



NEWMAN SHS
THE IRON HEART OF EDUCATION

13 November 2019

PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Greetings to all families and students.

This newsletter highlights and celebrates the achievements of the Class of 2019. I commend all Year 12 students for the investment they've made in their own education, and their family and friends for supporting them to get there. The Year 12s were addressed by Marie Burgoin General Manager BHP, who inspired them to persevere and be their best. High school is part of the support our community provides to young people, to get them to become young adults who are increasingly independent and positive members of the community. It's an honour to work with families and to see our young people become young adults.



Congratulations to:

McClements Foundation Year 11 students who were North West finalists in the UWA competition about accessing university.

Students who participated in the Lightning Carnival in Karratha on 31 October – great results by all teams

Olivia Hughes and Sally Keogh, School Captains 2020.

Please enjoy the newsletter.

Carolyn J Cook
Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

Year 11 Workplace Learning
VSwans Shooting Goals Incentive Trip
McClements Foundation Challenge
VSwans Shooting Hoops Incentive Trip
Year 9 UWA Aspire Camp

Monday 11 Nov - Friday 22 Nov
Friday 15 Nov – Monday 18 Nov
Monday 18 Nov – Friday 26 Nov
Monday 25 Nov – Tuesday 26 Nov
Wednesday 4 Dec - Friday 6 Dec

Final Assembly
Oresome Morning Tea
Amazing Race
Last Day

Wednesday 11 December
Wednesday 18 December
Thursday 19 December
Thursday 19 December

Information for Year 9 Parents

Students who get to Band 8 in Reading, Writing and Numeracy in Year 9 NAPLAN are considered to have reached the basic literacy and numeracy standards – they don't have to sit the OLN test in Year 10. OLN consists of three separate tests – like NAPLAN - Reading, Writing and Numeracy. Students only sit the tests they did not achieve in NAPLAN Year 9. They have two opportunities in Year 10, 11 and 12 – thus six chances altogether. When they achieve a 3, they are considered to have passed and therefore do not have to sit any further tests for that subject. Students will not receive a Western Australia Certificate of Education at the completion of Year 12 unless they have achieved the three passes.



Please make contact with one of the Deputy Principals if you would like further information about this or visit the website <https://wace1516.scsa.wa.edu.au/assessment/olna>

Mr Daniel Drummond
Deputy Principal

Remembrance Day



Today, 11 November 2019 marks 101 years since the Armistice was signed to end World War I — a conflict that claimed the lives of 60,000 Australians.

Armistice Day is also known as Remembrance Day. On the 11th hour on the 11th day of the 11th month, a minutes' silence is observed and dedicated to those soldiers who died fighting to protect the nation. ... Today the loss of Australian lives from all wars and conflicts is commemorated on Remembrance Day.

Year 12 Presentation Evening



Back row: Alexandria Tapera, Louisa Samwell, Ethan Horosak, Wyatt Teakle, Luke Egan, Lakeesha Hawkins, Coen Morrell, Keanu Gilbert, Russell Koya, Tristan Chong, Christel Ladrillono, Marissa Donation and Junior Manu

Front row: Marshella Malupi, Jhuver Jimenez, Jayden Reddy, Tahni Sandell, Angel Ararao, Paula Plandez, Hanna Graddy, Jesse Wood, Heidi Meredith, Ainslie Collins, Amber Cunningham, Lauren Taylor and Aleesha Gilmore.

The Year 12 Presentation evening was held on Monday 21 October. Students filed into the gym to the applause of proud family members, friends and Newman Senior High School staff. The evening was a formal acknowledgement of their achievements at Newman Senior High School and a fitting way to mark the completion of their schooling.

Congratulations to the class of 2019

Course Awards

English

Certificate of Excellence (ATAR)

Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Certificate of Endeavour (ATAR)

Awarded to **Wyatt Teakle**

Certificate of Excellence (General)

Awarded to **Lauren Taylor**

Certificate of Endeavour (General)

Awarded to **Cassandra McDonnell**

Mathematics

Certificate of Excellence in Mathematics Application (ATAR)

Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Certificate of Endeavour in Mathematics Application (ATAR)

Awarded to **Lakeesha Hawkins**

Certificate of Excellence in Maths Essentials (General)

Awarded to **Amber Cunningham**

Certificate of Endeavour in Maths Essentials (General)

Awarded to **Kirsten Southwell**

Science

Certificate of Excellence in Human Biology (ATAR)

Awarded to **Hanna Graddy**

Certificate of Endeavour in Human Biology (ATAR)

Awarded to **Angel Ararao**

Physical Education

Certificate of Excellence in Health Studies (ATAR)

Awarded to **Wyatt Teakle**

Certificate of Endeavour in Health Studies (ATAR)

Awarded to **Hanna Graddy**

Certificate of Excellence in Physical Education Studies (General)

Awarded to **Keanu Gilbert**

Certificate of Endeavour in Physical Education Studies (General)

Awarded to **Ainslie Collins**

Humanities and Social Sciences

Certificate of Excellence in Modern History (ATAR)

Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Certificate of Endeavour in Modern History (ATAR)

Awarded to **Wyatt Teakle**

Certificate of Excellence in Career and Enterprise (General)

Awarded to **Hanna Graddy**

Certificate of Endeavour in Career and Enterprise (General)

Awarded to **Alexandra Tapera**

Technologies

Certificate of Excellence in Food Science & Technology (General)

Awarded to **Cassandra McDonnell**

Certificate of Endeavour in Food Science & Technology (General)

Awarded to **Junior Manu**

Certificate of Excellence in Material Design and Technology - Wood

Awarded to **Amber Cunningham**

Certificate of Endeavour in Material Design and Technology - Wood

Awarded to **Heidi Meredith**

Certificate of Excellence in Design (General)

Awarded to **Amber Cunningham**

Certificate of Endeavour in Design (General)

Awarded to **Ethan Horosak**

Certificate of Excellence in Computer Science

Awarded to **Louisa Samwell**

Certificate of Endeavour in Computer Science

Awarded to **Russell Koya**

The Arts

Certificate of Excellence in Visual Arts (General)

Awarded to ***Alexandria Tapera***

Certificate of Endeavour in Visual Arts (General)

Awarded to ***Marissa Donation***

Certificate of Excellence in Media Production and Analysis (General)

Awarded to ***Cassandra McDonnell***

Certificate of Endeavour in Media Production and Analysis (General)

Awarded to ***Aleesha Gilmore***

Please note, School of Isolated and Distance Education (SIDE) awards are not listed here.

Vet Awards

Certificate II Engineering

Awarded to ***Amber Cunningham***

Certificate II Sport and Recreation

Awarded to ***Junior Manu***

Certificate II in Business

Awarded to ***Cassandra McDonnell***

Award for Excellence in Vocational Education and Training

Awarded to ***Amber Cunningham***



Special Awards

ATAR Dux

Donated by Newman Lions Club, Anthony Middleton
Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Vocational Education and Training Dux

Donated by Linden Logistics/East Pilbara Pest Management, Amie Hoestra & Holly Gonvalves
Awarded to **Christel Ladrillono**

Long Tan Leadership Award

Donated by the Australia Defence Force, Warrant Officer Class 2 Bruce Morris
Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Citizenship Award

Donated by Melissa Price MP of Durak & Wideglide Constructions, James McClements
Awarded to **Marissa Donation**

Caltex Best All-Rounder Award

Donated by Caltex Australia and Customer First Contracting, Scott Morgan
Awarded to **Jesse Wood**

Follow the Dream Award

Donated by the Graham Polly Farmer Foundation, Debbie Douglas
Awarded to **Tahni Sandel**

Student Council Award

Donated by Customer First Contracting, Scott Morgan
Awarded to **Ainslie Collins**

Endeavour Award

Donated by Linden Logistics/East Pilbara Pest Management, Amie Hoekstra & Holly Gonvalves
Awarded to **Aleesha Gilmore**

Principal's Award

Donated by Shire of East Pilbara, Carolyn Cook
Awarded to **Angel Ararao**

Newman Way Award

Donated by Linden Logistics/East Pilbara Pest Management, Amie Hoekstra & Holly Gonvalves
Awarded to **Wyatt Teakle**

School Sports Star of the Year

Donated by the Newman National Football League, Kelly Kendrick
Awarded to **Junior Manu**



Hanna Graddy and Lakeesha Hawkins

Alexandria Tapera, Lauren Taylor, Wyatt
Teakle and Jesse Wood



Jhuver Jimenez



Jhuver Jimenez, Russell Koya, Christel
Ladrillono



Heidi Meredith and Coen Morrell



Jayden Reddy and Louisa Samwell

Secondary Pathways Review

Are you interested in how senior secondary pathways (Years 11 and 12) work and what could be improved?

A Review Panel has been formed by the Education Ministers of all states and territories. They are seeking feedback and you can help with this by doing this survey:

Secondary Pathways Review

I encourage all parents and caregivers to consider giving feedback, which will shape how senior secondary works in the future. The survey closes 7 December.

Carolyn J Cook
Principal

2019 School Year book

We are very excited to let you know the 2019 Year book is in the final stages and close to print. We would like to thank all those who have contributed to make this a fantastic edition!

If you would like a copy of the Year book please let our Front Office staff know on (08) 9175 8100.

Please note that we have a limited quantities available.



Newman Senior High School All Stars



Left to right: Olivia Hughes, Leah McDonnell, Mikaela McCakeren and Attila Toth

Congratulations to a group of four Year 11 students who entered a University of Western Australian competition about bridging the gap in order to access universities. The students Olivia Hughes, Leah McDonnell, Attila Toth and Mikaela McCakeren won the North West category.

Should you wish to view the video, please click on the link below:

NSHS All Stars

Lightning Carnival - Karratha



Back row: Ms Jamie Higgott, Caleb Wilock, Deegan Smith, Isaac Fumhanda and Peter Jensen **Front row:** Tihani Ghozali, Supachai Rainford, Reid Clarke, Nikki Lee Rasmussen and Lochlan Harrison

The Health and Physical Education Department selected four teams to participate in the 2019 Lightning Carnival held on Thursday 31 October. The four teams were: Mixed Volleyball, Mixed Futsal, Boys Basketball and Girls Basketball. All teams participated displaying the Newman Way values and were highly competitive in all four competitions. At the end of the tournament the teams finished as follows:

Mixed Futsal – 1st
Mixed Volleyball – 4th
Boys Basketball – 3rd
Girls Basketball – 4th

There were individual awards won by two of our Newman Senior High School students, Superchai Rainford winning Most Valuable Player (MVP) in the Mixed Futsal competition and John Gozo winning MVP in the Boys Basketball.

The trip was a great success. Joe Salva injured himself in the lead up to the carnival but still attended and coached the girl's basketball with great results. This was an excellent example of the commitment shown by all the team members.

Well Done 2019 Karratha Lightning Carnival Team.



Volleyball Team

SCHOOL CAPTAINS - 2020



We would like to congratulate our School Captains for 2020 - Olivia Hughes and Sally Keogh.

2020 Year 12 School Leavers Jackets

This year our Year 11 students are organised and have chosen a reversible varsity jacket as their Year 12 Leavers Jacket. One side is spray proof (nylon material) and the other is fleece.

A sample sizing kit will be arriving the first week of Term 1 2020 for students to try. Once size and design is confirmed, and payment received we will submit the order. The expected turnaround is approximately 8 weeks from date of order.

The cost is **\$114** and payment can be made at the Front Office.

NASA in the Pilbara

On Friday 8 November BHP geologists, Steve Loack and Nat Linder-Patton, visited Newman SHS for a presentation to Year 7 and 8 students about their work with NASA in the Pilbara.

The opportunity was arranged to coincide with the current science topics of rocks and minerals and planetary science.

In each year group session Pilbara geology, mining and its link to NASA's interests in the region and the 2020 Mars mission were highlighted. Starting with a 10 minute video of Pilbara geology and time for questions we then moved to a presentation on why NASA was interested in the region.

Each session finished with a short talk on the bigger NASA picture and a short video on the Artemis moon to Mars project.

Andrew Morgan
Science Teacher

Indigenous Digital Excellence - IDX

As part of Newman Futures, staff from the three Newman schools, Youth Centre and Remote Schools Attendance Strategy have trained in robotics, coding, virtual reality and drones – innovations for our future.

IDX video



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