

**Principal's Note**

Dear Parents

Kia ora  
Talofa lava  
Greetings to you all

The Mass of Thanksgiving was a wonderful part of a very special day for our school as we said farewell to our leavers. Our students participated very well in Mass and listened quietly as the badges were blessed and each leaver's name read out.

It was great to have Bishop Barry Jones present at the prize-giving as well as two local Labour MPs - Brendan Burns and Lianne Dalziel; who spoke stirringly of her experiences at school. It was a very moving afternoon of speeches, music, awards, laughter, mixed with a little sadness from some of our leavers.

We all said our final farewells at the Leavers' dinner that evening.

The Yr 13 students have been a wonderful bunch of students, enthusiastic and involved in their college – fine examples of young men and women well prepared for the challenges ahead.

We wish them well.

With God's peace and best wishes to you all.

Bruce Henley  
Principal

**Advent Carol Service and Junior Award Ceremony**

**11.00am**  
**Friday 11 December 2009**  
**In the College hall**

All welcome



**SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE**

Our annual second hand uniform sale will be held on 30 November from 5-6.30pm. If you have any uniforms to sell please bring them to the school office before 26 November. The items should be clean and in good condition, marked with your name, address, telephone number and the price you wish to sell the items for.



**MUSIC PERFORMANCES**

Year 9 & 10 Music Performance evening 6pm  
Monday 23rd Nov in music department all family and friends welcome.

Year 7 & 8 Music Performance  
evening 6pm Wed 25th Nov, school hall, fundraising sausage sizzle

**Congratulations to our new leader for 2010**

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| <i>Head Girl</i>         | <b>Anna-Monique Nussbaumer</b>         |
| <i>Head Boy</i>          | <b>Wayne Paletasala</b>                |
| <i>Deputy Head Girl</i>  | <b>Bree Scott</b>                      |
| <i>Deputy Head Boy</i>   | <b>Nick Forde</b>                      |
| <i>Special Character</i> | <b>Langi Vehikite, Lianna Connor</b>   |
| <i>Sports Captain</i>    | <b>Emily Lakin</b>                     |
| <i>House Leaders</i>     | <b>Blue—Becky Braid</b>                |
|                          | <b>Green—Michael Gunstone</b>          |
|                          | <b>Red—Joelee Waszczak</b>             |
|                          | <b>Gold—Jessica Panapa</b>             |
| <i>Cultural</i>          | <b>Sala Ioane</b>                      |
| <i>Environmental</i>     | <b>Gertrude Gloria</b>                 |
| <i>BOT</i>               | <b>Gertrude Gloria</b>                 |
| <i>Peer Support</i>      | <b>Sam Suzuki, Lauren Moir-Loveday</b> |
| <i>Magazine</i>          | <b>Jayden Ford</b>                     |
| <i>Library</i>           | <b>Chelsea Faherty</b>                 |
| <i>Radio</i>             | <b>Joshua Shute</b>                    |



Anna-Monique Nussbaumer



Wayne Paletasala



Bree Scott



Nick Forde

**Sun Block SPF 30+**

Sunblock is available from the office. Roll On \$6.00 and Tubes \$7.50. These are the ideal size for school bags.

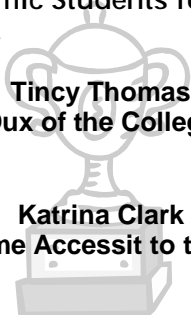
**Music reminder for Year 7  
Students going into Year 8  
Music**

The instrumental music programme at Catholic Cathedral College continues in Year 8 and **students are asked to make their own arrangements for instruments** as the instrument they have used this year will be issued to the new year 7 students who begin 2010. If you have any queries regarding this please contact Sophie Ralph, via the school office or email [sr@cathcollege.school.nz](mailto:sr@cathcollege.school.nz). I am more than willing to help source instruments for those who need help.

**Congratulations to the Top Academic Students for 2009**

**Tincy Thomas  
Dux of the College**

**Katrina Clark  
Proxime Accessit to the Dux**



**Board of Trustee Elections 2010**

The next Board of Trustee 3 yearly Elections will be held on 07 May 2010.

Every school is required to have 5 Parent Trustees,

Please give some serious thought to putting your name forward for these positions

We need people who are pro-active & can commit to being an active Board member, to provide good Governance for the school, to keep leading it down the right path.

If you would like to know more, please either see Jenni Anderson in the office, or feel free to ring a current Board member for some information.



**URGENT OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS**

All outstanding accounts for school fees, sports participation fees and attendance dues need to be paid before 30 November 2009. Your immediate attention is requested in this matter. Thank you .

**Term 4 Sport  
Congratulations to:**

Ben Lakin who was selected for the Canterbury year 7/ 8 boys water polo team.



The following students competed at the North East Zone Athletics and will now go on to represent the College at the Canterbury Athletics.

Luke Sutton 1st in 13+ boys 100m, Jesse Toimoana 1st in 12 yr boys 100m, and Long Jump  
John Stowers 1st 12yr boys Discus and Shot put  
Kaweau Patea 1st 12yr girls 100m  
Grainne O'Connell-Thoen 1st 11yr girls 60m  
Natalie Dryden 1st 11yr girls 1200m.

**Prayer**

We bring the stories of our lives this year, all our hopes and dreams, our disappointments and cares, to our prayer as we pray in the words of Jesus

Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name  
Thy Kingdom come  
thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven  
Give us this day our daily bread  
And forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us  
And lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil  
For thine is the kingdom  
the power and the glory  
for ever and ever.

Amen

**Mentoring 2010**

If you are interested in taking up a Mentoring position in 2010 to help a student's academic progress Please email Justin Fields [jf@cathcollege.school.nz](mailto:jf@cathcollege.school.nz)

**Careers**

**Trades qualifications:** Do you want your son/daughter to learn **Carpentry, Joinery, Furniture Making, Painting and Decorating as a career, classes in school time?**

**Retail;** National Cert in Retail for students who are working in the industry 4 places avail. Must be students already working in a retail environment. Credits towards NCEA. See Trish ASAP.

**Recipients of  
Special Sports Awards  
2009**

**Coach/Referee of the Year -  
Sam Suzuki**

**Service to Sport -  
Sam Fitzsimon**

**Most Outstanding Single  
Sporting Achievement—  
Tegan Madden**

**Sportsman of the Year—  
Wayne Paletasala**

**Sportswoman of the Year -  
Chloe Onekawa**

**All Round Sports Person -  
Wayne Paletasala**

**COMING EVENTS**

**Term 4**

**November**

Mon 23 Yr 9/10 Music  
Performance 6pm

Mon 23/  
Thu 26 Jnr Exams  
Tue 24 BOT Mtg  
Yr 7 New Entrants  
Afternoon 1-3.15pm

Tue 24/  
Thu 26 Y  
Thu 26 Yr 10SM Camp  
Wed 25 Yr 9 New Entrants 1-3.30pm  
Yr 7/8 Music Performance  
6pm in the Hall

Fri 27 Progress Reports  
Mon 30 Yr 7/9 Scholarship  
Exams 9am  
Second Hand Uniform  
Sale 5-6.30pm in the Hall

**December**

Tue 01 Canterbury Athletics  
Wed 02 NCEA exams finish  
Wed 03/  
Fri 04 Yr 10GL Camp  
Thu 10 Newsletter 12  
Fri 11 Liturgy 11am  
**End of School Year**

