taranaki Secondary Schools Tournament at Hicks Park, Hawera in March.

They began with a tough opening game against Waitara which ended in a draw, then had an easy win over Inglewood.

In the semi finals they had to play NPBHS in what was the game of the tournament. At full time the score was tied at 2 all and so extra time had to be played. Both teams having to take off a player every two minutes until a team scored. We fortunately had possession when the teams went down to 5 a side and scored the winner.

In the final we had to play the hosts, Hawera, and again

another close game finishing 3 all so extra time and the drop-off rule. This time though Hawera had possession at the vital moment and scored the winner.

Both teams qualified for the regional tournament in Palmerston North on Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup>. The night before the tournament the Hurricanes were playing and some of the team had a late night! This led to a bad start to the tournament losing our first game to Hastings Boys High. Wins against Hato Paora and Wanganui High gained the team some respectability. With another loss to Mana College the team had to play off for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> with Wanganui City College and couldn't quite lift themselves, losing 5 - 2.



## RUGBY SENIOR TOUCH

Back Row. B. Hart, H. Nganeko, G. Bourke

Middle Row. S. Simpson, L. Foster,  
M. Henderson, B. Hayward,  
A. Franks

Front Row. T. Carrington,  
J. Matuku (Captain),  
M. Hancock, A. Butterworth.

## ROAD RELAY

Back Row. H. Kalders,  
C. Patten, S. Dobson,  
J. Hullah, S. Schumacher,  
A. DeBique

Middle Row. R. Cleaver,  
T. Peacock, N. Hill,  
A. Waite, J-P. LeProu,  
A. Kale, B. Bowling,  
S. Simpson

Front Row. G. Sheehan,  
C. Smith, M. Hansman,  
S. Gillum (Captain),  
N. Sole, J. Hill, M. Walsh.



The day was perfect for the start of FDMC running. The junior boys fought hard to bring the College home in 3rd place. The intermediate boys ran the race of their lives to win and set a new record. The senior boys rushed to con-

firm their team while the first leg was in progress. This proved to be good luck as the team went on to win the event that has not left the hands of the College.  
Simon Gillum



## North Island Snowboarding Competition

It was late when we arrived at our lodgings in Ohakune. This was our base for the North Island Secondary Schools Snowboarding Champs. The events included boarder cross, slope style and giant slalom, which we evenly mixed ourselves into for the 2 days of competition.

Day 1 was abysmal (exaggerating for effectiveness) but we headed up to the venue, Whakapapa Ski Field, anyway. That day we did nothing but make a great day for ourselves on the learner slopes. We returned to Ohakune humble but full of hope for the next days boarding.

Day 2 arrived. Blue skies and no wind was announced on the radio and we headed up for the giant slalom and slope style. On the trip we thought we had found our soul mates. A certain school boasted from an undies-towing van with the name 'shagin wagon' plastered along the side. They were a really nice school that we had a lot of fun with. Anyway up the mountain the giant slalom boys had it tough, along with strong competition they tried to cope with an extremely fast and icy course. They did well, Mitchell Davies coming out with an acknowledgeable placing with James and Heath not doing too badly either. Slope style was next and the fun began. It was a great atmosphere with sound and everything like telly. The temperature began to rise. It really did. It was so hot, but one Thomas Kirby pumped it up a little more adding something a little special into the judges day. After trying for about 15 times earlier and nearly killing those few sensibility cells he has left, the nut decides to brighten the day with a huge front flip giving out about as much air as a content baby. Mind you he did then lose those cells after almost crying when he fell over after realising he landed it.

Although the boarder cross was still to be raced the prize giving was set for that night. It was a little disap-

pointing after last years, except for one of the troops. Blake Dunlop, the microphone blurted out. Come and get your new snowboard. We were excited for some reason though you wouldn't think Blake was, although he was noted for his unusual timing of emotions. We knew he was stoked after going on about wanting to win it all day.

Day 3 was boarder cross and experience seemed to play a major role. We came out a bit worse for wear with no one advancing to the second heat, oh well!

The trip was worth all the effort, showing that New Plymouth had another up and coming school and that you don't need to come from Auckland to match it. Everyone had a great time, with Mr Neeson joining in on the fun with a last attempt to show he's still a young pup. However, James Stringer quickly jumped in on what was under the shirt with a nickname of 'Bone-sie', which was really appropriate and had us in fits for most of the trip home. So that ended it, a great trip with awesome competition made possible by teachers and parents.

The team was:

Boarder Cross:	James Stringer
	Mitchell Davies
	Robert Lee
Slope style:	Robert Lee
	Thomas Kirby
	Blake Dunlop

Giant slalom:	Mitchell Davies
	Heath Kemp
	James Stringer

By Robert Lee

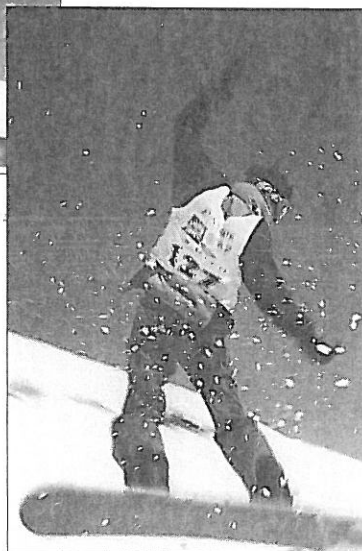


### Snow Board Team

Back : James Stringer, Thomas Kirby, Ben Lee,  
Mitchell Davies, Blake Dunlop  
Front : Scott Logan, Heath Kemp



Heath Kemp



Robert Lee



## North Island Secondary Schools Ski Competition

Unfortunately this year there was no snow on Mount Taranaki to hold the Taranaki Secondary Schools Ski Competition. Usually this gives us some training for the North Island competition. In actual fact we had little time on the snow for any training this season.

The North Island Competition attracts 80 schools and is the opportunity for us to gauge ourselves against the top racers in our age groups in the North Island.

This is a three day event. We left from FDMC on the Saturday to drive to Ohakune in the College van and stayed in a house which was a perfect size to accommodate the team.

The team was Mitchell Davies, Jackson Herbert, Matthew Carnachan, Nicholas Baker and Sam Forrest. Stefan Crofskey and Jordan Mullin were our reserves and gatekeepers.

Because the weather was perfect for the Sunday and Monday all the events were held on these days on the Whakapapa side of the mountain, on the Valley T-bar. All our racers skied well and finished their courses.

The first day was the Giant Slalom with individually timed runs. The second day was the Dual Slalom when we raced against skiers with the same Giant Slalom times as ours. We were delighted to find we came equal to Spotswood College and beat NPBHS this year.

Our fastest senior boy was Jackson Herbert and our fastest junior boy was Mitchell Davies.

The team would especially like to thank Mr Nesson, Mrs Davies, Mrs Mullin and Mr and Mrs Forrest who came over with us and supported us as well as our parents for their support.



**Ski Team 2000**

Mr Neeson (Manager), Mitchell Davies, Nicholas Baker, Sam Forest, Jackson Herbert, Matthew Carnachan, Stefan Crofskey, Jordan Mullin

Held at Mt Ruapehu

The team was - Jackson Herbert  
Mitchell Davies  
Matthew Caarnachan  
Sam Forrest  
Nicholas Baker

Fastest FDMC skier - Jackson Herbert

FDMC came 30<sup>th</sup> out of 80 schools who competed.

North Island Secondary Schools Sknowboard Competition

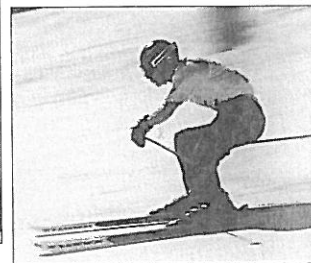
Held at Mt Ruapehu

The team was - Mitchell Davies  
Heath Kemp  
James Stringer  
Blake Dunlop  
Robert Lee  
Thomas Kirby

The events were Giant Slalom, Boarder Cross and Slope Style. Although our boys were new to the events this year, they expect to challenge Spotswood and NPBHS for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> next year.

Out of the 40 schools competing:

Best from FDMC Giant Slalom: Mitchell Davies  
Best from FDMC Boarder Cross: Robert Lee  
Best from FDMC Slope Style: Thomas Kirby



Matthew Carnachan



Mitchell Davies

Nicholas Baker



## NEW ZEALAND SURF CHAMPIONSHIPS

The New Zealand Surf Nationals were held at Oakura Beach near New Plymouth in March this year. The weather was fine- great conditions for the events. On the Sunday the surf picked up and provided some of the most challenging conditions of the year. Francis Douglas students collected 17 medals.

Simon Gillum and Scott Siffleet: members of the canoe team that won a gold and a silver.

Simon Gillum, Marcus Hancock and Caide Patten: members of the under 19 beach sprint relay that came third.

Caide Patten and Sam Cracroft-Wilson: 2nd in under 16 taplin.

Michael Melody and Caide Patten: two of the members who won the silver medal in the under 19 surf team race.

### Individual Performances:

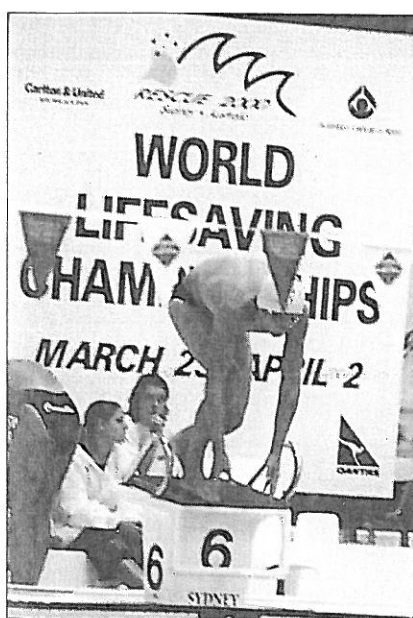
Marcus Hancock: silver in under 19 beach sprint, silver in senior beach relay, 4<sup>th</sup> Beach flags Under 19.

Michael Melody: bronze under 19 surf race, silver tube rescue, iron man final.

Peter Schicker: 3<sup>rd</sup> under 16 beach flags, 3<sup>rd</sup> under 16 board race.

Sam Cracroft-Wilson: 2<sup>nd</sup> under 16 flags

Kent Fraser: 4<sup>th</sup> canoe, 5<sup>th</sup> tube rescue, 6<sup>th</sup> belt race, 4<sup>th</sup> board rescue.



## TARANAKI SS SURF LIFESAVING

These were held at east End Beach on 12<sup>th</sup> February.

The boys, captained by Michael Melody and coached by Mr Simpson, performed extremely well and as a team to win the title for the second year in a row.

Beach Spirit: Marcus Hancock 1<sup>st</sup>

Simon Gillum 2<sup>nd</sup>

Beach Relay: Marcus Hancock, Simon Gillum, and Peter Schicker 1<sup>st</sup>

Beach Flags Marcus Hancock 1<sup>st</sup>

Mathew Webling 3<sup>rd</sup>

Sam Cracroft-Wilson 2<sup>nd</sup>

Surf Race: Michael Melody 1<sup>st</sup>

Caide Patten 4<sup>th</sup>

Board Rescue: Caide Patten and Sam Cracroft-Wilson 1<sup>st</sup>

Tube Rescue: Michael Melody and Sam Cracroft-Wilson 2<sup>nd</sup>

Board Relay: Sam Cracroft-Wilson and Michael Melody 2<sup>nd</sup>

Peter Schicker and Jason Couper 3<sup>rd</sup>

The future looks good with some up and coming surf lifesavers.

### SURF LIFESAVING REPRESENTATIVES

Kent Fraser represented Taranaki at the Kelloggs Surf League at Mount Maunganui. He was 2<sup>nd</sup> in the run swim run, member of the victorious taplin team and the sprint relay team. The Taranaki team came second overall.

Michael Melody went to the World Inter Club Surf Lifesaving Championships in Sydney in April this year. He was in a team with Cory Hutching, the world iron man champion, Aaron Jarman, Kelloggs iron man champion, and Callum Taylor, the world beach sprint champion. Michael ranked in the top 13 in the world for the tube rescue in the open category, and came 45<sup>th</sup> in the 200m obstacles race in the pool. The team that he was a member of came 11<sup>th</sup> in the world overall.



### SURF LIFESAVING

Back Row. M. Hancock, R. O'Connor, S. Gillum, C. Patten

Front Row. S. Cracroft-Wilson, M. Melody (Captain), S. Brennan, M. Webling.

Absent. J. Couper, P. Crowley.

# SURFING / LIFESAVING



## Surfboard Riding and Body boarding

### College Trials

These were held at Backbeach on 10 February. The swell was peaky 3-4 ft with some solid set of 5 ft.

These conditions were perfect for selecting the FDMC Surf and Body board team. There was some impressive surfing but a lot of competitors did not get enough waves in the 20 minute heats.

Many thanks to the parents Mr Davies , Mr Freeman and Mr Hurunui for offering their time to help judge.

### Taranaki Secondary School Competition

This was a long day, to get through all the heats. The event was held at Oakura Beach in 3-4 ft surf on the 23 February.

Our team was made up of:

Under 14                      Anaru Hurunui  
Ben Connolly

Under 16                      Richard Hurunui  
Mitchell Davies  
Jeremy Freeman

Reserve                      Sean Brennan

### Under 18

Michael Riddock  
Shane Petersen  
Tane Morgan  
Sam Cracroft-Wilson

### Reserve

### Body boarding

Under 18                      Shane Petersen  
Reserve                      Jackson Herbert

All the boys surfed well. They all managed to make it through their initial heats to climb the ladder, with some making it into the finals. This excellent performance generated some high school points for us.

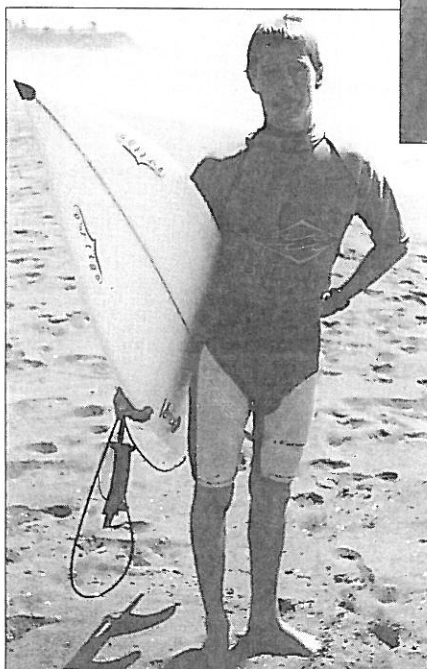
We came second to NPBHS by a slim margin all day as we competed with eight Taranaki schools.

Anaru Hurunui came 1<sup>st</sup> in the Under 14 with Ben Connolly coming 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Richard Hurunui came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Under 16's and Shane Petersen came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Under 18 Body Boarding.

I was impressed to see how focused our boys were throughout the day, working as a team, in and out of the water.

John Neeson  
Team Coordinator



FDMC has always had an excellent representation of teams ranging from the 1<sup>st</sup> XI to Senior Primary Division II (Yr 7) playing in the local North Taranaki Cricket Association's morning and afternoon competitions. This was to be so again in the 200 season. Except for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> XI teams the season is split into two sessions, February to April and October to December. This can create confusion regarding players maintaining enthusiasm once the second half of the season begins, especially the younger

players. The split season also helps diminish the developed skills necessitating the players to start pretty much at the beginning, a coach's nightmare.

All this aside our teams play with true College pride and enjoy a great many successes. We are also privileged to have many players involved at the Representative levels, Primary school to U' 17.

## Team Reviews 2000

### 1<sup>st</sup> XI - 1999/2000

This was to be Alex Kirk's final year of coaching the 1<sup>st</sup> XI after many years of nurturing and building players up to the skill level required to play in the Senior Men's Second Grade competition, winning this grade the previous two seasons.

Again the team performed consistently throughout the season securing the Second Grade Championship. This set up a match with Kaponga in a promotion relegation fixture. Played in Kaponga on their home wicket proved to be unsuccessful. This year 2000/2001 will have to be the season of success.

The other competition our 1<sup>st</sup> XI competes in is the Gillette Cup played by some 400 secondary schools throughout the country. Teams play in their region and advance to

the finals played each year in December at different venues. Winning through to the Taranaki regional final against NPBHS created excitement amongst the team. Having a confident and positive attitude enabled the players to lift to another level making for an exciting game between the two foes. NPBHS had just a few too many 'guns' on the day giving them the opportunity in the next round.

### Awards 1999/2000

Captain	Scott Ireland
Most Valuable Player	Brent Hayward
Batting Trophy	Brent Hayward
800 runs (50 average)	
Bowling Trophy	Kyle Meijer
Best Hands (The Claw)	Mark D'Ath



### FIRST ELEVEN

Back Row.	L. McGarvey, B. Clark, M. D'Ath, B. Haywood, J. Milne
Front Row.	K. Meijer, B. Whittington, M. Hughes, D. Bolstad, R. Fleming.
Absent.	Mr. A. Kirk(Coach), A. Eveleigh.





The 1999/2000 season produced many highlights with Ryan Fleming scoring three centuries with the bat, Ben Whittington averaging 38 runs per innings and the bowling attack of Clinton Parkes, Daniel Bolstad, Jonathon Milne, Nicholas O'Sullivan and Andrew Benton consistently performing keeping the opposition to gettable totals.

As the season progressed many of the players were used by the 1<sup>st</sup> XI with some securing permanent positions in the 1<sup>st</sup> XI squad.

Thanks to Mr Whittington for his time in the field and as game manager during the season.

My sincerest appreciation to all the players and supporters for their commitment to the College cricket programme. I extend my sincerest best wishes to all who are returning to continue their cricket with the College and also to those who are venturing out to clubs.

Thanks – Mr Walsh 'Coach'

### SECOND ELEVEN

Back Row. A. Benton, J. Prestney  
Middle Row. D. Bolstad, C. Parkes, R. Hannam,  
H. Kalders, Mr. Walsh(Coach)  
Front Row. C. Beckett, D. Jackson, J. Milne,  
B. Whittington, R Fleming.



### Morning Grade Cricket

We have 10 teams representing the College in the North Taranaki Junior Cricket Competition. The grades range from Senior Primary (Yr 7 and Yr 8) to 4<sup>th</sup> Grade (Yr 12/13).

Although the season is only three quarters complete we have 6 of our teams placed in the top four of their respective competitions.

Again we have excellent support from our parents and with guidance from coaches the players excel in an environment full of opportunities.

### Team Summary and Award

#### Senior Primary Grade – Division 2

#### FDMC Flemings

This team comprises completely of Yr 7 players. During the first half of the season, January to April, they played

### 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Awards 2000

Captain	Ryan Fleming Ben Whittington
Most Runs Scored	Ryan Fleming (137 - in one game)
Most Wickets Taken	Jonathon Milne (6 for 19 – in one game)
Most Valuable Batsman	Ryan Fleming (46.54 runs per game)
Most Valuable Bowler	Clinton Parkes
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Nicholas O'Sullivan Jonathon Parkes

in Division 3 along with other teams of similar make up. During this period they produced very good results. However, when the October to December started there were only three teams entered so they were upgraded to Division 2. This division comprises of teams mixed with Yr 7 and Yr 8 players. Consequently the change is taking a little longer. The players still give of their best every time and under the guidance of Mr Parara will prove every bit as competitive as previous.

### Awards 2000

Captain	Rotated each week
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Shaun Butler
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Not any one bowler has scored more than 2 wickets per game
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Shaun Butler Thomas Dozell
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Judd Rabbidge Chris Murray
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Kenneth Hau Matthew Meijer



## FLEMINGS

Back Row. S. Ridley, J. Barrett, C. Murray  
 Middle Row. L. McGarvey(Coach), M. Meijer, S. Butler, L. Tanner, T. Brouwers, J. Rabbidge, J. Hickey, K. Meijer(Coach)  
 Front Row. K. Hau, J. Wackrow, R. Perera, M. Armstrong, M. Shea.

## Senior Primary Grade – Division 1

There are two teams entered in this division. The teams have been evenly selected with a combination of Yr 7 and Yr 8 players. Both teams at present are positioned in the top 4. Again parental support has been valuable and, com-

binning with the expert coaching. The players are excelling in all aspects of cricket. To the extent that some have been selected for representative honours which will be mentioned later.

Teams are:

### FDMC Astles

Coaches	Daniel Bolstad Jonathon Milne
Captain	Campbell Fleming
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Zenek Zurokowski
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Sheldon Hill
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	David Joines
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Campbell Fleming
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Willy Gall Kieran Forsythe



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## CAIRNS

Back Row. R. Costello, T. Leuenberger, N. Chamberlain, N. Sole, T. Dozell, J. Dravitzki  
 Front Row. M. Barnard, J. Drummond, B. Siffleet, S. Webling, S. Rhodes.  
 Absent. Mr. M. Dravitzki(Coach).

## FDMC Cairns

Coach	Mr M Dravitzki
Captain	Ben Siffleet
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Ben Siffleet (50)
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Joseph Dravitzki (4 wickets – 5 runs)
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Ben Siffleet
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Thomas Dozell
	Tim Leuenberger
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Matthew Barnard Stuart Baker

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Division 1

This Grade is for Yr 9 players in which we have two teams and are placed in the top 4 with four games left in the complete season. The standard of cricket is high hence the closeness of games making the competition very exciting.

Teams are:



### BRACEWELLS

Back Row. T. Peacock, J. Manning, A. Schumacher,

M. Hughes(Asst Coach), J. Slaats, K. Sole, G. Maclean

Front Row. R. Dobson, S. Murphy, B. Ingram, A. Burns, T. Stewart.

Absent. Mr. Manning(Coach), P. Donaldson, D. Barnard, B. Hunter.

### FDMC Hadlees

Coaches	Ryan Fleming
	Daniel Jackson
Captain	Kyle Chapman
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Sebastian Cowie (55)
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Sebastian Cowie (5)
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Willy Mercer
	Ben Jagersman
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Sebastian Cowie
	Ben Roberts
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Daniel Batley

I know that from this grade the future of cricket at our College has an excellent base and will provide for close competition for places in our 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> XI's.

### FDMC Bracewells

Coach	Mr D Manning
Captain	Ben Ingram
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Ben Ingram
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Grant Maclean
Most Valuable Batsman	Ben Ingram
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Abraham Schumacher
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Joseph Manning Phillip Donaldson



### HADLEES

Back Row.	R. Fleming(Coach), S. Cowie, D. Batley
Middle Row.	W. Mercer, R. Hancock, M. Wilson, J. Allen, B. Roberts
Front Row.	B. Jagerersma, L. Collins, K. Chapman, F. McDonald, T. Walsh.
Absent.	R. Bence.

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Division 2

This is predominately Yr 10 students with some teams combining Yr 9/10 and sometimes Yr 11 students in their teams. This grade is designed to promote a competition that the average cricketer can compete in and develop their

skills gradually. The 'late' developer can use this competition to begin their, often successful, career in cricket. Our team, Chappells, are currently placed 5<sup>th</sup> and have enjoyed playing in a closely fought competition.





## FDMC Chappells

Coach	Brent Hayward
Captain	Jared Coombes
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Daniel King
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Mark Seator
Most Valuable Batsman	Adam Joblin
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Cameron Muggeridge Tony Maindonald
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Stephen Tyson Simon Martin

## CHAPPELLS

Back Row.	T. Maindonald, C. Walsh, T. Neeson, M. Conaglen, S. Martin
Middle Row.	C. Muggeridge, A. Belton, J. Coombes, M. Seator, D. George.
Absent.	S. Tyson, L. Vickers, D. King, Mr. A. Hockey(Coach)

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Division 1

This is the top grade in Morning Grade Cricket. Teams are compiled with players ranging from Year 9 to Year 13 depending on the experience level and competition which they wish to participate in.

Our four teams competing in this Division have students ranging from Year 9 to Year 12 in them. The Crows (Year 9) consist of our better Year 9 players with the balance

being Year 10 players again with above average skill levels.

The Turners has the remaining Year 10 above average players with the Larwoods the Year 11 players and Supa Shumanto Year 12 players. All four teams have been providing excellent results and form the base of the top 6 teams in the competition.



## FDMC Crows

Coach	Mr S Kale
Captain	Riley McGregor
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Jeremy Clark
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Jason Meuli
Most Valuable Batsman	Jason Meuli
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Paul Williams
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Jeremy Hill Nathan Hill Paul Williams Riley McGregor

## CROWES

Back Row.	A. Kale, R. Buttimore, N. Cleaver, M. Hughes(Asst Coach), J. Meuli, J. Hill
Front Row.	P. Williams, E. McGarvey, J. Clark, N. Hill, R. Christensen.
Absent.	Mr. Kale(Coach), R. McGregor..



## FDMC Turners

Coach	Mr B Cursors
Captain	Gareth Tai
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Gareth Tai
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Gareth Tai
	Luke Mann
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Brendon Pope
	Daniel Graham
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Luke Mann
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Sam Barrett
	Paul Quinn



## LARWOODS

Back Row.	B. Feaver, A. Meek
Middle Row.	G. Billing, C. Carmichael, D. Gibbins, M. Robinson, Z. Thompson, O. McDonald
Front Row.	Y. Ekanayake, B. Bolyn, D. Muller, I. McCracken, P. Bolyn.
Absent.	Mr. McCracken(Coach), B. Drinkwater, S. Singh.

## FDMC Supa Shumanto

Coach	Chris Fife
Captain	Daniel MacDonald
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	(75)
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Ardy Straathof (6 for 12)
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Adam Franks (37.2 average)
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Stephen Dobson (16.1 rpo)
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Bodan Peoples Steven Brown



## TURNERS

Back Row.	D. Graham, A. Waite, L. Herlihy, A. Churches, T. Hills, L. Mann
Front Row.	S. Barrett, D. Cowley, G. Tai, C. Webby, J. Radich.
Absent.	P. Quin, B. Pope, Mr. B. Cursors(Coach).

## FDMC Larwoods

Coach	Mr D McCracken
Captain	Carl Carmichael
Most Runs Scored (in one game)	Daniel Muller
Most Wickets Taken (in one game)	Brendan Feaver
Most Valuable Batsman (men)	Jordan Knox
Most Valuable Bowler(s)	Pim Bolyn
Most Enthusiastic Fielder(s)	Pim Bolyn
	Oliver MacDonald



## SUPA SHUMANTO

Back Row.	B. Hart, A. Straathof
Middle Row.	S. Dobson, D. Seator, Z. Parkes, B. Carroll, D. McDonald
Front Row.	C. Fife, A. Franks, H. Volzke, D. Butler, B. Peoples.



Taranaki Emerging Players	Brent Hayward Ryan Fleming	North Taranaki Form 2	Ben Siffleet Campbell Fleming Zenek Zurokowski, Chris Conaglen Stuart Baker Jared Drummond Kieran O'Neill
Taranaki U' 17	Mark Hughes Ben Whittington Kyle Meijer		
Taranaki U' 15	Daniel Bolstad Ryan Fleming Riley McGregor, Jason Meuli Andrew Kale Jeremy Clark	North Taranaki Form 1	Joseph Dravitzki

## Conclusion

As the co-ordinator for Francis Douglas Memorial College Cricket I am extremely proud of the achievements that the teams and players have attained throughout the 2000 season.

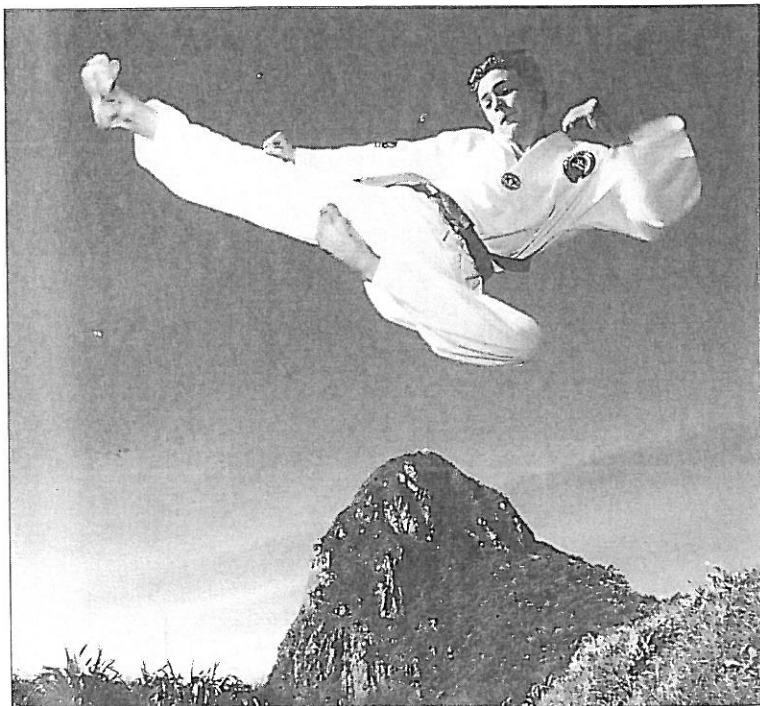
With the support of those parents (as coaches) and student coaches and cricket enthusiasts (as coaches), cricket continues to develop with high endeavours. I still believe that more support would undoubtedly further increase players confidence and enthusiasm.

Thank you to all involved throughout the busy and long season. The time freely given is invaluable.

Congratulations to all successes and I look forward to further acknowledging even more in the future.

Remember Enthusiasm develops Confidence

Andy Cowie  
Coordinator



## KAYNE LAZARUS

Kayne is the youngest to be chosen for the 2001 NZ tae kwon do team to travel to Holland for the Dutch open championships in March, followed by a smaller invitational tournament in Belgium and one in Australia before the North Island championships.

Since joining the New Plymouth Tae Kwon Do club two years ago, Kayne has achieved red belt status, one below the top black grade. Success means a lot of work for Kayne, who has practised six days a week to reach this level.

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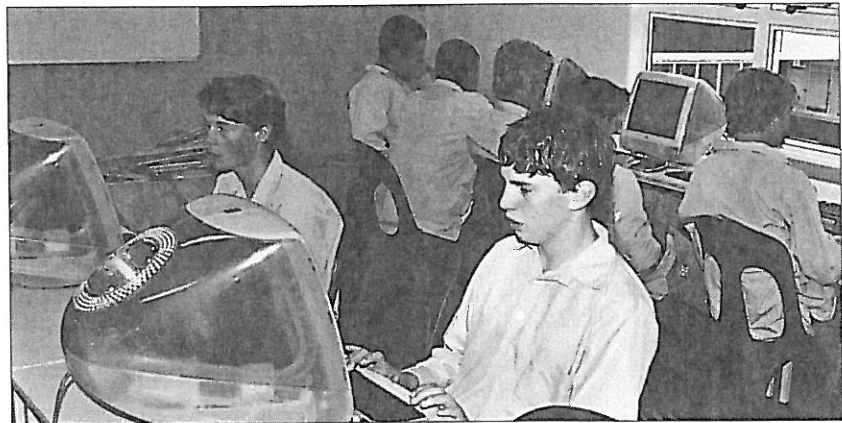
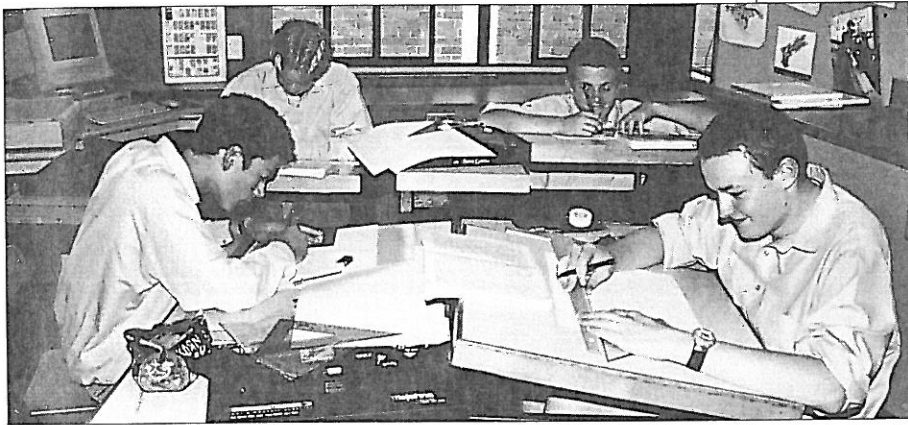
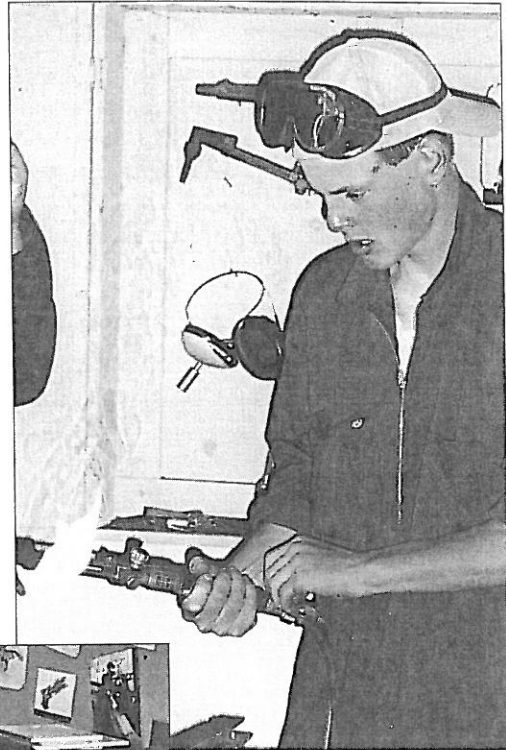
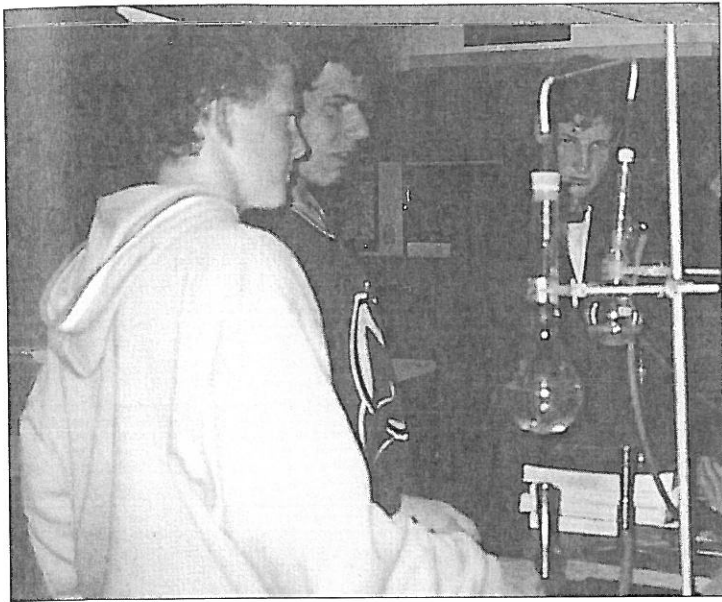




SPORTS (The following is a list of students who have achieved higher representation than at Taranaki level)

Jamie	Ashley	Played in NZ Junior Golf Champs
Cory	Avison	Participated in National SLS Champs
Kelly	Barclay	1st Indoor National Archery
Andrew	Beale	NZ Junior Archery Team
Sam	Beardman	Bronze Medal at the Central North Island In Line Hockey Champs
Leighton	Bellringer	NISS Athletics
Daniel	Bolstad	U16 Central Zone Basketball Team
Pim	Bolyn	Selected for Federation 4 Region in Soccer, 16th Grade.
Scott	Buchanan	1 Gold Kata Competition, 2 Silver in Contact & Non Contact Kyokushin Karate, NZChamp
Lewis	Christensen	Bronze Medal at Tae Kwon Do Nationals 65/70kg 8-6 Grade
Jeremy	Clark	Central Districts Cricket Team
Matthew	Cleaver	Silver Medal at Tae Kwon Do North Island Champs. Participated in TKD National Champs
Nathan	Cleaver	Gold Medal at Tae Kwon Do National Champs
Nicholas	Coomey	2nd NI Champs Tae Kwon Do
Campbell	Fleming	Western Districts Cricket Camp
Ryan	Fleming	U16 Central Zone Tournament Team
Sam	Forest	3rd at National Karate Champs
Lee	Foster	Played at NZ Touch Champs
Kent	Fraser	At NZ SLS Champs, 4th U19 Short and Long Course Canoe, 4th Board Rescue, 5th Tube Rescue, 4th Teams Surf Race, made finals of Surf Race, Board Race, Taplin, at NZ IRB Champs, Gold U21 IRB Tube Rescue, Semi finals of Single Rescue and Mass Rescue, at NZ Division 1 Swimming Nationals, PB'S in 50 Bk/S, 50 F/S 100 Bk/S, 8th in Open F/S Relay
David	Freeman	Silver Medal at Central Region North Island Inline Hockey Champs
Jamie	George	Participated in WCNI and NZ Water Skiing Champs
David	Geurts	NZ Junior Archery Team
Simon	Gillum	At NZ SLS Champs, 1st U19 Mens Short Course Canoe, 3rd Long Course Canoe, 3rd Beach Sprint Relay
Cameron	Goodchap	National Junior Golf Champs
Leighton	Goodchap	National Junior Golf Champs
Kayne	Greenhill	Wrestled at NI and NZ Wrestling Champs
Robert	Hamilton	Weightlifting. Represented NZ in Adelaide, Australia, U16and U18 2nd Place. Nationals 1st Junior Under 85kg, 3rd Senior Under 85kg
Marcus	Hancock	NZ Surf Life Saving Champs, 2nd U19 Beach Sprint, 2nd Senior Beach Sprint Relay, 3rd U19 Beach Sprint Relay, NISS Athletics 4th 300m Hurdles
Brent	Hayward	Competed at NISS Athletic Champs, 4th HJ, 8th LJ, 4th Relay.
Martyn	Henderson	Rowed at NZ Rowing Champs
Jackson	Herbert	Skiing NISS 26th
Nathan	Hill	Selected for Federation 4 Region in Soccer
Thadius	Hunter	Played in National Junior Golf Champs
Anaru	Hurunui	9th NZSS Surfing Champs
Richard	Hurunui	Represented TSS at National Surfing Champs
Paul	Johnston	Selected for Federation 4 Region in Soccer, 16th Grade.
David	Joines	NZ Under 14 Basketball, NI U14 Tournament Team
Chris	Jordan	NZSS Soccer Team to England, Scotland, Wales, Hungary and Austria. Soccer Federation 4 representative
Shanan	Jupp	1st Novice Division, Archery in Auckland
Heath	Kemp	16th NZ Intermediate Down Hill Mountain Biking
Michael	Kiser	9th NI and 8th NZ Kart Racing
Nicklaus	Kiser	5th NI and 12th NZ Kart Racing
Jacob	Ladd	Represented NZ at the 1/4 Horse Youth World Cup in Italy
Kayne	Lazarus	NZ Tae Kwon Do Team to Australia, and to Holland and Portugal in Feb 2001.
Robert	Lee	Yachting, NZ Champs, P Class
Carlin	Lepper	NZ Oceania Speed Skating Team
Curtis	Lockley	NISS Athletics
Jason	Meuli	Central Districts Cricket
Chip	McCabe	Gold Medal at NZ Tae Kwon Do Champs
Riley	McGregor	Central Districts Cricket, North Island Athletic Champs
Michael	Melody	Represented Region at World SLS in Sydney, at NZ SLS Champs, 3rd Surf Race, Made Iron Man Final, 2nd Tube Rescue, 2nd Surf Team Race, at NZ Swimming Champs, 7th 100m Breaststroke, 11th 50m Breaststroke, 8th Medley Relay.
Kyle	Merewether	22nd at NI Junior Motor Cross Champs
Nicholas	O'Dea	3rd at Central Districts Slalom Water Skiing Champs
Kieran	O'Neill	Western Districts Cricket Camp
Jonathan	Orr	3rd NI BMX Champs
Caide	Patten	NI SLS Champs, 3rd Sprint, SI IRB Champs, 3 Bronze and a Gold, IRB Nationals, a Silver and Bronze., NZ Division 2 Swimming, Silver 100Br/S
Thomas	Peacock	Central Districts U14 and NZ Academy Soccer Squad.
Matthew	Sarten	1st Junior Division Archery in Auckland
Peter	Schicker	Surf Life Saving; 1st in Regional Beach Flags and Board Race, 3rd in Iron Man, 3rd NZ Beach Flags and 3rd Board
Scott	Siffleet	U18 NZ Basketball Champs
James	Slaats	NZ Under 14 Basketball
Andre	Stanway	Taranaki Rep at Mountain Biking Nationals.
Shane	Taepa	National Tae Kwon Do Champs
Jade	Vickers	2nd Javelin at NISS Athletic Champs

# ACADEMIA





## Australian Schools English Competition 2000

### YEAR 7

#### Distinction:

Ciaran Dromgool  
Alexander Nicholas

#### Credit:

Shaun Butler  
Isaac Trevis

### YEAR 8

#### High Distinction:

Joe Bradley

#### Distinction:

Roland Shea

#### Credit:

Matthew Warner

### YEAR 9

#### Distinction:

Daniel Burkett  
Jordan Hill  
Michael Lucas  
James Putt

#### Credit:

Zachary Beardman  
Joshua Bollen

Patrick Edmonds  
Benjamin Jagersma  
Grant Maclean  
Christopher Wicky

### YEAR 10

#### Distinction:

Graeme Crean  
Thomas Hill  
Cameron Whelan

#### Credit:

Matthew Bridger  
Reuben Callingham  
Jared Coombes  
Blake Dunlop  
Ryan Fleming  
Luke Herlihy  
Jean Pierre Le Prou  
Luke Mann  
Alex McCleary  
Scott Peacock  
Thomas Prestney  
Robert Rawles

### YEAR 11

#### Distinction:

Sam Beardman

Blaise Drinkwater

#### Credit:

Miles Benton  
Bas Bolyn  
Hamish Irving  
Benjamin Whittington

### YEAR 12

#### Distinction:

Leon Butler

#### Credit:

Chris Bilodeau

### YEAR 13

#### Distinction:

Christian Holswich

#### Credit:

Nicholas Donaldson  
Peter Sherman  
Mark White-Robinson  
Chris Wratistav

## Australian Schools Science Competition 2000

This year 40 students from FDMC participated in the 2000 Australian Schools Science Competition.

A total of over 445,000 students from Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Region participated in the competition.

This year some excellent results were attained with 9 Certificates of Distinction and 15 Certificates of Credit being awarded.

The certificates were presented at an Academic Assembly held in Term 4.

Those awarded Certificates of Distinction were:

Year 7: Ciaran Dromgool  
Year 9: Daniel Burkett, James Putt

Year 10: Cory Avison, Robert Rawles  
Year 11: Sam Beardman, Matthew Bolton  
Year 12: Mark White-Robinson

Credit awards were received by:

Year 8: Joe Bradley, Rueben Costello  
Year 9: Grant Maclean  
Year 10: Samuel Barrett, Thomas Prestney, Cameron Whelan  
Year 11: Karl Austin, Nicolas Dey, Yeshan Ekanayake, Michael Kiser  
Year 12: Ben Bunyan, Simon Huesser, Kieran Orchard  
Year 13: Christian Holswich, Daniel Parr

Congratulations to all those who participated.



## YEAR 12 BIOLOGY

The Year 12 Biology class studied Ecology in Term One and went on several field trips. At Back Beach they studied the *zonation* of the rocky shore. They used transects and quadrants to determine the species in each tidal zone and to determine the densities of each species. The *stratification* of the native bush was studied at Barrett's Domain. The species making up the canopy, sub-canopy, fern layer, shrub layer and ground cover had to be identified. A third field trip was made to investigate stages of *succession* in wasteland adjoining Barrett's Domain. The weather was fine throughout and the students gathered data in the field, processed it in the laboratory and wrote reports which contributed to their assessment.

The highlight of Term Two was the Biotechnology Unit in which the students learnt to make cheese. They then had to develop luxury cheese items, which were presented and judged at a 'Cheese and Wine' presentation.

Term Three turned the students into amateur veterinary surgeons as they dissected the earthworm, fish, rat and heart in an attempt to come to grips with the structure and function of animals. Each boy also presented a seminar on the 'Support and Movement' of a chosen vertebrate in the new theatre.



## YEAR 13 BIOLOGY

The Year 13 students researched a plant and an animal in its natural habitat during Term One. The study required two field trips. Data and specimens were gathered on each trip, the data was analysed and further investigations were carried out in the laboratory. Each student wrote a report on the investigation. The following are excerpts from students' reports:

Jacques Le Prou

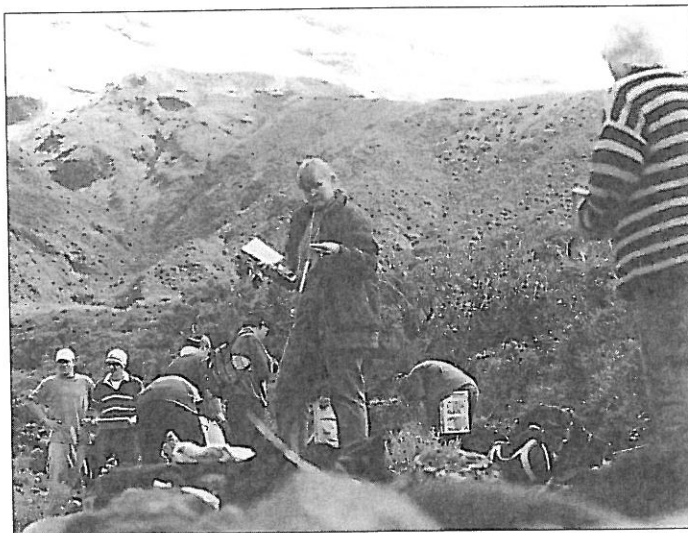
During our shrimp study we visited the Kawaroa rock pool area to observe and investigate the shrimp in their natural environment.

Daniel Webby

In the study of the Manuka we went to Dawson Falls and the Plateau areas of Mount Egmont, Taranaki. The intent of the field trip was to gather information on the habitat of the Manuka and to collect seedlings, sprigs etc. for lab work. To do this we used transects, did stratification profiling, compass and point cover, mapping and analysed competition between Manuka plants.

Jacques Le Prou

We collected information from four different areas where Manuka was growing: behind the Konini lodge, in the Konini forest, at Wilkies' Pools and at the Potaemo Swamp.



# BIOLOGY





## WELLINGTON GEOGRAPHY TRIP

The Year 12 Geography Field Trip to Wellington was aimed at understanding the elements that make up Wellington's form and function.

We managed to catch the tail end of another kind of form when joining the crowds welcoming Wellington's victorious rugby champions including Christian, Jonah, Tara, Norm and Alama (who recognised the Amber and Black jerseys worn by several of the guys).

Visiting various parts of the city area such as Mt Victoria, the waterfront, Owhiro Bay and the Botanical Gardens, we learned about the physical structure of Wellington. A guided tour of the new stadium, exploration of the downtown core of the city and visits to Te Papa, the city council, the Parihaka exhibition also showed the human geographical side of our capital.

We stayed at Downtown Backpackers – a large and comfortable establishment on the waterfront. This was handy to transport links we studied such as the Top Cat inter-island ferry, the Railway station and the wharves of Port Nicholson as the venues of an intensive urban experience Wellington take a lot of beating. It is compact scenic and interesting. Thanks very much to the students for their excellent attitude and to Tim Stuck for helping out on our field trip.

Ross MacNicol  
Head of Geography



## YEAR 13 GEOGRAPHY TRIP TO ROTORUA

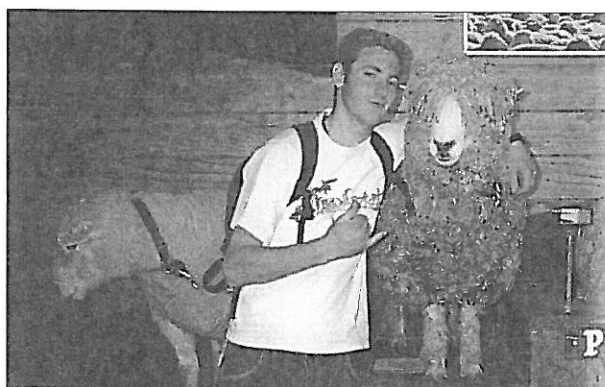
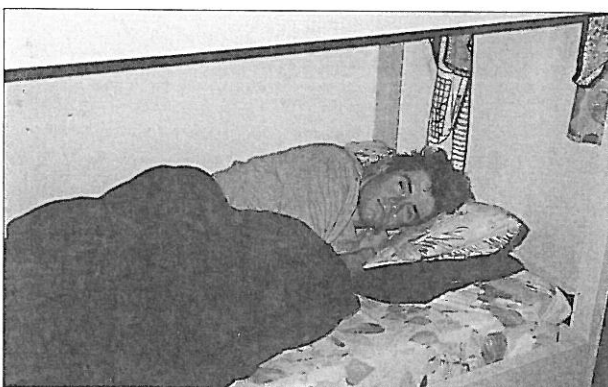
Bursary Geography classes travelled to Rotorua for 3 days to study the geography of tourism development. We stayed at a lodge on the eastern shores of Lake Rotorua and made excursions by bus to most of Rotorua's hot tourism zones. Speakers from the Rotorua Polytechnic Tourism Department and the Rotorua District Council provided valuable information and up to date analysis of why the tourism industry is so important to Rotorua and New Zealand.

Site visits were made to Te Wairoa and the Buried Village with its award winning museum. The thermal pools were an excellent evening attraction. The Polynesian Pools have been redeveloped- evidence of volcanic activity to Rotorua tourism. Whakarewarewa and the Maori Arts and Crafts Institute was the scene of the Pohutu Geyser, New Zealand's largest geyser. The Agrodome and its excellent farm show was a popular stopover for us and several bus loads of Asian tourists. The importance of marketing Rotorua was stressed by the general manager of that famous attraction.

Adventure tourism has been a major growth area in New Zealand: the Jetsprints, Swoop and Dirt thingz were a spectacle. Many of the boys tried out the Swoop and Brendon Hart was unforgettable as he demonstrated his sporting prowess in mastering the Dirt thingz (motorised cross country skateboards).

The field visit was brilliant in bringing to life this tourism development topic and it certainly helped prepare the students for the testing Bursary Geography examination. Special thanks to Mike Donaldson, Ruth Morrison, and Arthur our driver, as well as to the guys for their interest and enthusiasm.

Ross MacNicol  
Head of Geography







## Year 10 Ruapehu Snow Trip

It had begun. After finally compacting the last of our gear into the vans and 'sorting' out where we were to sit, we all (15 of us) set off on our approximately four and a half hour drive to the Manawate Hut, Mt Ruapehu.

Many of us found ourselves unequipped food-wise for the journey in front and continuous stops were made to ensure the health of our crew. A memorable stop for all was at the MOKAU Seaview Tea-rooms, where a lot of purchases took place, both on the way there and back. Highlighted purchases were made by Ben Gibson who after finishing his first ten dollar white bait fritter, moved on to his second then scrounged around for enough money to complete his third. "Top quality" was his words and I bet that if he'd had more spare change he would have kept the cooks on their toes.

The ambience of driving up the Desert Road is indescribable and the newcomers were caught unawares by the striking views that Mr Ruapehu offered. Our teacher explained to us why we shouldn't stay at the Grand Chateau. We learned a lot about the geography of the region.

We reached the top of the car park, which was about fifty metre walk from the chairlifts, and we felt ill-fated as we heard of our destiny. "The hut is just up the ridge there." We looked across and gasped "And then over two other ridges." Yet we reached the hut in good time and relaxed to the smell of roasting corned beef (which doesn't sound right) and hoped that the first meal would be a good one.

All meal and dishes duties were rostered and were 'happily' completed always. The rationed out meals must have



been all right, with Mr Thomas cranking a few hip phrases like, "Man these potatoes are mint" and "This meat is sweet as".

90% of us were first time skiers or snow-boarders and this was a time

for us to get friendly with the slopes. At first there were a few injuries but no one was complaining and people started to get the hang of things. After our second day all of the learners had graduated from Ski and Snowboard University and were happy with their newfound sports. Thanks for the lessons we had. It was fun to learn a new sport and we hope to return to develop our skill further.

Night time at the hut consisted of milo drinking, sled-snowboarding, leg breaking down the icy stairs and jenga block target practice at which Jamie 'rapid fire' Ashley took first place.

The snow coated lodge by night and the clear blue sky by day were

only minor things that contributed to the amazing feel of Mt Ruapehu. This Year10 outdoor education trip was a mighty good one and although it is over for the season it will remain imprinted in our memories forever.

Blake Dunlop







Enrichment Group Trip to Waitomo  
We met at 6:45am, a time new for most students and teachers by the looks of things.

Mrs Milne's small poem broke the ice.

*I wish I were a glowworm  
A glow worms never glum  
It's hard to be unhappy  
When the sun shines out your bum*

And after the Year 9's had received a peck on the cheek by their mothers we were off.

Manual vehicles did not look to be the norm for the fourth gear favouring drivers but we certainly chugged on at a good pace. That was until we hit Mokau where a rugby ball was the only saviour from the new bridge construction hold up.

Four hours after departure and we were now aware of the significance of the term 'tomo' meaning hole in the name Waitomo. An informative seminar on the geology of the caves was the best way to introduce us to this town. The use of models and visual displays was a very good way to find out the how these giant creations were formed.

Now that we were all experts on how the caves were formed we thought we were ready for some hands on experience and what better way to do that than black water rafting.

For once in our lives we wished that we had taken on yoga at an early age. Black water rafting was a breeze compared to getting into our wetsuits. When we finally got them on people were asking the instructors to have the Jaws of Life on hand when we returned to help get them off.

With helmet headlights to guide us we entered the bitter cold water. We ventured slowly through the dark, unpredictable caves taking in the information about it from the instructors and the sights at the same time. When the time came to turn our headlights off we couldn't help but gaze in wonder at the awesome glowworms above. We were brought back to reality with continual collisions with limestone walls.

Eventually we managed to remove ourselves with the help

of the instructors from the wetsuits and at last our blood could go back to its original flowing rate.

The only way to warm us up again was a quick game of rugby which in the end showed that the Year 10's had too much power for the Year 9's. The day had taken a lot out of us and a hearty meal from the local tavern soon fixed that.

It was dark when we decided to go for a nice bush walk without torches to find some glowworms. We found them on a bank, which was once a cave, and we were able to see these creatures up close. They looked very happy indeed just as the poem said they would.

As always all students slept with no interruptions at all and we all knew that we had to have an early night. Yeah right! Early morning more like it.

We didn't have any time to spare in the morning with a quick tidy up of the camp and an equally quick breakfast. We packed our bags and left them in our vans. We were told that we were going to get muddy on this team building course, which we did up in a farm in the depths of Waitomo but who would have thought we would be swimming in it!

We started the team building course with the challenge of arranging each other in order of

birthdays on a horizontal pole. We couldn't hop off the pole onto the ground while arranging ourselves. A problem too large for us to solve first up but we could only get better after that display.

We moved on to another pole, this time vertical, with tyres on it, we had to get the tyres off the top. This certainly brought the best out of the group and with many attempts using various styles we were making short steps to success. The instructor made us regroup and with a team effort we eventually did it. This was certainly the one which earned the team a pat on the back.

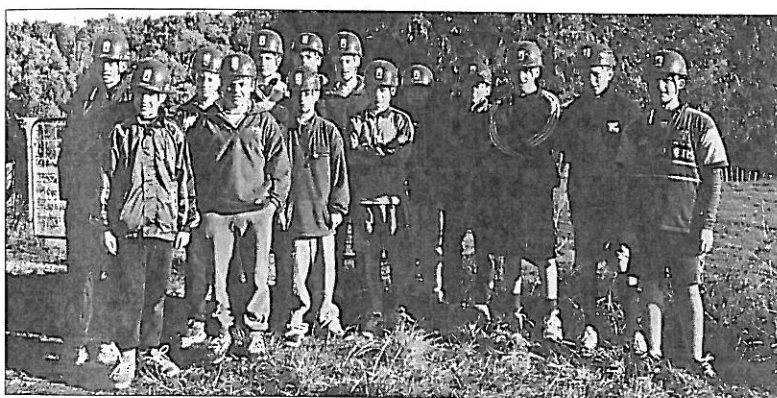
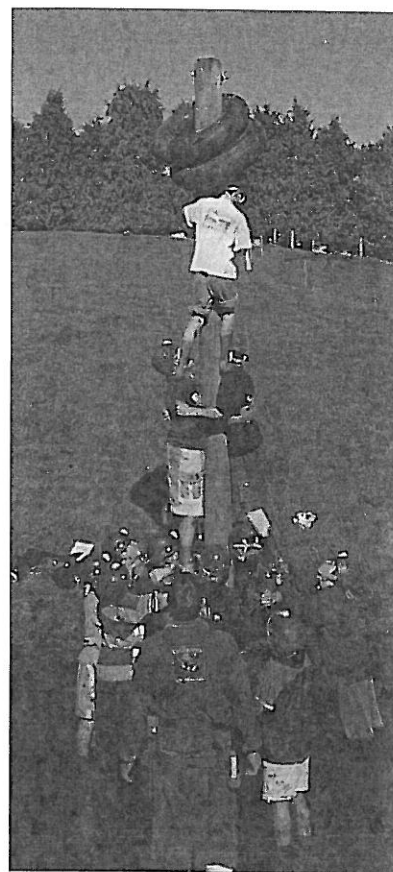
We moved on to do caving in which we had to find a key. Finding our own way to a river crossing using a map, we crossed the river using tyres for buoyancy. We made it across with no catastrophes and with a slight cheer with what energy remained we ended this challenging obstacle course. Once we found the hidden chest which the key unlocked revealing food and drinks for all, we re-gathered and went over the day with the instructor. After showering up we hit the road leaving behind the wonders of Waitomo.



After stopping for lunch at TeKuiti we kept to the road and eventually made it back to the College at around 4:00pm. The trip was a grand experience and learning

curve for every one who was there. Thanks a lot to our drivers Mrs Maclean and Mrs Milne. Thanks also to Mr Stuck who helped out considerably.

Thomas Hill



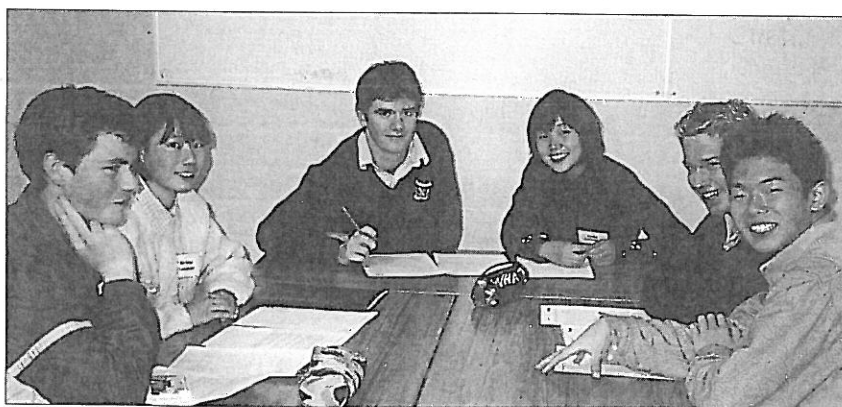
### Japanese in 2000

Japanese in 2000 has been much more evident to the average student of Francis Douglas than in other years. The visit of a group of students from Japan this year meant that our students were not required to scrimp and save to travel to Japan (as in 1998). Junya, Sayaka, Miهارu and the gang all enjoyed their time here, not because of our obvious talent in Japanese but because of the informality of their visit that was a welcome relief from their tight schedule.

Early nerves and relative shyness slowly led into enthused conversation with short bursts of laughter. Although they were impressed with the rugby game that was on at the time they weren't too enthusiastic to play. After the lunch break former and current students of Japanese were allowed to get to know their new acquaintances better, learn some simple origami and rekindle their singing voice. They sang a rather familiar sounding song called 'The Bear Going to the Mountain' and we soon replied with the always classic College hymn. It is obvious that

this is the highlight of the Japanese department's year.

At the end of this school year we see two students Jonathon Jordan and Thomas Schumacher going on exchange programmes to Osaka which will be a learning experience for both of them. Tessa (Sensei) Parke has been an irreplaceable asset to Francis Douglas for many years now and her highlight was the engineering of the Japan study tour of 1998. She will be sorely missed and difficult to replace. All the past and present students thank her for her inspirational teaching and patience. We wish her well in her new life in Auckland and gambatte!

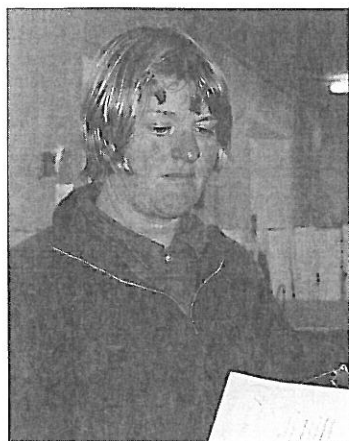






## READING TUTORS

These good looking, debonair, likely lads are actually the Year 2000 volunteer reading tutors. Previously, it has been a Year 13 initiative, but this year we experimented with Year 12 students. The result was an outstanding success as over forty boys volunteered to assist Year 7 students with reading and comprehension.



It is often those who themselves received tutoring in their early years at FDMC who become the best, most

reliable tutors. What goes around, comes around. For others it was the opportunity to show leadership potential and to serve the college.

Tradition dictates that we end the year with pizza breakfast. Again, this was an event not to be missed. Amazingly thirty pizzas disappeared in less than ten minutes so it was down to the field for a game of touch. Unfortunately, I had forgotten to organise rugby balls, so they quickly started a spirited game of bullrush. Year 7, averaged twelve, opposing Year 12, average age seventeen! Despite my misgivings, and frantically pacing the sideline shouting safety instructions, the true spirit of our school was soon apparent. When a dozen juniors were hanging off a single Year 12 desperately trying to make him eat dirt, no mercy was shown, but when the tables turned, it was great to see the care the senior students took to ensure the smaller boys weren't hurt.

Well done Year 12.  
Thank you.

Mrs Wackrow



### READING TUTORS

Back Row.

Third Row.

Second Row.

Front Row.

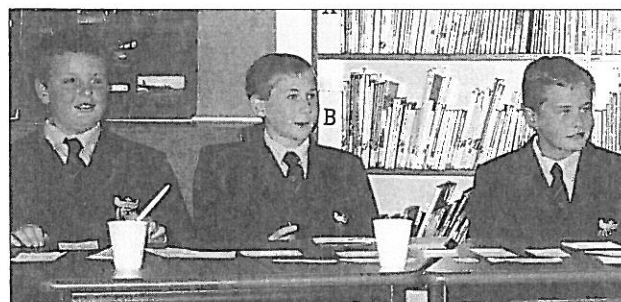
Absent.

S. Dobson, J. Tamarapa, D. Butler, C. Parkes, J. Gardner, M. Bridger, D. Seator, J. Webling  
R. Brown, Z. Lockett, N. O'Dea, I. Cook, C. Patten, J. Hullah, B. Tofts, T. Hunter, H. Volzke  
T. Peters, K. Merewether, D. McDonald, A. Franks, B. Peoples, S. Moselen, D. Wells,  
R. Keegan, M. Hughes  
L. Butler, B. Willan, B. Wackrow, D. Waite, A. Hemara, J. Pierce, K. Orchard.  
Z. Parkes.

### N.I.E.

The boys were thrilled to emulate last Years 7 and 8 N.I.E. quiz teams when they came first and second again this year in the annual Daily News, Newspapers in Education Quiz night. Ms Alexander had no sooner had the shield

engraved for 1999 when she had to take it back to the engravers again for 2000.



There were seven rounds over two hours involving current events, map reading, cartoon interpretations, a newspaper search, photo identification and who or what am I questions. The Year 8 team consisting of Joseph Bradley, Kade Sorensen and Reuben Costello won the trophy but the Year 7 team of Shaun Butler, Des Gilmore and Seamus Doyle were hot on their heels in second place, only one point behind.

Congratulations boys, you have done yourselves and the Intermediate Department proud.



2000 has been a very busy year in this department. It is great to see students as young as Year 7 taking advantage of the information, resources and opportunities available to them. Past students have even returned to use the facility.

It has been pleasing to note that students are linking the importance of subject/school achievement with goals and dreams for the future. They have often shown genuine concern for taking on student debt and are increasingly aware of the importance of selecting the appropriate course where they will obtain the best possible training and subsequent qualifications.

Students from both ends of the academic spectrum come to the Career Centre. Those who are wanting general and specific information or tertiary training; those who are exploring their own ideas and possible pathways; those who struggle with particular subjects wanting advice and support and those who have difficulty being at school. Fortunately, there are alternatives to explore when the latter becomes an issue. Students are given every encouragement to do their personal best within the school system so as to place themselves in the best possible position for moving into the world of work or further education. For some students leaving school has meant exploring alternative solutions and it is pleasing to note the degree of success these students have had.

This year we have undertaken 1:1 support in CV writing. More students are recognising the importance of having a CV and it is hoped that all students, particularly seniors, will begin developing CV's early next year; and seek support early on in the year.

We have undertaken all the usual visits to Polytechnics and Universities and had a wide range of speakers.

Work exploration/shadowing had also become a popular option. All Year 10 and Year 12 have had opportunities during 2000 and we have had excellent feedback regarding FDMC students in the workplace which is a credit to our boys. Some students have gained employment from this opportunity. All students are encouraged to gain some work experience, particularly in the holidays.

We are always keen to hear of vacancies from employers, so if parents are able to help, please let us know.

We wish all students leaving the very best in their future careers and we look forward to hearing about your courses and achievements. Don't forget to keep in touch. Your experiences are what we learn from.

Ms Land

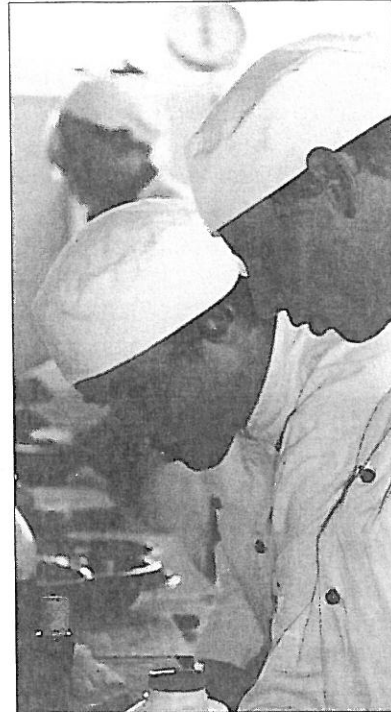
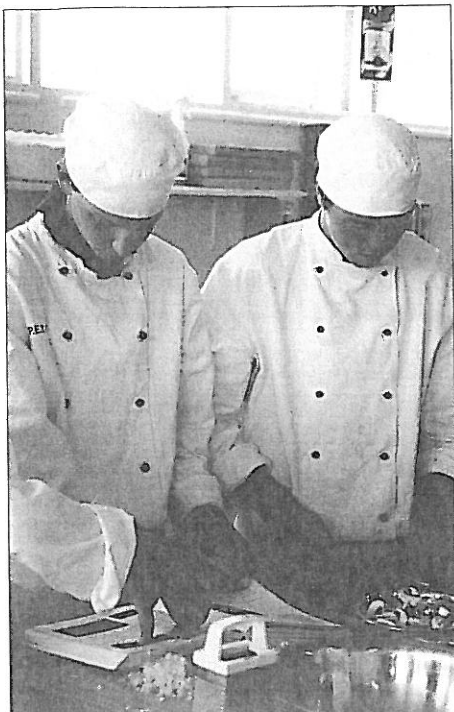
## STAR

STAR funding has once again provided many exciting non-conventional experiences and subject choices for our students.

Year 10 and Year 12 students have had a chance to experience a wide range of Taster courses at the Taranaki Polytechnic in all the trade areas e.g. automotive, electrotechnology, carpentry, engineering, hospitality etc. As well we were able to offer hands on courses in architectural draughting, movie making, bio-diversity, chemistry, physics and journalism.

A group of Year 11 students were able to undertake a weekly programme in engineering at Alpha Training, which proved to be a valuable experience for them. They have gained a number of credits towards the National Certificate in Engineering while still at school. Other subject options have been available to students under spe-





cific circumstances: these are horticulture, tourism and higher level learning in programming computers and computer concepts.

A group of senior students attended a week long course in Film and Television at South Seas Film and Television in Auckland and had an awesome experience, one student noting that "it was the best learning experience he had had in his life".

STAR opportunities are derived out of a genuine interest in a vocational area. The funding has also enabled us to address individual needs of students under special circumstances in order to encourage students to remain at school in a supportive situation.

## Career Pathways Programme

Career Pathways Programme (CPP) had its second successful year. The programme is designed for students who want to remain at school for a variety of reasons. It provides an alternative to the "traditional programme" and is aimed at giving students the opportunity to experience a wide range of knowledge and skills about future pathways in employment and training. Where possible, practical and individual circumstances are addressed. CPP has proved successful in that it gives the students a chance to experience first hand where they want to go; the outcomes have been very positive.

Students are required to have a positive attitude to school and work, a commitment to gain the most that they can and a sense of trust and responsibility as the programme operates largely outside the confines of the school grounds (although Ms Land always knows where everyone is and keeps a keen eye on rolls that are faxed in regularly).

Students have sampled great opportunities this year. All courses are delivered by NZQA approved providers and enables students to gain a number of credits towards "real life" qualifications in the form of National Certificates. Credits are registered with NZQA and become a part of the individual lifelong "record of learning".

All of the students have done Religious Education, Mathematics, Physical Education and Self Management and a course in Adventure Based Learning (sea kayaking, orienteering, abseiling, etc) with Sport Taranaki, that began the year with a week long tramp around the mountain. This was reported as a "great experience". Students have undertaken "lifeskills" cooking, hospitality, tourism, automotive, engineering, computing, fishing, carpentry, diving, with one student undertaking an Introduction to Turf Management (green keeping) through the Open Polytechnic.

All of the boys have decided where they want to go in the immediate future which is heartening.

A number of boys have registered interest in CPP for 2001 which will endeavour to meet individual needs where possible. A student will take out what he is prepared to put in.



Best wishes to CPP 2000 students.



The year began with an “awesome as” camp! The best camp with lots of character building experiences, possum attack on lollies and Spam (canned ham) it was time to retaliate!

It was hard at the beginning of the year not really knowing each other, coming from different groups, meeting up with other friends at the weekend.

Sports and Rec at Sport Taranaki – sea kayaking, orienteering, rock climbing, tramping, absailing was challenging to say the least.

The discipline was tough. Somebody threw an apple core out the window that meant we all had to do 50 press-ups with our packs in the middle of town.

For us it was better than ordinary school. We learned by “hands on”, no uniform, doing the things you want to do, learning new skills and knowledge about working. Coffee everywhere, unlimited tutors who treat you like adults, a chance to prove yourself as more than “school boys” in

the real world.

New friends, a chance to mix with a wide range of people including girls! If I was at normal school I would have left in the first term.

A good experience.

It was good, good, partner.

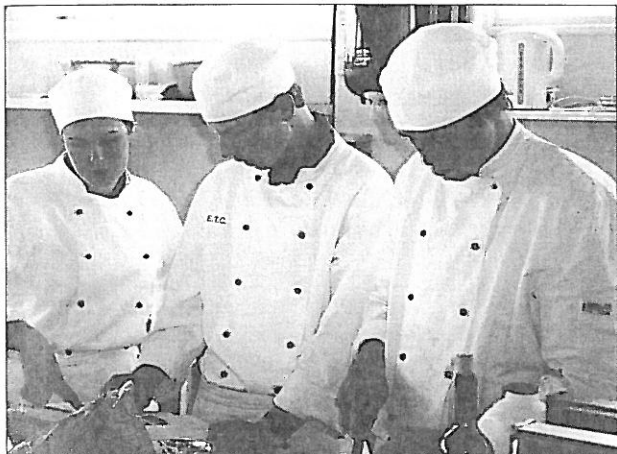
Met a lot of people and learned a heap of practical things needed to survive in life.

An outgoing experience.

It was cool.

Excellent!

We had a lot of funny, exciting times.



### 10R Social Studies Trip

On the 14<sup>th</sup> June, 10

R set out on their Land Management Sustainability Field trip on one of those pristine winter days that only occur in Taranaki! We headed for Mr and Mrs Thomson's farm on Croydon Road, where we saw examples of tree planting to prevent erosion, stands of pine and nut trees. Every puddle and trough was covered with a layer of ice, a sight one student from South Africa had not experienced before.

After lunch at the Inglewood Park we

then visited the farm of Mr and Mrs McIntyre on Everett Road. Here again we saw more examples of land man-



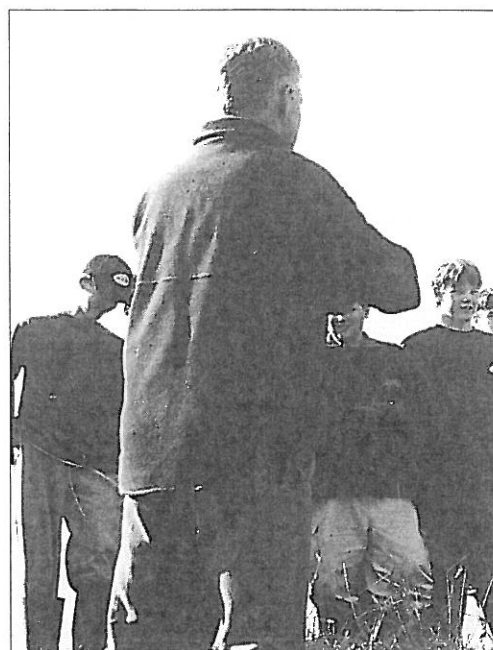
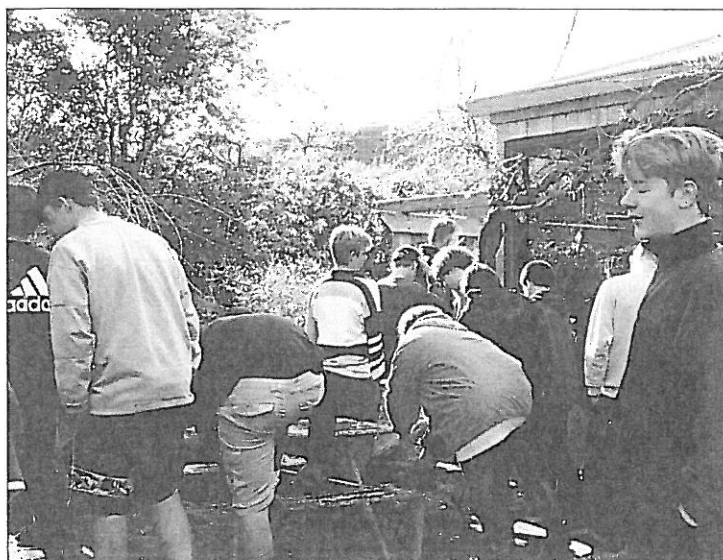




agement sustainability using trees. The field trip was planned by Mr Graeme Philips from the Taranaki Regional Council.

I appreciated the assistance of two parents – Mrs Marie Rawles and Mrs Lynley Quin.

Joan Coles  
SOS Teacher



## BUSINESS REPORT – 2000 Young Enterprise Companies 2000

This has been a very successful year for Young Enterprise Companies. At a Directors' Seminar the mayor of New Plymouth, Mrs Claire Stewart said, "It is bold to be enterprising". She admired the young entrepreneurs for getting involved in making hard decisions in the tough business world.

We registered eleven companies with the Enterprise New Zealand Trust, the highest number in Taranaki. As a result a large number of students were given an opportunity to take risks in the business environment. Students participated with great enthusiasm and enjoyed the experience. Twenty-four students entered for the Young Enterprise Examination and Leon Butler and Thomas Hills passed with distinction. Congratulations!

Again we extend our thanks and appreciation to Venture Taranaki, the mentors, parents, principal and staff who supported our Young Enterprise Companies.

P. Maistry  
Co-ordinator

### Hole-Ders Young Enterprise Company

It used to be very rare that students of sixteen or seventeen years could say that they had taken part in the running of their own business. However, thanks to the Young Enterprise Scheme run at Francis Douglas Memorial College numerous students are now able to make this claim. The Hole-Ders Young Enterprise Company was involved

in the production and sales of novelty rimu wine stands. We have had a very successful year, both within Taranaki and nationally, and above all have learnt skills that will



Hole-ders Young Enterprise Company  
Regional Champions 2000  
Best Selling Team  
Winner of Media Competition

Back Row. B. Willan  
Middle Row. J. Buttimore, B. Holdom, L. McGarvey,  
C. Bilodeau  
Front Row. S. Moselen, B. Rice, L. Butler,  
Mr. P. Maistry.



benefit us throughout our life. We began the year as a group of thirteen economics students with a vision, and have emerged as a team of astute businessmen.

As part of the Young Enterprise Scheme, we create our registered business, appoint directors and responsibilities and sell our own product or service. We, the students, have complete control over the decisions made within the company and our effectiveness in making these decisions is reflected in our success. Just like any 'real' business, Hole-ders has a mission statement, a vision and core values, which represent all the areas that members felt were important for the good of the company. We have set goals and targets, have achieved all of them and have been nationally acknowledged for this.

Hole-ders produce all our wine stands ourselves and this has proven to be a more strenuous task than initially thought. Numerous periods were spent sanding, drilling and oiling the many rimu stands. It was only through the hard work and commitment of the Hole-ders members that we were able to produce and sell three large batches of stock. Many nights, weekends and lunch times were spent in the FDMC woodwork room to complete the large numbers that were needed.

Once we had stock to sell we began a very strong marketing and advertising campaign. This was more successful than we had expected and throughout the year we were featured in the newspaper, radio advertisements, a number of radio interviews and also had a number of appearances on the local Taranaki television station. These were of course some of the most exciting things to see for Hole-ders.

Hole-ders has had many successes this year, both regionally and nationally. We were named 'Top YES Company 2000' for the Taranaki region. In addition we were awarded 'Best Selling Team' equal with another FDMC company and won the Taranaki Media Award.

Because of our achievements in Taranaki, we were nominated for the 'Todd Award for Regional Excellence' at the national awards presentation in Wellington. Mr Maistry, James Buttimore and myself attended this evening and did Hole-ders, Taranaki and Francis Douglas Memorial College proud.

In my own personal opinion, it is not the profit we have made nor the acknowledgement we have earned that made the Young Enterprise Scheme worthwhile. It is instead the experience and the enjoyment that each one of us has gained during the course of the year. The ability to plan and to set goals is not something simply for business, it is a skill that can be put to use in all areas of life. We have discovered a wealth of knowledge which will carry us far beyond the school curriculum and we have done it all while having fun. Throughout the year we have enjoyed making the decisions; we have enjoyed seeing our own handmade product on TV, in the market and in the hands of consumers. From the very beginning our goal to enjoy the YES programme was already achieved, it is nearly impossible to take part in something like the Young Enterprise Scheme and not enjoy it.

I would like to thank Mr Maistry for his huge contribution to our company. Without his support, guidance and bribes of Minties, we would have never achieved what we did. Also our mentor, Andrew from Dow AgroScience, whose inspiration, ideas and experience within the business world has been a valuable asset. I would of course like to thank the members of Hole-ders. Each student has become an active part of our company and has been a vital piece of a puzzle, which could not be completed without them. The dedication, teamwork and effort put in by every member is something that cannot be underestimated. Large amounts of personal time and socializing were sacrificed for labour and hardship to make Hole-ders what it is today.

Leon Butler

## YOUNG ENTERPRISE SCHEME

There were 9 successful Year 10 Young Enterprise businesses this year. They included Born to Ride Company, Bump-it Stickers Company, E-Z Reach Company, Lay-Z-Gal Garden Chairs Company, Marketing Services Company, Barmy Palms Company, Country Delights Company, SMAD Company and Mousepad Company. Unlike previous years each one was a "stand alone" company which was responsible for raising the necessary capital and allocating positions of responsibility.

Most businesses entered the major business competitions which included the Fair Day at Centre City, in which Barmy Palms scored top marks. At the Gala Evening presentation at the Plymouth Hotel Barmy Palms came second, E-Z Reach Company came 4<sup>th</sup> and Bump-it Stickers Company came 5<sup>th</sup>.

Britain's Cambridge University once again offered its special Business Exam and all 12 Year 10 boys who sat passed. Passes were achieved by Adam Thorburn, Richard Buttimore, Chris Webby, Scott Peacock, Paul Cunningham and Nicholas Carey.

Credit Passes were achieved by Patrick Bradford, Sam Barrett, Jason Potter, Daniel Cawley and Sean Zieltjes.

A Pass with Distinction was achieved by Thomas Hills.

It was a great year.

W. Kibby

Teacher/Mentor of the 9 companies.



## Barmy Palms Company

Success encompasses many different aspects. From finance to education, this year the Barmy Palms Company, a Year 10 YES business thrust itself into the marketplace selling its glorious variety of palm trees with the mind set of succeeding. With this mentality we reached all our objectives and indeed became a successful, well oiled money making machine.



### BUSINESS GROUP BARMY PALMS

Back Row. N. Hill, J. Potter, D. Graham, J. Hill  
Front Row. C. Webby, Mr. Wayne Kibby, O. Clark.  
Absent. S. Peacock, T. Hills

Teamwork was at the root of our success. From the word go we knew that this teamwork would hold us in good stead for our time in YES. After weeks of hard work the first big reward was when our Year 10 company demolished both the Year 10 and 12 competition at the Regional Trade Fair by winning 'Best Selling Business' and attaining the most marks overall.

The Regional Oral Presentation would also see us as one of the best, narrowly losing to NPBHS and taking 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

Meanwhile the business plodded along selling the trees and by this stage our net profit stood at \$1,100.00. That was higher than any other business in the competition, for a group of Year 10 with no previous experience, a colossal effort.

Our objectives were met. We made over \$1000.00, kept the customer happy at all times and perhaps the most important thing, everyone learnt from the experience.

We will be back in Year 12 to once again shatter the competition but next time we will win the supreme awards. With a year of economics and accounting and this year's

experience behind us we shall once again be successful.

As Managing Director, I would like to publicly thank Mr Wayne Kibby for the hours of work he so generously gave to our cause. I also appreciate the inspirational speeches he gave in class and no matter what we did he had the ability to make us feel like a success, always.

Scott Peacock  
Managing Director  
Barmy Palms Company

## Born to Ride Company

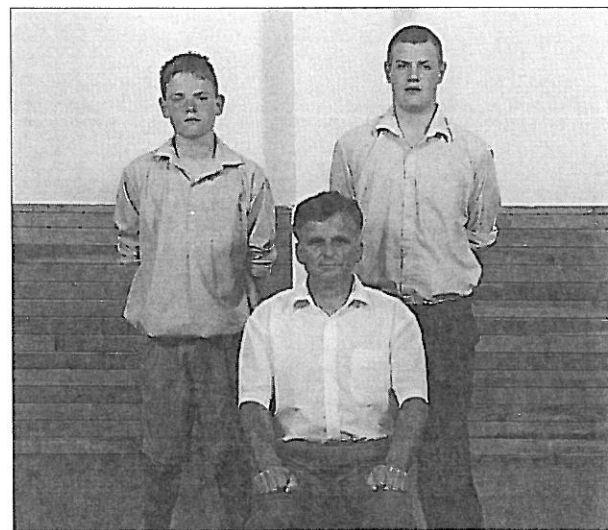
Our original plan was to cater for fairs and school gala days with our mini-motorised motor bike rides. However, there were significant problems posed by the stringent requirements of OSH and the financial outlay would have made the entire business uneconomic. Sadly we had to give up on the idea.

Organising a trail bike ride was the next logical step and fortunately this one was a winner. With the warmer weather we secured rights to Te Whera Forest about 30km east of Stratford and once the all important Public Liability Insurance had been organised it was all go. On 4<sup>th</sup> November the public came to our trail bike ride.

We had a great day and it was very satisfying to receive the favourable comments from our customers.

Our thanks go to our families and Mr Kibby our mentor for assisting us with our business.

Matthew Hill



### BORN TO RIDE COMPANY

Back Row. J. Burkett, M. Hill  
Front Row. Mr. Wayne Kibby.  
Absent. M. Bridger.



## Bump-it Stickers

Bump-it Stickers year was full on from the first swot analysis to the final meeting. Of course the first thing for our business to do was confirm our positions and product and

what a challenge this was. We started off the year as a company of five but with business the way it always is, by the end of the year we had cut down to three people with the other two venturing into new areas.



Back Row.  
J-P LeProu, Mr.  
Wayne Kibby  
Front Row.  
N. Carey.  
Absent. S. Barrett

By mutual agreement our product for the year chosen from around 40 was stickers. As soon as positions were finalised we concentrated on the hard task that lay ahead of us. Deciding on a manufacturer was also an obstacle but we were now starting to get on a roll.

The market day was a stunner, with the company earning some respect from the Venture Taranaki judges and a huge boost in custom. As always the competition was tough. We stood proud at the regional business presentations and we believe our work throughout the year was rewarded by a great effort at these presentations. We decided as a business to have a crack at the national awards just to top off the year.

We feel we did the College proud and we thank all those who helped us out in the business world.

Jean-Pierre Le Prou

## Lay-Z-Gal Garden Chairs Company

Our product was the traditional wooden garden chair made of manuka poles. They were sturdy chairs and people made favourable comments about how attractive they were in a garden setting under leafy trees or amongst flower gardens.

Our fliers were distributed far and wide. Our marketing programme had to grapple with the fact that most of us live in South Taranaki in the country. In time we became more aggressive in our marketing and we ended up satisfied with the results.

Geoff Hart



Back Row. A. Belton. Mr. Wayne Kibby, Z.  
Anderson  
Front Row. G. Hart, S. Zieltjes,  
L. Keegan

## E-Z Reach Company

The E-Z Reach Holder was a purpose designed holder for a TV remote and magazines which hung over the side of an armchair.

The Business designed the holder, sourced the materials and selected the manufacturer.



Back Row. M. Addison, C. Walsh  
Front Row. M. Smith, Mr. Wayne Kibby,  
M. Klenner.



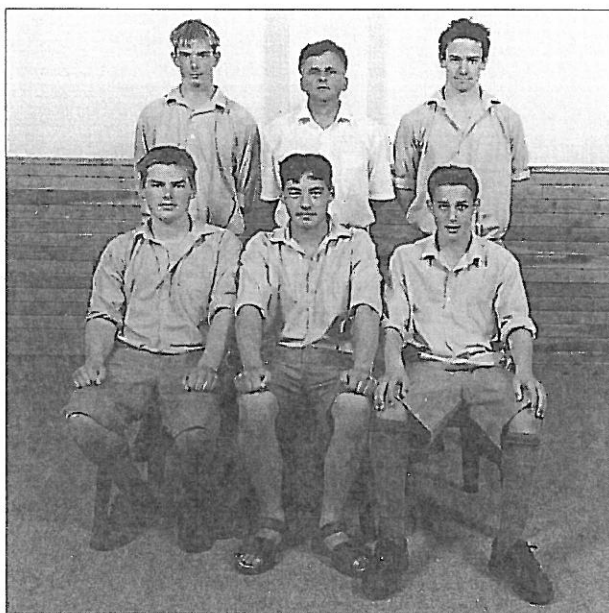


The E-Z Reach Company had a shaky start to the year. We were all in a different business, which failed and we had to start again. When our business started we were a term behind the others. We put in a lot of work to catch up and put a lot of hours in. But it all paid off in the end, with us making a lot of money and having an enjoyable time. We found door knocking achieved a reasonable amount of success and also proved to be a good personal approach to selling. We have thoroughly enjoyed the year.

Mark Klenner

## Marketing Services Company

At the start of this year a group of boys decided after considerable serious thought that they would market businesses through the College. This group was known as Marketing Services. The business we are promoting is "Blockbuster Video". Our marketing programme involved us advertising through the College notices, sending out a letter that invited people to join our scheme which asked the College community to sign up with Blockbuster Videos through the College.



## MARKETING SERVICES COMPANY

Back Row. J. George, Mr. Wayne Kibby, B. Hall

Front Row. D. Parke, G. Tai, R. Buttimore.

Absent. A, Thorburn, B. Pope.

For our age we produced satisfactory results. In a letter from Blockbuster the manager stated "Blockbuster Videos thanks Francis Douglas Memorial College's "Marketing Services" for their outstanding efforts. We at Blockbuster Video's have increased membership at the store quite considerably. Thanks Marketing Services".

Overall, this year has taught us many lessons, one being that marketing is a cut-throat world and you have to stay ahead to be able to do well.

Daniel Parke

## Country Delights

Our successful business has had an interesting year. After careful consideration, our product was decided upon. The name "Country Delights" evokes pictures of gentle old grannies sitting in an old rural cottage, knitting jumpers. However, our product is not woolen jumpers. We have over the year sold several bags of chicken and horse manure, at a net profit of \$260.00. The chicken manure we marketed as "Chickydoo" and the horse manure as "Horsey Poo". This is sourced fresh and locally, and delivered to the customer's home.



Back Row. A. Walsh, R. Smith, D. Bolstad,  
G. Carnachan, R. Fleming

Front. Row. Mr. Wayne Kibby, R. Barlow, P. Bradford,  
D. Cawley.

Absent. T. Prestney.

We did experience some communication problems when some people began to complain their manure hadn't arrived. After a while we improved our channels of communication. For most of the year though, there have been no major hiccups. We even managed to score 5<sup>th</sup> in the Taranaki Young Enterprise Scheme competitions. Our success this year is only because of 9 dedicated business members and the help of our mentors, Wayne Kibby and Vaughn Everest. Thanks guys.

Patrick Bradford

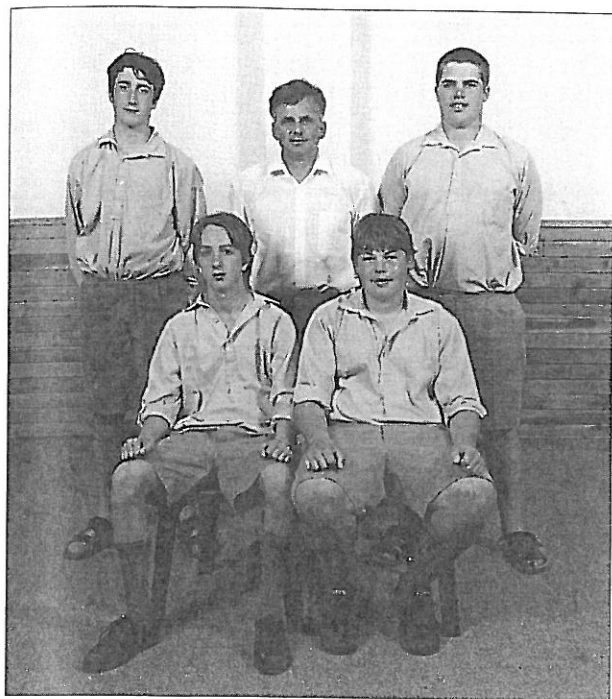
## Mouse Pad Company

Our Mouse Pad Company product involved superimposing photos onto blank mouse pads. This idea captured people's imaginations and there was considerable interest.

The firm we dealt with was most obliging in meeting the needs of our public. The images superimposed ranged from Mount Egmont/Taranaki to personal family photographs. We learnt a lot about effective communication and realised how important this is. Thank you to our parents and teacher, Mr Kibby, for helping us.

Blair Gregg





## SMAD COMPANY

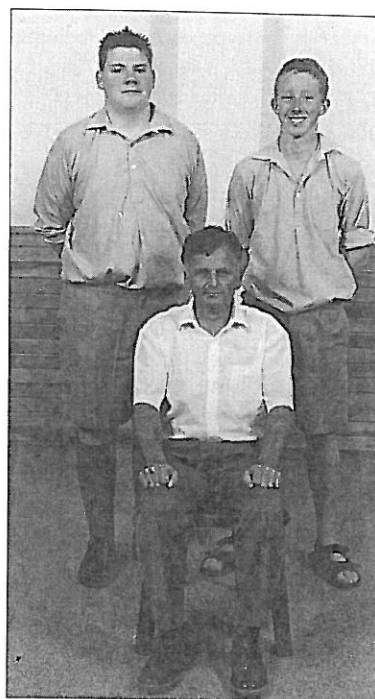
The name of our company, SMAD, came from the beginning letters of Sales Marketing and Distribution, and we were selling advertising flags.

We set up our stall on the new carpark in Devon Street, and although none sold, we learnt a lot about the business world through our experience.

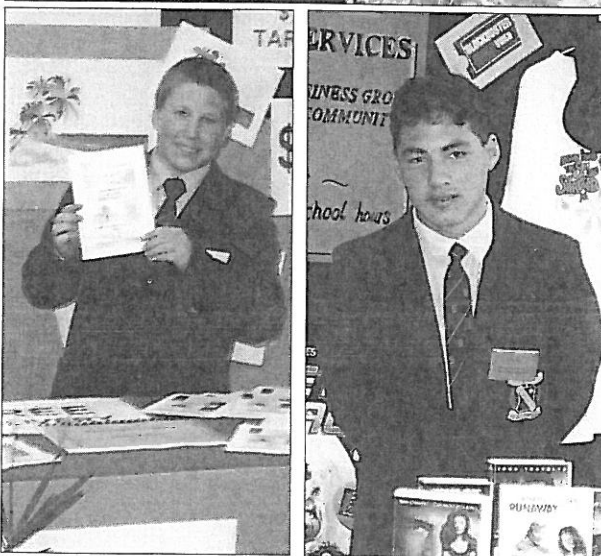
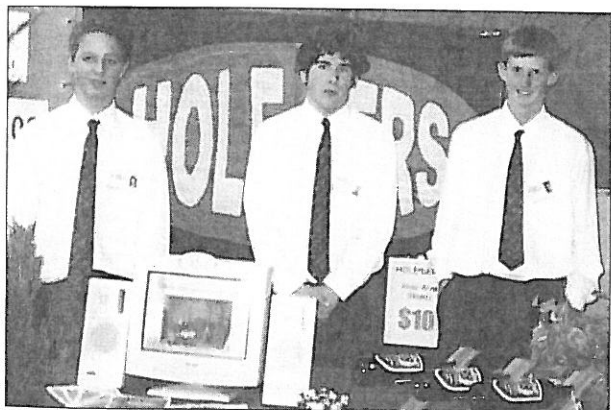
Back Row. K. Lawn, Mr. Wayne Kibby, S. Richardson  
Front Row. K. O'Keefe, B. Gregg(Manager)

Thank you to Venture Taranaki for the mentors and also to the parents and Mr Kibby for their support.

Jaiden Drought



Back Row. J. Drought, J. Coombes  
Front Row. Mr. Wayne Kibby.  
Absent. P. Cunningham.





## Library Report

The year was again a very busy one for the library. It has also been a year of change, both in terms of staff and facilities.

Mrs Gaffney decided at the end of term two to retire. She has been a mainstay of the library for many years and will be remembered by the boys for her willingness to go to extra lengths to help them with their research assignments and her great skills in debating.

Richard Marris, the TLR of Library, and I were joined by Ms Catherine Jordan in May. Catherine comes well qualified and currently also works at the Taranaki Polytechnic Library.

Ms Jordan and myself have been extremely busy re-deweying all the book stock, weeding, updating the vertical file, covering and cataloguing new books, repairing and recovering existing books, attending various outside professional development meetings, helping staff and pupils, attending to general library duties as well as organising the move of the stock from the old library.

In July we started boxing the books for the move to the new premises. It was a mammoth undertaking, often messy, dirty and frustratingly time consuming. Still we managed it and we wish to thank Mr Dan Keenan and boys for the times they helped move the heavy boxes and shelving from one location to another.

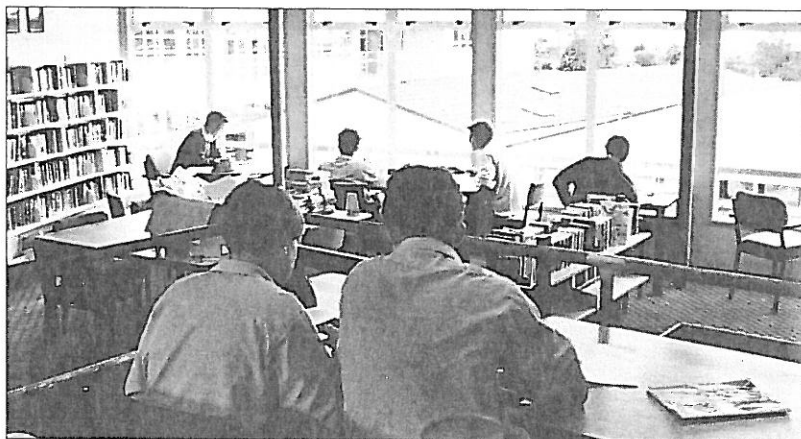
The new library is very popular, this is reflected in the number of classes using it every day for reading and library based research and the boys who frequent it during break times. With the installation of 22 computers in the library also proving to be a big draw card many students are now taking advantage of the Internet for researching school projects in their own time.

It is marvellous to be in new facilities. The books are finally shelved in the correct Dewey order and we have room to move. The general reading area with the large cushions is getting well used by all boys as a place to relax, sprawl out and have a casual read and on the odd occasion have a quick forty winks in the sun. Likewise the seminar room and individual tutor rooms are also well used everyday. A pleasing development is that more pupils are actually using the new library for study.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Margaret Wright, a past teacher of the College, for her volunteer work. Her willingness to spend her time and effort in the library is very much appreciated.

The nature of the traditional school library is changing to become more of an Information Centre and our library in now well geared to meet these challenges which focus more emphasis on research and the access to information.

We look forward to continue to meet the information needs of our students in 2001.



June saw the retirement of Tess Gaffney, friend and helper to countless students during her thirty years as librarian.

Mrs Gaffney found that every day at FDMC was a highlight. She took great delight in assisting students who were looking for material to use for debates and speeches and keenly followed their progress in school and provincial competitions. In fact the O'Shea Shield competition has probably lost its most ardent supporter.

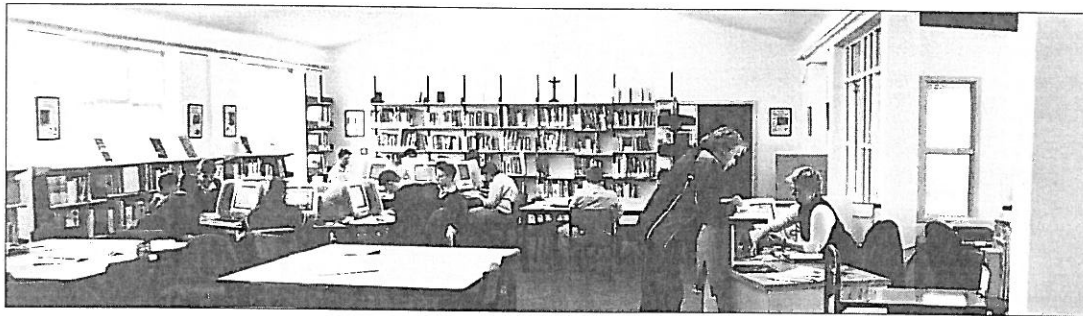
Her knowledge of the school history and past pupils can be seen in the archive records that she has kept. Not many will know that these started as a result of scrapbooks kept by Mark her son who died whilst a student at our school. Since her retirement she has been able to spend time sorting out the accumulation of cuttings she diligently kept of students achievements.

She thought that she would have spare time but for this busy lady that's not what has happened. An overseas trip to Canada, her ancestral home of Ireland and London enabled her to fulfil a lifetime's ambition to see the



Oberammergau Passion Play in Austria.

Now that excitement is over she is busier than she hoped but this "beach girl" is looking forward to summer, swimming, walks in the park enjoying her garden and reading. We wish her many years of being able to see more of her family and enjoyment of life.



### College Council Report 2000

In its second full year of operation this year was a year for the development and establishment of the College's Student Council.

The Student Council allows students to come together and discuss issues relating to the College and its student, as well as providing feedback to the staff, the Board of Trustees and the students on the New Plymouth's Youth Council. During the year 2000 it was also provided a place to discuss and organise fundraising. The organisation of Barnardos Collectors was a prime example of this.

The Student Council initiated the College's flag competition in 2000 and organised a mufti day in Term 4 to raise funds for the flag. This was the highlight of the year and a major achievement for the Student Council. The flag is symbolic of the hard work and efforts of the College leaders and year level representatives under the guidance of Mr Neeson.

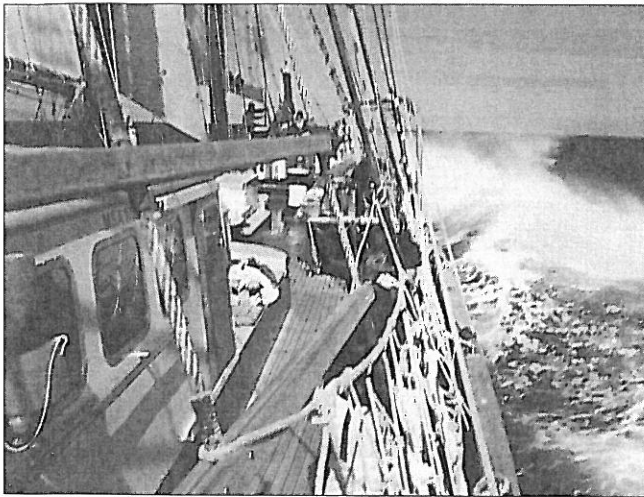
The year 2000 can be viewed as a successful one for the College's Council. One of our goals was to increase feedback to students and this was achieved as students of all year levels had their say due to frequent reporting by the Council's Representatives to their respective year levels.

This interaction realised the Council's profile throughout the College and helped to develop the Council even further as it defined its roles and responsibilities with the College.

Memories that I will take with me from these meetings are ones of discussions and listening. The junior boys enjoyed and appreciated having the senior College leaders listening to them and it showed the respect amongst students that exists at Francis Douglas Memorial College. Next years members will be more confident and experienced in council matters and this confidence will grow and will ensure the continued development of the College's Council. I have learned valuable lessons throughout the course of the year. It is due to the people around me whom I worked with who shared their ideas and knowledge, which ensured we all learned through interaction. I have enjoyed the position immensely and hope that this years members have enjoyed their time on the council. To future members remember to listen and share ideas with each other – it is the only way to learn and will lead to further success for the Student Council in the years to come.

Luke Mustchin



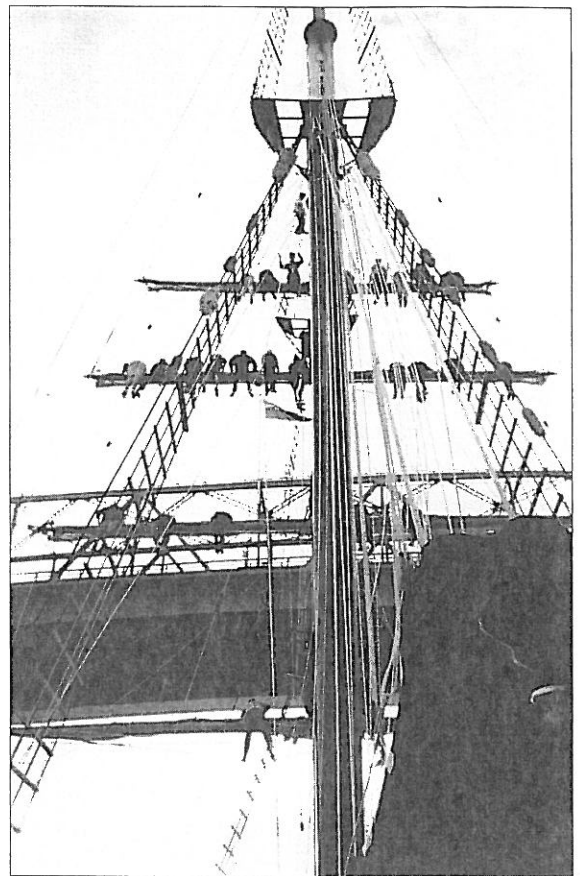


The Spirit of New Zealand Voyage 323 Mount Maunganui to Auckland. After six hours on the bus from new Plymouth to Mount Manganui I managed to force a smile as I met fifty strangers for the first time as I was shown my minute bunk and toilet facilities.

The next morning we were straight into what was to become the routine for the next ten days. Up at six, in the water at six thirty, then breakfast and then colours at eight when we would be told what we would be doing for the rest of the day. After colours the first morning everyone was shown the ropes and then we were off to sea, hopefully to arrive in Auckland within the next ten days.

The group I was assigned to, Starboard B consisted of myself, four other guys, five females and a watch leader who had never been sailing before which made the journey all the more interesting. The first few days of the trip we were motor sailing as there wasn't much wind. This suited everyone just fine as it gave us all the chance to get to know how to work each of the four sail stations. During the journey we made many stops. Among these were Hot water Beach, Mercury Island, Great Barrier Island and Waiheke Island. We experienced our most favourable sailing weather whilst visiting Great Barrier: two metre swells and forty knot winds meant we had the perfect chance to put into practice the sailing skills we'd learnt during the past few days.

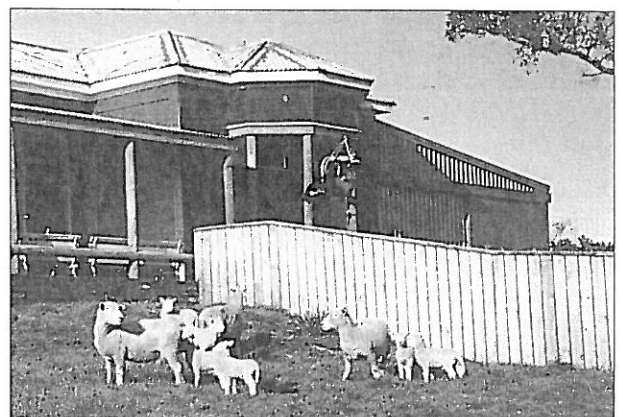
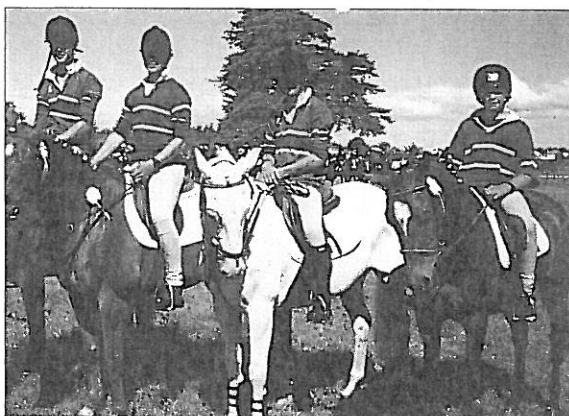
The most enjoyable day had to be after spending half a day conquering the swells and wind when we returned to port Fitzroy on the Barrier to be welcomed by a calm bay and scorching hot weather. The crew thought it was per-



fect weather for a water fight. After being told to assemble on deck in shorts and a shirt we were expecting the bombardment of water we received as we came up on deck.

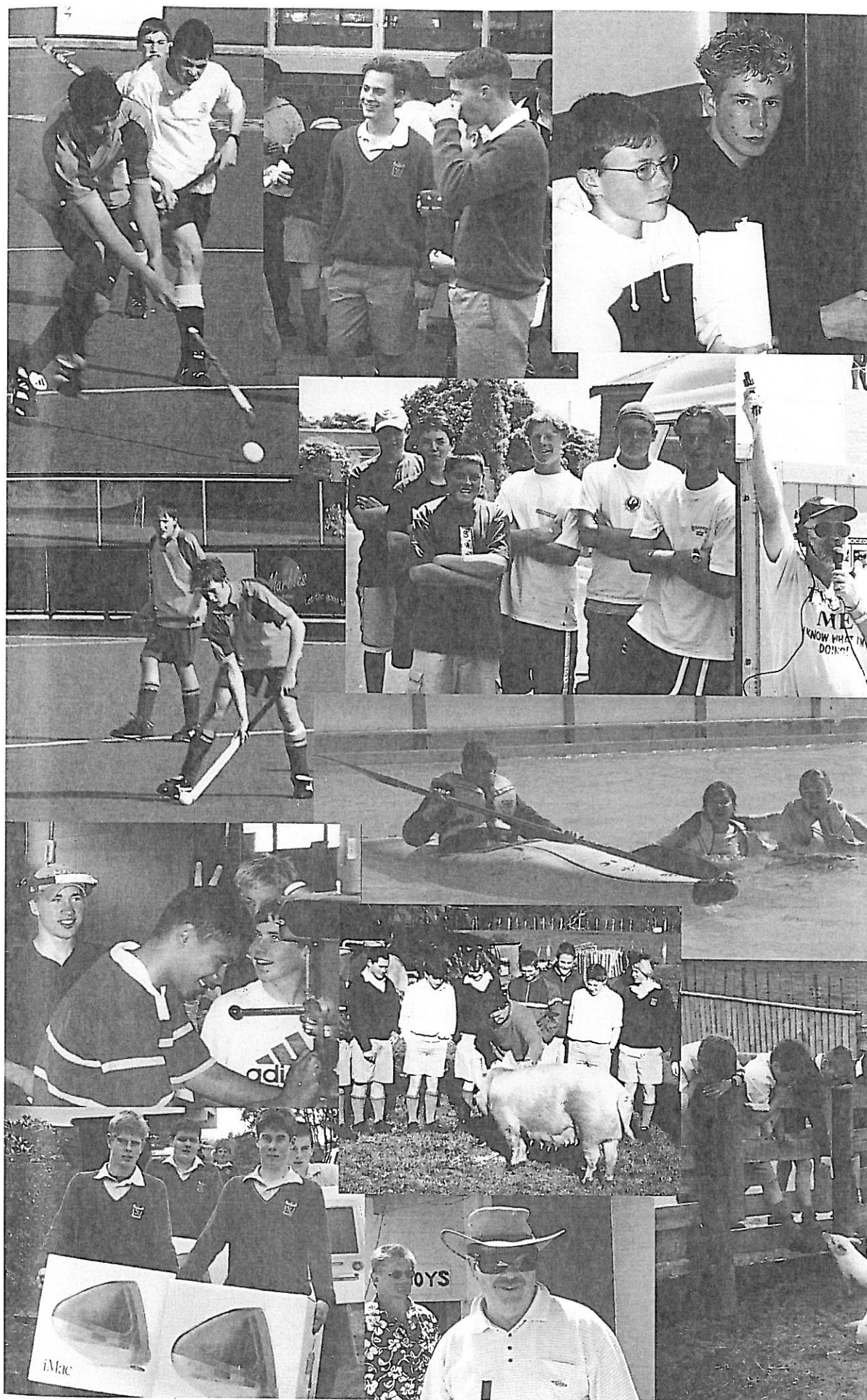
The last day on the Spirit was the one most looked forward to by all trainees who take the voyage, Trainee Day. This is when the trainees take control of the ship for a whole day. I had been elected as navigator along with one of my fellow Starboard B teammates. It was our responsibility to plot the safest course from Waiheke Island to A buoy in the Manakau Harbour and make sure that we arrived there by three pm. This was the most rewarding day for me as it was something I had been looking forward to and I enjoyed the responsibility of co-navigator. In hindsight I do not at all regret choosing to take the challenge of the Spirit. It was something I'll never forget and I recommend to all of you to take the time out to do.

Raymond Brown





# MISCELLANEOUS





## Mission Action Day

Oh my aching feet. The pain was numbing as I attempted to climb yet another hill. My thoughts raced as I tried to imagine doing this lengthy journey twice a day, five times a week, 245 days a year. Then my mind flashed back to the fact that I didn't have to, the fact that I was lucky enough to have a car to ride in, the fact that I had food, the fact that others didn't.

With aches creeping up everybody's legs, the gruelling 75 minute walk saw almost everybody enjoying the sausage sizzle at the end. Teachers along the side of the road handed out sweets to the majority of walkers.

This is completely MAD! To be exact, Mission Action Day. On the 20<sup>th</sup> October this year the over 700 students who go to Francis Douglas Memorial College walked 8 kilometres. This is the distance that children in Papua New Guinea walk, some even more, to arrive at school every day.

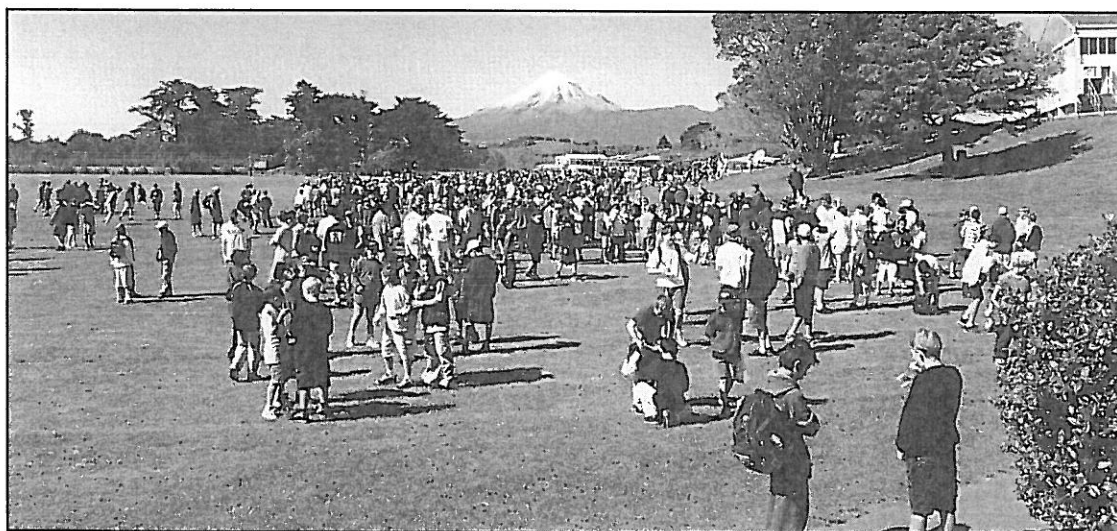
The event started off with a small Para-liturgy to celebrate Francis Douglas Day which is also on the same day. Then the whole student body gathered on the field. Hordes of people were sent off in their year groups, trudging up and over the starting hill to embark on the annual journey.

The hundreds of walkers travelled all over the area from down the back of the farm to the roads by Woolies. Teachers were stationed along the walk forking our lollies to hopeful students (some resorted to begging, including me!)

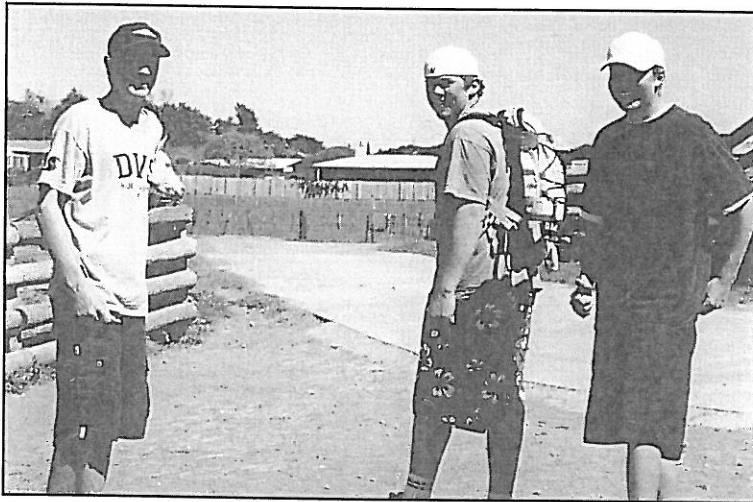
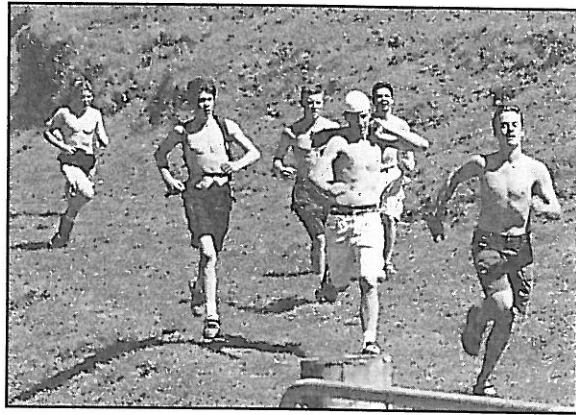
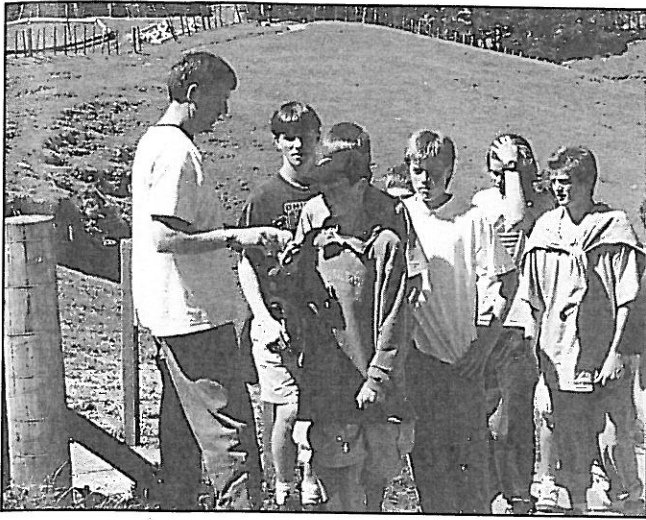
This world famous (at FDMC) fundraising event bagged \$14,000.00 to help the De La Salle schools in Papua New Guinea last year. Brother Peter is hoping to achieve at least that much for this years total.

Money is still coming in at the moment.

By Chris Wicky and James Putt







# MISSION ACTION





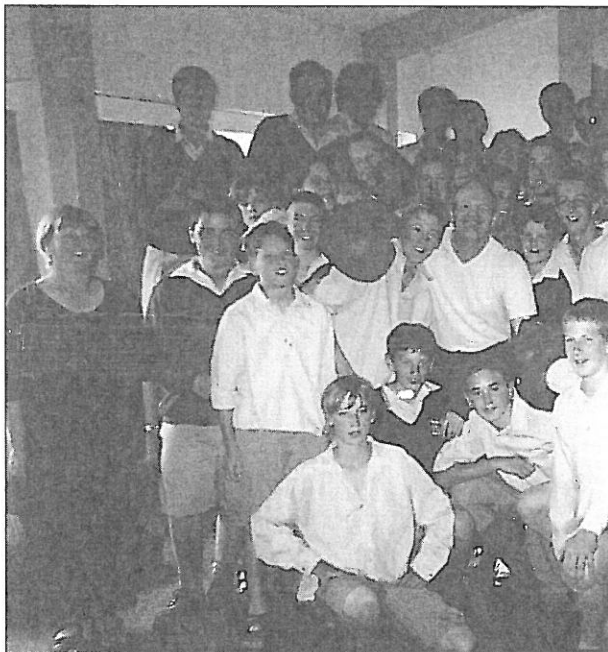


Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November will linger in the minds as the school day we were entertained, mesmerised, motivated and taught. This happened at school. Year 9 and 10 extra English classes read a book by Billy Graham of his life. Here was someone who despite being dyslexic has been the guest speaker at the American Million-Dollar Roundtable Conference.

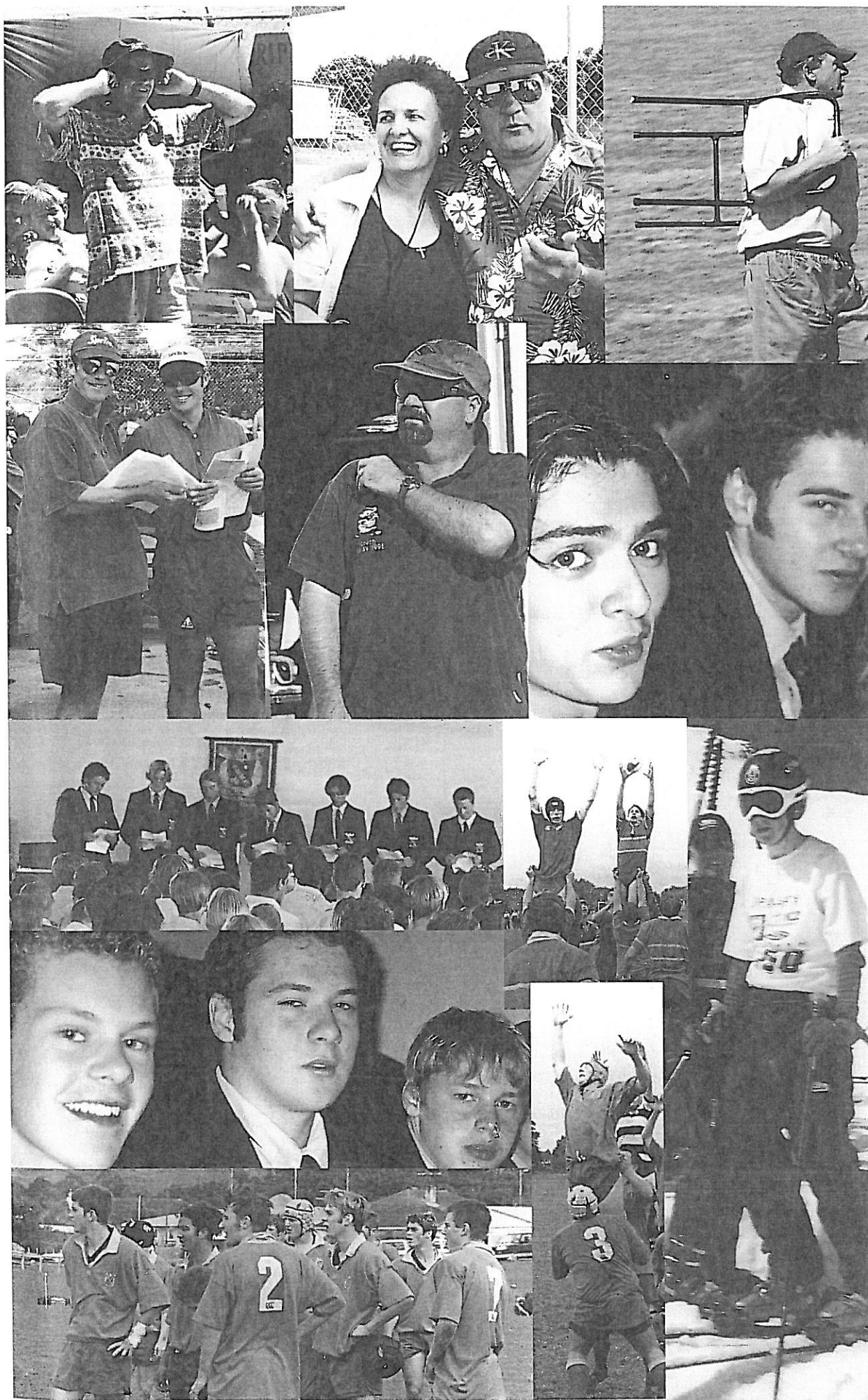
The students related so well to his story that they individually wrote to Billy. His reply was to generously donate his time to us for a whole day. Billy began with a full school assembly that kept 700 students totally enthralled for an hour and a half. The remainder of the day was spent with the extra students. The following are their comments that aptly sum up the impact Billy had on us all.

Daniel: "If you want it bad enough you can get it."  
 Joshua: "He was a magician."  
 Mark: "Never ever give up."  
 Samuel: "Keep on trying."  
 Kayne: "I feel like I can do anything now."  
 Paul Q: "It doesn't matter what sort of start you get in life; it's what you make of it."  
 Adam: "Always try hard at school."  
 Paul G: "It may take time but you can get there."  
 Zak: "I didn't want him to leave."  
 Mathew: "Make life fun."  
 Geoff: "Definitely fun. You don't have to be the best scholar to get somewhere in life."  
 Matthew: "Go for your goals and don't accept second best."  
 Michael: "WE is a good word."  
 Tony: "I learnt not to prejudge people."  
 Anthony: "Billy Graham is an inspiration to all kids."  
 Nathan: "If you're fit, you're fantastic."  
 Latu: "I learnt if you 'wanna' do something start it now."  
 Adam: "The hand is quicker than the eye."  
 Paul H: "Moan about nothing."  
 John: "Take everything as it comes."

Rick: "Just don't stop punching."  
 Tony: "Don't try to take short cuts to your goal-take the long road"  
 Blair: "If you can play an instrument it doesn't matter how badly; it's still better than someone who can't play at all."  
 Kane: "Your body doesn't have a memory-exercise every day."  
 Kim: "Billy you made the day the best day ever at school"  
 Chris M: "I learnt that even if you aren't good at school you can still motivate other people"  
 Chris R: "Billy said keep going and never give up"  
 Nicholas C: "I can do anything as long as I put my mind as long as I put my mind to it."  
 Scott P: "I learnt that the word WE is a lovely word and 'how can I help' is an important sentence."  
 Michael D: "One thing I learnt was if I want to do something then start right away."  
 Seb: "The day was great. I learnt to start things and not stop."  
 Jayden: "The tricks were great"  
 Charles: "Together, WE can do anything!"  
 Scott F: "We had a great day and learnt a lot."  
 Ben: "Nobody wanted to leave Billy at the end of the day."  
 Jarden: "I feel you can do anything you want even if you do not have the qualifications."  
 Daniel: "I went home and was happy and he boosted my confidence."  
 Nicholas: "I laughed at Billy."  
 Jonathan: "We learnt lots on the day he came and we all really enjoyed it."  
 Liam: "I learnt that no one can stop me from achieving my goals."  
 Fraser: "One of the things I learnt was that no one can stop you from doing what you want."



# MISCELLANEOUS





# JUNIOR PRIZEGIVING 1999



Year 7	Kelly Barclay	First in Class	Health and Fitness	English
Year 7	Patrick Biggs	First in Class	Music	English/Social Studies
Year 7	Joseph Bradley	First in Class	Religious Education	Music
Year 7	Nicholas Chamberlain	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 7	Chris Conaglen	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 7	Alekana Feaunati	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 7	Mitchell Galvin	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 7	Caleb Gordon	First in Class	Science	
Year 7	Hamish Gordon	First in Class	Mathematics [Level 2]	
Year 7	Joshua Hill	First in Class	Health and Fitness	Religious Education
Year 7	Timothy Leuenberger	First in Class	Keyboard Skills	
Year 7	Ben Siffleet	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 7	Andrew Vernon	First in Class	Mathematics [Level 3]	
Year 7	Matthew Warner	First in Class	Health and Fitness	Mathematics [Level 1]
			Religious Education	Science
			English	Music
Year 8	Joshua Bollen	First in Class	Mathematics [Level 2]	
Year 8	Daniel Burkett	First in Class	English	Mathematics [Level 1]
			Science	Religious Education
			Social Studies	
Year 8	Jeremy Clark	First in Class	English	
Year 8	Phillip Donaldson	First in Class	Music	
Year 8	Nathan Gleeson	First in Class	Mathematics [Level 3]	
Year 8	Jordan Hall	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 8	Mathew Hickey	First in Class	Science	
Year 8	Ben Ingram	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 8	Jonathan McCormack	First in Class	Science	
Year 8	Keith Preston	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 8	Christopher Siversen	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 8	James Slaats	First in Class	Music	
Year 8	Kurt Sole	First in Class	Religious Education	
Year 8	Shane Taepa	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 8	Chris Wicky	First in Class	Religious Education	English
Year 9	Jamie Ashley	First in Class	English [Level 6]	
Year 9	Cory Avison	First in Class	Science	Graphics
Year 9	Samuel Barrett	First in Class	English [Level 2]	Media Studies
Year 9	Alex Brien	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 9	Nicholas Carey	First in Class	Social Studies	Music
Year 9	Nathan Cleaver	First in Class	Physical Education	Mathematics
Year 9	Jared Coombes	First in Class	Spanish	
Year 9	Graeme Crean	First in Class	Religious Education	
Year 9	Paul Cunningham	First in Class	Physical Education	English [Level 3]
Year 9	Samuel Forrest	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 9	Daniel Graham	First in Class	Art	
Year 9	Felix Hartmann	First in Class	Spanish	Art
Year 9	Luke Herlihy	First in Class	Religious Education	English [Level 1]
Year 9	Ryan Hill	First in Class	Science	Agriculture
			Graphics	
Year 9	Thomas Hills	First in Class	Science	Agriculture
			Maori	Social Studies
			Music	Religious Education
Year 9	Lindsay Keegan	First in Class	English [Level 5]	
Year 9	Mark Klenner	First in Class	Music	
Year 9	Jean-Pierre Le Prou	First in Class	Science	Physical Education
Year 9	Craig Mason	First in Class	English [Level 4]	
Year 9	Daniel Parke	First in Class	Japanese	
Year 9	Scott Peacock	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 9	Martin Phillips	First in Class	Religious Education	
Year 9	Brendan Pope	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 9	Robert Rawles	First in Class	Agriculture	Music
			Social Studies	Mathematics
			Religious Education	Science





Year 9	Nathan Richardson	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 9	Gareth Tai	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 9	Cameron Walsh	First in Class	Music	
Year 9	Cameron Whelan	First in Class	Agriculture	
Year 10	Martin Barrett	First in Class	English [Level 5]	
Year 10	Andrew Beale	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 10	Sam Beardman	First in Class	Science	Religious Education
Year 10	Kasey Beckett	First in Class	English [Level 3]	
Year 10	Miles Benton	First in Class	Science	Japanese
Year 10	Pim Bolyn	First in Class	Religious Education	
Year 10	Sean Brennan	First in Class	Graphics	Social Studies
			Mathematics	
Year 10	Simon Crossan	First in Class	Science	
Year 10	Brendon D'Ath	First in Class	Design Technology	
Year 10	Blaise Drinkwater	First in Class	Social Studies	Mathematics
			Spanish	
Year 10	Thomas Dunlop	First in Class	Science	
Year 10	Trent Foley	First in Class	Agriculture	
Year 10	Jason Forrest	First in Class	Mathematics	Religious Education
Year 10	Martyn Henderson	First in Class	Physical Education	
Year 10	Jackson Herbert	First in Class	Design Technology	
Year 10	Toby Jackson	First in Class	English [Level 6]	
Year 10	Caley McCracken	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 10	Justin McCracken	First in Class	Mathematics	
Year 10	Paul McDonald	First in Class	Mathematics	Graphics
			Science	
Year 10	Jonathon Milne	First in Class	English [Level 1]	Religious Education
Year 10	Arjun Nath	First in Class	Music	English [Level 2]
Year 10	Nicholas Rowland	First in Class	English [Level 4]	
Year 10	Toby Shanley	First in Class	Physical Education	Science
Year 10	Simran Singh	First in Class	Social Studies	
Year 10	Danniel Smith	First in Class	Design Technology	
Year 10	James Stringer	First in Class	Physical Education	Social Studies
			Design Technology	
Year 10	Joshua Waaka	First in Class	Maori	
Year 10	Ben Whittington	First in Class	Design Technology	

## SPECIAL AWARDS

Year 9	First in Subject	Martin Phillips	English
Year 9	First in Subject	Nathan Cleaver	Mathematics
Year 9	First in Subject	Corey Avison	Science
Year 9	First in Subject	Thomas Hills	Social Studies
Year 10	First in Subject	Jonathon Milne	English
Year 10	First in Subject	Blaise Drinkwater	Mathematics
Year 10	First in Subject	Sam Beardman	Science
Year 10	First in Subject	Pim Bolyn	Social Studies
Year 10	Daniel Brown	Literary Excellence	
Year 10	Hans Kalders	Sportsmanship	
Year 10	Jonathon Milne	Culture and Speech	
Year 10	Lee Foster	Tama Tu, Tama Ora Award	
Year 10	Karl Austin	Musicianship	
Year 10	Jonathon Milne	Leadership	



## SCHOLARSHIPS

Richard Crowe	Biology Mathematics with Calculus Mathematics with Statistics
Scott Ireland	Mathematics with Statistics
Tom Mace	Mathematics with Calculus
David Sheerin	Chemistry Physics

## A BURSARIES

Richard Crowe  
Scott Ireland  
Shaun Johnson  
Matthew Kuriger  
Thomas Mace  
Scott McGregor  
Simon Mullan  
Nicholas Orchard  
David Sheerin  
Marcus Sheerin  
Conrad Smith  
Daniel Stark  
Grant Wackrow

## B BURSARIES

Bryan Dobson  
David Gollan  
Oliver Kirk  
Phillip Shaw  
Patrick Southee  
Dean Stroud  
Ruka Te Moana  
John Whittington

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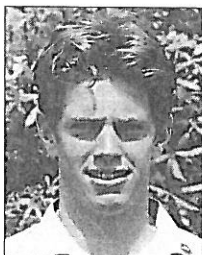
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Geoffrey Bourke	Chemistry	Maths	Physics
Andrew Butterworth	Geography		
Mark D'Ath	Graphics		
Luke Mustchin	English	Geography	
Daniel Parr	Maths	Chemistry	
Daniel Webby	Maths		
Mark White-Robinson	Chemistry	Maths	Physics

### Grade 2

Robert Angell	Chemistry	Physics	
Geoffrey Bourke	English		
Andrew Butterworth	Biology	English	
Mark D'Ath	Chemistry	Maths	
Christian Holswich	Chemistry		
Luke Mustchin	Chemistry		
Peter Sherman	Biology		
Matthew Thorburn	Biology	Geography	
Mark White-Robinson	English		

Students  
Achieving Three  
Grade 1's



Geoffrey Bourke



Mark White-Robinson

## SCHOOL CERTIFICATE A PASSES

Chris Bilodeau  
Euan Brouwers  
Dunamis Brown  
Raymond Brown  
Leon Butler  
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Russell Clarke  
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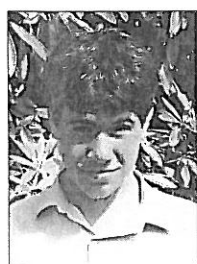
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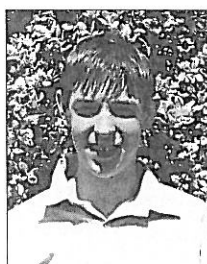
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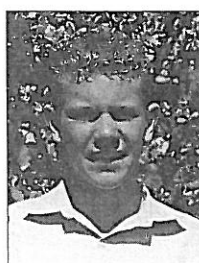
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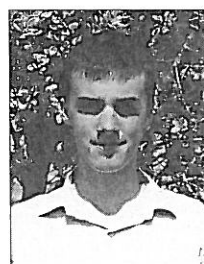
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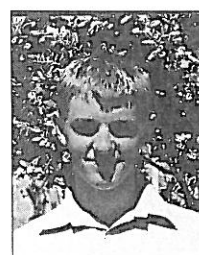
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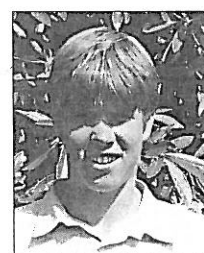
Stephen Dobson



Jacob Ladd



Kieran Orchard



Hayden Volzke



David Waite

### SCHOOL CERTIFICATE ACHIEVERS OF THREE OR MORE 'A' PASSES

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## FIRST IN SUBJECT AWARDS

Year 11	Campbell Begg	First in Subject	Physical Education Studies	
Year 11	Miles Benton	First in Subject	Japanese	English
Year 11	Kieran Callaghan	First in Subject	Music	
Year 11	Steven Cartwright	First in Subject	Maori	
Year 11	Blaise Drinkwater	First in Subject	Accounting	Economics
			Mathematics	History
Year 11	Yeshan Ekanayake	First in Subject	Science	
Year 11	Trent Foley	First in Subject	Agriculture	
Year 11	Jonathon Milne	First in Subject	Geography	
Year 11	Paul McDonald	First in Subject	Graphics	Design Technology
Year 11	Gary Preston	First in Subject	Applied Science	
Year 12	Christopher Bilodeau	First in Subject	Physics	
Year 12	Euan Brouwers	First in Subject	Chemistry	
		First = in Subject	Graphics	
Year 12	Leon Butler	First in Subject	Economics	English
Year 12	James Buttimore	First in Subject	Computer Studies	
Year 12	Graeme Charteris	First = in Subject	Mathematics	
		First in Subject	Accounting	
Year 12	Stephen Dobson	First in Subject	History	
Year 12	Joseph Gardner	First in Subject	Music	
Year 12	Tane Morgan	First = in Subject	Graphics	
Year 12	Nicholas O'Dea	First in Subject	Geography	
Year 12	Kieran Orchard	First = in Subject	Mathematics	
Year 12	Ben Schumacher	First in Subject	Physical Education Studies	
Year 12	Scott Siffleet	First in Subject	Design Technology	
Year 12	David Waite	First in Subject	Biology	
Year 13	Geoffrey Bourke	First in Subject	Economics	
Year 13	Andrew Butterworth	First in Subject	Biology	
Year 13	Mark D'Ath	First in Subject	Graphics	
Year 13	Luke Mustchin	First in Subject	History	English
			Mathematics with Statistics	Geography
Year 13	Daniel Parr	First in Subject	Mathematics with Calculus	
Year 13	Justen Smith	First in Subject	Physical Education Studies	
Year 13	Mark White-Robinson	First in Subject	Chemistry	Physics

## ATTAINMENT AND DILIGENCE AWARDS

Year 11	Martin Barrett	Diligence	English	
Year 11	Andrew Beale	Diligence	Science	
Year 11	Sam Beardman	Attainment	Science	
		Diligence	Economics	
Year 11	Kasey Beckett	Attainment	Geography	
		Diligence	Mathematics	Art
Year 11	Miles Benton	Attainment	English	Geography
			Japanese	Science
		Diligence	Mathematics	
Year 11	Joel Bernet	Attainment	Certificate Physical Education Studies	
Year 11	Matthew Bolton	Attainment	Japanese	
		Diligence	Science	
Year 11	Bas Bolyn	Attainment	English	Certificate P E Studies
			Geography	
Year 11	Pim Bolyn	Attainment	English	History
		Diligence	Economics	Geography
Year 11	Kieran Bourke	Attainment	Agriculture	
		Diligence	Design Technology	

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Year 11	Sean Brennan	Attainment	Science		
		Diligence	Economics	Design Technology	
Year 11	Daniel Brown	Attainment	English	History	Spanish
Year 11	Scott Buchanan	Diligence	Certificate Mathematics		
Year 11	Kieran Callaghan	Attainment	Horticulture	Music	
Year 11	Carl Carmichael	Attainment	Agriculture		
Year 11	Steven Cartwright	Attainment	Maori		
		Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 11	Kerryn Connolly	Attainment	Art		
Year 11	Simon Crossan	Attainment	Science		
		Diligence	Mathematics	Accounting	
Year 11	Mitchell Davies	Diligence	Design Technology		
Year 11	Darren Dettling	Diligence	Accounting		
Year 11	Nicolas Dey	Attainment	Science		
		Diligence	Mathematics	Accounting	
Year 11	Blaise Drinkwater	Attainment	English	Science	History
Year 11	Yeshan Ekanayake	Attainment	English	Mathematics	History
			Spanish	Science	
		Diligence	Geography		
Year 11	Brendan Feaver	Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 11	Trent Foley	Attainment	Geography		
Year 11	Lee Foster	Attainment	Certificate Physical Education Studies		
		Diligence	Maori		
Year 11	Nitaan Glenworth	Attainment	Certificate Physical Education Studies		
Year 11	Deshan Gunatunga	Diligence	English	Geography	
Year 11	Daniel Gut	Attainment	Certificate Agriculture		
		Diligence	Certificate English	Applied Science	
			Horticulture	Agriculture	
Year 11	Reece Hannam	Attainment	Science		
Year 11	Jackson Herbert	Diligence	Certificate English	Music	
			Design Technology		
Year 11	Dion Howells	Diligence	Horticulture		
Year 11	Hamish Irving	Attainment	English		
		Diligence	Economics		
Year 11	Daniel Jackson	Diligence	Mathematics	Science	
Year 11	Michael Johnson	Attainment	Art	Graphics	
		Diligence	Science		
Year 11	Samuel Julian	Attainment	Applied Science		
		Diligence	Mathematics	Certificate Agriculture	
Year 11	Michael Kiser	Attainment	Graphics		
		Diligence	Design Technology		
Year 11	Ivan Leafberg	Diligence	Design Technology		
Year 11	Robert Lee	Attainment	Science	Graphics	
Year 11	Daniel Little	Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 11	Scott Logan	Diligence	Design Technology		
Year 11	Phillip Luond	Diligence	Certificate Agriculture	Applied Science	
Year 11	Justin McCracken	Diligence	Certificate English		
Year 11	Paul McDonald	Attainment	Mathematics	Art	
Year 11	Aaron McGregor-Bates	Diligence	Applied Science		
Year 11	Barry McLernon	Attainment	Geography		
Year 11	Adam Meek	Attainment	Science	Japanese	
		Diligence	English		
Year 11	Shane Miller	Diligence	Design Technology	Graphics	
Year 11	Jonathon Milne	Attainment	English	Geography	Spanish
		Diligence	Mathematics	History	
Year 11	Arjun Nath	Attainment	English	Mathematics	Japanese
		Diligence	Science		
Year 11	Nicholas O'Sullivan	Attainment	English		
Year 11	James Prestney	Attainment	Science		
		Diligence	Mathematics	Graphics	
Year 11	Gary Preston	Diligence	Certificate English	Certificate Mathematics	
			Design Technology		



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Year 11	Nicholas Rowland	Attainment	Mathematics	Science	
		Diligence	English		
Year 11	Samuel Schumacher	Diligence	English		
Year 11	Toby Shanley	Attainment	Geography	History	
		Diligence	Science		
Year 11	Simran Singh	Attainment	English	Science	
		Diligence	Mathematics	Accounting	Geography
Year 11	Samuel Sloan	Diligence	English	Mathematics	
Year 11	James Stringer	Attainment	Graphics		
		Diligence	English	Design Technology	
Year 11	Zahn Thompson	Attainment	English		
		Diligence	Geography		
Year 11	Ben Whittington	Diligence	English		
Year 12	Reece Ball	Attainment	Hospitality		
Year 12	Christopher Bilodeau	Attainment	Chemistry		
Year 12	Patrick Bray	Diligence	Biology		
Year 12	Mark Bridger	Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 12	Euan Brouwers	Attainment	Mathematics	Physics	English
Year 12	Raymond Brown	Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 12	Leon Butler	Attainment	Biology		
		Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 12	Daniel Butler	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
Year 12	James Buttimore	Diligence	Accounting	Economics	Mathematics
Year 12	Benet Carroll	Attainment	Physical Education Studies	English	
		Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 12	Graeme Charteris	Attainment	Physics	English	Chemistry
		Diligence	Mathematics		
Year 12	Russell Clarke	Attainment	Chemistry	Physics	
		Diligence	Mathematics	Accounting	
Year 12	Matthew Cleaver	Diligence	Chemistry		
Year 12	Stephen Dobson	Attainment	Physics	English	History
Year 12	Christopher Fife	Diligence	Geography		
Year 12	Adam Franks	Diligence	Economics		
Year 12	Paul Gadsby	Diligence	Geography		
Year 12	Simon Huesser	Attainment	Graphics		
Year 12	Mark Hughes	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
Year 12	Joshua Hullah	Diligence	Chemistry		
Year 12	Jonathan Jordan	Diligence	Japanese		
Year 12	Rodney Keegan	Attainment	Design Technology		
Year 12	Jacob Ladd	Attainment	Chemistry		
		Diligence	Mathematics	Accounting	
Year 12	Zane Lockett	Attainment	Music		
Year 12	Gregory Ludi	Attainment	Biology		
Year 12	Liam McGarvey	Attainment	History		
		Diligence	Accounting		
Year 12	Kyle Merewether	Diligence	Computer Studies	Biology	
Year 12	Tane Morgan	Attainment	Art	Geography	
Year 12	Scott Moselen	Attainment	Biology		
		Diligence	Economics		
Year 12	Nicholas O'Dea	Attainment	Physics	Geography	
		Diligence	English		
Year 12	Kieran Orchard	Attainment	Chemistry	Physics	
		Diligence	English	Geography	
Year 12	Zair Parkes	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
Year 12	Clinton Parkes	Attainment	Geography		
Year 12	Caide Patten	Diligence	Biology		
Year 12	Bodan Peoples	Diligence	S.C. Design Technology		
Year 12	Troy Peters	Diligence	S.C. Science		
Year 12	Richard Pfister	Attainment	History		
		Diligence	Music		
Year 12	Benjamin Rice	Diligence	Computer Studies	Economics	Graphics

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Year 12	Thomas Schumacher	Attainment	Japanese		
		Diligence	Geography		
Year 12	Scott Siffleet	Attainment	Design Technology		
		Diligence	Computer Studies		
Year 12	Courtney Smith	Attainment	Design Technology		
Year 12	Louis Swannell	Attainment	Hospitality		
Year 12	James Tamarapa	Attainment	Physics		
Year 12	Gregory Taylor	Diligence	Chemistry	Graphics	
Year 12	Brad Wackrow	Attainment	English	Biology	
Year 12	David Waite	Attainment	English	Physics	
Year 13	Robert Angell	Attainment	Mathematics with Calculus		
		Diligence	English	Chemistry	
Year 13	Geoffrey Bourke	Attainment	Mathematics with Statistics		English
			Mathematics with Calculus		Physics
Year 13	Andrew Butterworth	Attainment	Geography		
		Diligence	Economics		
Year 13	Charles Carroll	Attainment	History		
Year 13	Brendan Clark	Diligence	English	History	Economics
Year 13	Caleb Dent	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
		Diligence	Economics		
Year 13	Nicholas Donaldson	Attainment	Geography		
		Diligence	English		
Year 13	Chris Hamblyn	Diligence	Biology		
Year 13	Kelvin Hong	Diligence	Graphics	Mathematics with Calculus	
Year 13	Mark Hussey	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
		Diligence	Mathematics with Statistics		
Year 13	Christopher Jordan	Diligence	Biology		
Year 13	Shanan Jupp	Diligence	Biology	Graphics	Computer St
Year 13	Jacob Leicester	Diligence	Tourism		
Year 13	Jacques Le Prou	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		Geography
		Diligence	Biology		
Year 13	Michael Melody	Attainment	Physical Education Studies		
		Diligence	Economics		English
Year 13	Luke Mustchin	Attainment	History		Geography
		Diligence	Chemistry		
Year 13	Christopher Parke	Diligence	S.F.C. Biology		
Year 13	Daniel Parr	Attainment	Chemistry	Physics	
		Diligence	Mathematics with Statistics		
Year 13	Peter Sherman	Attainment	English	Biology	
		Diligence	Chemistry		
Year 13	Justen Smith	Attainment	Art	Geography	
Year 13	Matthew Thorburn	Attainment	Geography	Biology	
Year 13	Daniel Webby	Attainment	Mathematics with Statistics		
			Mathematics with Calculus		Physics
Year 13	Mark White-Robinson	Attainment	Mathematics with Statistics		English
Year 13	Christopher Wratislav	Attainment	Geography	Physics	



# PRIZEGIVING 2000



Kane Paltridge Memorial Trophy  
Outstanding 1st XV Player  
Brendon Hart  
Soccer - Player of the Year.  
Christopher Jordan  
Moore Cup for Senior Tennis Singles Champion  
Patrick Stevenson  
Joseph Riordan Trophy for Best Basketballer  
Stephen Dobson  
The Quintas Challenge Cup for  
Senior Swimming Champion  
Kent Fraser  
Michael Melody  
LF Walsh Challenge Cup Athletics  
Senior Champion  
Simon Gillum  
Brother Tim Trophy for Senior  
Cross Country Champion  
Stephen Dobson  
Cricket - Most Valuable Player in the 1<sup>st</sup> XI.  
Brent Hayward  
David Taylor Memorial Trophy for  
Outstanding Contribution to College Sport  
Brendon Hart  
Kevin Brophy Trophy for Excellence in Sport  
Kent Fraser



Brendon Hart receiving the award for  
Outstanding Contribution to College Sport



Mr George (Sports Co-ordinator) presents  
Kent Fraser with the trophy for Excellence  
in Sport

Alexander Trust Award for Agriculture  
Daniel Gut  
Daily News Award for Literary Excellence  
Jonathon Milne  
Academic Excellence Medal  
Blaise Drinkwater  
Senior English Award  
Luke Mustchin  
Kelly Endowment for Science  
Mark White-Robinson  
Principal's Award for Mathematics  
Daniel Parr  
Butterworth Cup for Culture  
Andrew Butterworth  
Kirk Trophy for Technology  
Mark D'Ath  
Smith Family Social Sciences Award  
Luke Mustchin  
Gaines Award for the Study of Law.  
Mark White-Robinson  
The Margaret Wright Music Award  
Joseph Gardner  
Leo Walsh Award for Business Studies  
Geoffrey Bourke  
Drinkwater - Smith Award for Drama  
Brendan Clark  
Christian Holswich  
Michael Finnigan Award for Service to the College  
Luke Mustchin  
Margaret Fleming Trophy to Boarders Vice Captain  
Jacques Le Prou  
Br Anthony Hawkins Memorial Trophy to  
Boarders Captain  
Andrew Butterworth  
College Vice-Captain  
Luke Mustchin  
Butler Family Trophy for College Captain  
Geoffrey Bourke  
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Mark White-Robinson  
Dux - 2000  
Luke Mustchin



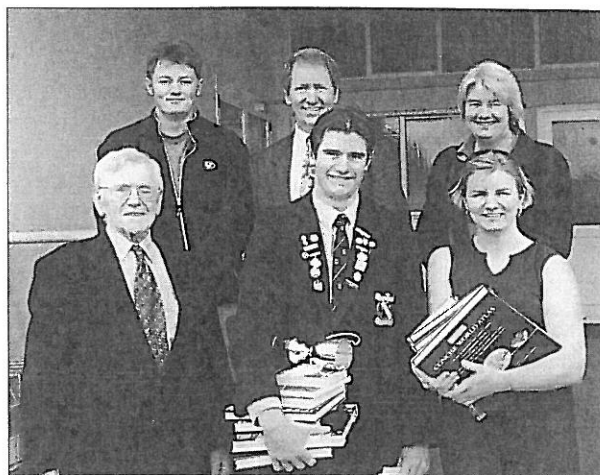
Blaise Drinkwater receiving his Academic Medal  
from Mr Paul Butterworth  
(Deputy-Chairman of the Board of Trustees)



# PRIZEGIVING 2000



Year 13 House Leaders making a presentation of a display case to the College on behalf of Year 13



The Mustchin family with Luke Mustchin Dux 2000



The Official Party  
Geoffrey Bourke (School Captain), Luke Mustchin (Vice Captain), Father Tom Lawn, Bishop Richardson, Mr Paul Butterworth (Deputy Chairman BOT) Br Bill Firman (Principal)



Mr John Whyte (Deputy-Principal) MC's Prizegiving

## VERTICAL FORM AWARDS

Benildus 1	Hayden Cronick	Loreto 1	Matthew White
	Nicholas Donaldson		Mark White-Robinson
Benildus 2	Daniel Webby	Loreto 2	Christopher Wratislav
	Hayden Nganeko		Pim Bolyn
Benildus 3	Geoffrey Bourke	Loreto 3	Scott Siffleet
Benildus 4	Christopher Jordan	Loreto 4	Michael Melody
	Matthew Thorburn	Loreto 5	Brent Hayward
Benildus 5	James Matuku	Loreto 6	Andrew Butterworth
Benildus 6	Simon Gillum	Loreto 7	Mark Hussey
	Samuel Mullin		
	Justen Smith	Solomon 1	William Barnes
Benildus 7	Daniel Parr	Solomon 2	Brendan Clark
	Christian Holswich		Chris Hamblyn
		Solomon 3	Brendon Hart
La Salle 1	Aidan Lee		Patrick Stevenson
La Salle 2	Mark D'Ath		Timothy Lawn
La Salle 3	Shanan Jupp	Solomon 4	Robert Angell
	Jaxon Kirby		Christopher Parke
La Salle 4	Paul Bushell	Solomon 5	Jacques Le Prou
	Marcus Hancock		Kent Fraser
La Salle 5	Luke Mustchin	Solomon 6	Dylan Hall
La Salle 6	Caleb Dent		Tim Carrington
	Ardy Straathof	Solomon 7	Bradley Keegan
La Salle 7	Patrick Bray		
	Jacob Ladd		





## PROXIME ACCESSIT

Proxime Accessit for 2000 is Mark White-Robinson. Mark has been at FDMC since Form 1, having done his primary schooling at St John Bosco.

In year 13 Mark has studied English, Mathematics with Statistics, Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics with Calculus. These five subjects he is sitting for Bursary and has just sat Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics with Statistics for Scholarship.

At Prize Giving Mark was awarded first place in Physics and Chemistry, and he was the recipient of the Gaines award for Law and the Kelly Endowment for Science. He was also awarded Attainment certificates in Mathematics with Statistics and English.

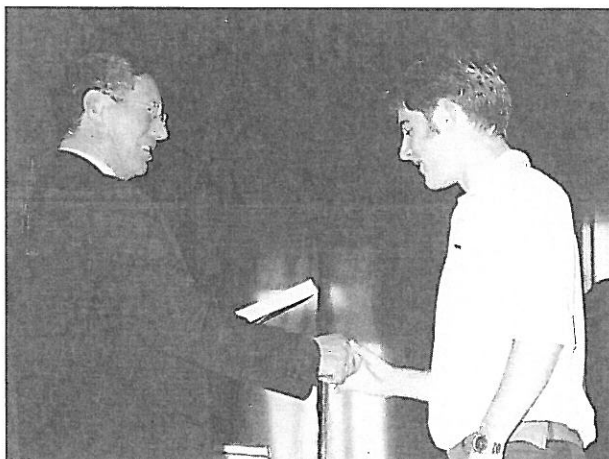
In 2001 Mark hopes to be at Victoria University in Wellington studying Law and Arts, and majoring in Philosophy and Psychology. He hopes that a career as a lawyer focussing on criminal law will follow.

Mark was a frequent debater in his younger years. He won the school speech contest in Form 2 and was a finalist in both Forms 1 and 7. In 2000 he performed the O'Shea Shield Oratory. He has also performed in the drama at the Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival and been involved with Rockquest.

One of the important things for Mark has been the atmosphere of being together with friends whom he has grown up with from primary school days.

Going to Japan in 1998 was a highlight for Mark. After studying the language for three years it was great to experience the culture, and this has certainly given him the desire to travel more in the future.

On ending his years at FDMC Mark says he is elated to be finished but also sad in some ways. "It's been a good school", he said when reflecting on his seven years here.



## DUX

This year's dux is Luke Mustchin. Luke began at FDMC in Form One and this year he has studied for Bursary Mathematics with Statistics, Geography, History, English and Chemistry. As well, he has just sat scholarship papers in English and geography.

At Prize Giving Luke was awarded first place in English, Geography, History and mathematics with Statistics. He was also awarded a special prize for services to the College. He was the recipient of Attainment certificates in Geography and History and Diligence in Chemistry.

In 2001 Luke intends to be in Auckland studying Law and combining that with an International Business Commerce degree. He hopes that in the future this will lead him into the corporate management area.

While at school Luke has been involved in playing both basketball and rugby. He has also represented the school on more than one occasion in ten pin bowling. Since Form 2 he has been a debater, a participant in the Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival for five years and in the O'Shea Shield in 1999 and 2000. In Forms 1, 3 and 5 he was in the Music Festival and more recently he has been a debating coach and senior speech finalist. In 2000 he has chaired the School Council. In 2000, he has been school vice-captain, a role which he has carried out with great skill and efficiency.

Luke has especially enjoyed the relationship between students and teachers at FDMC. The teachers he says are friendly and not condescending so that both learn together. Looking back, he says that he has achieved everything he set out to do and has no regrets.

The highlights of his years at FDMC include being school vice-captain which he says allowed him to be someone other than Mr Mustchin's son at school. He has enjoyed the contact with other school leaders in Taranaki that has resulted from his leadership role. Trips to Australia this year and to Japan in 1998 have also been special highlights.



## A bleak Future

Reach into the future, tell me what do your feel?  
 For I feel the frustration that lives inside  
 those of whom life had denied.  
 With mists of pollution and a sun in pain,  
 with our thoughtless waste and deadly rain.  
 Their lives will be spent in abstinence,  
 as like fools, we have overlooked our ignorance.

Look into the future, tell me what do you see?  
 For I see the confusion that lives inside  
 the young hearts of those who must oblige,  
 to hopeless dreams and tainted seas,  
 to the darkening moon and missing trees.  
 When every blink could be our last,  
 don't you we would learn from our past?

Hayden Cronick  
 Year 13

## An Encounter With An Old Lady

As I turned the corner I noticed her. White, mousy hair covered her head and I was convinced that she must have spent hours making sure that it was perfect. On her small, wrinkled nose sat antiquated gold-rimmed glasses, obviously one of her most prized possessions. They hid her endearing, pleasant eyes, perhaps the only part of her body not showing her age. I observed her pullover, hand-knitted of course, which led my eyes to fix on her handbag, out-dated yet not necessarily unfashionable, clutched tightly under her right arm. She was neither fat nor skinny and she appeared to be in good health. Dark, thick stockings wrapped her legs, from her ankles to her knees, her knees being where her hem-line reached. At a glance, this old lady's appearance was dated yet impeccable.

As I strolled past her all my senses leapt out and I couldn't deny using them. I smelt her enriching, old-fashioned perfume, which had been administered with care and precision. The sound she made when asked to move over was barely audible. She remained placid and seemingly untroubled. Although I couldn't touch her, I imagined her skin to be like porcelain, soft and smooth. I wondered if all her senses were functioning. She seemed to be quite happily sucking on what looked like a boiled sweet until a car braked suddenly, noisily, 150 metres further down the road causing her to react in a somewhat frightened manner. The severe sound emitted was distinctive, one often heard at the onset of a car accident. It made me wonder if perhaps she had experienced such an accident. With the aid of her spectacles, her eyesight seemed satisfactory and her response to the gentleman sitting next to her who has emitting a strong body odour, confirmed that she was indeed capable of exercising her sense of smell. The manner with which she clenched her bag and occasionally adjusted her pullover made it apparent that her sense of touch still prevailed.

This old lady, one of many who had been on my path as I walked through town that day had indeed touched me. I had watched her curiously and I was somewhat reluctant to continue thinking about her, but I did. I wondered what sort of life she may be living. Was she a widow? Or maybe still happily married with a large family and lots of loving grand children? Was her spare time spent at the Bowling Green? What sort of past had she endured? Was she content or sad? All these questions ran through my mind and although the answers to these still elude me, I feel that she, the elderly lady I observed in the busy street, to whom I was close for a matter of seconds, was indeed happy and living a life she enjoyed. I believe this because as I turned my head to glance at her for one last time, this porcelain-like old lady noticed me and smiled ... a most beautiful, contented smile.

Sam Barrett Year 10 Winner of Junior Literary Award







## Battleground

My front lawn is a battleground. In the winter it plays host to those epic backyard rugby matches between my younger brother and me. And in the summer it is transformed from gladiator sport to the more peaceful game of cricket.

In the winter time the water drenched field witnesses those classic backyard rugby games. As the weekend approaches the battle lines are drawn as we prepare for war. These games continue long into the night. Occasionally violent scuffles erupt, with the end result usually being a black eye or a bleeding lip. However, this does not deter us and the game resumes as if nothing has happened. The winner of these games is the player with the most strength, tenacity and stamina.

Summer time the weather is fine and the game of cricket is about to engulf my brother and me. The power, the pride, the passion, all of these thought whizzing through my head as I prepare for battle. We battle for the coveted title of the best cricketer. Shots are executed with precision and elegance. Deliveries are bowled with poise and grace, as if it were poetry in motion. Fielding is as sharp and as quick witted as a sheepdog. Sometimes these games are marred if one of us erupts into a violent burst of sledging, but this aside the game still continues through the long hot day.

Whether it be rugby or cricket my front lawn is home to some epic battles.

Thomas Walsh Year 9

### Corsage

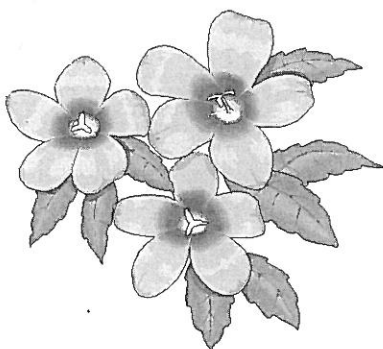
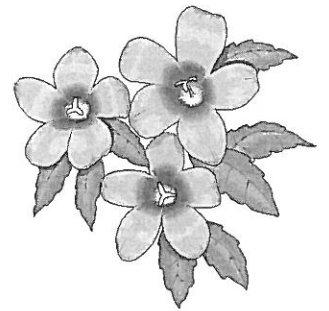
I bought a corsage for her wrist  
A delicate cream orchid  
With loops of fine gold ribbon,  
Chosen with care  
To complement my waistcoat.

Wrapped in cellophance  
And fridge stored for preservation.  
Waiting; carefully placed behind  
The fruit apricot brie,  
Beyond the harm or hungry hands.

Now enjoying its time on the boastful breast.  
When the music stopped  
And cold transit air  
Gave sharp reminder  
Of mortality.

Disregard, followed by neglect.  
It had served its purpose.  
Its short life complete.  
The flower was wilted and crushed –  
Forgotten in the promise of night.

Benet Carroll  
Year 12



## Glory in War

Father and son battles, the last word describes the intensity. The real confirmation of either persons talent, lies in these games. Not a game though where fair play awards are given, for fair play is generally avoided. Love plays no part.

Swing and a miss. A common occurrence once. Smart jeers and deliberately offensive remarks about stance or stature. I lose, time and time again. However, I won't back down, no matter how many times I hear that demoralising "ting" of rubber ball on steel wickets. One day I know the tables will turn, and one day he will bow down to me, victor and the king of backyard cricket.

The wind blew fiercely as if it knew about the drama soon to unfold. My body, wired in anticipation, heard a car door slam purposefully. It had begun. My old adversary had returned from his comparatively sedentary day job. Knowingly, we nod.

The Newberry Excalibur, a fitting bat for such a war, is flipped in a traditional manner. I win, a sign perhaps from a source as immortal as I felt. I clutch the handle and feel shocks of exhilaration harness my small body. Now scared and timid I graft my way to a meagre yet defendable ten runs. He grabs the bat and smiles a smug smile of power.

I notice his stiff stance and must capitalise on this weakness. Ten runs I figured may be enough on a concrete pitch that was doing a bit. Taking my bowling mark I practised some yoga I had seen on consecutive infomercials earlier. Sprinting in I felt a soft boost from the wind, I had God on my side. A perfect release. A hint of swing and movement off the non-existent seam, just enough pace to possibly beat the bat ... with one relaxed blow he catapults the ball straight back at me.

The ball strikes me on the forehead and I fall to the ground, mildly concussed. My mind is racing. The knock that in times past would have found me heading for the house and "my mum" now has seen me draw on a new strength. Dad is crouching lovingly over me, and I immediately return to my feet.

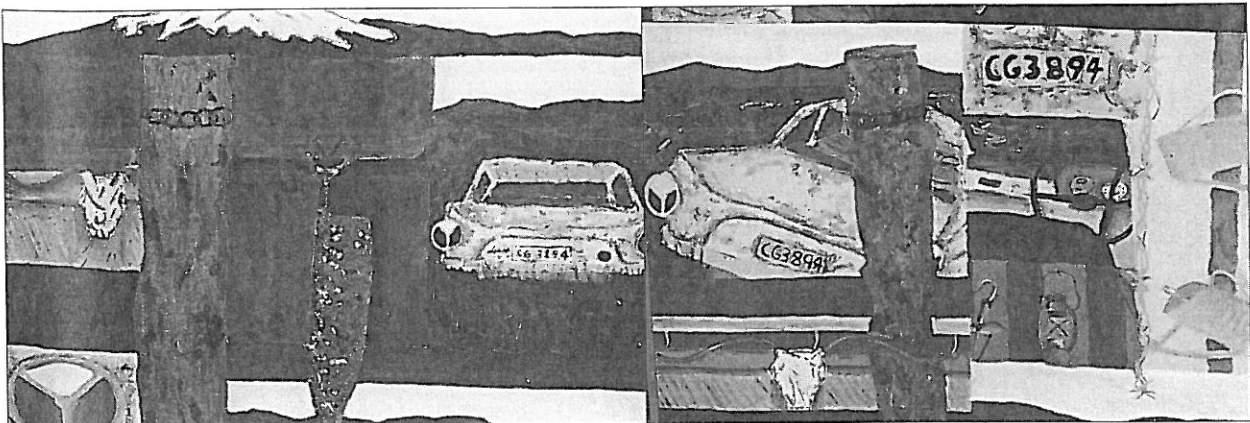
Age has wearied him and the power of youth is coursing through my blood.

These days as my opponent grows balder, older and shrinks by the day, I am always victorious. However, the same do or die attitude remains but now I am doing the "doing" and he is doing the "dying".

Jonathon Milne

Year 11

Winner: Senior Literary Contest





## It Was The Best Day ...

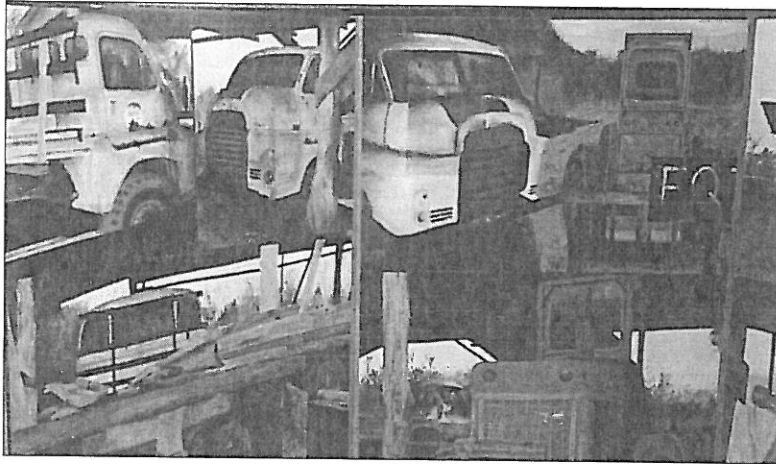
It's a blistering cold day in Edinburgh, Scotland. My father, brother and I are in a huge cold castle. The castle is amazing: there are cannons and guards with guns.

Inside it's all warm. The carpet looks really expensive. It's red with yellow. The next room is the most expensive. There is a sign saying no photos or video cameras. In this room there are Scotland's crown jewels, they are marvellous. A gold sword, a staff and crown with this hunk of junk rock - so I thought. It is the stone on which a person kneels to present the crown jewels to the new king. The book store in the castle was great: it sold family history in the form of a scroll. I bought one. It told me that my last name had changed through the decades. It was spelt as it sounded Gray, Grey, Greye, Gryn. My great ancestors were Vikings.

Next to the castle is a whisky factory where they brew whisky and give you a ride plus a free drink £5.00 a ride which works out to about \$15.00 a ride. Whisky was brewed in barrels that had been used to brew other alcohol to give the whisky more flavour. After the ride we walked to the bar and received our free drinks then had a look in the gift shop which had a £39000.00 bottle of whisky which in New Zealand dollars is \$120,000.00 or in other words a lot of money.

When we drove home in our red convertible we had a marvellous dinner in the restaurant in the hotel that we were staying in. A huge scrumptious hunk of steak and a 400 mil glass bottle of coke. What a day!

Cameron Grey Year 7



## Smoked Salmon

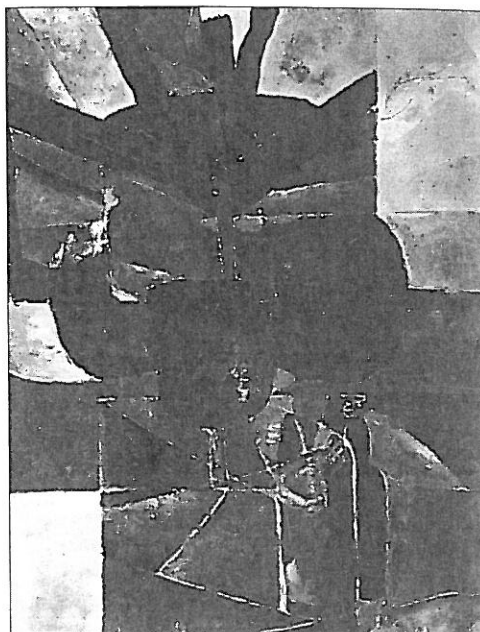
Soft, Slimy, Expensive  
Orange Pink Flesh,  
Good In A Sandwich  
Exquisite With Cheese  
Rich In Flavour  
Comes In A Pack With Silver Lining  
Layer On Layer  
When It's Alive  
It's A Big Silver Fish  
Dad And I Can Finish A Pack In Half A Hour

Alexander Nicholas  
Year 7





POPPA



A proud man stands below me, bracing his neck with his worn, tortured old hands. As I attempt to repair his leaking roof he looks up at me with a certain discomfort. No longer is he able to get onto the roof. Two rungs of the ladder is his current limit, and it hurts, but Poppa is too proud to show the pain.

Poppa's rolling lawns, the mowing of which were once a weekly ritual. No more. How hard it must have been for him to ask me to take over this weekly task. On occasions I still catch him having a go. Like a teenager pulling out his old GI Joe collection Poppa pulls out his lawnmower.

Nana tells me he was a perfectionist and I don't doubt her for a second. He still likes to observe me mowing his lawns, never hesitating to point out any missed spots. These days the perfection is gone and I sense that he finds it hard to accept that things aren't as easy for him as they used to be. Age can be a cruel handicap, slowly gripping its victims and choking them. My Poppa is an absolute workhorse. He never ceases to amaze me. He battles through sometimes intense pain and suffering just to fiddle with old TVs in his shed. Repairing televisions was his former job and remains a beloved hobby. He displays great skill and knowledge, all be it a little bit slow when repairing these old treasures.

I noticed recently while helping Poppa pot around in his shed just how much effort everything takes from this once strong man. A formerly simple unscrewing of a screw has been transformed, with age, into an exhausting task. But he refuses to let me help him in his attempt to undo the screw. His pride tells him to pull out another one of his many screwdrivers and have a second attempt. After working reasonably closely with Poppa over the last couple of years, I have come to realise that in a situation like this it is best to leave him to battle with the screw. My respect for him tells me not to risk denting his pride, but to support him in keeping it.

Renowned for his incredible vegetable garden Poppa still takes pride in its fruits. However, age has now forced him to ask for my assistance in some areas. I felt like a lonely intruder when entering his garden to dig the potatoes up for the first time. Of course I was not alone, Poppa was right over my shoulder, guiding me every step of the way, trying to hide his frustration every time I speared a potato with his well oiled pitchfork, "Ohh Bugger!"

When I look at Poppa I can picture him in his glory days, getting great satisfaction out of repairing his TVs, taking pride in his perfectionist like work. It is for that reason that I feel like such a thief. All his life my Poppa has worked hard to obtain what he has got. But each time I mow those lawns or repair his roof I feel as if I am stealing away just a little bit more of his hard earned pride and honour.

Hayden Volzke  
Year 13



I had just finished mowing her lawns and was on my way inside for the traditional over-sweetened Thriftee drink. I go there about every fortnight during the summer to renew her old, dull lawns and she loves me coming too. The grass grows frighteningly fast at Nana's house for some mysterious reason.

After taking off my grass-stuffed shoes, I wander inside. Nana's sitting silently at her beloved lounge table knitting away, and seems to get a fright as I intrude into her home. Her days are slowing down now that she is eighty-one, and her mind is too.

She reminds me of an old wise sparrow perched there, fluttering away with her knitting sticks in her carefully arranged nest. 'Click, click, click' I'd hear constantly above my slurping. She'd pause for a moment and look upon me with her sad hidden eyes and ask me the same question every time I go there.

"How's school Andrew ... I mean Matthew?"

And I would answer her slowly and clearly so I wouldn't have to repeat it. Although I become impatient at times, I love my Nana. She loves me.

Ever since I was born, I've only known my Nana as the tired old bird she is today. As her worn-out Irish chair wraps its long tanned arms around Nana's fragile body, I start to wonder what Nana was like when she was a lively young bird. I've seen millions of photos of Nana when she was young and in love with Poppa. She was pretty.

But ever since Poppa died I think her life has taken a sudden fall. Photos of he now make her look wan and depressed, as if her once brightly lit candle has been tipped over and lost forever.

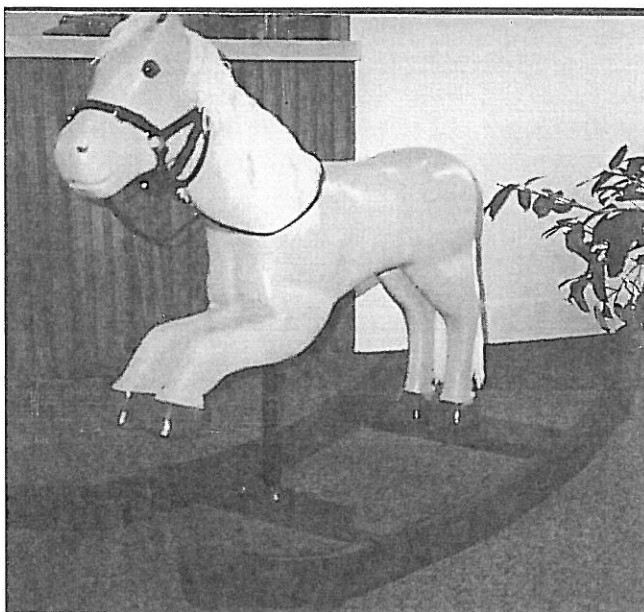
But even from the little time I've spent with my Nana, and the too much time I've spent with my own mother, I can see identical characteristics between the girls. Mum is often caught out rolling her fingernails exactly like Nana does, and the way she is ignorant towards the simplest ideas, also like Nana.

In a way, I don't need to ponder about Nana's younger life, for Nana is Mum, only in an older woman's body.

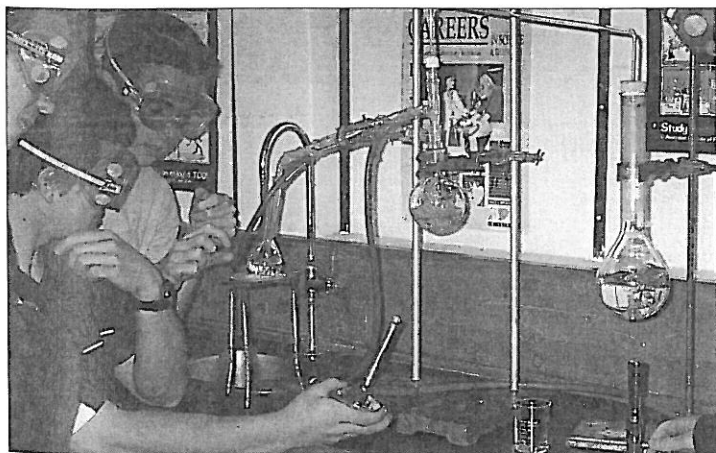
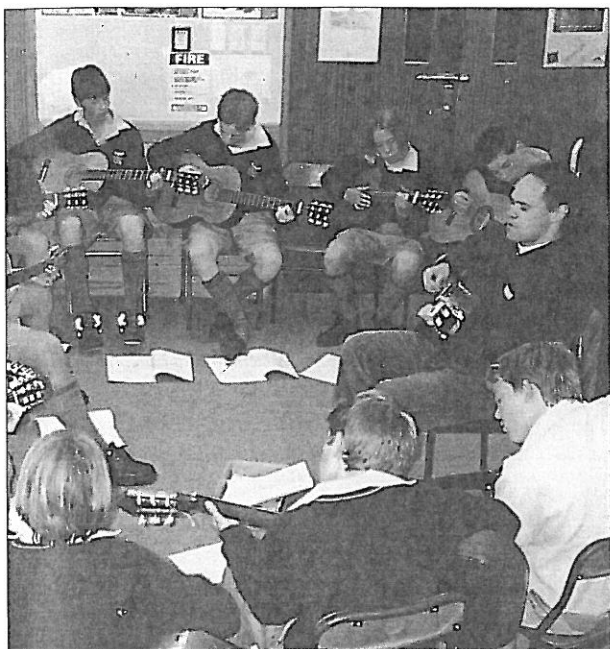
I feel mean taking my hard-earned twenty bucks from a little old lady, and sometimes I wish I could let her keep it, but I never do. I happily say my goodbyes and can feel her warm, soothing smile wrapping my body as I carefully close the sliding door. She doesn't move an inch from that hideous chair, and she'll again be sitting, knitting in the same position on that chair when I return in another fortnight's time. She spends more time sitting on that unsightly chair than she does sleeping and talking put together, I reckon.

In another way, I feel bad and annoyed that I don't spend enough time with Nana while she's still here, but then again, I feel relieved and glad because Nana will again live on to a ripe old age inside her chick's, and my mother's body.

Matthew Secker Year 12



# CLASS OF 2000





## INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT

The year 2000 saw the Intermediate Department being made up of six Homerooms. The year proved to be full and extremely successful, right from the very first day. Most important, however, all boys have been given the opportunity to develop to their full potential and most have worked very hard at doing just that.

The Homeroom teachers for the year 2000 were:

Ms C Alexander	7B
Mr P Coulton	7G
Mrs S Simpson	7R
Mr R Doherty	8B
Mr B Koch	8G
Mrs E Meyer	8R

The Year 7 and 8 boys come from all round Taranaki. For many it is a big change to move from a small country school to a full Year 7 to 13 city college. The settling in period, however, moved quickly for most and both Year 7 and Year 8 rapidly developed as supportive, yet competitive groups.

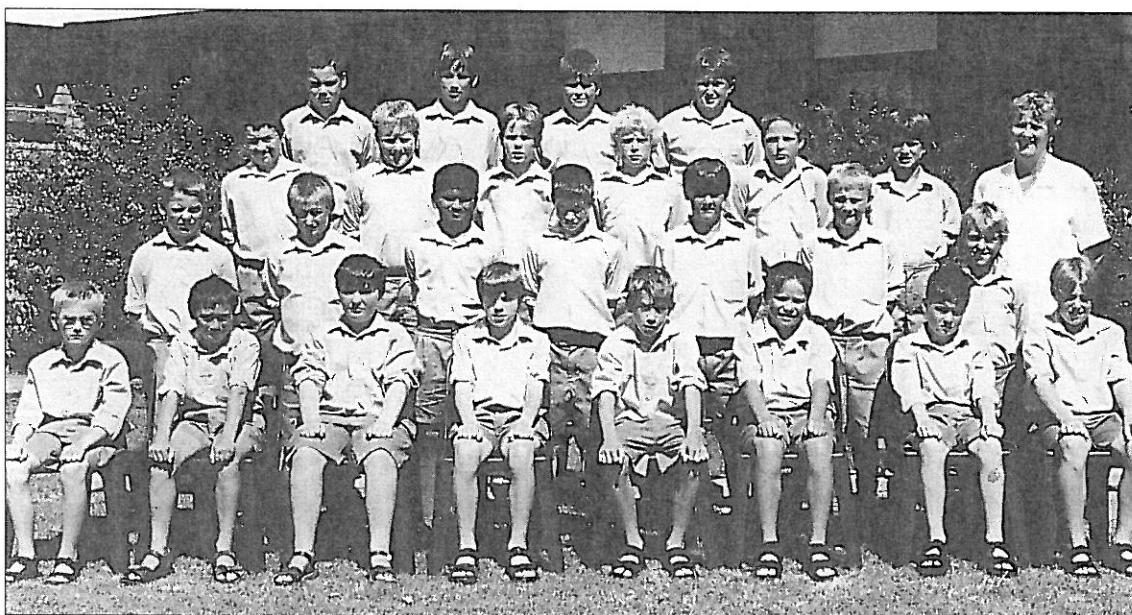
During this year boys in the Intermediate Department have had many opportunities to participate in a wide range of academic, cultural and sporting activities. These include:

Choral activities  
Debating  
Athletics

Speech Making  
Cricket  
Musical Instrument Tuition  
Mathematics / Science / NIE quizzes  
Rugby  
International and national examinations  
Science and Mathematics projects  
Soccer  
Missions fundraising  
Softball  
Drama  
Hockey  
In-Line Hockey  
Cross-country running  
Basketball  
Computer activities

The year has produced huge success in many of the above areas. The boys involved deserve the full congratulations that they have received. We are very proud of these boys and their achievements, but even more important to this department is the overall effort that all of the boys have put into the various areas of College life.

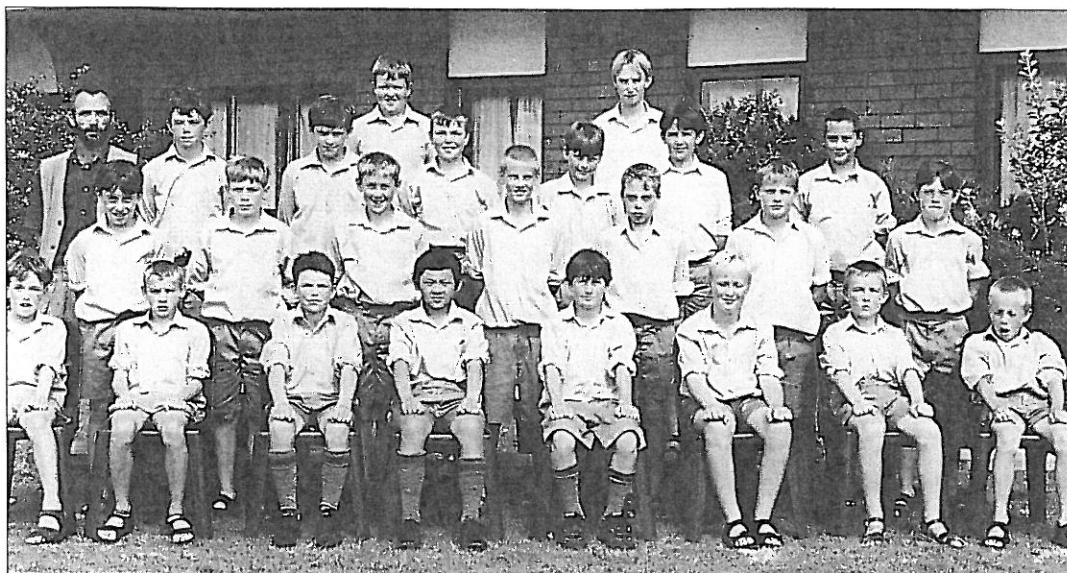
The boys in the Intermediate Department are the future of the College. If they continue to strive as they have this year our future is very bright.



### YEAR 7B

Back Row. A. Nicholas, Z. Wills, C. Watt, J. Barrett  
Third Row. D. Jackson, J. Hickey, R. Squire, T. Brien, C. Waugh, A. Nokes,  
Ms. Alexander  
Second Row. J. Wackrow, K. Hurst, R. Paerera, I. Waite, J. Dravitski, L. Fleming,  
R. O'Keeffe  
Front. Row. C. Dromgool, A. Grainger, C. Grey, M. Barnard, M. Murcott, P. Denny,  
L. Tizard, S. Webling.





## YEAR 7G

Back Row. C. Murray, N. Sole

Third Row. Mr. P. Coulton, T. Dozell, J. Rabbidge, M. Day, S. Siversen, L. Tanner, M. Hobbs

Second Row. M. Armstrong, P. Laing, D. Gilmore, C. Smith, M. How, S. Butler, R. Hall

Front Row. L. Finnerty, M. Shea, B. Kidd, M. Su, D. Freeman, R. Galbreath, S. Doyle, L. Corry.



## YEAR 7R

Back Row. M. Meijer, S. Ridley, L. Elder, L. Gopperth, T. Brouwers

Middle Row. R. Ingram, G. Anderson, J. Churchman, M. Richardson, M. Barrientos, J. Baker, C. Clout

Front Row. J. Billing, I. Trevis, H. Brown, T. Morgan, R. Macdonald, H. Cunneen, C. Wong, J. Lucas.

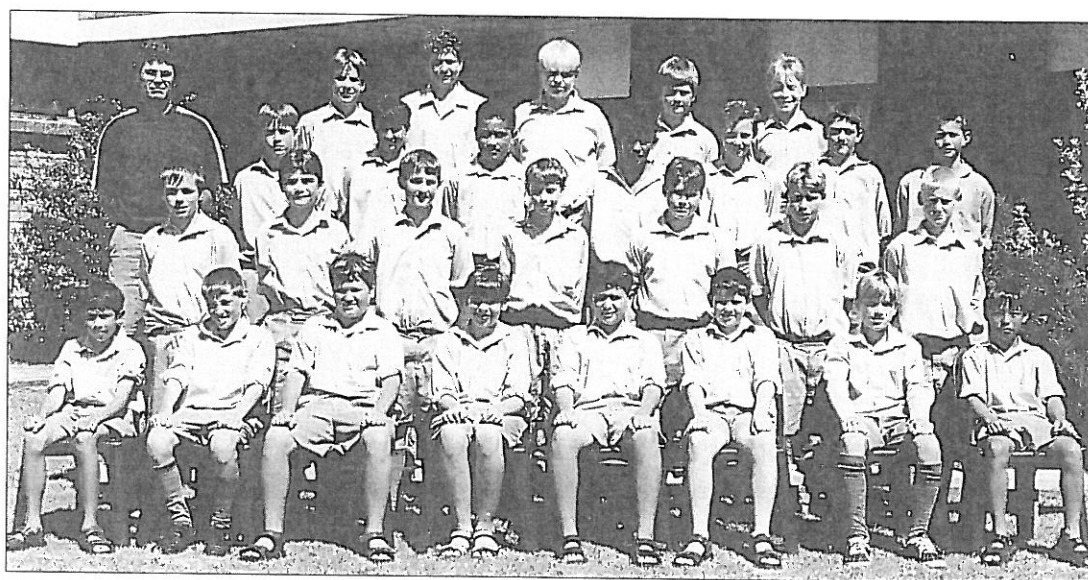
Absent. K. Hau, T. Tume, J. Gilliland, P. Squire.





## YEAR 8B

- Back Row. M. Davies, J. Bradley, M. Warner, G. Hunt  
 Third Row. S. Hill, H. Gordon, J. Chapman, A. Feaunati, J. Crean, L. Fevre,  
 T. Radich, Mr. R. Doherty  
 Second Row. S. Hartigan, P. Barnes, P. Hoha, R. Denehy, D. Nganeko, T. Lepper,  
 J. Kruse, M. Galvin, B. Bowling  
 Front Row. D. Bushell, W. Gall, C. Smith, H. Deken, H. Osborne, P. Collins,  
 A. Graham, M. Walsh.



## YEAR 8G

- Back Row. J. Hill,, D. Joines, N. Chamberlain, J. Neeson, J. Hawton  
 Third Row. Mr. B. Koch, H. Mazengarb, J. Hosking, T. Sisifa, S. Methven, A. Vernon,  
 C. Conaglen, D. Dehar  
 Second Row. M. Hansman, J. Fitzgerald, K. Barclay, J. Instone, M. Jones  
 L. Merewether, R. Shea  
 Front Row. S. Rhodes, G. Sheehan, C. Nganeko, T. McDonald, W. Wano, B. Holland,  
 C. Forsythe, K. Sy.





## YEAR 8R

- Back Row. M. Nganeko, J. Parr, A. Debique, C. Fleming, B. Siffleet  
 Third Row. C. Yardley, U. Patten, J. Coleman, M. McKay, C. Gordon, K. Powell,  
 M. Mahutonga  
 Second Row. Mrs. E. Meyer, C. Bungay, J. Southee, B. Healy, M. Bilodeau, R. Costello,  
 K. O'Neil, S. Baker  
 Front Row. J. Kahui, D. Nickson, L. Callaghan, B. Dolan, K. Sorenson,  
 Z. Zurakowski, J. Drummond, T. Leuenberger.

## YEAR 9

The students of Year 9 take that gigantic step from the Primary School and enter the challenging but exciting world of Secondary School for the first time. At our College we are extremely fortunate that many of the Year 9 students have been with us since Year 7 in the Intermediate Department, and they, with their two years of experience here mixed in with the boys new to our College from all over Taranaki and beyond to create their own unique year group identity.

This year's dynamic group of students easily blended together establishing new friendships and social groups, and quickly got onto the important task of learning and achieving. It has been a pleasure, as their Dean this year, to watch so many boys utilise the opportunities that the Junior School provides for them. There are so many different opportunities available in many different subjects and fields, not only to participate in but also to excel in. Once again we have had great successes in the academic, cultural and sporting arenas which has brought great credit to the college and of course great credit to the boys themselves. Some examples of this are firstly, the excellent results in the Australian academic competitions, great results with the debating and junior speech teams, and the

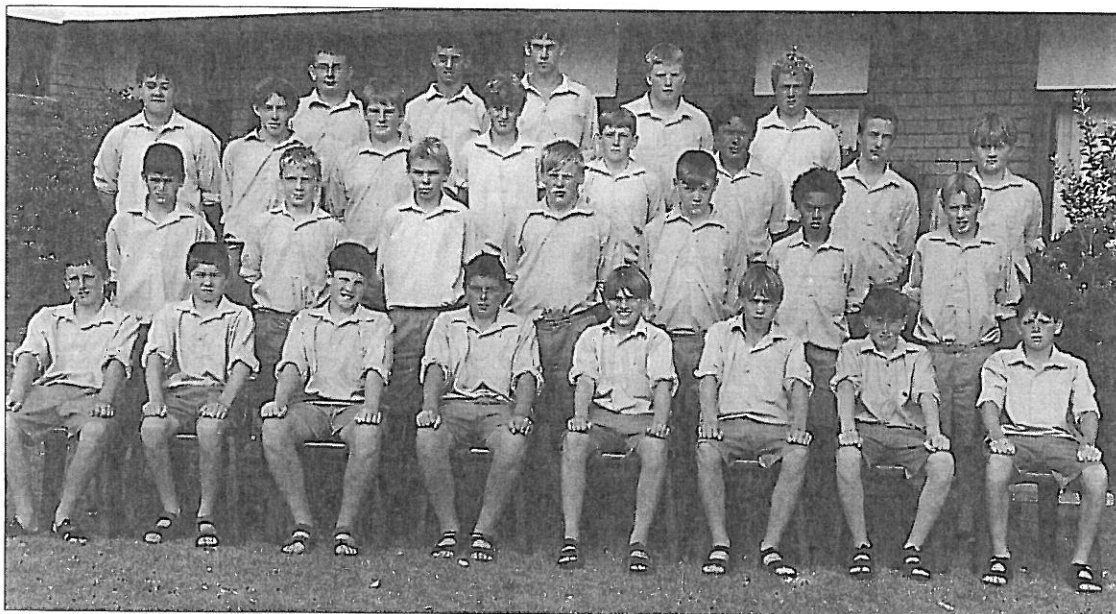
countless outstanding sportsmen who throughout the year have brought honour to the College in their selected sports.

At this age group it is easy for the coaches, teachers, etc of the boys to see the rapid development and improvement they are able to produce in a year, and this is great satisfaction for the expertise and time they have provided.

Highlights of the year are always the opportunities to socialize with our sister school Sacred Heart Girls College. The socials that are run for the Year 9 and 10 boys are greatly enjoyed by the boys and would have one run every week if they were allowed. The end of the year provides another highlight with the Year 9 camps, where the boys have the opportunity to experience education outside the classroom after their academic requirements and exams have been completed.

I feel confident that the vast majority of this years Year 9 have matured and grown from the many things they have experienced and learnt over the year. They are now already looking forward to the challenges and new opportunities that Year 10 will present to them.





## YEAR 9B

Back Row. D. Batley, R. McGregor, L. Bellringer, C. Murphy, S. Cowie  
 Third Row. M. Wilson, J. Bollen, J. Clements, M. Drew, C. Reidy, J. Smith,  
 G. Cadman, S. Peters  
 Second Row. D. Barnard, P. Donaldson, B. Hill, S. Lee, A. Barrett, A. Wharehoka,  
 S. Hancock  
 Front Row. F. McDonald, R. Gut, M. Lucas, L. Collins, C. Siversen, R. Christenson,  
 M. Townsend, J. Skinner.



## YEAR 9G

Back Row. K. Preston, Z. Beardman, P. Boyd, J. Coulton  
 Third Row. J. Davis, D. Weake, N. Kiser, J. Hall, M. Tai, B. Hutchinson  
 Second Row. D. Turner, N. Brophy, B. King, J. Ingram, C. Quest, K. Sole, A. Burns  
 Front Row. F. O'Keefe, B. Roberts, D. Taylor, S. Murphy, S. Poole,  
 C. McCabe, N. Coomey, D. Burkett.  
 Absent. J. Manning, O. Jordan.





## YEAR 9L

Back Row. H. Te Moana, C. Lockley, M. Hill, J. Dolman, R. Berghan, K. Cameron  
 Third Row. M. Barton, E. McGarvey, M. Hickey, P. Story, S. Mathys, J. Buhler,  
 J. McCormack  
 Second Row. J. Morwood, L. Hogan, K. Whittle, P. Walsh, D. Foster, J. Brown,  
 R. Hurunui  
 Front Row. T. Walsh, B. Jayersma, J. Rowland, B. Hunter,  
 A McLachlan, S. Payne, S. Smart, J. Burrows.



## YEAR 9R

Back Row. A. Kale, J. Manning, M. Robinson, J. Orr, R. Gilmour, C. Mailman  
 Third Row. B. Tippins, S. Fleming, J. Slaats, D. Ryan, J. West, R. Hancock  
 Second Row. T. Peacock, K. Chapman, G. Maclean, J. Clark, M. Cowley, W. Mercer,  
 N. Gleeson  
 Front Row. T. Stewart, R. Dobson, S. Wildbore, D. Taylor, S. Taepa, I. O'Donnell,  
 J. Putt, H. Johnson.







**YEAR 9W**

Back Row. S. Fugistaller, B. Ingram, D. Ramage, C. Day, J. Schrader  
 Third Row. C. Werder, A. Schumacher, D. Hansman, D. Brett, M. Bennett, J. Meuli  
 Second Row. B. Connolly, J. Allen, C. Fleming, L. Maddern, C. Radich, L. Day,  
 K. Bernet  
 Front Row. E. Brennan, Z. Feek, P. Edmunds, R. Tunnicliff, C. Wicky, N. Jackson,  
 J. O'KJeefe, A. Voss.  
 Absent. R. Bence, G. Angell

## Year 10

With the last ever School Certificate exams looming imminently on next years horizon, this years Year 10 students took all opportunities with open arms.

As is the tradition with Year 10 every student participated in a week of work experience expertly prepared by Ms Land and Mrs Wackrow. Students would either spend a week at the workplace of their choice or at the Polytechnic receiving practical courses. This was beneficial to all and everyone gained vital knowledge to aid subject choices and future employment directions. Half of the students did their work experience while the other half did outdoor education. These roles were reversed later in the year. Outdoor education was either TOPEC, mountain camp or a skiing tip to Ruapehu.

In academia the Year 10 performed to and above their expected standards. We scored incredibly well in the Australian English, Mathematics and Science exams. In the Year 12 Young Enterprise Scheme the Year 10 Barmy Palms Company finished 3<sup>rd</sup> under Mr Kibby's guidance.

Some Year 10 students participated in various enrichment programmes such as a trip to Waitomo caves, mathematics workshops and filmmaking. These were helpful for all students who were fortunate enough to attend.

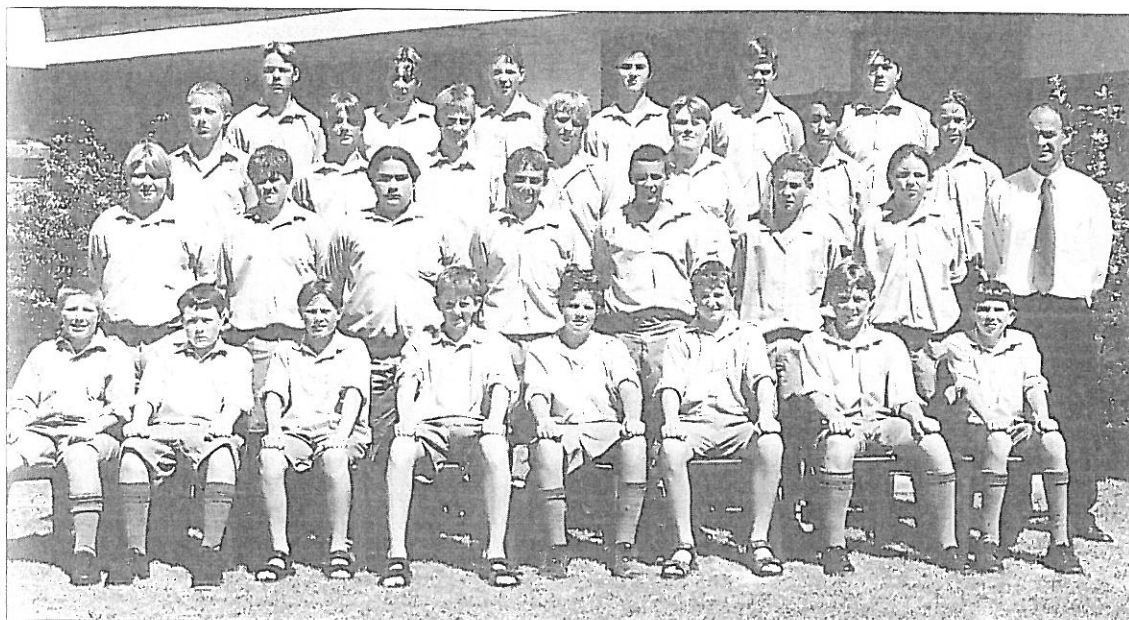
In the cultural department our year group shone. The debating team of Samuel Barrett, Jean-Pierre Le Prou and Scott Peacock won the Taranaki Secondary School competition in convincing, faultless style. Samuel Barrett also won the Taranaki Speech and Drama, Junior Prepared Speech title. He then went to O'Shea Shield and won the junior prepared title there. Other Year 10 to attend O'Shea

Shield were Scott Peacock and Luke Herlihy. They were both members of the school drama team.

The Year 10 excelled in the sporting aspect of College life. Our triathlon team of Nathan Hill, Sean Zieltjes and Nathan Cleaver won the Taranaki Secondary Schools event in methodical fashion. The TSS Road Relay was again contested this year. The Year 9 and 10 section was fiercely contested but the Year 10 won in a time near to a new record. Our cross country team took our first place in the teams competitions at the TSS championships held at Francis Douglas Memorial College. In golf this years College champion hailed from Year 10. Jamie Ashley won the event up against older more experienced competitions. In U16 Basketball our teams took first place and third, as outstanding feat. From these teams a school representative team was chosen to travel to Wanganui for the National Secondary Schools Year 9 and 10 Central Zone Basketball Championships. The Year 10 team finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place a creditable performance, especially coming close to traditional rival NPBHS in the semi-finals. Daniel Bolstad and Ryan Fleming had the honour of being chosen for the tournament team. Congratulations to them both. Also congratulations to Joachim Quest for breaking the College record in the boys test with an outstanding 168 beeps.

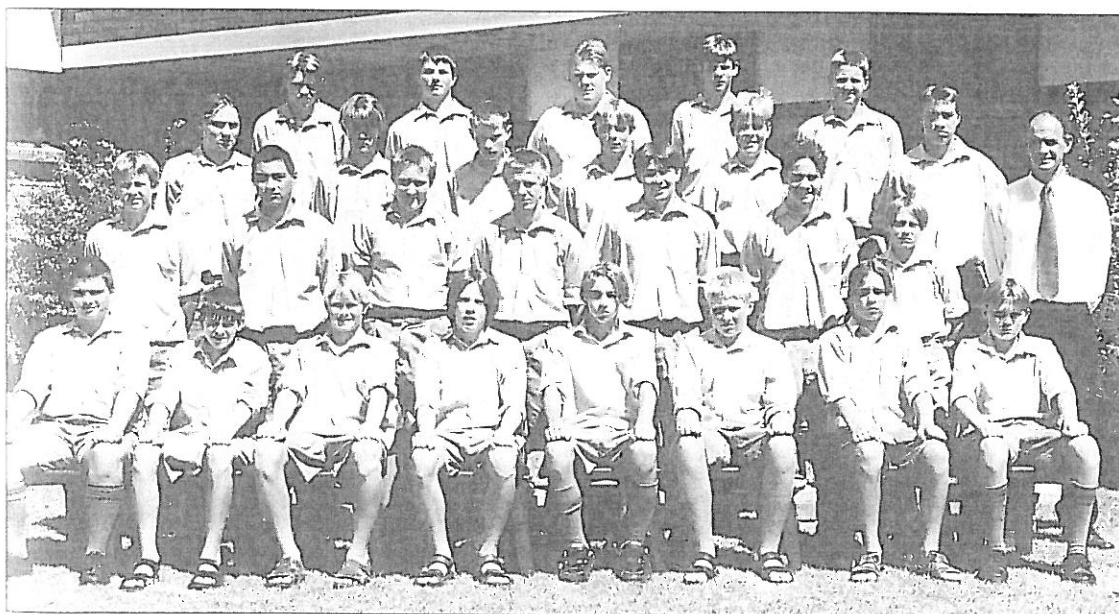
We combined with our sister school Sacred Heart for an enjoyable social and in a new twist enjoyed an all schools social organised for fundraising purposes.

Many thanks go out to the teachers and coaches of Year 10, especially to Mr Neeson and Mrs Simpson our two warm hearted Deans.  
 Thomas Hill



**YEAR 10B**

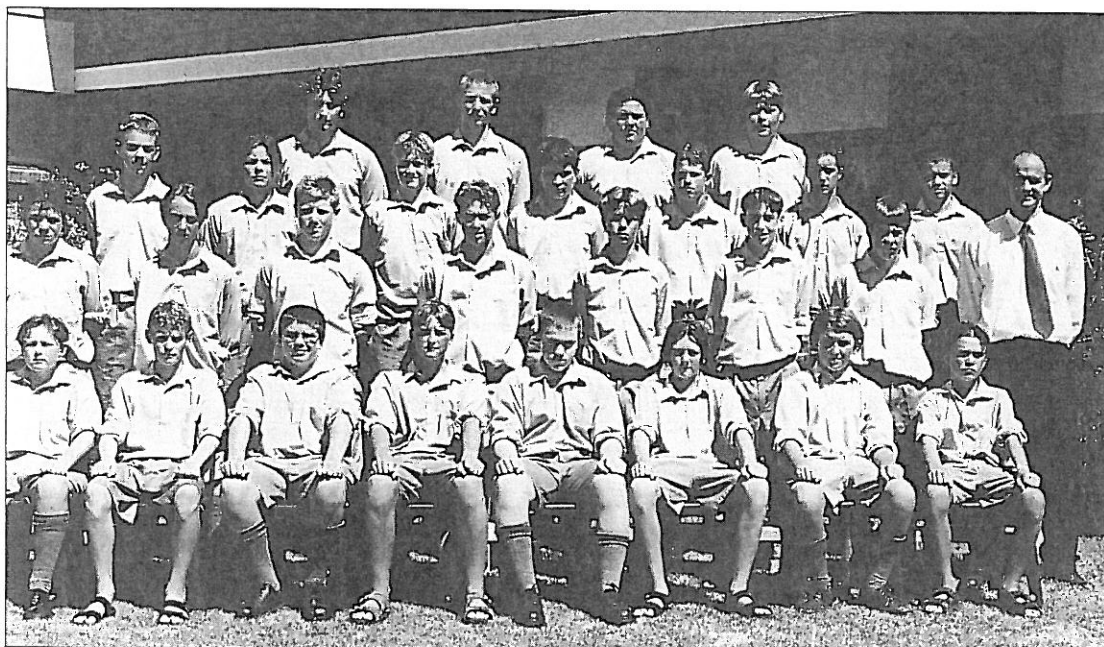
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 Third Row. J. Coombes, F. Hartman, B. Wood, R. Baker, A. Hodson, K. Lawn, P. Gibbons  
 Second Row. J. Dimock, G. Sole, P. Manu, A. Walsh, E. Carnachan, C. Goodchap, A. Belton, Mr. J. Neeson  
 Front Row. C. Webby, M. Phillips, J. Radich, G. Maulder, C. Mason, P. Williams, D. Cawley, E. Young.



**YEAR 10G**

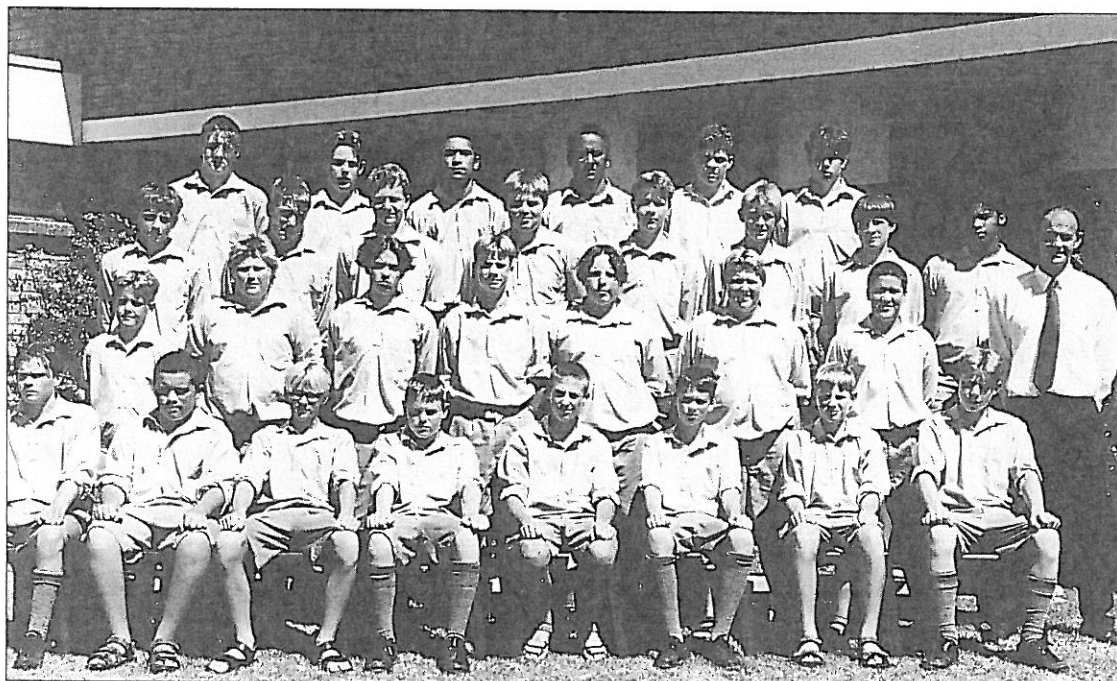
- Back Row. S. Zwonderfultjies, B. Pope, J. Drought, T. Neeson, C. Shearer  
 Third Row. D. Sarten, I. Ewing, M. Bridger, J. George, A. Prestney, T. Maindonald  
 Second Row. B. Jones, G. Tai, S. Martin, C. Blake, S. Peacock, B. Hall, I. Hayward, Mr. Neeson  
 Front Row. A. Thorburn, J. Voss, P. Cunningham, M. Cartwright, P. Fleming, D. Knowles, S. Barnes, S. Barrett  
 Absent. A. Hodson, J. Connolly, A. Brien.





**YEAR 10L**

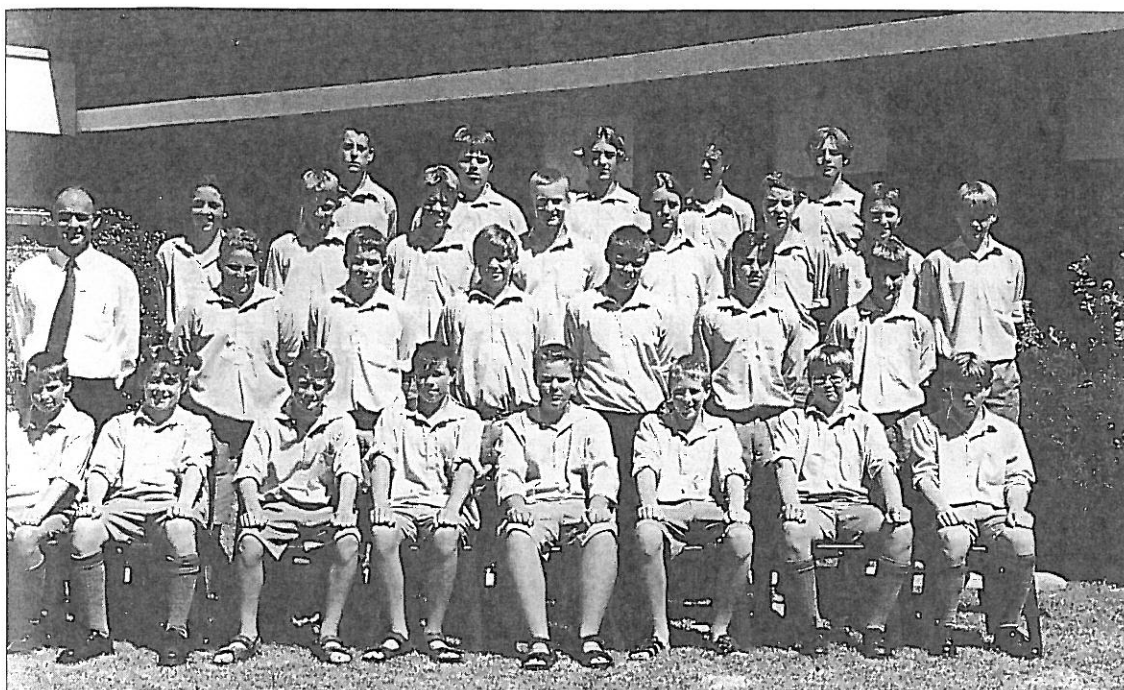
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 Third Row. D. Smiley, N. Cleaver, R. Smith, S. Wells, S. Gopperth, D. Campbell,  
 D. George  
 Second Row. D. Graham, K. O'Keefe, A. Gall, R. Buttimore, M. Klenner, T. Hills,  
 J. Hawken, J. Neeson  
 Front Row. P. Barrett, N. Hill, L. Mann, N. Carey, T. Davenport, M. Fahy,  
 R. Callingham, N. Richardson.



**YEAR 10R**

Back Row. K. Greenhill, C. Scott, L. Sisifa, A. Rakena, M. Fearn, C. Walsh  
 Third Row. P. Gooch, B. Gibson, N. Jones, D. Parke, G. Crean, A. Radich,  
 N. Antipenkov, N. Langton  
 Second Row. Z. Bradshaw, S. Forrest, L. Keegan, M. Jackson, S. Kaye, P. Quin,  
 P. Hooper  
 Front Row. J. Wheeler, N. Nelson, D. King, J. Burkett, A. McCleary, B. Galvin,  
 R. Rawles, R. Barlow.





## YEAR 10W

Back Row. A. Churches, S. Richardson, D. Bolstad, S. Tyson, J. Quest  
 Third Row. Mr. Neeson, T. Megchelse, A. Waite, J. Potter, C. Avison, B. Dunlop,  
 J. Hope, J.P. LeProu, D. McCracken  
 Second Row. S. Stevenson, S. Ward, M. Smith, M. Hill, M. Seator, C. Muggeridge  
 Front Row. D. Clarke, R. Honeyfield, J. Hill, G. Hart, K. Tecofsky, J. Quinn,  
 K. Murray, P. Bradford.  
 Absent. L. Cameron, A. Mills.

## Year 11

The transition from holidays to school was about as much of a shock to the system as Brother Peter's new grown moustache. However, everyone soon adjusted to the early mornings and different ways of life and kicked into the toughest school year academically so far.

On the sports field we had many Year 11 in our top teams and just generally participating. The winning C1 and D1 sides had plenty of Year 11 support with C1 nearly entirely Year 11. James McSeveny, Hans Kalders, Keirian Bourke and Jonathon Hill all represented the 1<sup>st</sup> XV. James, Hans and Jono also played for Taranaki U16's.

In basketball, Campbell Begg, Jonathon Milne, Toby Shanley, Hamish Irving and James Stringer all played for the Senior 'A'. Hamish also played for Taranaki U 18.

In cricket Ben Whittington, Hans Kalders, Aaron Eveleigh and Jonathon Milne. Ben also played for Taranaki U17.

In other sports we had David Geurts and Andrew Beale representing New Zealand in archery. Robert Hamilton won a New Zealand weightlifting title. Sean Brennan was picked to be in the Taranaki surf lifesaving team. Kasey Beckett, Pim Bolyn, Paul Johnston, Jason Forrest, Miles

Benton and Robert Lee played for the school 1<sup>st</sup> XI soccer team.

At the speech final night half the senior competitors were from Year 11. Jonathon Milne, Danny Brown and Blaise Drinkwater all gave impressive speeches equalling the Year 12 and 13, with Danny Brown taking out the title for the year 2000. Solid effort boys.

We also had participants competing at the O'Shea Shield in Wellington and the Taranaki Speech and Drama Festival held in Opunake recently.

Overall it was a good year for all. Students worked hard and enjoyed themselves. The Year 11 at this year have excelled in both the sporting and cultural fields, as well as working hard academically.

We feel that this years group of Year 11 will be the highest achieving year to date and that they will strive to accomplish their goals whether it be in sport, culture or academia. The Year 11 of this year will undoubtedly lead the College with pride in the years to come. I wish them the best of luck.

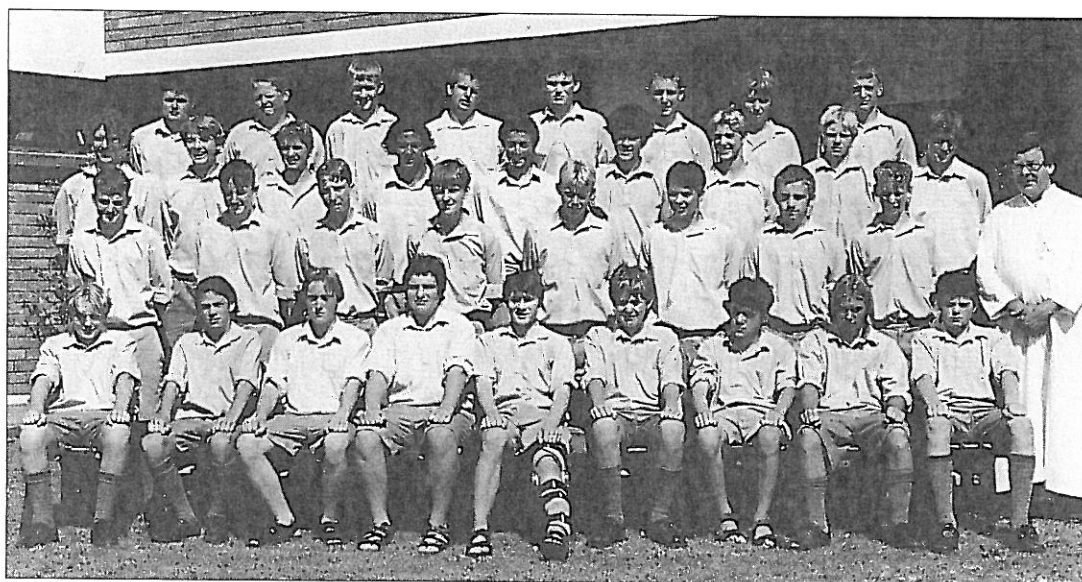
Yeshan, Jonathon and Miles





## YEAR 11 BENILDUS

- Back Row. M. Henderson, K. Bourke, G. Elliot, N. Watson, S. Miller, S. Julian, A. Beale
- Third Row. J. Hill, N. Drought, N. Baker, M. Kiser, M. Gillum, C. Lepper, N. Rowland, J. Haywood
- Second Row. Mr. Peter Smyth, S. Buchanan, M. Barrett, H. Silby, G. Preston, M. Barrett, P. Johnston, G. Lockley, A. Gordon
- Front Row. S. Singh, M. Webling, D. Brown, R. Hurunui, S. Beardman, S. Archer, K. Beckett, J. Mullin, K. Fabish.
- Absent. Z. Dozell, D. Howells, N. Johns, T. Whyte?

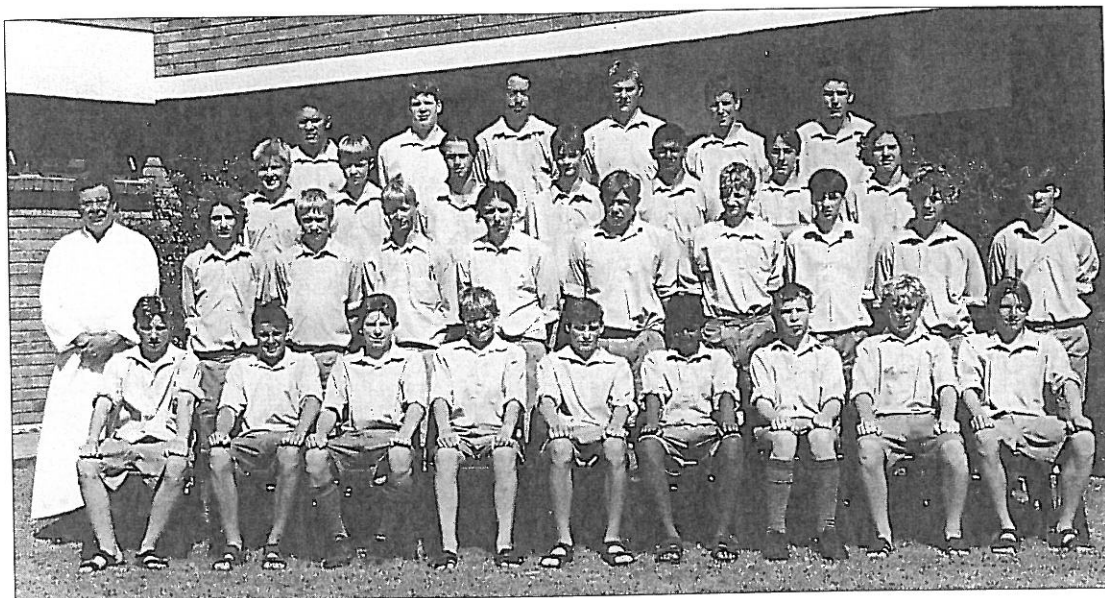


## YEAR 11 LASALLE

- Back Row. D. Collins, R.O'Connor, N. Mulligan, B. Feaver, M. Bolton, J. Madden, J. Holloway, J. Stringer
- Third Row. D. Gibbins, S. Schumacher, T. Kirby, K. Kalders, G. Johnson, J. McSeveny, B. D'Ath, A. Stanway, Z. Thompson
- Second Row. J. McCracken, C. McCracken, I. Leafberg, B. Drinkwater, D. Barlow, G. Billing, C. Duke, N. Day, Br. Peter Smyth
- Front Row. H. Fitzgerald, M. Johnson, K. Austin, R. Hamilton, K. Callaghan, C. Reed, S. McDiarmid, P. Dittert, L. Bridgeman.
- Absent. S. Crossan, D. Geurts, B. Guthrie, T. Kirby







## YEAR 11 LORETO

- Back Row. T. Rima, A. Meek, A. McGregor-Bates, H. Irving, A. Benton, T. Shanley  
 Third Row. M. Carnachan, M. Robinson, T. Adams, P. McDonald, Y. Ekanayake,  
 R. Hannam, D. Muller  
 Second Row. Br. Peter Smyth, T. Jackson, D. Dettling, T. Foley, C. Hawkins,  
 C. Carmichael, A. Fraser, J. Wicky, B. Whittington, S. Cartwright  
 Front Row. J. Bernet, R. Lee, P. Bolyn, O. McDonald, R. Williams, A. N' Ath,  
 A. Frost, T. Dunlop, B. Bolyn.  
 Absent. R. Batchelor, C. Begg, M. Davies, B. Emson, C. Gall, A. Viles.



## YEAR 11 SOLOMON

- Back Row. S. Crofsky, P. Hopkinson, M. Benton, P. Drew, D. Little, S. Sloan,  
 K. Connolly  
 Third Row. S. Gilmour, N. O'Sullivan, L. Foster, J. Milne, S. Prestney, A. Eveleigh,  
 D. Jackson  
 Second Row. Br. Peter Smyth, P. Luond, H. Kemp, D. Gut, J. Forrest, B. Sarten,  
 J. Herbert, B. Lee, J. Bullo  
 Front Row. D. Gunatunga, N. Glentworth, S. Brennan, C. Margetts, D. Smith,  
 M. McLernon, J. Freeman, S. Logan, P. Yarrow.  
 Absent. J. Clout, J. Knox, A. Pearce, M. Stewart, T. Way.







## Year 12

The year began for year 12 in early January when we received our School Certificate grades which easily exceeded the national average. This was a pleasing beginning for most and showed to all that by continuing to work as a unit and getting stuck in, we were capable of achieving bigger and brighter things in 2000.

For most of us this was our 4<sup>th</sup> year at the College and we realised that it was not only important to succeed academically, but also on a leadership level. We all knew that our overall performance in Year 12 would have a big bearing on our selection for leadership duties in Year 13.

Throughout the year many people were given opportunities to display their leadership ability. Perhaps the greatest opportunity was given to Brad Wackrow, David Waite, Leon Butler and Stephen Dobson who were chosen to go to the Global Young Leaders Conference in the United States. This fantastic experience lasted two weeks and the boys got to explore the cities of Los Angeles and New York with many other potential young world leaders. All four boys had a great time meeting people from different races and religions, and debating current world issues with them in the United Nations building.

Another once in a lifetime opportunity was given to Jonathan Pierce, Daniel Wells and Graeme Charteris who were chosen by their local parish to go on the journey to the Popes palace in Rome. This was an experience they

will never forget as they too enjoyed meeting new people and hearing the Pope speak in the Vatican City.

One of the greatest achievements this year was Benet Carroll who was selected by the New Plymouth District Youth Council to represent Harry Duynhoven at Youth Parliament 2000. Benet joined youth from all over the country and occupied Parliament for a day and also took the floor trying to encourage youth to look more seriously at the issue of Youth Suicide.

On the musical stage we were also very successful with Joseph Gardner starring in the local theatre production "Buddy Holly Story". Also the Year 12 rock group Mollegs Helmit won the very competitive Smokefree Rock Quest. This was a huge achievement for the band.

Year 12 also had a great year on the sports field. The 1<sup>st</sup> XV rugby team had five Year 12 regular starters and many more filled in. Of them Zane Lockett and Benet Carroll were selected in the Taranaki Secondary Schools team.

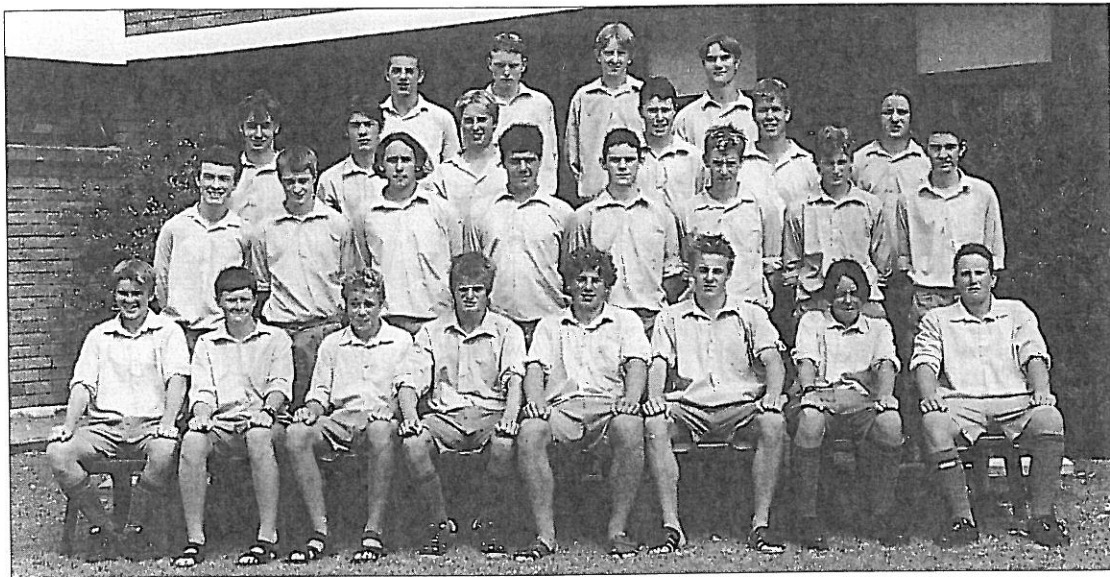
The sporting success continued on the cricket pitch where the 1<sup>st</sup> XV had many Year 12 and Mark Hughes and Kyle Meijer were selected in the Taranaki Under 17 team.

Overall we have had a lot of fun this year but also had some great results. If we can carry our good form from this year into our final year at Francis Douglas, I know the College will be in good hands for 2001.



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Back Row: Blair Macbeth, Jacob Leicester, Jade Vickers, Shane Capper  
Front Row: Reece Ball, Louis Swannell



## YEAR 12 BENILDUS

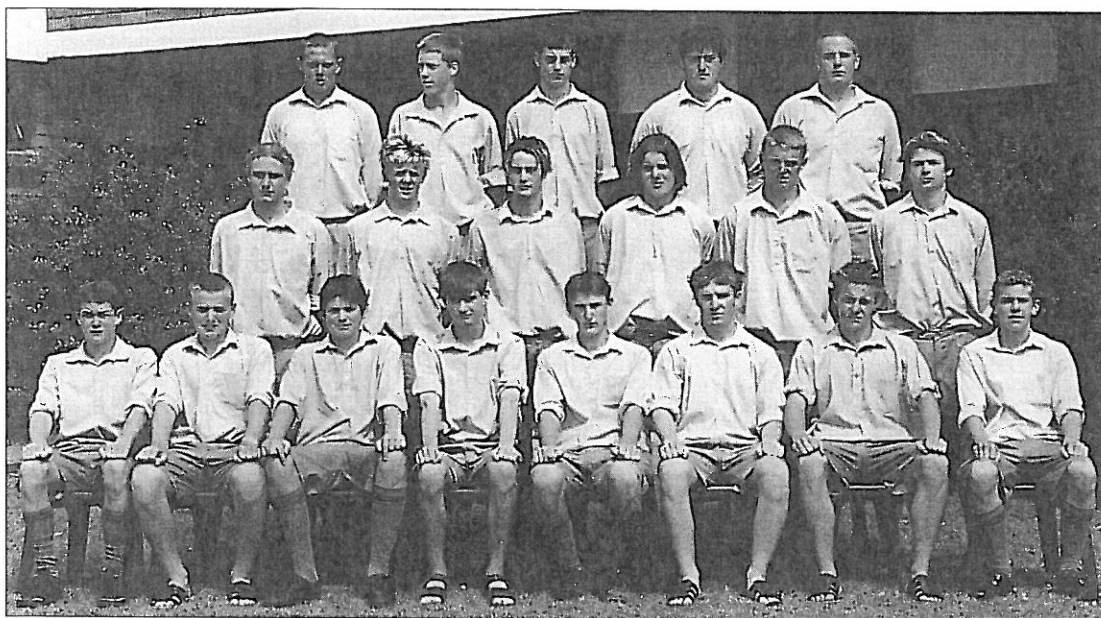
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 G. Ludi, D. Wells,  
 Front Row. C. Smith, J. Pierce, K. Merewether, T. Peters, A. Franks, B. Peoples,  
 R. Clarke, L. Goodchap.



## YEAR 12 LASALLE

Back Row. Z. Lockett, A. Straathof, N. Tretheway, J. Tamarapa, B. Muggeridge,  
 Middle Row. T. Carr, B. Schumacher, S. Brown, B. Carroll, B. Holdon, T. Schumacher,  
 B. Bunyan  
 Front Row. J. Stevens, J. Ladd, R. O'Connor, C. Patten, A. Cleary, P. Gadsby,  
 P. Schicker, P. Bray.





## YEAR 12 LORETO

Back Row. M. Bridger, K. Cowie, C. Watkins, S. Conaglen, S. Siffleet  
 Middle Row. J. Hullah, M. Riddock, M. Cleaver, A. Kowalewski, K. Meijer, S. Dobson  
 Front Row. G. Cronin, C. Fife, D. McDonald, B. Wackrow, B. Tofts, M. Secker,  
 L. Butler



## YEAR 12 SOLOMON

Back Row. A. Parkes, E. Brouwers, A. Buhler, D. Butler, M. Hughes  
 Middle Row. A. Hemara, T. Hunter, L. Christensen, I Cook, G. Taylor, W. Barnes,  
 K. Orchard, B. Rice, L. McGarvey  
 Front Row. R. Keegan, A. Blundell, J. Buttimore, B. Willan, G. Charteris, K. Lazarus,  
 S. C-Wilson, T. Morgan



Our final year has passed and some outstanding students have graced the corridors of Francis Douglas Memorial College. We came as young boys in 1994 not knowing what the future would hold for us, now we are young men leaving in 2000 on a journey into a life that only we can dictate.

As we look back over the year and reminisce about some of the events that took place, our life unfolds. One of the greatest memories is shown in the number of changes that we as students have undergone and the achievements we have made to ever increase the sense of pride in our selves and within the Lasallian spirit of the College.

Over the years we have had much fun and laughter with the odd bit of learning. We have seen teachers come and go. From the 'big' Joe Dowd to the witty Andrew Sorenson. The always witty Tim Carrington and the Man with all the stories Dan Webby have entertained us for numerous hours during lunch and even the odd class.

The Common Room again was a dark and cold hole. We watched the odd movie on television and sometimes the always enjoyable food fight went down. The great tennis ball game that Marcus and James ruled was always a treat.

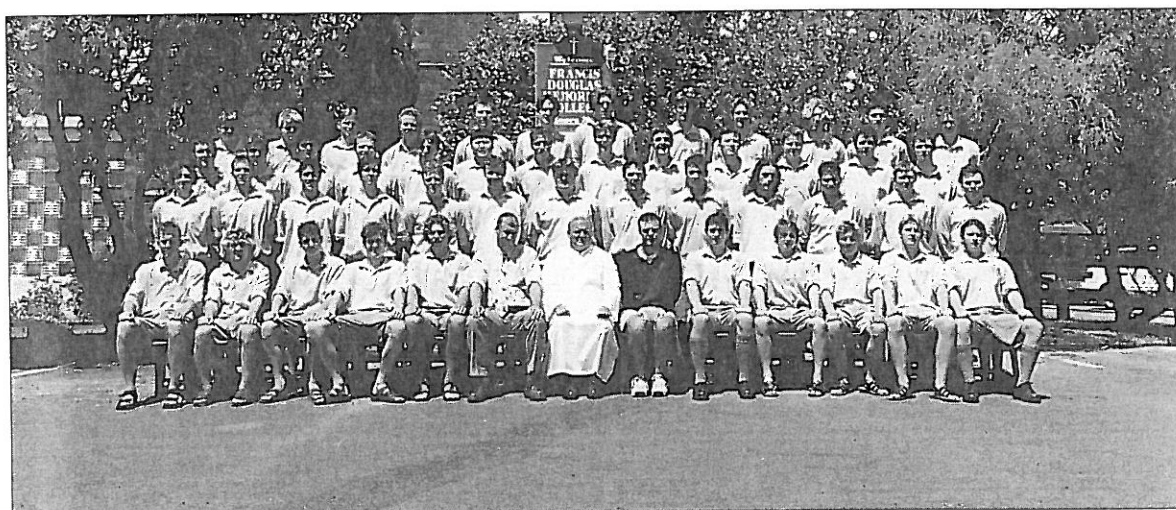
And of course the final straw or Brother Bill was the breaking of the unbreakable plastic chair against the wall. This all resulted in the Class of 2000 being banned from their Common Room ten weeks before the end of school.

Again two or three people ruled the academic side of school. Dan, the maths wizard dazzled Mr Mustchin. Luke and Mark showed why they were deemed the brightest. The sports side again was ruled by two or three people, Kent and Mike showed their dominance in the pool and Marcus and Simon showed their pace on the track.

The Ball and Sacred Heart were two words that were not uttered in the same sentence, after they stole top secret ideas and used them to great effect. The Ball was a special night and every one enjoyed themselves even though we had to invite Sacred Heart.

Extra curricular activities were introduced after a few sifty faxes to Girls High. Eventually we played a game of netball in front of what seemed to be their whole school. All the boys enjoyed that great occasion and many came back to school with smiles on their faces.

There have been good times and bad, but we will never forget the College and the College will never forget the Class of 2000.



## YEAR 13

Back Row	S.Pritchard, C. Parkes, B. McIntyre, C. Dent, K. Dolan, J. Hunter, P. Stevenson, P. Sherman, N. Rush, K. Fraser, J. Kirby, C. Hamblyn.
Third Row	M. White, M. White-Robinson, C. Holswich, D. Parr, S. Jupp, K. Hong, C. Jordan, B. Hayward, S. Mullin, D. Webby, D. Brophy, B. Clark, C. Wratislav.
Second Row	B.Keegan, C. Carroll, J. Matuku, T. Lawn, J. Donaldson, H. Cronick, M. Thorburn, R. Angell, P. Bushell, M. Sarten, A. Lee, M. Hussey, B. Laing.
Front Row	M. D'Ath, T. Carrington, M. Melody, B. Hart, J. Le Prou, Mr. G. Blanks, Br. B. Firman, Mr. C. Thomas, L. Mustchin, A. Butterworth, M. Hancock, S. Gillum, J. Smith.
Absent:	G. Bourke.

# CLASS OF 2000



# SCHOOL ROLL 2000

Adams	Jeremy	9R	S6	Bolton	Matthew	11	LS4	Carroll	Charles	13	LS7
Adams	Terence	11	L6	Bolyn	Bas	11	L4	Cartwright	Mathew	10G	L1
Addison	Mark	10B	LS6	Bolyn	Pim	11	L2	Cartwright	Steven	11	L3
Ahkuoi	Ansley	8R	LS7	Bourke	Geoffrey	13	B3	Cawley	Daniel	10B	LS4
Allen	James	9W	LS4	Bourke	Kieran	11	B6	Chamberlain	Nicholas	8G	LS4
Anderson	Glenn	7R	LS1	Bowling	Brett	8B	S5	Chapman	Jade	8B	L4
Anderson	Zachary	10L	LS5	Boyd	Patrick	9G	L1	Chapman	Kyle	9R	LS3
Angell	Grant	9W	S6	Bradford	Patrick	10W	LS1	Charteris	Graeme	12	S7
Angell	Robert	13	S4	Bradley	Joseph	8B	L6	Christensen	Lewis	12S	S4
Antipenkov	Nick	10R	B1	Bradshaw	Zakarya	10R	S1	Christensen	Ryan	9B	S5
Archer	Steven	11	B3	Bray	Patrick	12	LS7	Churches	Anthony	10W	LS6
Armitage	Simon	12	CPP	Brennan	Eamonn	9W	S3	Churchman	Joseph	7R	B4
Armstrong	Morgan	7G	L1	Brennan	Sean	11	S2	Clark	Brendan	13	S2
Ashley	Jamie	10B	LS5	Brett	Daniel	9W	S2	Clark	Jeremy	9R	S6
Austin	Karl	11	LS5	Bridgeman	Leonard	11	LS1	Clarke	Owen	10W	B3
Avison	Cory	10W	L5	Bridger	Mark	12	L7	Clarke	Russell	12	B1
Baker	Juner	7R	LS2	Bridger	Matthew	10G	L2	Cleary	Adrian	12	LS4
Baker	Nicholas	11	B5	Brien	Alex	10G	LS7	Cleaver	Matthew	12	L3
Baker	Reuben	10B	L1	Brien	Taylor	7B	LS2	Cleaver	Nathan	10L	L4
Baker	Stuart	8R	B7	Brophy	Daniel	13	B3	Clements	Jason	9B	L5
Ball	Reece	12	CCP	Brophy	Nicholas	9G	B1	Clout	Cameron	7R	S2
Barclay	Kelly	8G	L7	Brouwers	Euan	12	S1	Clout	Jason	11	S1
Barlow	David	11	LS5	Brouwers	Thomas	7R	S2	Coleman	Jordi	8R	B3
Barlow	Richard	10R	LS4	Brown	Daniel	11B	B3	Coleman	Seth	10L	L7
Barnard	Damian	9B	S5	Brown	Hagan	7R	S6	Collins	Daniel	11	LS2
Barnard	Mathew	7B	S1	Brown	Jason	9L	LS2	Collins	Liam	9B	LS3
Barnes	Paul	8B	S7	Brown	Raymond	12	B3	Collins	Patrick	8B	LS3
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Barnes	William	12	S1	Buchanan	Scott	11	B2	Conaglen	Michael	10L	L7
Barrett	Andrew	9B	B7	Buhler	Andreas	12	S3	Conaglen	Sam	12	L4
Barrett	Jamie	7B	B3	Buhler	Josef	9L	LS2	Connolly	Benjamin	9W	LS4
Barrett	Martin	11	B5	Bullot	Jackson	11	S4	Connolly	Jason	10G	S3
Barrett	Michael	11	B4	Bungay	Christopher	8R	B5	Connolly	Kerryn	11S	S5
Barrett	Patrick	10L	B6	Bunyan	Ben	12	LS3	Connolly	Mathew	10B	S6
Barrett	Samuel	10G	B2	Burkett	Daniel	9G	LS5	Cook	Isaac	12	S7
Barrientos	Martin	7R	B1	Burkett	Jonathan	10R	LS2	Coombes	Jared	10B	L3
Barton	Michael	9L	L5	Burns	Adam	9G	B2	Coomey	Nicholas	9G	L6
Batchelor	Ryland	11	L7	Burrows	Joseph	9L	L1	Coomey	Shane	12	L5
Batley	Daniel	9B	B4	Bushell	David	8B	LS6	Corry	Larz	7G	L3
Beale	Andrew	11	B1	Bushell	Paul	13	LS4	Costello	Reuben	8R	S6
Beale	David	12	B5	Butler	Daniel	12	S6	Coulton	Jacob	9G	LS1
Beardman	Sam	11	B4	Butler	Leon	12	L5	Couper	Jason	12	B2
Beardman	Zachary	9G	B5	Butler	Shaun	7G	L6	Cowie	Keiran	12	L2
Beckett	Kasey	11	B6	Butterworth	Andrew	13	L6	Cowie	Sebastian	9B	B6
Begg	Campbell	11L	L5	Buttimore	James	12	S4	Cowley	Marcel	9R	L1
Bellringer	Leighton	9B	L3	Buttimore	Richard	10L	S2	Cracroft-Wilson	Samuel	12	S2
Belton	Adam	10B	S2	Cadman	Gareth	9B	L5	Crehan	Graeme	10R	L6
Bence	Richard	9W	B3	Callaghan	Kieran	11	LS7	Crehan	Jonathan	8B	L3
Bennett	Matthew	9W	L6	Callaghan	Liam	8R	LS5	Crofskey	Stefan	11	S4
Benton	Andrew	11	L2	Callaghan	Reuben	10L	B7	Cronick	Hayden	13	B1
Benton	Miles	11	S6	Cameron	Kim	9L	S3	Cronin	Geoffrey	12	L4
Berghan	Reuben	9L	B7	Cameron	Laine	10W	B7	Crossan	Simon	11	LS2
Bernet	Joel	11	L6	Campbell	David	10L	LS3	Crowley	Patrick	13	CPP
Bernet	Kade	9W	L7	Capper	Shane	CPP	CPP	Cunneen	Hayden	7R	LS2
Biggs	Patrick	8W	S4	Carey	Benjamin	10B	B4	Cunningham	Paul	10G	S7
Billing	Gareth	11	LS3	Carey	Matthew	8G	B4	D'Ath	Brendon	11	LS1
Billing	Jonathon	7R	LS5	Carey	Nicholas	10L	B2	D'Ath	Mark	13	LS2
Bilodeau	Christopher	12	B3	Carmicheal	Carl	11	L7	Davenport	Terry	10L	B1
Bilodeau	Michael	8R	B6	Carnachan	Gareth	10B	L2	Davies	Mitchell	11	L1
Blake	Cameron	10G	B7	Carnachan	Matthew	11	L1	Davies	Morgan	8B	L1
Blundell	Aaron	12	S3	Carr	Travers	12	LS5	Davis	Joseph	9G	B6
Bollen	Joshua	9B	L6	Carrington	Timothy	13	S6	Day	Callan	9W	L3
Bolstad	Daniel	10W	LS2	Carroll	Benet	12	LS4	Day	Luke	9W	LS7

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Day	Mitchell	7G	L4	Fraser	Andrew	11	L6	Hart	Geoff	10W	S1
Debique	Ashley	8R	B7	Fraser	Kent	13	S5	Hartigan	Shea	8B	S1
Dehar	Daniel	8G	S2	Freeman	David	7G	S7	Hartmann	Felix	10B	S5
Deken	Hanan	8B	L1	Freeman	Jeremy	11	S6	Hau	Kenneth	7R	LS6
Dennehy	Rory	8B	L1	Frost	Aaron	11	L4	Hawken	John	10L	S5
Denney	Peter	7B	S3	Fuglistaller	Scott	9W	B6	Hawkins	Craig	11	L7
Dent	Caleb	13	LS6	Gadsby	Paul	12	LS3	Hawton	Jamie	8G	L6
Dettling	Darren	11	L7	Galbreath	Ross	7G	B5	Hayward	Brent	13	L5
Dey	Nicolas	11	LS7	Gall	Alistair	10L	L2	Hayward	Isaac	10G	S5
Dimock	Joshua	10B	LS5	Gall	Cameron	11	L3	Haywood	John	11	B6
Dittert	Preston	11	LS4	Gall	William	8B	L7	Healy	Brayden	8R	L3
Dobson	Robert	9R	L2	Galvin	Bevan	10R	B7	Heath	Mark	10L	LS2
Dobson	Stephen	12	L4	Galvin	Mitchell	8B	B1	Hellier	Cameron	8R	LS3
Dolan	Brendon	8R	B2	Gardner	Joseph	12B	B1	Hemara	Aparangi	12	S2
Dolan	Karl	13	B5	George	David	10L	S4	Henderson	Martyn	11	B6
Dolman	Jesse	9L	LS5	George	Jamie	10G	B2	Herbert	Jackson	11	S1
Donaldson	Nicholas	13	B1	Geurts	David	11	LS2	Herlihy	Luke	10B	L6
Donaldson	Phillip	9B	B5	Gibbins	Dean	11	LS7	Hickey	Jonathan	7B	B2
Douds	Jacob	8R	L2	Gibbins	Paul	10B	LS4	Hickey	Mathew	9L	B1
Doyle	Seamus	7G	LS3	Gibson	Benjamin	10R	L3	Hill	Benjamin	9B	LS4
Dozell	Thomas	7G	B2	Gilliland	James	7R	B4	Hill	Christopher	8R	L4
Dozell	Zachary	11	B1	Gillum	Michael	11	B7	Hill	Jeremy	10W	B7
Dravitzki	Joseph	7B	B3	Gillum	Simon	13	B6	Hill	Jonathon	11	B4
Drew	Michael	9B	S2	Gilmore	Desmond	7G	LS5	Hill	Joshua	8G	LS4
Drew	Phillip	11	S4	Gilmour	Richard	9R	S5	Hill	Matthew	10W	L6
Drinkwater	Blaise	11	LS4	Gilmour	Simon	11S	S7	Hill	Maxwell	9L	S2
Dromgool	Ciaran	7B	LS4	Gleeson	Nathan	9R	S7	Hill	Nathan	10L	B6
Drought	Jaiden	10G	B4	Glentworth	Nitaan	11S	S2	Hill	Ryan	10B	LS3
Drought	Nigel	11	B2	Gooch	Paul	10R	B2	Hill	Sheldon	8B	B5
Drummond	Jared	8R	LS2	Goodchap	Cameron	10B	B4	Hills	Thomas	10L	LS2
Duke	Chris	11	LS1	Goodchap	Leighton	12B	B4	Hobbs	Michael	7G	S6
Dunlop	Blake	10W	L3	Gopperth	Leighton	7R	L7	Hodson	Aaron	10G	B5
Dunlop	Thomas	11	L6	Gopperth	Shaan	10L	L5	Hogan	John	CPP	CPP
Edmonds	Patrick	9W	S4	Gordge	Aaron	13	CCP	Hogan	Liam	9L	LS6
Ekanayake	Yeshan	11	L5	Gordon	Alexander	11	B3	Holdom	Blair	12	LS1
Elder	Liam	7R	L5	Gordon	Caleb	8R	B1	Holland	Bradley	8G	LS5
Elliot	Gareth	11	B5	Gordon	Hamish	8B	B7	Holloway	Jonathan	11	LS3
Emson	Brenan	11	L4	Graham	Andrew	8B	LS1	Holswich	Christian	13	B7
Ewing	Luke	10G	S3	Graham	Daniel	10L	S2	Honeyfield	Rhyan	10W	B3
Fabish	Khan	11	B4	Grainger	Alex	7B	B6	Hong	Kelvin	13	LS5
Fahey	Dane	12	CCP	Gray	Cameron	7B	L5	Hooper	Paul	10R	S1
Fahy	Michael	10L	S2	Greenhill	Kayne	10R	LS4	Hope	James	10W	S7
Fearn	Michael	10R	B5	Gregg	Blair	10L	B5	Hopkinson	Phillip	11	S7
Feaunati	Alekana	8B	L4	Gunatunga	Deshan	11	S3	Hosking	Joshua	8B	S2
Feaver	Brendan	11	LS2	Gut	Daniel	11	S6	How	Mitchell	7G	B7
Feek	Zachary	9W	LS3	Gut	Ryan	9B	S7	Howells	Dion	11	B1
Fevre	Liam	8B	LS1	Guthrie	Blair	11	LS3	Huesser	Simon	12	B4
Fife	Christopher	12	L7	Guthrie	Trent	13	CCP	Hughes	Mark	12	B7
Finnerty	Lee	7G	S4	Hall	Bradley	10G	B3	Hullah	Joshua	12	L1
Fitzgerald	Hayden	11	LS5	Hall	Dylan	13	S6	Hunt	Griffin	8B	S4
Fitzgerald	Joseph	8G	LS2	Hall	Jordan	9G	LS2	Hunter	Andrew	11	L6
Fleming	Campbell	8R	L5	Hall	Lloyd	10L	B1	Hunter	Brad	9L	S1
Fleming	Cody	9W	S1	Hall	Ryan	7G	LS3	Hunter	James	13	L3
Fleming	Lee	7B	S5	Hamblyn	Chris	13	S2	Hunter	Michael	9G	L2
Fleming	Ryan	10G	L1	Hamilton	Robert	11	LS6	Hunter	Thadius	12	S7
Fleming	Scott	9R	S2	Hancock	Marcus	13	LS4	Hurst	Kane	7B	L7
Foley	Trent	11	L2	Hancock	Richard	9R	L2	Hurunui	Anaru	9L	B2
Forrest	Jason	11	S3	Hancock	Scott	9B	S5	Hurunui	Richard	11B	B1
Forrest	Samuel	10R	S7	Hannam	Reece	11	L3	Hussey	Mark	13	L7
Forsythe	Ciaran	8G	S3	Hanover	Peter	CPP	CPP	Hutchinson	Billy	9G	S6
Foster	Dominic	9L	S3	Hansman	Daniel	9W	S4	Ingram	Ben	9W	L4
Foster	Lee	11	S2	Hansman	Matthew	8G	S1	Ingram	Joseph	9G	L6
Franks	Adam	12	B6	Hart	Brendon	13	S3	Ingram	Ricky	7R	LS7



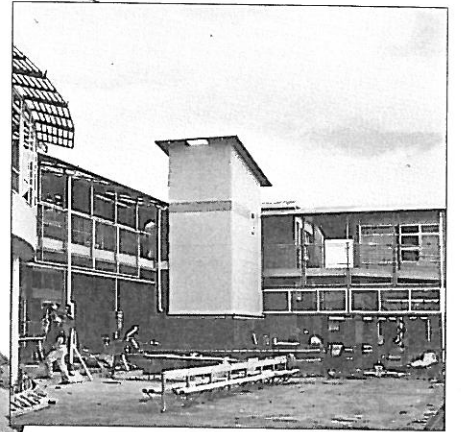
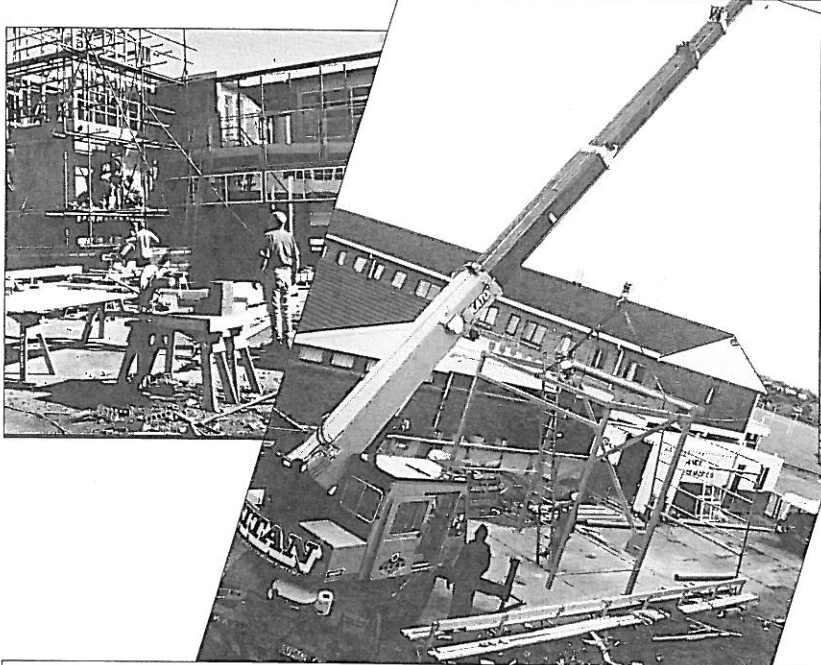
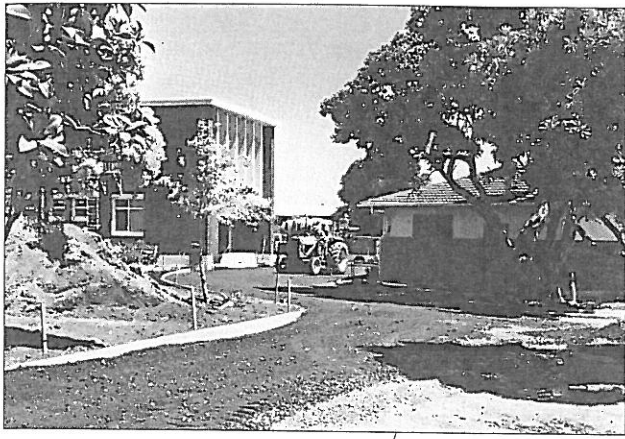
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Instone	Jeremy	8G	B1	Lepper	Torran	8B	B2	Miller	Shane	11	B3
Irving	Hamish	11	L2	Leuenberger	Timothy	8R	S5	Mills	Adam	10W	B3
Jackson	Daniel	11	S5	Light	Gerard	13	S4	Milne	Jonathon	11	S3
Jackson	Daniel	7B	B5	Little	Daniel	11	S1	Morgan	Tane	12	S3
Jackson	Marc	10R	S6	Lockett	Zane	12	LS4	Morgan	Thomas	7R	B1
Jackson	Nathan	9W	L4	Lockley	Curtis	9L	B1	Morwood	James	9L	LS5
Jackson	Toby	11	L1	Lockley	Gabriel	11	B4	Moselen	Scott	12	B4
Jagersma	Benjamin	9L	L2	Logan	Scott	11	S4	Muggeridge	Blair	12	LS1
Jannings	Hugh	12	S6	Lucas	Joshua	7R	L4	Muggeridge	Cameron	10W	LS7
Joblin	Adam	10L	S4	Lucas	Michael	9B	L5	Muller	Daniel	11	L1
Johns	Nicholas	11	B6	Ludi	Gregory	12	B3	Mulligan	Nicholas	11	LS4
Johnson	Glen	11	LS2	Luond	Phillip	11	S6	Mullin	Jordan	11	B7
Johnson	Harlee	9R	LS1	MacBeth	Blair	12	CPP	Mullin	Samuel	13	B6
Johnson	Michael	11	LS7	MacDonald	Rori	7R	L2	Murcott	Matthew	7B	S3
Johnston	Paul	11	B6	MacKay	Michael	8R	B2	Murphy	Craig	9B	S1
Joines	David	8G	S4	Maclean	Grant	9R	B3	Murphy	Shaun	9G	S2
Jones	Blair	10G	L7	Madden	Justin	11	LS3	Murray	Christopher	7G	LS6
Jones	Mathew	8G	LS6	Madden	Leon	9W	L2	Murray	Kendrick	10W	LS6
Jones	Nathanual	10R	LS7	Mahutonga	Matthew	8R	S6	Mustchin	Luke	13	LS5
Jordan	Christopher	13	B4	Mailman	Christopher	9R	LS7	Nath	Arjun	11	L4
Jordan	Jonathan	12	B7	Maindonald	Douglas	8R	B4	Neeson	Jethro	8G	L6
Jordan	Owen	9G	LS1	Maindonald	Tony	10G	B1	Neeson	Timothy	10G	L4
Julian	Andrew	9G	LS1	Mann	Luke	10L	LS3	Nelson	Nathan	10R	LS6
Julian	Samuel	11	B5	Manning	Jacob	9R	B2	Nganeko	Cameron	8G	B6
Julian	Simon	10L	LS3	Manning	Joseph	9G	B1	Nganeko	Daniel	8B	B7
Jupp	Shanan	13	LS3	Manu	Phillip	10B	B5	Nganeko	Hayden	13	B2
Kahui	Jake	8R	S1	Margetts	Callum	11	S3	Nganeko	Matthew	8R	B3
Kalders	Hans	11	LS1	Martin	Simon	10G	LS4	Nicholas	Alexander	7B	L3
Kale	Andrew	9R	LS3	Mason	Craig	10B	L5	Nickson	Daniel	8R	S3
Kay	Sean	10R	LS6	Mathys	Scott	9L	S6	O'Connor	Regan	11	LS6
Keegan	Bradley	13	S7	Matuku	James	13	B5	O'Connor	Rory	12	LS4
Keegan	Lindsay	10R	S6	Maulder	Gareth	10B	L2	O'Dea	Nicholas	12	B6
Keegan	Rodney	12	S2	Mazengarb	Hayden	8G	S7	O'Donnell	Iain	9R	LS6
Kemp	Heath	11	S4	McCabe	Chip	9G	B4	O'Keefe	Finn	9G	B2
Kidd	Benjamin	7G	S7	McCleary	Alexander	10R	L4	O'Keefe	Jayden	9W	LS7
King	Bryce	9G	L4	McCormack	Jonathan	9L	L3	O'Keefe	Kane	10L	LS2
King	Daniel	10R	S7	McCracken	Caley	11	LS1	O'Keefe	Regan	7B	LS1
Kirby	Jaxon	13	LS3	McCracken	Daniel	10W	B6	O'Neill	Kieran	8R	B1
Kirby	Thomas	11	LS6	McCracken	Justin	11	LS6	O'Sullivan	Nicholas	11S	S6
Kiser	Michael	11	B7	McDiarmid	Shaun	11	LS5	Orchard	Kieran	12S	S6
Kiser	Niklaus	9G	B1	McDonald	Daniel	12	L6	Orr	Jonathan	9R	LS3
Klenner	Mark	10L	L7	McDonald	Fraser	9B	L7	Osborne	Hunter	8B	L6
Knowles	David	10G	LS3	McDonald	Oliver	11	L4	Parke	Christopher	13	S4
Knox	Jordan	11	S5	McDonald	Paul	11	L4	Parke	Daniel	10R	S6
Koha	Peter	8B	LS1	McDonald	Timothy	8G	L7	Parker	Daniel	8B	LS6
Kowalewski	Anten	12	L6	McGarvey	Evan	9L	S4	Parkes	Clinton	12	S1
Kruse	Jeremy	8B	LS7	McGarvey	Liam	12	S3	Parkes	Zair	12	LS1
Ladd	Jacob	12	LS7	McGregor	Riley	9B	L4	Parr	Daniel	13	B7
Laing	Bruce	13	S1	McGregor-Bates	Aaron	11L	L7	Parr	Joseph	8R	B6
Laing	Philip	7G	S2	McIver	Brad	13	S1	Patten	Caide	12	LS7
Langton	Nicholas	10R	LS7	McLachlan	Allen	9L	LS7	Patten	Ulee	8R	LS5
Lawn	Kieran	10B	S7	McLernon	Barry	11S	S5	Payne	Seth	9L	S3
Lawn	Timothy	13	S3	McSeveny	James	11	LS7	Peacock	Scott	10G	B3
Lazarus	Kayne	12	S5	Meek	Adam	11	L3	Peacock	Thomas	9R	B4
Le Prou	Jacques	13	S5	Megchelse	Timothy	10W	LS7	Pearce	Adam	11	S2
Le Prou	Jean-Pierre	10W	S4	Meijer	Kyle	12L	L7	Peoples	Bodan	12	B5
Leafberg	Ivan	11	LS6	Meijer	Mathew	7R	L1	Perera	Ronshi	7B	LS3
Lee	Aidan	13	LS1	Melody	Michael	13L	L4	Peters	Scott	9B	B3
Lee	Ben	11	S7	Mercer	Willy	9R	B5	Peters	Troy	12	B2
Lee	Robert	11	L5	Merewether	Kyle	12	B3	Petersen	Shane	CPP	CPP
Lee	Simon	9B	LS6	Merewether	Luke	8G	B5	Pfister	Richard	12	B1
Leicester	Jacob	CPP	CPP	Methven	Stuart	8G	LS7	Phillips	Martin	10B	L1
Lepper	Carlin	11B	B5	Meuli	Jason	9W	LS5	Pierce	Jonathan	12	B4

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Poole	Shaun	9G	B3	Silby	Hayden	11	B2	Tyson	Stephen	10W	LS1
Pope	Brendan	10G	L7	Singh	Simran	11	B2	Vernon	Andrew	8G	S3
Potter	Jason	10W	L6	Sisifa	Latu	10R	L2	Vickers	Jade	CPP	CPP
Powell	Kerry	8R	S6	Sisifa	Samisoni	13	L4	Vickers	Logan	10L	B6
Prestney	Adam	10G	S5	Sisifa	Tovo	8G	L3	Volzke	Hayden	12	B2
Prestney	James	11	S1	Siversen	Christopher	9B	LS6	Voss	Alexander	9W	S4
Prestney	Thomas	10B	S4	Siversen	Shane	7G	LS7	Voss	Jonathan	10G	S3
Preston	Gary	11	B1	Skinner	Jayden	9B	S5	Wackrow	Brad	12	L5
Preston	Keith	9G	B6	Skittrup	Jason	12	B7	Wackrow	Jared	7B	L6
Pritchard	Sheldon	13	LS6	Slaats	James	9R	L7	Waite	Aaron	10W	B5
Putt	James	9R	B6	Sloan	Samuel	11	S2	Waite	David	12	B6
Quest	Christopher	9G	L4	Smart	Shaun	9L	S7	Waite	Isaac	7B	B7
Quest	Joachim	10W	L3	Smiley	David	10L	L1	Walker	Joshua	11	LS5
Quin	Paul	10R	LS5	Smith	Carl	12	CCP	Walsh	Adam	10B	LS2
Quinn	John	10W	L2	Smith	Chad	7G	B7	Walsh	Cameron	10R	S5
Rabbidge	Judd	7G	LS4	Smith	Courtney	8B	L3	Walsh	Matthew	8B	B3
Radich	Adam	10R	S1	Smith	Courtney	12	B7	Walsh	Phillip	9L	B4
Radich	Christopher	9W	L1	Smith	Danniel	11	S7	Walsh	Thomas	9L	S7
Radich	Joseph	10B	LS5	Smith	Jacob	9B	LS2	Wano	Wiremu	8G	S2
Radich	Tony	8B	S5	Smith	Justen	13	B6	Ward	Samuel	10W	L3
Rakena	Anaru	10R	LS5	Smith	Matthew	10W	L5	Warner	Matthew	8B	B2
Ramage	Daniel	9W	B2	Smith	Rick	10L	B6	Watkins	Clayton	12	L3
Rawles	Robert	10R	S3	Sole	Geoffrey	10B	L1	Watson	Nicholas	11	B5
Reader-Nokes	Ashley	7B	S1	Sole	Kurt	9G	S4	Watt	Callum	7B	LS1
Reed	Christopher	11	LS4	Sole	Nathan	7G	S4	Waugh	Campbell	7B	LS5
Reidy	Christopher	9B	B7	Sorensen	Kade	8R	B4	Way	Tommy	11	S7
Rhodes	Sunil	8G	LS4	Southee	Joshua	8R	LS3	Weake	Darren	9G	L7
Rice	Benjamin	12	S5	Squire	Patrick	7R	L2	Webby	Christopher	10B	B4
Richardson	Michael	7R	S5	Squire	Richard	7B	L1	Webby	Daniel	13	B2
Richardson	Nathan	10L	LS1	Stanway	Andre	12	LS2	Webbing	Jeremy	12	B1
Richardson	Sean	10W	S2	Stevens	Jody	12	LS3	Webbing	Matthew	11	B7
Riddock	Michael	12	L5	Stevenson	Patrick	13	S3	Webbing	Stefan	7B	B2
Ridley	Sean	7R	S6	Stevenson	Shane	10W	LS7	Wells	Daniel	12	B5
Rima	Tamatoa	11	L5	Stewart	Michael	11	S5	Wells	Simon	10L	B3
Roberts	Ben	9G	L6	Stewart	Tony	9R	S3	Werder	Charles	9W	LS5
Robinson	Lance	CPP	CPP	Story	Paul	9L	LS4	West	Jarden	9R	B7
Robinson	Mark	11	L2	Straathof	Ardy	12	LS6	Wharehoka	Andrew	9B	S5
Robinson	Matthew	9R	L5	Stringer	James	11	LS3	Wheeler	Joal	10R	LS1
Rowland	James	9L	B5	Su	Michael	7G	S4	Whelan	Cameron	10B	B7
Rowland	Nicholas	11	B4	Swannell	Louis	CPP	CPP	White	Matthew	13	L1
Rush	Nicholas	13	B3	Sy	Kevin	8G	L2	White-Robinson	Mark	13	L1
Ryan	Daniel	9R	S1	Taepa	Shane	9R	LS4	Whittington	Ben	11	L1
Sarten	Ben	11	S1	Tai	Gareth	10G	S6	Whittle	Kristofer	9L	L1
Sarten	Christopher	8B	S7	Tai	Mathias	9G	L3	Whyte	Tainui	11	B2
Sarten	Dion	10G	LS4	Tamarapa	James	12	LS5	Wicky	Chris	9W	L3
Sarten	Matthew	13	S4	Tanner	Liam	7G	L2	Wicky	Julian	11	L2
Schicker	Peter	12	LS1	Taylor	Dane	9R	B7	Wilbore	Scott	9R	L7
Schrader	Joel	9W	B4	Taylor	Daniel	9G	LS1	Willan	Blair	12	S1
Schumacher	Abraham	9W	LS1	Taylor	Gregory	12	S7	Williams	Gareth	12	LS3
Schumacher	Ben	12	LS2	Te Moana	Hohepa	9L	B5	Williams	Paul	10B	S1
Schumacher	Samuel	11	LS4	Tecofsky	Kyle	10W	LS3	Williams	Roger	11	L3
Schumacher	Thomas	12	LS3	Thompson	Zahn	11	LS7	Wills	Zachary	7B	S3
Scott	Cameron	10R	S3	Thorburn	Adam	10G	B1	Wilson	Matthew	9B	LS7
Seator	Daryl	12	B3	Thorburn	Matthew	13	B4	Wong	Clifford	7R	L2
Seator	Mark	10W	B2	Tippins	Bayley	9R	S7	Wood	Bayden	10B	LS1
Secker	Matthew	12	L6	Tizard	Luke	7B	L7	Wratisslav	Christopher	13	L2
Shanley	Toby	11	L5	Tofts	Benjamin	12	L6	Yardley	Conor	8R	LS2
Shea	Michael	7G	B6	Townsend	Matthew	9B	LS6	Yarrow	Philip	11	S5
Shea	Roland	8G	B5	Trethewey	Nicholas	12	LS6	Young	Geoffrey	10B	L4
Shearer	Callum	10G	L6	Trevis	Isaac	7R	LS6	Young	Samuel	13	LS7
Sheehan	Gareth	8G	L5	Tume	Marcel	7R	L3	Zieltjes	Sean	10G	L5
Sherman	Peter	13	S1	Tunnicliff	Robert	9W	LS2	Zurakowski	Zenek	8R	L2
Siffleet	Ben	8R	L4	Turner	Dylan	9G	S1				
Siffleet	Scott	12	L3	Tuuta	Paul	S	S3				





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