



TriniTAS

1999



*Go then, to all peoples
everywhere and make
them my disciples...
teach them to observe
all that I have
commanded you.*

Matthew 28:19-20

The mission of

Trinity Anglican School

*is to nurture Christian formation and
educational excellence in young people,
inspiring them to reach their full potential
as individuals and serving members
of the wider community.*



The School Prayer

*Almighty and Everlasting God,
We pray for our school and for all who teach and learn in it.
We thank you for the vision of our founders,
for the peaceful surroundings of our campuses
and for the beauty of your creation
in which each one of us can share day by day.
Help us to show love and concern for one another
as Christ has shown His love for us.
Enable us to grow in stature, knowledge and humility,
always looking to you as our source of all wisdom
and understanding.
We stand together firmly in the faith of Christ,
giving thanks for the past,
involving ourselves in the present and looking forward
to the future.
TEACH US TO OBSERVE ALL THINGS,
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen*

EDITOR'S NOTE

The evolution of Trinitas continues this year with a change in format that uses a variation of the corporate look of the TAS Letterhead to create an index for Trinitas 1999. Hopefully this makes it easier to peruse the various happenings and events of our three campuses this year.

Once again, it has been fun to meld the vast quantity of wonderful photographs and text that has been contributed by the many members of the TAS community. I would especially like to acknowledge the assistance of Mrs Elaine Mangan, co-ordinator of the MGC section; the Year 11 Student Editors, Philip Cadell, Jeremy Goble, Meah Lockhart, Brooke Murphy and the WRJ Student Editor, Erin Charlton. I also thank Ms Trish Burley whose dedication, patience and computer expertise were invaluable and Father Laurence for his continued support and guidance. *Please enjoy Trinitas 1999.*

Kathryn Goble — Trinitas Editor



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Principal's Report

INTRODUCTION

It is important that our schools educate their students to keep a sense of proportion (with regards a concentration on achieving high academic results to the exclusion of almost everything else) and to pay due regard to the proper claims of other things. Those other things include cultural pursuits, social skills and concerns, sport and the sheer enjoyment of being young.

The words of our Governor-General, Sir William Deane, in his address to the 7th Biennial Conference of The Association of Heads of Independent Schools of Australia in Melbourne this year remind us that independent schools are about educating the whole person. Sir William challenged Heads to ensure that their schools were focusing on the development of the body, mind and spirit.

With only a matter of weeks before we enter a new century and millennium, the challenge facing any school is to create the right environment for their young people, so as to maximise learning opportunities. Creating the right environment for academic, physical, social and spiritual growth is not easy, with a tremendous number of competing interests and conflicting values encroaching on our homes and schools. The very advances of the second half of the twentieth century that we applaud - the television, video, computer, video and computer games and the internet - certainly provide opportunities for learning, but do not always create the right environment. The same medium of communication can bring about the growth and destruction of the hearts, bodies and minds of our children.

In partnership with parents, schools today must work hard in creating the right environment. This involves providing our young with space to succeed and also to fail on occasion; with the right balance between trust and accountability; with opportunities to reflect on and revere the past, whilst preparing them to recognise and support appropriate change for the future, with a sense of individual worth and rights, as well as a community responsibility.

This article was prepared just prior to heading up to Lake Tinaroo for the Year 9 Camp, when students spend three weeks together with staff in the outdoors. Such opportunities for growth, whether on or off campus, are the means by which TAS helps to create the right environment. The tremendous commitment of staff to the nurture of our students in body, mind and spirit is what this School is all about. A co-educational, Christian environment is the right environment, where children are enabled to relate to each other, forge friendships, experience both success and failure, and emerge as happy, friendly, articulate and confident young people prepared for a very different world to the one in which their parents grew up.



TAS has seen the merit in broadening our focus on the fundamentals of education - literacy, numeracy, the arts, sciences, social sciences and languages. The introduction in recent years of technology integration and vocational education and training programmes, together with an increasing emphasis on the importance on the co-curricular programme and spiritual dimensions of life, has helped create *the right environment* in which to nurture *the whole person*. As pressure mounts from society for schools to become training institutions, we must maintain our commitment to the education of *the whole person*, not simply the training of the 'part' for a job that may well not exist as the twenty-first century progresses.

In his paper *The Nurture of the Human Spirit*, Bill Oates writes:

I take education to mean the sum of all the forces which nourish the growth of the individual self. Much of what passes for education is better described as training. A child is trained to count, to spell, to read, to use a computer.

Education, however, is concerned more with awakening the individual's response, so that each wants to learn and so that each knows what he or she wants to do with the skills of reading and computing.

... Education has suffered from the assumption that its meaning is derived from the Latin verb, 'educere' (to lead out), whereas in fact the root Latin verb was 'educare', to nourish.

It is little wonder that the teacher of today feels a tension in their classroom. It is a tension between a political driving force focused on outcomes that are perceived to serve the economic system, and the educational driving force which is focused on developing the understandings, skills and attributes which make us more fully human. *The TAS Difference* is about making young people more fully human, *nurturing Christian formation and educational excellence* as our Mission Statement proclaims boldly.



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As the photographs on this page reflect, the year opened with a record student enrolment in excess of 1030 across the campuses, over forty students above our 1998 closing figure; this strong enrolment position growing to a peak of 1066 students during the year. The opportunity to photograph our School family came on July 30 when we gathered for the "once-every-five-years" Whole School Photograph. What a feat!

During the year we also completed the air conditioning of all classrooms and facilities around the School. Now all students are able to learn in a climate-controlled environment.

As you read through the pages of *Trinitas 1999*, you will experience first hand what I mean by creating *the right environment*. Mrs Kathy Goble, our Trinitas Editor, together with her team of staff and student helpers including the secretarial efforts of Miss Trish Burley, have achieved another outstanding publication. Read and enjoy!



YEAR 12 (Row 1) - Dale Bulmer, Daniel Hanna, Hirofumi Iwai, Philip Jenner, Adam Kingsbury, Brendon Lynch, Alexander Moorhouse, Charles Strickland, Claire Vanbesien, Rachel Abbott, Joshua Dickson, Hitomi Kihara, Aaron Lingwood, Matthew Peacock, James Rigano, Brooke Stewart, Mark Taylor, Joanne Alcorn, Jessica Singh, Abigail Stanbridge, James Timings, Lindsay Chambers, Sherilyn Barnes, Tamsin Ewen-Smith, Rebecca Graham, Liam Johnstone, Caroline Yates, Rachel Cross, Janina Austin, Maryanne Dore, Andrew Birchley, Oliver Driscoll, Bradley Jorgensen, Sam Beattie, Kirk Harmer, Michael Pensini, Emma Robinson, Gemma Scott, Phillip Stork, Bree Turner, Aneike Waud, Katherine Wynn, Tim Wacek, Rebecca Whately, Matthew Wilson, Sascha Brand, Daiyu Hironaka, Nanda Holyoak, Masaki Masu, Rachelle McCarthy, Owen Myhill, Kristine Bantegui, Kieren Caldwell, Eleanor Hamilton-White, Clint Hampton, Matthew Trout, Sascha Van Der Zijden.

YEAR 11 (Row 2) - Samuel Barrett, Marc Beath, Toua Becker, Kent Dufty, Alexia Bia, Jeremy Goble, Angela Graham, Michael Hellwig, Adrienne Hill, Daniel Jefferis, Matthew Jefferis, Rachel Knott, David Lawson, Julia Lewis, Vukadin Paunovic, Belinda Pratt, Vicki Ratliff, Margaret Reilly, David Robbins, Luisa Stephens, Erica Thompson, Jessica Willans, Wayne Yin, Benjamin Adams, Malinda Baldwin, Anthea Bray, Suzanna Ellington, Jess Ferguson, Elizabeth Goodall, Tony Gotovac, Jim Gui, Aki Hayakawa, Ian MacKay, Michael Miller, Daniel Physick, Toshihiko Oshima, Kimberley Roberts, Penny Rosser, Joshua Smith, Michael Thompson, Peter Underwood, Robert Van Den Brand, Brock Williams, Konosuke Yamagishi, Nicole Bean, Byron Bidgood, Daniel Blake, Briony Boath, Natalie Brand, Lauren Buljubasich, Laura Burton, Brent Chuang, Cody Freeman, Benjamin Gibson, Luke Goodwin, Peita Harris, Hiroki Ichikawa, Nicole Kadic, Stacy Lazarus, Meah Lockhart, James Margach. **(Row 3)** - Mark McKelvey, Brooke Murphy, Yohei Nishizuka, Sussanah Pedro, Laura Pike, Heather Phillips, Martine Richards, Jennifer Rumney, Emily Simmons, Ethan Simpson, Alina Skinner, Rory Barclay, Guilherme Barreto, Annika Bradley, Eric Brizuela, Philip Cadell, Carl Conway, Mitchell Drummond, Andrew Dunkerley, Karlee Foley, Megan Gow, Elys Green, Tomomi Hisaki, Kea Johnston, Alena Ladd, Katerina Loyer, Ryan Lange, Cassie Lavers, Daniel Miller, Sareeta Nair, Andrew Rockley, Chihiro Shine, Ned Wilson, Tsuyoshi Yamakawa.

YEAR 10 - Alana Ayrey, Paul Behnke, Victoria Black, Katy Clarke, Robyn Crees, Tomomi Haneda, David Hurst, Graham Irvin, Ai Ito, Alex Kochi, Justin Lai, Timothy Lanski, Alison Loader, Eleanor Lynn, Benjamin Moller, Yoshihiro Shimada, Carla Simms, Andrew Singh, Kosuke Suzuki, Andrew Arias, Erin Bell, Jon Davies, Maliha Doctor, Courtenay Donnelly, Fiona Downs, Meegan Dudley, Michaela Grabau, Miho Suzuki. **(Row 4)** - Mimi Gui, Brooke Johnstone, Samuel MacKenzie, Shinsuke Masui, Tor Rigano, Shirley Shen, Daniel Stapley, Ninko Toyota, Brenden Turner, Alexander Whately, Yetunde Zandbergen-Ajibulu, Rhys Williams, Thomas Birchley, Ryan Bowater, Melissa Darby, Tyler Dunn, Shona Ellis, William Emms, Amanda Harris, Rebecca Hogben, Nigel Ivanovic, Marisa Milgate, Alana Muir, Deborah Phillips, William Reid, Sarah Simmons, Sophie Taylor, Adam Thorpe, Jacqueline Wilson, Ashley Wright, Yuuko Yamamoto, Isabel Bantegui, Dewi Bolton, Samuel Caldwell, Niklas Collins, Tomohiro Ichikawa, Rebecca Lacombe, Barbara Martin, James Mansfield, Adam Miller, Crystal Mitsutsune, Taro Muramoto, Saori Nakazawa, Samantha Roy, Caitlin Salter, Lindsey Sokolich, Sarah Storrs, Puikap Tabuai, Roger Wynn, Victoria Wall, Renee Yates.

YEAR 9 - Jonathan Bleakley, Alfred Bovey, Andrew Brown, Laura Cows, Jarrah Crabtree, Monica Earl, Russell Gaunt, Tye Grace, Christopher Diehm. **(Row 5)** - Jodie Gummow, Remi Hirota, Sang Hyun, Rie Bunyan, Rachel Lloyd, Susan Singh, Alan Strickland, Claire Wish-Wilson, Adam Zaks, Jessica Adams, Dimity Barnes, Christopher Blain, Craig Finlay, Benjamin Forestal, Katharine Goodall, Matthew Graham, Mark Haines, Michael Hallam, Andrew Heggie, Nathan Hoult, Kariyn Kendall, Tsubasa Kihara, Shannyn Lynes, Matthew Miller, Kyoko Miyajima, Benjamin Moritz, Alexandra Reichardt, Yuki Sato, Christopher Thompson, Laura Whennmouth, Kirsty Alexander, Amy Barber, Josh Brown, Sam Brown, Jure Buljubasich, Tegan Callahan, Katherine Camlin, Josephine Clapham, Brock Cook, Naomi De Swardt, Airin Gomura, Dane Hassall, Carene Kloss, Timothy Moeser, Erica Schilling, James Taylor, Kyle Watson, Jelena Wright-Brown, Tarran Barclay, Helen Bolton, Toni Bresnahan, Geoffrey Buchanan, Caroline Houston, William McArthur, Michael Morozak-Smith, Narayan Nair, Lachlan Rankine, Karleen Reinhardt, Shannon Reinhardt, Hayley Roy, Jayde Sangster. **(Row 6)** - Justin Smith, Dominic Wild, Renae Tudor, Vincent Strange, Timothy Bishop, Edan Clark, Raeleigh Crees, Mhairi Davie, Ashley Guy, Jessica Hannan, Luke Harris.

YEAR 8 - Michael Hurst, Alan Irvin, Elizabeth Irvin, Nikola Jevtovic, Jenni Kingsbury, Sarah Laurence, Stacey Marriott, Daniel Mather, Catherine Nilsson, Jeffrey Nilsson, Milan Paunovic, Joshua Plumpton, Nigel Richardson, Kate Smith, Rory Spence, Kristin Stephens, Samuel Ward-Riggs, Thomas Wish-Wilson, James Charnley, Tristan Ciccotosto, Siraj Doctor, Lauren Donnelly, Peter Ferguson, Samantha Hoult, Jackson Karey, Sebbie Kenyon, Paul McGhie, Michael Mengele, Darren Moule, Murray Moule, Sean Muir, Kavita Muralidharan, Paula Newman, Ryan O'Halloran, Amy Oakley, Skye Riggs, Grace Simpson, Nikolas Stewart, Marianne Taylor, Alexandra Te-Loo, Jillary Wane, Dominik Wiadrowski, Merinda Wilson, Beau Wilson, Brendan Board, Chiquita Wright, Rebecca Boath, Emily Burman, Stein Cave, Shuichi Fujinohara, Tracey Dangaard, Alissa Gianarakis. **(Row 7)** - Tanya Goodwin, Vega Griffiths, Daniel Groves, Jenna Happy, Sean Haug, Mark Leitner, Bradley Lukosius, Ashley Lynn, Joshua Maule, Shintaro Okuma, Bethany Phillips, Nicole Rumney, Jack Scrine, Zoe Sherr, Jediah Thorburn, Cameron Thorpe, Danielle Wilson, Nicholas Wright-Brown, Kate Agar, Joel Bailey, Tony Berry, Mark Conway, Patrick Donald, Cameron Flett, Joel Friskin, Mari Kawamata, Brendan Keyte, Michael McArthur, Matthew McClymont, Aaron McDonald, Catherine Miller, Gabrielle Miller, Daniella Morozak-Smith, Chikara Muramoto, Natalie Murray, Motohide Nakazawa, Michelle Reimann, Justin Remmer, Matthew Richardson, Chiaki Shine, Ankur Sinha, Katherine Wall, Alicja Wenderlich, Alexander White.

YEAR 7 MCC - Nathan Ashton, Timothy Ashton, Adam Bekkeli, Ross Gates, Adam Gaunt, Stephanie Graf, Emma Henderson, Tamsin Hyde, Eleanor Jenkins, Callum Jensen, Tara Lebon, Jenna Punshon, Zoe Richardson, Stefi Trenberth. **(Row 8)** - Carry Van Der Zijden, Nicholas Vogelpoel, Natasha Zlatarich.

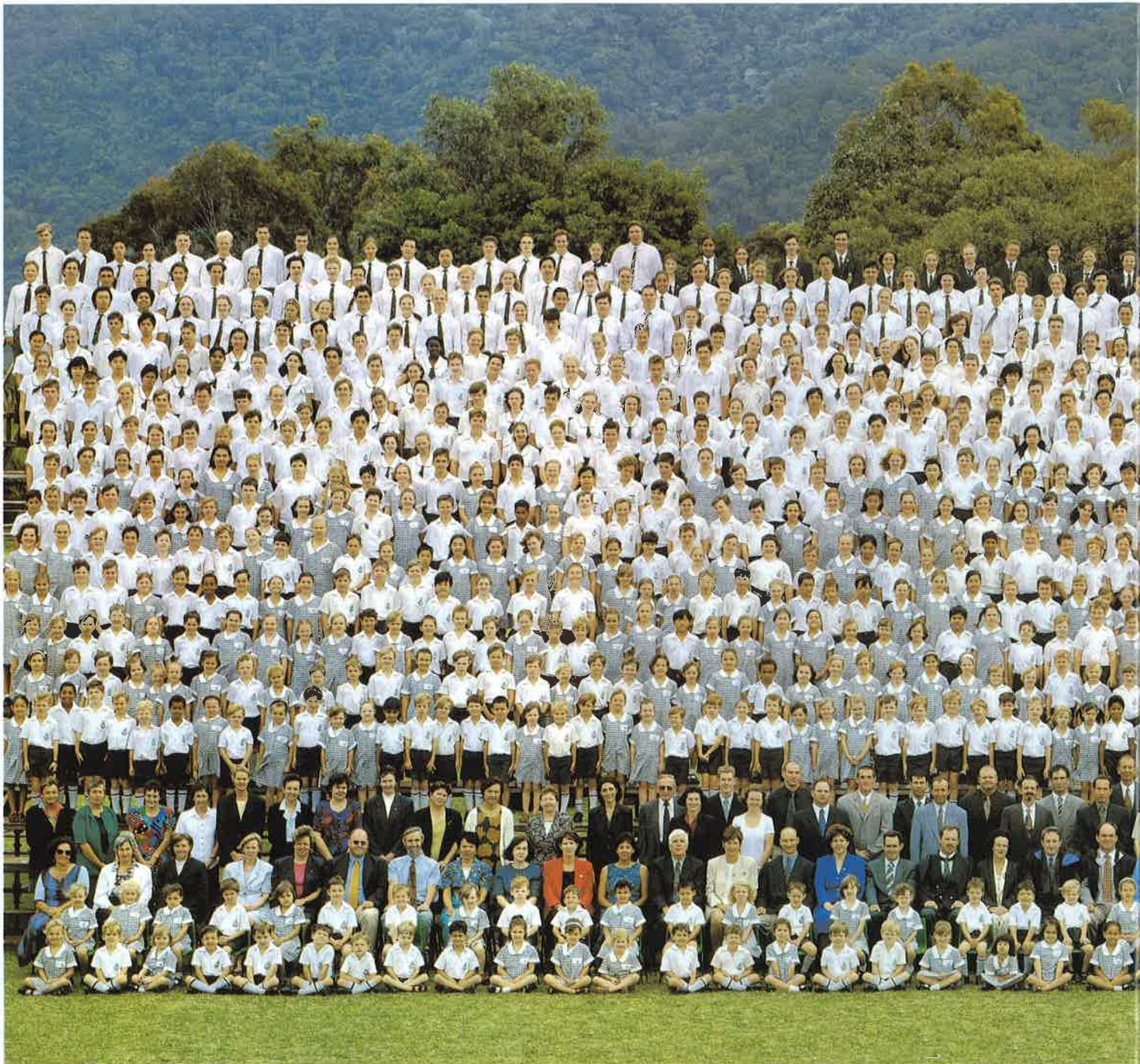
YEAR 7 WRJ - Corey Ackland, Ellie Bassingthwaighe, Rebecca Bolton, Samantha Brett, Michael Cadell, Amanda Campbell, Patrick Campbell, Erin Charlton, Adrian Clyde, Alex Cunningham, John Deeb, Melanie Dewhurst, Ryan Dolan, Jake Forsyth-Turner, Jeremy Garnett, Mietta Gornall, Laura Graham, George Gummow, Kim Hanna, Chelsea Houston, Rebecca Hough, Masayo Ito, Timothy Jacob, Mackenzie Johnston, Jamie Kang, Farrah Kochi, Nadia Kochi, Nagisa Kumagai, Samuel Lewin, Christopher McIntosh, Kirsty McKay, Elyse Milgate, Karthik Muralidharan, Sarah Odgaard, Michael Rees, Caryl Rosser, Ciaran Scully-Clausen, James Sokolich, Josephine Whately, Elle Willans, Natasha Yalo, Rhyannyn Westecott, Keiren Wilson.

YEAR 6 MCC - Belinda Ashton, Tom Bartlett, Peter Bullis, Olandah Channelle, Victoria Charnley, Victoria Clapham, Alaine Crees, Stephanie Collins, Shevaun Fitzmyers, Jacqueline Hara-Crockford, Megan Kadic, Joseph Kubach, Thomas Manoy, Denni Rogers, Nathan Schubert, Laine Sherr, Larissa Simpson, Jay Sumner. **(Row 9)** - Matthew Upton, Michal Wenderlich, Joseph Whitfield, Alexander Zajaz.

YEAR 6 WRJ - Victoria Betts, Alex Bishop, Kathryn Bishop, Jonathan Black, Alicia Blain, Catherine Bleakley, Tess Brian, Stefan Buljubasich, Claire Burman, Kurtis Cows, Natasha David, Andrew Dawia, Hayley Dunn, Robert Gibson, David Goosem, Lachlan Gordon, Guy Hannan, Liam Haug, Jason Hocking, Emman Hawash, Rebecca Hay, Alisa Iwagishi, Chloe Ireland, Nicole Juides, Sam Lumley, Emily Masotto, Monica McGhie, Alicia McClymont, Scott McClymont, Ross McDonald, Mark Moorhouse, Cameron Moule, Daniel Moule, James Murray, James Nair, Trevor Newman, Austyn Pedersen, Steven Remmer, Edward Riggs, Jeremy Russell, Chelsea Russell, Jonathan Schilling, Michael Singh, Cameron Smith, Demelza Stone, Liam Smith, Nicolas Taylor, Ryan Tenni, Symon Toohey, Peter Thompson, Elliott Tindale, Gin Louie Ueda, Brett Watson, Samantha Watson, Tessa Wright, Violetta Zivkovic.

YEAR 5 MCC - George Ambrose, Alexander Beath, Juliana Cosmo, Maxime Cottray, Marika Goodman, David Gaunt, Jessica Grinter. **(Row 10)** - Casandra Grundstrom, Rose Harris, Gregory Hughes, Sasha Kaesermann, Hulton King, Jerome Leray, Nicholas Lindsay, Lauren Maule, Edward Norman, Lisa Priest, Jakob Richardson, Elizabeth Scrine, Akio Uetsuki, Sanatsu Umehara, Erin Walker, Hannah Whitfield, Melissa Zlatarich.

YEAR 5 WRJ - Monica Adams, Troy Beck, Joshua Brett, Elena Board, Zoe Brown, Steven Cadell, John Campbell, Chloe Charlton, Sheree Chuang, Paul Clarke, Teresa Clausen, Adonis Conlife, Raymond Cory, Daniel English, Tyron Falkenstein, John Fowles, Michael Fowles, Lauren Fryer, Benjamin Harris, Reilly Hurst, Evan Jorgensen, Phillip Irvin, Andrew Kang, Shannon Karey, Mathew Kerby-Eaton, Robert Koch, Bojana Kos, Rebecca Laurence, Ryan Lukosius, Elizabeth McArthur, Susan Ma, Nanako Miyajima, Neddyweijyo Maladina, Kate Maltam, James Miller, Alexandra Moorhouse, Eleanor Murray, Grace Nunn, Emma Odgaard, Juliana Paunovic, Daniel Pratt, Sam Rees, Ashlea Sangster, Stephanie Seeto, Nathan Shute, Shouvik Sinha, John Skipworth, Nelson Singh, Jackson Taylor, Amy Smith, Bianca Stafford, Joshua Strutt. **(Row 11)** - Rebecca Tomlinson, Hannah Whittaker.



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YEAR 4 MCC - Jack Ambrose, Jack Bakker, Bonnie Borowczyk, Kazmierz Brown, Julio Brett-Hall, Alexander Cotton, Lyn Gates, Samantha Gilbert, Julia Green, Shane Heath, Adrian Holmes, Leon Hughes, Keisuke Kawamata, Perry Kveton, Joshua Kirkpatrick, Adam Lavender, Estelle Leray, Alexandra Lindsay, Tara MacArthur, Bernard Nagan, Jack Punshon, Erin Redmond, Sascha Reimann, Hayden Rogers, Kenji Sanada, Sinead Spence, Louarde Thomas, Emily Xiao.

YEAR 4 WRJ - Scott Bishop, Talon Bishop, Kate Brewer, Tahne Brewer, Chloe Burman, Kate Christensen, Richard Cotton, James Cunningham, Suzannah Dacre, Christopher Dewhurst, Amber Donnelly, Stefanie Field, Elise Georgouras, Felicia Gordon, Mark Graham, Shannon Griffiths, Bradley Harris, Danielle Hippisley, Samantha Hodgson, Toby Hook, Stephanie Iovannella, Kimberly Juides, Junior Joyce, Rachel Laws, Michael Leitner, Joanna Ling, Mia Lumley, Hayato Muramoto, Grant Newman, Rebecca Palmer, Jayne Pratt, David Rogers, Henry Rosser, Renee Saroglia, Jack Stanistreet, Jace Tenni, Christopher Walker, Michael Watson, Emelie Watkinson, Luke Wilson, Zheng Da Yen, Nina Zivkovic.

YEAR 3 MCC (Row 12) - Elizabeth Barrett, Talisa Bean, Matthew Bovey, Charles Cawte, Zoella Cosmo, Julian Dascalu, Jessica Daynes, Amber Ebanks, Toneya Gould, Michaela Grundstrom, Richard Halabi, Lindsay Hintz, Aaron Johnson, Jakob King, Marcus Lavalley-Smith, Kirby Marsh, Alastair McLeod, Jake Mewett, Leigh Nunn, Selina Priest, Yuki Sanada, Lauren Sando, Ella Thomas, Brittany Thomson, Zipporah Warnecke, Alisa Werner.

YEAR 3 WRJ - Krista Abrahams, Lucy Adams, Paolo Bantegui, Tamsin Bartlett, Jordan Bassingthwaighte, Hayden Bray, Samuel Brian, Jenna Brosseau, Nicholas Brzozowski, Alexander Cameron, Brooke Capitanio, Angelique Conlife, Dane Douglas, Alexandra Falk, James Freeman, Leah Garnett, Addison Ginn, Christine Goosem, John-Michael Grabau, Alana Haymes, Nathan Haymes, Jenna Hocking, Bryan Ireland, Dusan Jevtovic, Chantelle Kenyon, Natasha Lim, Kagl Maladina, Joanna Maltam, Thomas Mansfield, Jayde Marino, Daniel Martin, James McAtamney, Samantha McLaughlin, Nicholas Moller, Elle Moule, Cassandra Olholm, Stephen Papagelou, Jeremy Parsonson, Ellen Pedersen, Ryan Power, Annabel Riggs, Aaron Simpson, Satu Simpson, Pieta Spencer, Oscar Tindale, Richard Tomlinson. **(Row 13)** - Alexandra Walker, Grace Walker, Dominic White.

YEAR 2 MCC - Samuel Batt, Zoe Beath, Cortne Brown, Lauren Chappelle, Jessie Clements-Markham, Michael Cogill, Lena Cottray, Thomas Cullen, Logan Enderlin, Rhys Hughes, Tiffany Kaesermann, Sam King, Philip Lotscher, Benjamin Masters, Tamika Meyer, David Muir, Joel Murray, Greta Musso, Yasmin Olsen, Loris O'Neill, Daniel Roe, Stephanie Serafino.

YEAR 2 WRJ - Rebecca Smith, Hannah Trout, Emily Turner, Danielle Upton, Elizabeth Unwin, Eric Walker, Siwan Williams, Reece Booi, Megan Brock, Benjamin Brodie, Stephen Brown, James Burman, Daniel Cotton, Samantha Crossley, Morgan Currie, Anna Donald, Thais Farrant, Carly Foster, Jackson Gall, Claudia Georgouras, Tasciana Gordon, Nikki Gould, Elizabeth Guylar, Emily Hare, Steven Hodgson, Sarah Hurst, Christopher Iovannella, Ayaan Ismail, Shannen Kiely, Rhys Kohunui, Kai Kumagai, Brendan Laws, Joel Ling, Samuel Luangsay, Natalie Maher, Brandon Marks, Timothy McGowan, April McLaughlin, Renee Nash, Claire O'Leary, Jordan Parker, Sarah Parsonson, Jessica Phillips-Yadav, Jennifer Robbins, Caitlin Rogers, Brendan Shute, Sari Simpson, Luke Stafford. **(Row 14)** - Vanessa Steinmann, Blake Sullivan, Adea Tabuai, Stephen Taifalos, Elliot Van Kempen.

YEAR 1 MCC - Jason Barton, Emilio Brett-Hall, Georgia Chappelow, Zachary Crum, Kelly-Ann Cupitt, Adin Dascalu, Mary-Louise Eagle-Frith, Kristi Ebanks, Habib Golpa, Spencer Green, Sam Haining, Isaac Halabi, Jeffrey Hamilton, Roxanne Hart, Mathew Hasler, Mitchell Heggen, Natasha Hunter, Madeleine Johnson, Eric Kirkness, Nicolaj Kraemer, Riley Kveton, Thomas Liley, Jennifer Maneffa, Sophie Manoy, Sarah Mecklem, Gage Palmer, Mark Phibbs, Alexander Priest, Charles Walker, Sam Stent, Nathan Stirling, Brittany Tait, Melissa Terry, Cameron Westneat-Smith Toll, Anika Werner, Trenton Barber-Akers.

YEAR 1 WRJ - Alexander Bassingthwaighte, Oskar Bryant, Carly Bulk, Matilda Burt, Helen Buschel, Tiarna Cao-Kelly, Myee Connors, Jock Dawson, Jordan Earl, Klim Ford, Sebastian Frizzo, Cailin Ginn, Jacob Gould, Sabrina Grosser, Eden Hookway-Jones, Matthew Jones, Trent Jorgensen, Mayo Kawano, Scott King, Alicia Lim, Joshua Ling, Nicholas Lynch, Andrew Mackenzie, Apa Madu, Melanie Maher, Rhys Marino, Gwynevere Martin, Benjamin McCormick, Rebecca McCormick, Stephanie Murray, Zoe Nair, James Nunn, Luke Olholm, Natalie Pena, Christopher Reynolds, Alice Rosser, Rhiannon Singleton, Molly Stanistreet, Kahmeqa Taylor, Jordan Thomas, Alexandra Turner, Harrison Turner, Jack Wegner, Louise Woolley.

STAFF (Row 15) - Mrs Caron Gates, Mrs Christina O'Connor, Mrs Yvonne Mann, Ms Deborah Bennett, Miss Eliza Ryan, Mrs Kathy Bassingthwaighte, Mrs Ruth Hellwig, Rev Janet Story, Mrs Lesley Irvin, Mrs Chizuko Gomura, Mrs Irene Harrison, Ms Suzanne Irvine, Mr Laurence Webster, Mr Dale Bickham, Mr Paul Schiller, Mr Lee Schiller, Mr Martin Brown, Mr Alan Dyer, Mr Carl Sloan, Mr Andrew Campbell, Mrs Betty Veivers, Mr Mark Ellis, Mr Paul Yates, Miss Patricia Burley, Ms Christina Vit, Mr Terence Reid, Mrs Marilyn Nolte, Mrs Diane Lymbury, Ms Dianne Daniels, Ms Kylie Chambers, Mrs Kerry Jefferis, Miss Nikki Pennell, Mr Anthony Sheppard, Mr David Long, Ms Sally-Ann Goeldner, Mr James McGhie, Ms Pam Bagnall, Mrs Amanda Heggen, Mrs Meg Woodhouse, Miss Kirsten Tame, Mr Mark Kimber, **(Row 16)** - Mrs Jill McPherson, Ms Linda Thompson, Mr Jay Thomson, Mr Peter Kruger, Mr James Rea, Mr Anthony Dawson, Mrs Wendy Grimley, Ms Judith Redmond, Mrs Lynn Dufty, Mrs Sandra Wright, Mrs Anastasia Bidgood, Ms Elaine Mangan, Mrs Judith Hickey, Ms Margaret Shephard, Mrs Joanne McGowan, Mr Gary McGowan, Mrs Jennifer Campbell, Miss Andrea Marks, Miss Karen Wellard, Miss Venessa Ciccosto. **(Row 17)** - Ms Barbara Mendelsohn, Mrs Rosalie Trinder, Ms Janis Chapman, Mrs Julie Smith, Mrs Louise Vickers, Mr Mark Crawford, Mr Malcolm Bailey, Mrs Judith Ferns, Ms Kathleen Becker, Mrs Alison Falk, Mrs Robyn Brewer, Mr Brian O'Connor, Ms Julianne McCarthy, Mr Damien Boicos, Mrs Catherine Taifalos, Mr Eddie Zahner, Mr Richard Hodgson, Mrs Lynn Fowler, Mr John Bacon, Mr Ross Switzer, Mr Craig Bassingthwaighte, Fr Peter Laurence, Mrs Melinda Short, Mr Norm Brosseau, Rev Helen Phillips, Mrs May Hubbard, Mr Philip Turner, Ms Pauline Bolton, Mrs Suzanne Welman, Mr Maxwell O'Sullivan, Ms Gaye Chant, Mrs Linda White, Mr Doug Telford, Mr Gregory Bayldon, Dr Barbara Howard, Mr Brian Springell, Mrs Edith Audley, Mrs Joanna Riggs, Ms Fiona Anderson, Mrs Wendy Bacon, Miss Irene O'Keefe, Mrs Belinda Bogart, Mrs Kathryn Goble.

PREP MCC (Row 18) - Amy Boswell, Jennifer Chappelle, Sheree Colley, Rhys Cosmo, Rebecca Coxon, Matthew Elder, Lewis Enderlin, Catherine Fletcher, Jack Goldsbrough, Frazer Green, Isabella Gualtieri, Gavin Hamilton, Taylor-Paige Hasler, Joseph Hendy, Christine Houston, Gabrielle Hunt, Marshall Jarmey, Daniel Jones, Alexander Ker, Georgia King, Jon Lasry, Alexandra Lavalley-Smith, Nathan Lavender, Lachlan McLean, Christabelle McLeod, Elizabeth Liew, Britney Marsh, George Masters, Thomas Masters, James Meyer, Joanne O'Neill, Jaiden Petrucci, Ashley Rooney, Storm Savage, Clare Scrine, Harry Smith, Thomas Smith, Joshua Thomas, Eva Peters, Claudia Unwin, Alex Xiao.

PREP WRJ (Row 19) - Amy Abrahams, Luke Bulk, Joanna Burdorf, Marcus Buschel, Nicholas Cameron, Alexander Capitanio, Daniel Currie, John Davis, Christopher Deeb, Rosemary Deeb, Taylor Dovey, Carryn Falk, Nicholas Fry, Joshua Goldsmith, Ciara Gordon, Jack Griffiths, Adam Grosser, Laura Hayes, Julia Haymes, Amelia Hulme, Bobbie Joyce, Ellie Keating, Zeshaan Khokhar, James Lawson, Jasmine Marks, Camille Martin, Jessie Nash, Sarah O'Leary, Morgan Palmer, Jessica Parker, Sasha Radke, Mikaela Rawlings, Michael Rogers, Courtenay Routledge, Jade Simpson, Jessica Simpson, Liana Simpson, Aneka Swinson, Catarina Swinson, Alexander Taifalos, Georgia Taifalos, Samara Thompson, Johnathon Turner, Sofie Van Kempen, Leith Wilson, Jack Winfield, Thomas Zahner.

ABSENT Students - Year 12 - Claire Marshall, Sayaka Mizuno, Mark Oostergo, Seton Prettejohn. **Year 11** - Jack Earl, Hugh O'Neill, Akiko Okada, Wendy Ratliff, Nicky Van Der Zijden, Emily Waldron. **Year 10** - David Kwong, Simon Shen, Holly Todd. **Year 9** - Michael Gianarakis, Hyung Lee, Naomi Pedro, Mai Takeuchi, Julie Taylor. **Year 8** - Miho Hirota, Jesse Whenumouth. **Year 7 MCC** - Samuel Condon, Eden Mills, Chantelle Serafino. **Year 7 WRJ** - Precious Kelly Lingwood, Sarah Madison, Jessica Tilney. **Year 6 WRJ** - Javed De Costa, Vanessa Gornall, James Turner. **Year 5 WRJ** - Nalani Gloor. **Year 4 WRJ** - Edwina Forbes. **Year 3 MCC** - Jaimy Chappelow, Alessandra Vecchio. **Year 3 WRJ** - Jade Hoskin. **Year 2 MCC** - Christopher Raymond. **Year 2 WRJ** - Maili Forbes Alaneo Gloor. **Year 1 MCC** - Ryan Gilholm, Tamami Nakano. **Year 1 WRJ** - Aleisha Quirk. **Prep MCC** - Caroline Mastry, Paris Salam, Joel Wybrow. **Prep WRJ** - Madison Williams. **Staff** - Mr Jason Atkins, Mr Paul Clarke, Mrs Diane Jackson, Mrs Cecily Jenner, Mrs Emily Moritz, Mr Richard Roberts, Mr Ronald Tippet, Ms Liane Thomas.



CHRISTIAN FORMATION

We welcomed The Reverend Helen Phillips as Chaplain at the beginning of the year. Reverend Helen has provided strong and caring leadership to the Christian Education programme and liturgical life of the School. She has been joined by The Reverend Janet Story and me as the priests serving the TAS community.

The School Council commissioned Fr John Phillips to prepare some thoughts on a model for pastoral care and counselling at TAS. Later in the year, I appointed Fr John as our part-time Pastoral Counsellor, supporting students, staff and families.

Every teacher plays an important role in the Christian formation and nurture of TAS students and I thank them for carrying this out over the past twelve months. The Christian Education classes continue to focus our students' attention on the spiritual dimension of life. From the year 2000, the subject Christian Education will be known as Christian, Religious and Values Education (CRAVE), a name that will better reflect the breadth of this subject as part of the School's mission. Human Relationships Education (HRE) complements the Christian Education programme, informing and engaging students in a range of issues that are relevant to their age group.

Our weekly school-day liturgies and regular Sunday Family Services provide the backbone of liturgical life. Special worship occasions such as the Staff Commencement Eucharist, Baptisms, Confirmation, Ash Wednesday, Holy Week, Trinity Day, Anzac Day, The Transfiguration of our Lord, St Francis' Day, Year 9 Camp, Year 12 Valedictory and Advent Carols have enhanced our liturgical life this year. The Ordination to the Priesthood of the Reverend Janet Story in February, amidst Cyclone Rona, was a memorable and blessed moment.

Service to the community this year again took the form of assisting church, welfare and charity groups with fundraising. Students assisted the World Vision 40-Hour Famine, the International Year of the Older Person Fun Day, The Australian Board of Missions, Anglicare North Queensland, Guide Dogs for the Blind, the Queensland Cancer Council, Jump Rope for Heart, the Michelle Pound Appeal, the East Timor Appeal, the Kosovo Appeal, The Basket Brigade, Jeans for Genes and others. Year 11 students spent time in homes for the aged, special schools, kindergartens and charities as part of the weekly community service component in Christian Education classes.

I commend the work of our Chaplain and teachers in furthering the Christian mission of our School this year.

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

Our 1998 graduating class received first and second round tertiary offers enabling almost all who sought a tertiary place to pursue a university degree, with over half of the Class of '98 achieving their first preference. A fine achievement indeed.

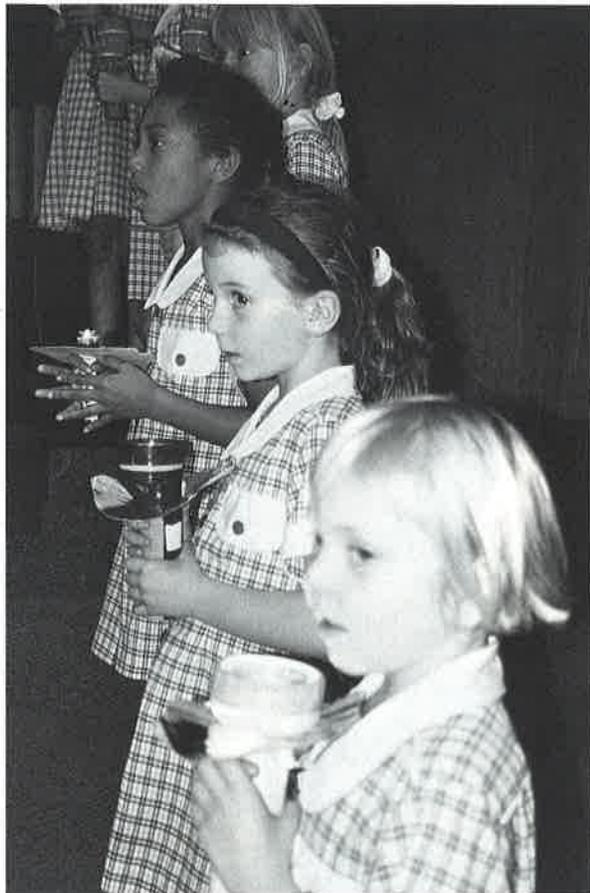
Teachers have begun the process of writing the new Preparatory to Year 10 curriculum, focussing on student learning outcomes rather than a pass/fail model of achievement, assessment and reporting. This process will take a number of years to be implemented fully across all year levels and subjects and is enormously time-consuming for the teachers, over-and-above their regular duties. You will begin to notice changes in the methods of assessment and reporting over the next year as we trial the new curriculum in Science, Health and Physical Education, SOSE and LOTE.

The junior school teachers across both campuses have been busy this year refining our school-based mathematics and english curriculum.

Vocational Education expanded at TAS this year, with two students involved in school-based traineeships, enabling them to spend part of each week in the workforce. A number of our senior subjects also have VOCED units embedded in their curriculum. Hospitality Studies commenced in Year 11, with a new training facility (kitchen and bar area) to be developed next year.

Outstanding results were achieved by our junior and secondary students in the plethora of national academic competitions in which they competed this year. Results of particular note were:

Five prizes in the Australian Mathematics Competition - Year 8: Mari Kawamata, Patrick Donald and Sean Muir; Year 9: Jessica Adams and Matthew Miller



Two Awards of Excellence (100%) in the *RACI Chemistry Competition*: Luke Harris and Paul McGhie (Year 8)

In the *Australian English Competition*, Rebecca Larcombe (Year 10) achieved an HD for three years in a row, and Luke Harris (Year 8) achieved an HD for the fourth consecutive year.

PASTORAL CARE

Each teacher provides the focal point for the provision of pastoral care at TAS. With the support of the Dean of Students, Chaplain, Heads of Campus, Heads of House and Pastoral Counsellor, an environment of care and support is created. The HRE curriculum addresses numerous pastoral issues within a classroom setting.

Across the Houses

Under the leadership of the Heads of House and junior school teachers, the six Houses have continued provide a focus for both care and competition at TAS this year, with a friendly rivalry evident at all sporting and cultural 'house' activities.

Results in the various competitions were:

Junior School Swimming:

Overall Trophy	Kennedy
Cheer Squad Trophy	Morrell

Secondary School Swimming:

Overall Shield	Leichhardt
Senior Trophy	Leichhardt
Junior Trophy	Leichhardt
Cheer Squad Trophy	Mulligan

Junior School Athletics:

Overall Trophy	Kennedy
Aggregate Trophy	Kennedy

Secondary School Athletics:

Overall Trophy	Leichhardt
Senior Trophy	Leichhardt
Junior Trophy	Leichhardt

Junior School Cross-country:

Overall Trophy	Kennedy
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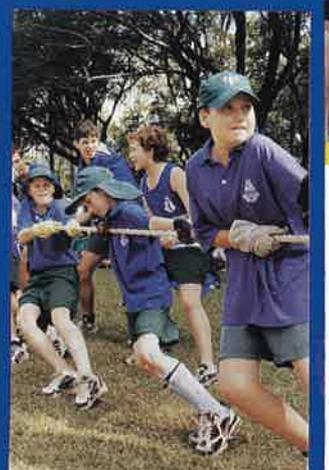
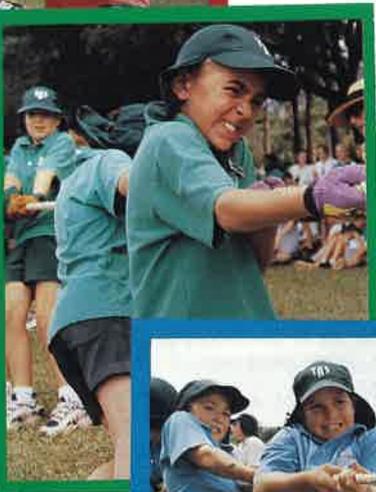
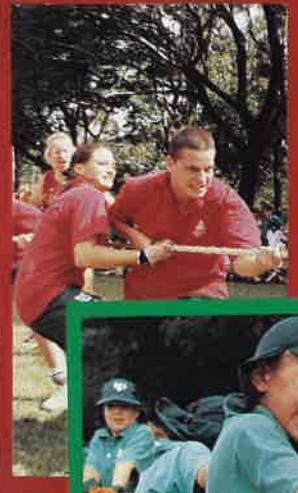
Trinity Day
28 May 1999



Spirit of TAS Award Winners



Elyse Milgate and Jonathan Bleakley



Secondary School Triathlon:

Overall Shield	Leichhardt
Senior Shield	Leichhardt
Junior Shield	Mulligan

Trinity Celebration Day:

Senior Tug-of-war	Mulligan
Senior Dash	Leichhardt
Junior Dash	Dalrymple
Junior Tug-of-war	Palmerston

Secondary Debating: Leichhardt, Mulligan & Dalrymple

Secondary Public Speaking: Dalrymple, Leichhardt & Kennedy

Sports Captains Sherilyn Barnes and Oliver Driscoll

House Captains Dalrymple — Joanne Alcorn
Jim Timings

Kennedy — Caroline Yates
Liam Johnstone

Leichhardt — Rachel Cross
Mark Oostergo

Mulligan — Gemma Scott
Sam Beattie

Music Captains Emma Robinson and Kirk Harmer

Foundation Prefects Abigail Stanbridge and Andrew Birchley

Prefects Lindsay Chambers, Maryann Dore, Bradley Jorgensen, Katherine Wynn and Bree Turner

White Rock Junior Captains Mietta Gornall
Ciaran Scully-Clausen

White Rock Junior Vice Captains Elyse Milgate
Keiren Wilson

Marlin Coast Captains Emma Henderson
Callum Jensen

Marlin Coast Vice Captains: Charne Quayle
Eleanor Jenkins
William Pitton
Adam Gaunt



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

The hundreds of excellent achievements by our students make it impossible to mention everyone in this Report. A few notable achievements representing the range of student successes in 1999 include:

Christopher Diehm (Year 9) has won numerous state and national swimming titles this year, including setting national age records.

Annika Bradley (Year 11) represented FNQ at the *Student Constitutional Convention* in Canberra. Annika also represented Queensland in the winning team at the Australian Secondary Schools Softball Championships.

Nicole Kadic (Year 11) won the *Senior Plain English Speaking Competition* for the region.

The *Spirit of TAS* awardees this year were Elyse Milgate (Year 7) and Jonathan Bleakley (Year 9).

Paul McGhie, Catherine Nillson and Sean Muir won the *Year 8 Maths Quiz* for the region.

Nicky van der Zijden retained the national title for Blue Belt division for his age-group in *Tae Kwon-Do*.

Philip Cadell (Year 11) and Emma Robinson (Year 12) achieved their *AMuSA* in cello and violin respectively.

Claire Vanbesien (Year 12) won the *Concours La France Toujours 1999* (French competition) for the north.

Caroline Yates (Year 12) won the *WIN Television Junior Newsreader Competition*. Since its inauguration in 1994, TAS has won the competition every year.

The TAS Sports and Arts Achievers for 1999 were:

- Junior Sportsman of the Year - Christopher Diehm (Year 9)
- Junior Sportswoman of the Year - Naomi Pedro (Year 9)
- Best All Round Junior Sportsperson - Sam Brown (Year 9)
- Senior Sportsman of the Year - Oliver Driscoll (Year 12)
- Senior Sportswoman of the Year - Annika Bradley (Year 11)
- Best All Round Senior Sportsperson - Angela Graham (Year 11)
- TAS Arts Achievers of the Year - Emma Robinson (Year 12) and Philip Stork (Year 12)

STUDENT LEADERS

Our student leaders across the campuses were:

School Captains	Tamsin Ewen-Smith and Michael Pensini
Vice Captains	Sherilyn Barnes and Phillip Stork

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

White Rock Secondary ~ Nikolas Stewart and Alex Te-Loo (Year 8), Jessica Adams and Andrew Heggie (Year 9), Thomas Birchley and Caitlin Salter (Year 10), Michael Thompson and Alena Ladd (Year 11).

White Rock Junior ~ Daniel Martin and Aaron Simpson (Year 3), Mia Lumley and Stephanie Iovannella (Year 4), Juliana Paunovic and Nelson Singh (Year 5), Hayley Dunn and Vanessa Gornall Year 6), Samantha Brett and Samuel Lewis (Year 7)

Marlin Coast ~ Elizabeth Barrett and Julian Dascalu (Year 3), Lynn Gates and Joshua Kirkpatrick (Year 4), Lisa Priest and Nicholas Lindsay (Year 5), Shevaun Fitsmeyers and Nathan Schubert (Year 6), Tara Lebon and Carry van der Zijden (Year 7)



OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Under the leadership of our Director of Outdoor Education, Mr Damien Boicos, camps were held all over the Tropical North. Their programme covered:

Year 2 WRJ (at school), Year 3 at the Genazzano Centre, Year 4 at the Daradgee Environmental Centre, Year 5 at Camp Tinaroo, Year 6 at Chillagoe, Year 7 at the Mungalli Falls Outpost, Year 8 at Cooktown and Laura, Year 9 for three weeks on the Atherton Tablelands around Lake Tinaroo, Year 10 undertook work experience rather than a camp, Year 11 in three groups (Blencoe Falls, Goldsborough Valley and sailing on the *South Passage* (sail training vessel), and Year 12 on a cycloned-out Retreat at the Genazzano Centre.

PARENT GROUPS

The Parents' and Friends' Association, Friends of TAS Music, TAS Soccer Club and other bodies have been as active as ever this year. Their reports are contained elsewhere in *Trinitas*. I pay tribute to Mr Ian Pike, Mrs Connie van den Brand and Mr John Campbell, the respective Presidents' and their committees and all who supported them, for their considerable fundraising, friendraising and support provided. Without such selfless giving of time and energy, our School would be considerably the poorer.



THE TAS FOUNDATION

What a huge year for the TAS Foundation, under the leadership of Mr Wayne Bishop (until March) followed by Dr Robert Miller. This year's focus has been the Olympic Pool, which has consumed the Foundation Board's agenda. A tremendously successful Gala Dinner with the Canadian National Swimming Team was held in The Bishop Centre in August, well supported by the business community of Cairns. Another Gala Dinner will be held next year, prior to the Sydney 2000 Olympic Games.

Construction of the Olympic Pool is now well underway, with the anticipated official opening being on Trinity Day, 16 June 2000. The support of CEC Constructions, the pool builders, is greatly appreciated; they donated part of the pool works. I also thank the tireless work of John and Wendy Bacon who support and resource the Foundation activities.

Later next year we will be commencing the new Library block at the Marlin Coast Campus and the Foundation will again be seeking parental support for this important project. Parental support for the Foundation Building Fund Contribution is essential for the School's ongoing building programme.

SABBATICAL LEAVE

Study and travel over three months in May, June and July combined to ensure a refreshing and stimulating Sabbatical Leave. During this time I visited each of our sister schools (Gordonstoun in Scotland; St Anne's and Millfield in England and Salem School in Germany), together with Rugby School (England) and Deerfield Academy (USA).

We have put in place the opportunity for our students to undertake an exchange to these United Kingdom or German schools during Years 9, 10 or 11 for approximately three months, or post-year 12 for a six or twelve month GAP programme. I urge parents and students to consider this option as part of their TAS education.

It was a privilege to be selected as one of four Australian Principals to undertake a two-week intensive Summer Institute at

the Harvard University Graduate School of Education. The course *Leadership: An Evolving Vision* focused on the principalship today and issues for the next century. With 115 participants from throughout the world, the institute provided a rich atmosphere for learning through lecture and dialogue.

STAFFING

We welcomed the following new staff this year:

The Reverend Helen Phillips (Chaplain), Mr Ross Switzer (Dean of Students), Mr Terence Read (7 MCC), Mrs Janis Chapman (3 WRJ), Mrs Liane Thomas (1 MCC), Mrs Joanna Riggs (2 WRJ), Ms Kylie Chambers (4 MCC), Mr Andrew Campbell (relief teacher), Mrs Meg Woodhouse (Prep WRJ), The Reverend John Phillips (Pastoral Counsellor), Mrs Lorraine McGhie (Learning Support part-time), Mrs Marilyn Nolte (5 MCC), Ms Suzanne Irvine (WRJ Secretary), Mr and Mrs Gary and Joanne McGowan (STAC Houseparents), Mrs Kathleen Becker (WRJ Library Assistant), Mrs Sally-Ann Goeldner (MCC Library Assistant), Ms Deborah Bennett (MCC Prep Aide), and Ms Judy Redmond (MCC Secretary part-time).

Mr James McGhie and Mrs Anna Long returned from leave to take on Year 4 WRJ and part-time choir respectively.

Mrs Ruth Hellwig and Mrs Sue Welman were appointed Deputy Heads of the WRJ and MCC respectively.

We farewelled Mr Craig Bassingthwaite as Deputy Principal at the end of the year. Mr Bassingthwaite has served on the staff for three and a half years and now moves to Mackay to assume the Principalship of Whitsunday Anglican School in 2000. I thank Mr Bassingthwaite for his dedicated service to the School and personal and professional support and loyalty he gave me over these years. We wish the Bassingthwaite family every blessing in Mackay.

We also farewelled Mrs Diane Doctor (Deputy Head of WRJ and Year 2 teacher), Mr Max O'Sullivan (Head of Mathematics and Careers Advisor), Mr Jay Thompson (WRS Science), Mr John King (4 MCC), Mrs Robyn Waddingham (Prep WRJ), Mrs Gretchen Wong (WRJ After School Care) and Mrs Carol Howard (WRJ Secretary).

Mr Brad Greene commenced an exchange in Scotland in April. He returns in January. Mrs Gaye Chant was Acting Head of Business Studies this year.

Next year we will welcome Mrs Margaret Kennedy as the new Deputy Principal. Mrs Kennedy is currently Deputy Principal at All Souls' St Gabriels' School in Charters Towers and moves to Cairns with her husband Arthur and children Cameron and Connor who will attend the WRJ campus.

Mr Brossek will move into the new position of Dean of Administration, with responsibility for the School's systems and operations. Dr Howard will assume the new position of Head of Careers and Tertiary Preparation, and Mrs Jill McPherson will be our Head of Science.

As our teaching staff grows next year to accommodate our increasing enrolment, a number of new teaching appointments are currently being finalised.

SEPARATE INCORPORATION

Early next year, TAS will be separately incorporated from the Anglican Diocese of North Queensland, after seventeen years of ownership and operation by the Diocese. This will mean that TAS will become a truly independent Anglican school, under a new Board of Directors who will take ultimate responsibility for the School. Such a move is good for the Diocese in providing them with necessary funding at a time of difficulty, as we effectively 'buy' the School from them. It is also an excellent move for TAS as it will enable independent decision-making at the school level to determine our future. Such a move has enabled the outgoing TAS Council to prepare plans and a funding path for an extensive building programme for the School over the coming years. The TAS Board will develop this plan over the next year or so as we undertake a second Strategic Plan in 2000-2001.

Whilst TAS will gain separate ownership and control, together with financial and operational independence, our commitment to the Anglican ethos and mission of the past seventeen years will not diminish. We are and will continue to be first-and-foremost an Anglican school, with the mission of *nurturing Christian formation and educational excellence* in our students.

CONCLUDING COMMENTS

The year 2000 will be a great year for TAS. We will commence the year with a record enrolment, in excess of 1100 students across our campuses. The Olympic Pool will be completed at the White Rock campus (with the Canadian Olympic Swimmers arriving in August) and a new Library and Administration Centre, together with new classrooms, will be constructed at the MCC. The TAS Board are continuing to explore options to expand our boarding facilities. A full strategic planning process will be undertaken (last completed in 1994) to plan a way forward for the first five years of the new century.

I do take this opportunity to express sincere appreciation to a number of people who have exercised leadership within the TAS community this year:

Mr Peter Gummow retired as Chairman of Council in late February after serving on Council since 1985, and Chairman since 1995. Mr Gummow served TAS selflessly, with absolute commitment and dedication to the welfare of students and staff. His steady leadership, depth of wisdom and strong Christian faith served the Council and School well. It was a fitting tribute to Mr Gummow's work that he received a Commonwealth Recognition Award this year.

Mr Nigel Salter took over as Chairman of Council in March. He served on Council for five years prior to assuming the Chairmanship, most recently as Treasurer. I am most appreciative of Mr Salter's personal support, professional experience and wise counsel. Each member of the TAS Council has given their time and expertise throughout the year - Mr Clive Abbott, The Reverend Dorothy Daniels, Mr Jason Fowler, Mr Brett Haymes, Mr Mark Peters, Professor Eric Wainwright and Mrs Robyn White. All Councillors have expressed their willingness to serve on the new expanded TAS Board of Directors in 2000.

Bishop Clyde Wood has again shared important occasions with us this year, including Trinity Day and the Confirmation Service. Although he could not be at Speech Night in person, it was wonderful to have a videotaped message from the Bishop. His support and spiritual direction is appreciated.

The School continues to be well served by the Management Team. I thank especially my Deputy Principal, Mr Craig Bassingthwaite who assumed the Acting Principalship whilst I took Sabbatical leave in May-July. His leadership was exemplary. Also to Mrs Melinda Short who assumed an increased responsibility for the financial management of the School during my absence; her wise stewardship of the School's resources is commendable. My heartfelt appreciation also to Mr Norm Brosseuk (Academic Director), Mr Rick Hodgson (Head of White Rock Junior), Mrs Lynn Fowler (Head of Marlin Coast), Mr Ross Switzer (Dean of Students), Revd Helen Phillips (Chaplain) and Mr John Bacon (Director of Admissions).

Finally, thank you to each member of staff - teaching and non-teaching - and especially to the personal and professional support given by my secretary Mrs May Hubbard. It is the commitment to the children of TAS that each and every staff member gives that truly defines *The TAS Difference*.

As the year draws to a close, I wish each member of the TAS family a blessed holy season and holiday as we celebrate the great Christian feast of Christmas. May the message of Christmas - God made human and dwelling with us - be evident in our lives and school community in 2000. May God bless you all.

The Reverend Peter JH Laurence
PRINCIPAL



THE TRINITY ANGLICAN SCHOOL COUNCIL
(taken at the 100th Council meeting on 27 November 1998)

Front Row: Revd Dorothy Daniels, Fr Peter Laurence, Mr Peter Gummow (Chairman until Feb '99), Mr Nigel Salter (Chairman from March '99), Mrs Robyn White. Back Row: Professor Eric Wainwright, Mr Mark Peters, Mr Clive Abbott, Mr Jason Fowler.
Absent: new member Mr Brett Haymes.

3 R
Excellence
 Christine Goosem
Effort
 Annabel Riggs
Citizenship
 Nicholas Brzozowski

3 C
Excellence
 Tamsin Bartlett
Effort
 Paolo Bantegui
Citizenship
 Alexander Cameron

3 D
Excellence
 Julian Dascalu
Effort
 Jake Mewett
Citizenship
 Ella Thomas

4 M
Excellence
 Joanna Ling
Effort
 Jack Stanistreet
Citizenship
 James Cunningham

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Excellence
 Chloe Burman
Effort
 Elise Georgouras
Citizenship
 Stephanie Iovannella

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Excellence
 Kazmierz Brown
Effort
 Louarde Thomas
Citizenship
 Adrian Holmes

5 L
Excellence
 Susan Ma
Effort
 James Miller
Citizenship
 Neddie Maladina

5 W
Excellence
 Benjamin Harris
Effort
 Zoe Brown
Citizenship
 Robert Koch

5 N
Excellence
 Hannah Whitfield
Effort
 Jerome Leray
Citizenship
 David Gaunt

6 B
Excellence
 Jonathan Schilling
**The K & P Stone
 Family Award for Effort**
 Kate Bishop

Citizenship
 Claire Burman

6 J
Excellence
 Catherine Bleakley
Effort
 Hayley Dunn
Citizenship
 Brett Watson

6 L
Excellence
 Chevaun Fitzmyers
Effort
 Jacqueline Hara-Crockford
Citizenship
 Thomas Manoy

7 S
Mathematics
 Amanda Campbell
Language
 Mackenzie Johnston
Effort
 Samuel Lewin
Citizenship
 Sarah Odgaard

7 B
Mathematics
 Chelsea Houston
Language
 Rhyannyn Westcott
Effort
 Elyse Milgate
Citizenship
 Mietta Gornall

7 R
Excellence
 Emma Henderson
Effort
 Nathan Ashton
Citizenship
 Tamsin Hyde

**The Diocese of North
 Queensland Award
 for Christian Education**
 Joseph Whitfield
 Natasha Yalo

Junior Technology
 James Sokolich
 Stefi Trenberth

**English as a Second
 Language**
 Rebecca Bolton
 Akio Uetsuki
Art
 Stephanie Graf
 Scott McClymont
 Edward Norman
 Jeremy Parsonson
**Health & Physical
 Education**
 Samantha Brett
 Selina Priest
 Jakob Richardson
 Michael Singh

Japanese
 Jenna Brosseuk
 Casandra Grundstrom
 Callum Jensen
 Christopher McIntosh

Music
 Michael Cadell
 Megan Kadic
 Monica McGhie
 Jakob Richardson

Outstanding Sportsperson
 Raymond Cory
 Olandah Channelle
 Vanessa Gornall

Performing Arts
 Nicholas Vogelpoel

**Head of Campus Award
 (for Excellence and
 Participation)**
Marlin Coast
 Belinda Ashton
White Rock Junior
 Erin Charlton

**The Years 8-11 Dux awards
 have been endowed by the
 Carroll Family, in memory
 of their daughter Tracy,
 who was a TAS student
 from 1989 to 1991.**

YEAR 8
Excellence
 Sean Muir
 Catherine Nilsson
Effort

Alissa Gianarakis
 Kate Smith
Citizenship
 Nikolas Stewart
 Alexandra Te-Loo
**Cairns Language Centre
 Award for the Most
 Improved ESL Student**
 Chiaki Shine

DUX OF YEAR 8
 Paul McGhie

YEAR 9
Excellence
 Monica Earl
 Matthew Miller
Effort
 Christopher Blain
 Susan Singh
 Christopher Thompson
Citizenship
 Amy Barber
 Jonathan Bleakley

DUX OF YEAR 9
 Jessica Adams

YEAR 10
**The Diocese of North
 Queensland Award for
 Christian Education**
 Isabel Bantegui
Home Economics
 Isabel Bantegui
Music
 Katy Clarke
**ESL Encouragement
 Award**
 Tomomi Haneda
Business Principles
 Rebecca Hogben
General Shop A
 David Hurst

Citizenship
 David Hurst
Speech And Drama
 Nigel Ivanovic
**The Naomi Wilson Award
 for Excellence in
 Information Technology
 Application**
 Alex Kochi
Graphics
 Alex Kochi
Art
 Alison Loader
Japanese Native Speaker
 Taro Muramoto
Citizenship
 Caitlin Salter
**Health And Physical
 Education**
 Sarah Simmons
Japanese
 Victoria Wall
French
 Renee Yates
**Studies of Society and
 the Environment**
 Deborah Phillips
Science
 Deborah Phillips
English
 Deborah Phillips
**The Pratt Family Award
 for Mathematics**
 Deborah Phillips

DUX OF YEAR 10
 Deborah Phillips

YEAR 11
French
 Nicole Bean
Japanese
 Byron Bidgood
**Most Improved Student
 of Japanese**
 Byron Bidgood
Mathematics A
 Briony Boath
**The Cairns Business
 College Award for
 Business Organisation
 and Management**
 Annika Bradley
**The Butler Family Award
 for Information Processing
 and Technology**
 Philip Cadell
Music
 Philip Cadell
Chemistry
 Brent Chuang
Graphics
 Mitchell Drummond
**The Byrne Management
 Award for Accounting**
 Suzanna Ellington
Citizenship
 Jess Ferguson
Art
 Kea Johnston
**The MacDonnells Solicitors
 Award for Modern History**
 Kea Johnston
Hospitality Studies
 Alena Ladd
**The Duffy Family Award
 for Physical Education**
 Ryan Lange



Citizenship
Stacey Lazarus

Technology Studies
Julia Lewis

The Fraser-Kirk Family Award for Drama
Meah Lockhart

The Martin College Award for the Best Vocational Student
Michael Miller

Geography
Sareeta Nair

Japanese Native Speaker
Akiko Okada

The Diocese of North Queensland Award for Christian Education
Heather Phillips

English
Heather Phillips

Biology
Heather Phillips

The Karen Pezzutti Award for Legal Studies
Heather Phillips

Study of Religion
Heather Phillips

The Pratt Family Award for Mathematics B
Michael Thompson

The Pratt Family Award for Mathematics C
Michael Thompson

Physics
Michael Thompson

DUX OF YEAR 11
Michael Thompson

YEAR 12

The Pezzutti Family Award for Mathematics B
Kristine Bantegui

The Pratt Family Award for Mathematics C
Kristine Bantegui

The Dr Sharon Henricks Award for Chemistry
Kristine Bantegui

Citizenship
Sherilyn Barnes

The Butler Family Award for Information Processing and Technology
Dale Bulmer

The Diocese of North Queensland Award for Christian Education
Maryanne Dore

Citizenship
Maryanne Dore

Health and Physical Education
Oliver Driscoll

The MacDonnells Solicitors Award for Modern History
Tamsin Ewen-Smith

Home Economics
Rebecca Graham

The Cairns Business College Award for Business Organisation and Management
Rebecca Graham

The Byrne Award for Accounting
Rebecca Graham

The Deirdre Ford Award for Art
Eleanor Hamilton White

Graphics
Eleanor Hamilton White

Citizenship
Kirk Harmer

The Nakano Family Award for Japanese Native Speaker
Hitomi Kihara

International Student Involvement in School Life
Hitomi Kihara

Mathematics A
Claire Marshall

The Dr Deon Henricks Award for Physics
Michael Pensini

The Judy Ivanovic Memorial Award for English
Michael Pensini

Music
Michael Pensini

The Faye Kenny Memorial Award for Drama
Abigail Stanbridge

Technology Studies
Brooke Stewart

Citizenship
Phillip Stork

The Karen Pezzutti Award for Legal Studies
Bree Turner

French
Claire Vanbesien

The Whitecar Coaches Award for Geography
Katherine Wynn

The Fraser-Kirk Family Award for Biological Science
Caroline Yates

AWARDS EVENINGS

Junior Sportsman of the Year
Christopher Diehm

Junior Sportswoman of the Year
Naomi Pedro

Best All Round Junior Sportsperson
Sam Brown

Senior Sportsman of the Year
Oliver Driscoll

Senior Sportswoman of the Year
Annika Bradley

Best All Round Senior Sportsperson
Angela Graham

TAS Arts Achievers of the Year
Emma Robinson
Phillip Stork

HOUSE TROPHIES

This is based on performance by each House during 1999 in the following competitions: Swimming, Cross-country, Athletics, Debating, Public Speaking and Triathlon. The White Rock Secondary Trophy was donated by the Wilson family in 1983.

The winning Houses are:

Marlin Coast Campus	Palmerston House
White Rock Junior Campus	Kennedy House
White Rock Secondary Campus	Leichhardt House

SPIRIT OF TAS AWARD

At our Trinity Day each year the *Spirit of TAS* Award is presented. This is awarded to a student who best embodies the spirit of Trinity Anglican School. In particular, the student whose life reflects the School's dual mission of Christian formation and educational excellence, a student who strives to reach his or her full potential as an individual and as a serving member of the wider community. The winners of the 1999 *Spirit of TAS* Awards were:

Junior: Elyse Milgate
Senior: Jonathan Bleakley

THE HOLLINGWORTH MEDALS

These medals are presented by Archbishop Peter Hollingworth, Metropolitan of Queensland, to the most improved students academically for the year, as determined by the Principal. These are awarded to one student in each of Years 11 and 12. The inaugural Hollingworth Medal winners are:

Year 11: **Andrew Rockley**
Year 12: **Kirk Harmer**

BEST ALL ROUNDER

Ampol Petroleum have sponsored an award for the *Best All Rounder*. The *Best All Rounder* is awarded to a Year 12 student who has demonstrated leadership and school spirit through a commitment to the academic, sporting, cultural and spiritual life of the School. The *Best All Rounder* is awarded to:

Mark Oostergo

DUX OF THE SCHOOL

The prize for the Year 12 Dux has been endowed anonymously in memory of the Third Bishop of North Queensland, the Right Reverend George Horsfall Frodsham who held office from 1902 - 1913. Frodsham was known as the "Restorer Bishop" and towards the end of his episcopate as he prepared to return to England, said that he had tried to be "a faithful administrator rather than a popular man". Bishop Frodsham had a wide ranging interest in education; he was a vigorous promoter of Religious Instruction in state schools, was on the committee to encourage the establishment of the University of Queensland and was one of the prime movers in the foundation of the Institute of Tropical Medicine in Townsville. We are pleased that, through this endowment, Bishop Frodsham's contribution to our Diocese and beyond will be permanently recognised by our School community.

**THE BISHOP FRODSHAM PRIZE
FOR THE DUX OF THE SCHOOL:**

KRISTINE BANTEGUI



Staff Photo



PRINCIPAL: The Reverend PJH Laurence

FRONT ROW: (left to right) Mrs Robyn Brewer, Mr Brian O'Connor, Ms Paulie Bolton, Mr John Bacon, Mrs Lynn Fowler, Mr Norm Brosseau, Revd Helen Phillips, Mr Craig Bassingthwaite, Revd Peter Laurence, Mrs Melinda Short, Mr Rick Hodgson, Mrs Diane Doctor, Ms Julianne McCarthy, Mr Max O'Sullivan, Mrs Alison Falk, Mrs Elaine Mangan, Mrs Kathy Goble, Mrs Janis Chapman, Ms Judy Redmond, Mrs Julie Smith, Mrs Judy Ferns, Mrs Sandra Wright, Mrs Lynn Duffy, Mrs Joanne McGowan, Mrs Wendy Bacon, Miss Andrea Marks, Mrs Irene Harrison, Mrs Lesley Irvin, Mrs Annie Bidgood. **THIRD ROW:** Mrs Belinda Bogart, Mrs Gretchen Wong, Mrs Jill McPherson, Mrs Judy Hickey, Ms Maggie Shephard, Miss Christina Vit, Mrs Louise Vickers, Dr Barbara Mendelsohn, Dr Barbara Howard, Mrs Kathleen Becker, Miss Irene O'Keefe, Mrs Yvonne Mann, Mrs Wendy Grimley. **FOURTH ROW:** Mrs Caron Gates, Mrs Robyn Waddingham, Miss Kirsten Tame. **FIFTH ROW:** Miss Karen Wellard, Mrs Diane Jackson, Miss Alice Allgood, Mrs Kerry Jefferts, Mrs Amanda Heggen, Ms Debbie Bennett, Mrs Linda White, Mrs Caron Gates, Mrs Robyn Waddingham, Miss Kirsten Tame. **SIXTH ROW:** Mr James McGhie, Mr Jay Thomson, Mr Greg Bayldon, Mr Greg Bayldon, Mr Greg Bayldon, Miss Renee Hoffman, Ms Eliza Ryan, Ms Pam Bagnall, Mrs Carol Howard, Mrs Diane Lymbury, Miss Venessa Ciccosto, Mrs Sue Weiman, Mrs Betty Veivers, Miss Michelle Gillow. **BACK ROW:** Mr Eddie Zahner, Mr Jim Rea, Mr Carl Sloan, Mr Damien Boicos, Mr Philip Turner, Mr Martin Brown, Mr Doug Telford, Mr Terry Reid, Mr Peter Kruger, Mr Tony Dawson, Mr Garry McGowan. **BACK ROW:** Mr Lee Schiller, Mr John King, Mr David Long, Mr Malcolm Bailey, Mr Paul Schiller, Mr Paul Yates, Mr Jason Atkins, Mr Paul Clarke, Mr Mark Ellis, Mr Ron Tippet, Mr Alan Dyer, Mr Tony Sheppard, Mr Brad Green, Mr Dale Bickham.

PRINCIPAL

The Reverend PJH Laurence
BA BEcon DipEd GradCertEdAdmin AFAIM MACE MACEA

SENIOR ACADEMIC STAFF

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL	Mr CT Bassingthwaigte MA
DipTeach BEdStuds MACE	
ACADEMIC DIRECTOR	Mr NP Brosseuk BSc DipEd
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HEAD OF MARLIN COAST	Mrs L Fowler BEd DipTeach MACE
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Upper Junior: Ms P Bolton BEd Year 7

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Mrs K Goble MEd BSc Art

Mrs J Hickey BEd DipTeach ECE CertTeach Preparatory

Mrs A Long BMusEd Music (p/t)

Mr D Long BA DipEd Year 5

Miss A Marks BA GradDipTeach Music

Mr J McGhie MEd(InfoTech) Year 4

Mrs J Riggs DipTeach Year 2

Ms E Ryan BEd Year 3

Mr A Sheppard TC Year 7

Mrs J Smith BEd DipTeach Year 4

Mrs R Waddingham BEd (Term 1) Preparatory

Ms K Wellard BEd(PhysEd) Year 5

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Mrs J Campbell BEd

Japanese (p/t)

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Mrs E Mangan BEd DipDA NIDA Year 1

Miss A Marks BA GradDipTeach Music

Mrs M Nolte MACurrTeach BEd DipTeach Year 5

Mrs C O'Connor DipTeach Preparatory

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In the spirit of the times, the millennium went out with a bang! The past year has been filled with so many activities in the classroom, on the stage and in the sporting fields that it has been exhausting simply keeping up with the countless achievements made by individuals and teams.

Although Year 12 had a rather 'washed out' start to the year, with Cyclone Rona prematurely ending out senior retreat, we managed to overcome this slight disruption and focus on the tasks which lay ahead.

Our annual house events, swimming, athletics, cross-country, debating, public-speaking and of course, the triathlon, were once again received with much enthusiasm and house spirit and each student should be commended for the role they played in making each event such an overwhelming and memorable success.

The school musical *Little Shop of Horrors* was, in the tradition of TAS musicals, a hit. The tale of Seymour, Audrey and the carnivorous plant was enjoyed by all cast, crew and audience and congratulations must go to those who contributed to such a wonderful production.

Commencement on the construction of the pool at the end of the September holidays allowed an insight into the remarkable path that TAS has set to travel — it is definitely a promise of great things to come.

As School Captains, we have had the opportunity to involve ourselves in all aspects of the School and this has made for an extremely fulfilling year, far beyond our expectations. We were honoured to represent the School at many occasions throughout the year and were proud to see and hear of what a relatively small secondary school together with our two junior campuses, was capable of achieving.

To our senior class and in particular the prefect body, thank you for making our final year so memorable.



We would also like to take this opportunity to thank the teachers and non-teaching staff for the countless hours they spent preparing us for the years ahead.

To the leaders and class of 2000, we urge you to fully seize the opportunity to make the best of your schooling lives and most importantly, your senior year. All the best for the 21st century!

Tammy Ewen-Smith and Michael Pensini SCHOOL CAPTAINS



PREFECT INVESTITURE

FRONT ROW: Philip Stork (Vice Captain), Tamsin Ewen-Smith (School Captain), Mr Norm Brosseuk (Academic Director), Mr Craig Bassingthwaighte (Deputy Principal), Revd Peter Laurence (Principal), Mr Peter Gummow (Chairman of Council), Revd Helen Phillips (Chaplain), Michael Pensini (School Captain) Sherilyn Barnes (Vice Captain). **BACK ROW:** Anneike Waud, Oliver Driscoll, Kirk Harmer, Rachel Cross, Andrew Birchley, Abigail Stanbridge, Sam Beattie, Emma Robinson, Mark Oostergo, Gemma Scott, Jim Timings, Joanne Alcorn, Liam Johnstone, Caroline Yates. **ABOVE:** Bradley Jorgensen, Maryanne Dore, Lindsay Chambers, Bree Turner, Katherine Wynn.

This year has been an excellent year for new and more familiar students of TAS Marlin Coast Campus. There has been a variety of additions in the School such as a brand new technology room and new media equipment. This allows all students of Marlin Coast Campus to have access to the Internet almost all the time which has been wonderful for projects and class assignments.



All students have been preparing for the challenges that lie ahead of them as they move on a stage in their journey through their school years. For us and our classmates, the Year 7's, we have been preparing for an even larger leap than the younger year levels, 'secondary school'. Some people are nervous, but for the majority, this will be one of the most exciting and important leaps in our school life. A big thank you to the teachers who have helped us to prepare for the experiences that secondary school will hold for us.

The Marlin Coast Campus has also been busy in a variety of events, one of the most exciting of these being Variety Night. All year levels contributed to this event in a big way, which is why this year's performance was even bigger and better than last year. Well done to all people involved in this.

It has been a great year at Marlin Coast this year, and we are sure White Rock next year will be just as exciting as this year. We're sure that the newly elected student leaders for the year 2000 will enjoy their role at the Marlin Coast Campus.

**Emma Henderson and Callum Jensen
MCC SCHOOL CAPTAINS**



This year has been both exciting and challenging. We both have enjoyed our time as Junior School Captains immensely. During the year we have been asked to take on many jobs and additional responsibilities. One of the highlights was taking a visiting group on a tour around our School. They were members of a Taiwanese Primary School orchestra.

The group had almost eighty students, many parents and some teachers and tour guides. Very few of these people could speak English, so the Junior School House Captains, Music Captains and ourselves enjoyed a very interesting tour of the School. This year we also represented TAS at a function which was held in Cairns Central Shopping Centre, to welcome the Japanese Consul.



We both know that as we move onto the Secondary School, we will leave with wonderful memories of the people there and our time in the Junior School.

**Mietta Gornall and
Ciaran Scully-Clausen
WRJ SCHOOL CAPTAINS**

It has been both a joy and a privilege to be able to minister among you this year as Chaplain to Trinity Anglican School. The sense of calling I initially felt to this position has strengthened and grown throughout the year and I find myself, as the year draws to a close, wonderfully and completely immersed into the life of the TAS community as priest and pastor, teacher and parent. The Mission Statement and Motto, which form the basis of our ethos as a school, continue to be a source of focus and inspiration for the spiritual, theological, liturgical and pastoral life of TAS. It is very exciting to be a part of such a dynamic and faith-centred school community. I look forward to many more years of learning and growing together.

In accordance with TAS' commitment to *nurture Christian formation and educational excellence in young people*, our Christian Education programme has continued to provide opportunities for students to explore and reflect upon issues of faith in a variety of contexts. Emphasis remains on raising awareness and acceptance of various approaches to faith issues, whilst providing an unashamedly Christian perspective as a framework and foundation from which to reflect and make personal decisions. Students are encouraged to see themselves as being on a spiritual journey that is dynamic and to endeavour to nurture growth and maturity as individuals and in their relationships.

The assessment for Christian Education in the Secondary School has taken various forms this year. These have included offering opportunities for students to give expression to their observations and reflections on their faith in such mediums as dance, drama, music, drawing, painting, sculpture, computer programmes, design (in both plan and model forms), video production, poetry, script writing and the more traditional essay form. Further integration of technology into the Christian Education programme has introduced students to some of the many helpful and informative religious sites on the Internet for research purposes.

Next year will see a further move forward towards our longer-term goals for Christian Education with the introduction of a new faculty title. From the beginning of 2000, the subject, Christian Education will be known as **Christian, Religious and Values Education** (CRAVE for short). This change has been undertaken in order to reflect more truly the breadth of vision and purpose of TAS. Our School Motto reminds us of our calling to enable students to *observe all things* and we are committed to implementing the best models available in all educational areas to enable this to come to fruition.

The leading schools in Religious Education throughout Australia are all moving towards a model which embraces and gives expression to various strands of curriculum. About two years ago, Dr Peter Vardy, a lecturer in Philosophy of Religion at London University's Heythrop College, was employed as a consultant by several well-known and respected Anglican schools, including Melbourne Grammar and Geelong Grammar. His brief was to oversee a re-evaluation and commitment to Religious Education and to facilitate national forums for dialogue and curriculum writing involving theologians, scholars, chaplains and religious educators throughout Australia. These forums, which I have been privileged to take part in, have seen a strong national movement towards a broad-based Religious Education curriculum that follows several key strands: The Bible, Philosophy of Religion,

Ethics and Values, World Religions, Affective Religious Education and Church History. These strands are inter-woven throughout a comprehensive and cohesive Preparatory to Year 12 curriculum.

The decision to change the name of the course comes after much reflection. It is felt that CRAVE gives expression far more clearly to our aim of providing relevant, stimulating and challenging religious education which will inspire the young people in our care to *reach their full potential as individuals and serving members of the wider community*. Every attempt will be made to ensure that CRAVE is offering material and assessment that is theologically sound, based on Scripture, tradition and reason and which ensures that this subject stands alongside all other areas of the curriculum as academically important and valid. I am most excited to be moving in this direction and see it as essential if we are to continue to pass the faith on to future generations.

Human Relations Education continues to gain momentum as a subject and enables students to become more fully informed about a wide range of issues which are relevant in their contemporary experience. The primary focus of this subject is to equip students with life skills that will stay with them as they move through the different phases of their lives. Topics such as friendship, priorities, decision-making, conflict/resolution and communication skills are covered at various year levels. It is also essential that we offer a safe environment in which young people can discuss issues of sexuality, peer pressure, drug and alcohol use and abuse whilst emphasising Christian values and the beliefs which undergird them. Our secondary students have had the privilege of several guest speakers again this year from various institutions and organisations. I thank these people sincerely for their time and effort in supporting the HRE programme. Their contributions have been both informative and challenging.

As Priest and Pastor to the School community, one of the most important areas of my work at TAS is that of pastoral care. I work alongside the Pastoral Counsellor, classroom teachers, Heads of House, Tutors, Heads of Campus and the Dean of Students to provide support and resources for them in their everyday care of students. I am also available for students, staff, parents and carers and all other members of the TAS family who may wish to have a chat about a variety of issues.

It is a great delight to have welcomed The Reverend John Phillips to the pastoral care team during the year as Pastoral Counsellor. Father John brings many years of pastoral training and experience to this position and during the next year will be offering several seminars for parents on various issues to do with raising children into young adults. The Parish of St Peter's, Marlin Coast, who meet for worship in the MCC Chapel on Sunday mornings, is now also being led by Fr John's ministry each week.

The worship life of TAS continues to provide a strong and tangible expression of the Christian education and formation of the community. It is always a joy to see students attending worship services supported by parents, carers and others. These events form an important link in a student's sense of belonging to the TAS community. Our house services in the Secondary School and year-level services in the Junior School have been focused around a particular theme, relevant to age



group and season of the Church year. Students have taken responsibility for reading Scripture, leading in prayer, acting in drama skits, playing musical instruments, singing, dancing, serving at the altar, setting up and decorating the sanctuary and welcoming members of the congregation. This high level of involvement serves to familiarise students with the structure and format of the liturgy and also to help them to feel a sense of belonging to the wider Church. Next year will see all Family Services held on Sunday mornings, including MCC.

Weekly Chapel Services continue to provide food for thought and reflection within the context of everyday school life. The change in time at WRS to first thing in the morning has given a focus of thought and intention to the rest of the day. Student involvement in the secondary services has increased this year to allow members of each of the Houses to contribute to the planning and presentation of worship more often. Junior School Chapel Services for all age groups receive support and input from the school clergy and members of Senior Management in the form of stories, readings and reflections. These services are an important way of linking different age groups and all three campuses together as well as providing a good example of faithfulness by the staff to the students.

Throughout the year, we have celebrated several special events and church festivals as a school community. Despite the efforts of Cyclone Rona, we were able to go ahead with my Commissioning Service and the Ordinations of The Reverend Janet Story to the Priesthood and The Reverend Ian Creighton to the Diaconate. This was a very special celebration and it was good to have Bishop Clyde with us, along with those who managed to get through the flooding. ANZAC Day services were held once again for all campuses and we were fortunate enough to have Mr Peter Turner come to speak to students from Years 3 to 12 on behalf of the Cairns Returned Services League. Ash Wednesday services marked the beginning of Lent. Students and staff were offered the imposition of ashes and encouraged to make some space in the business of everyday life during Lent to reflect on their relationships with God and each other. We were most fortunate this year, because of the timing of the school holidays, to be able to journey together through the events of Holy Week and to be able to share in the entire Passion story, not just the events of Easter morning.

One of the highlights of the year was once again the celebration of our Festival of Title, Trinity Day. It is a most impressive sight to stand on stage in the Bishop Centre and look out over the entire TAS student and staff body filling the building to the very back of the Chapel. The Feast of the Transfiguration offered a perfect opportunity to be able to focus on the themes of light and God's renewing and transforming activity in the world. It was also good to have Father Laurence back with us after his time on Sabbatical Leave.

Members of the Lower Junior School were invited to bring their favourite teddy or soft toy to Chapel for a special service. We gave thanks to God for having teddies to love and learnt how God is like a teddy because He always listens and is there for us. These services were a high point of the year for all involved. Students from the Junior School were invited to write letters to God and decorate them. These were displayed both inside and outside the Chapel for several days, including Open Day. Together with the pictures from Lower Junior School entitled, *My Favourite Bible Story*, they were a colourful reminder to all who walked past that the Christian education and formation at TAS is alive and well.

The Feast of St Francis was introduced to the students this year and offered an excellent beginning to Term Four and a lead in to the themes of the Year 9 Camp. The service at Camp Tinaroo on the Open Day for the Year 9 Camp was well attended and most enjoyable.

Enquirer's classes were held in two groups for those wishing to explore aspects of faith and Christian life. Members from all aspects of the TAS family came along and several confirmed their faith in the presence of Bishop Clyde on 7 November, along with some members of the Parish of All Saint's, Gordonvale. These classes were a most enjoyable part of my role as Chaplain and I wish those who journeyed through to Confirmation every blessing in their ongoing Christian commitment and witness. Several Baptisms have also been celebrated within the TAS community this year, including Richard Woodhouse, son of Mrs Meg Woodhouse (Preparatory). Early next year, I will be offering the chance for students from the Junior School to be prepared for admission to Holy Communion.

Remembrance Day was observed at MCC with a service conducted by Revd Janet and members of the White Rock campus took time out at 11am to remember those who gave their lives during wartime. Our Year 12 Valedictory Service was once again held at St John's and featured a display of various symbols which gave expression to the many different subjects and activities of the Valedictorians' time at TAS. Our Advent Carols Service was a fitting way to end the school year and remind us of the true meaning of Christmas.

Continuing in a solid tradition of Christian witness and service to the wider community, high priority has been the giving of time and talents, raising awareness and providing financial support for those less fortunate than ourselves. Members of the TAS family have worked together in various ways for many organisations and charities.

Yes, 1999 has been a busy year in the areas of Christian education and formation at TAS. I look forward to working with and amongst you all next year, as we embark on a new millennium of Christian life, service and witness. May the God who loves and sustains us bless you with everything that is good, now and always. I would like to acknowledge the staff who teach Christian Education, assist with liturgy and organise the Christian Fellowship group. Many thanks for your hard work, faithfulness and dedication.

The Reverend Helen Phillips
CHAPLAIN





'Dean of Students' is a most exciting and challenging position covering responsibility for the pastoral care, discipline, and co-curricular life of the School.

A steep learning curve confronted me on arrival at TAS in Term Two. With Father Laurence on Sabbatical leave and Mr Bassingthwaite as Acting Principal, I must have looked like 'Mr Hacker' from *Yes Minister* in my first few weeks as I struggled with names,

procedures, and questions, while trying desperately to look very much in control of things! Thoughts such as, *Where is Mr Pearce when I need him?*, often went through my mind at crucial times!

As I became more settled, I realised how fortunate I was to be working with such a talented and dedicated group of Heads of House. I am continually impressed with their efforts. Coming from a background of nine years as a Head of House, I have a very clear understanding of that role. The students are indeed very fortunate to have people such as these four caring for them as part of our Pastoral structure. Their support for me has also been exemplary.

Fr Laurence and Mr Bassingthwaite have given me tremendous support and encouragement this year. Their calm counsel, wise decisions, and positive and supportive outlook, have enabled me to embrace my position much sooner than may have otherwise occurred. Thank you for your tireless support! Whitsunday Anglican School, Mackay is indeed very fortunate in gaining Mr Bassingthwaite as Principal and I look forward to working with Mrs Margaret Kennedy next year.

Establishing and maintaining an appropriate balance between my disciplinary and my pastoral care roles has been a rewarding challenge. Some theorists believe that discipline and pastoral care are two different functions within a school. Conversely, I strongly disagree. As a school we are aiming to be an extension of the families from which our students come. Very few families would separate the disciplining of and the caring for their children. The two really go hand in hand. How effective would a family (or a school) be if one person was purely the disciplinarian? One of the real joys in my role has been to find the correct balance between discipline and pastoral care.

My disciplinary role is seen frequently! After all, with a community of 1040 children and teenagers at TAS, it cannot and should not be 'smooth sailing' all the time. We need to remember that kids are kids, and that we should see it as normal for them to make the odd mistake as they develop and mature. We have a solid and effective Discipline Policy within the School, which is there to guide students and to correct their misdemeanours as they occur. Inseparable from this are our pastoral care programmes, both structured and unstructured, which are ongoing, and overlay everything else that occurs in the School. It has been a joy for me to be able to spend time wandering around the School just chatting to students. In this way, familiarity develops, and the students are feeling more able to approach me about issues of concern.

The co-curricular programs within the School provide our students with opportunities to develop self-confidence and to achieve outside the classroom. The positive outcomes evident in the students from their participation in the co-curricular

life of the School transfers across to complement our pastoral and disciplinary programmes. I sincerely thank all of the staff who have worked so hard to provide these co-curricular experiences for our students.

As the year draws to a close, we are able to reflect on the many achievements of our students in 1999. 'Achievements' need not necessarily mean titles, awards or prizes. Although these are important, what matters most is that each student has tried as hard as they can in all facets of school life both in and out of the classroom. Personal success comes from this type of effort. It is my hope, that all of our students will reflect over the past year and honestly be able to say that they have come a long way in 1999. From this point, personal goals can be set for 2000 and beyond.

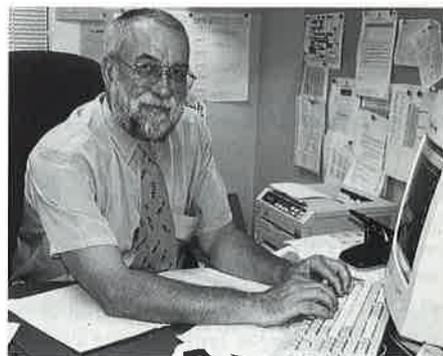
I firmly believe that you only fail when you stop trying. I saw a *No Fear T* shirt recently which contained the citation, *If you're not living on the edge then you are taking up too much space*. My advice to our students in 2000 is this: Throw yourself into all kinds of activities within TAS, regardless of your ability. Success comes from trying different things. Who knows, a hidden joy and talent may be revealed! Dreams are possible if people try. Rod Stewart, in the late 1970's, (yes, I am that old!), wrote a brilliant song called, *Never Give up on a Dream*, in memory of inspirational cancer victim, Terry Fox, who ran across Canada while crippled with Cancer to raise money for research, and to make the point that anything is possible if you try.

TAS 2000, never give up on a dream!

Mr Ross Switzer DEAN OF STUDENTS

We had a most successful academic year in 1999. Of the Year 12 graduates from 1998 almost all have taken up tertiary

positions this year. Thirty-two students took up positions at James Cook University, fourteen at the University of Queensland, three at the Queensland University of Technology, eleven at Griffiths University, one at Central Queensland University and two have taken up TAFE courses. It is interesting to note the very high number of students electing to take up positions at James Cook University.



Throughout 1999 many staff have been actively involved in the implementation of the new Queensland Schools Curriculum Council's courses from Preparatory to Year 10 in SOSE, Science and Physical Education. It has been a rather difficult transition to this new method of course delivery in the classroom and many staff across the three campuses have put in an enormous amount of work putting this programme together. There is still a great deal of work to be done, particularly in the areas of assessment methods, within this area. Most of the other key curriculum areas will begin the process of preparing programmes of work over the next few years. I would especially like to make mention of the work carried out this year by Mrs Catherine Taifalos, Dr Barbara Howard and Mr Rick Hodgson. Their commitment to this task has ensured a smooth transition into this new and exciting format for course delivery.

Mr Norm Brosseuk ACADEMIC DIRECTOR



It is important that our schools educate their students to keep a sense of proportion (with regards a concentration on achieving high academic results to the exclusion of almost everything else) and to pay due regard to the proper claims of other things. Those other things include cultural pursuits, social skills and concerns, sport and the sheer enjoyment of being young.

Sir William Deane

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OUTDOOR EDUCATION.....education for life?

One must first lose sight of the shore in order to explore new horizons.

Anonymous

Being outdoors and away from the classroom provides the perfect backdrop for new and exciting, often vastly different experiences to everyday life. Herein lies the value of the Outdoor Education programme at Trinity Anglican School. It is an exciting opportunity to be part of a programme that extends from Year 2 to Year 12. Each year students have new locations, wonderful activities and educational opportunities to look forward to. It is in this natural environment that individuals begin to create positive self-images through challenge and adventure, learn to live and work more harmoniously with others and foster care for the environment. It is out in the bush cooking around a camp fire, working together to solve a navigation problem or perhaps on the edge of a cliff abseiling, that this learning takes place. Whether it be a personal change to overcome a fear of heights or the fact that a group of thirty kids has created a wonderful living space in the bush, there is one thing that is certain - all will have had an experience to learn about themselves, their peers and the natural environment.

The Year 2 children of White Rock Junior enter the Outdoor Education programme with a sleepover at school including a barbecue and activities. They had enormous amounts of fun getting used to the idea of sleeping away from home and really preparing themselves for a three day camp next year.

The Year 3 students of both White Rock Junior (WRJ) and Marlin Coast Campus (MCC) eased into their first camp with a three day stay at the Genazzano Centre. They explored the local environment



with a hike around Lake Barrine, set Yabby traps at Lake Tinaroo, played many organised activities and slept in comfort in the well-equipped accommodation of Genazzano.

The Year 4 students of WRJ and MCC had the privilege of going to Daragee Environmental Education Centre near Innisfail. This venue, as the name suggests, was a fascinating source of environmental games and activities in the rainforest. The programme included students feeding farm animals, fishing along the Johnstone



River in a boat, tasking themselves to initiative games and getting to know students from the other campus.

The Year 5 students of WRJ and MCC stayed for four days at the Presbyterian Camp Tinaroo. Dormitory-style accommodation separating girls and boys is always a constant source of funny stories for both students and staff alike. Canoeing, hiking and outdoor games were the experiences enjoyed by all, with the addition of a visit to Lake Eacham. Students were introduced to a National Parks Ranger and volunteers who guided them around the hiking track to spot wildlife. After a visit to Mt Hypipamae Volcanic Crater, students ended their four-day experience with marshmallows and a sing along around the fire.

The Year 6 students of WRJ and MCC toured the outback to the historic town of Chillagoe. Camping out under the stars for many was a highlight amongst visiting dramatically beautiful limestone caves, swimming at the local weir, visiting the old smelter and grave yard and sketching local historic buildings in the main street.

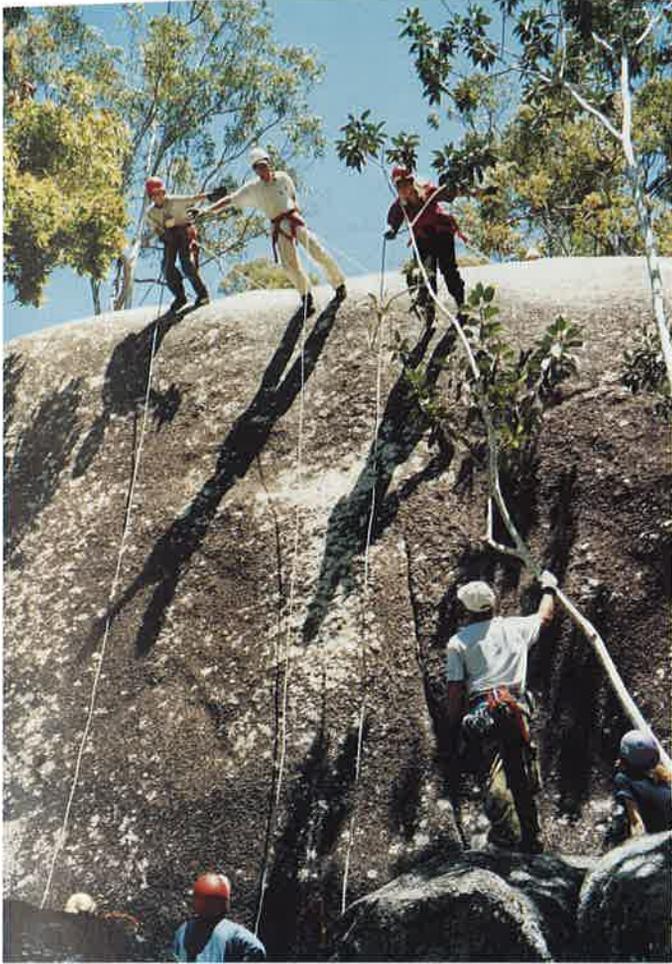


Wonderful weather saw us through for the five days and everyone came home quite a bit dirtier than when they left for camp.

The Year 7 students of WRJ and MCC spent four exciting days at the Mungalli Falls Outpost at the top of the Palmerston Highway. They participated in abseiling, archery, obstacle courses, and horse riding through the time spent on camp. A bit of night spotting was a hit as well as the chance to attempt these exciting new activities all in one location. The four days obviously kept students well and truly challenged and happy.

The Year 8 students toured north to the historically rich regional centre of Cooktown. Offering detailed accounts of Captain Cook's exploits in the area, students visited the Cooktown Museum, Cemetery and Grassy Hill before exploring the local beaches by starlight. After visiting the Aboriginal rock art sites around Laura, students transferred to Jowalbinna Bush Camp by four wheel drive to immerse themselves in viewing Aboriginal Dreamtime rock art hidden in local escarpments. After a cooling swim in an oasis-like





billabong, students visited many other art sites before meeting famous rock art researcher and artist, Percy Tresize. With a full bag of experiences and historically rich stories to tell, students returned to Cairns tired and happy.

The Year 9 students left school *en masse* to the Tablelands for nineteen days of camping out and educational experiences. They lived and breathed the great outdoors for almost three weeks as they abseiled, canoed for four days, visited field trip locations all around the Tablelands, navigated through day and night activities, received a couple of catered meals in amongst their own cooking to keep them sane, made lots of new friends and consolidated existing ones. They learnt a lot about themselves and what they are capable of - a programme of huge undertaking and commitment from both students and staff - a fantastic experience.

The Year 11 students had the opportunity to choose from three camps this year. Option one was to sail a tall ship called the *South Passage*. Option two was to explore the wonderful Blencoe Falls area and the other was to travel through the Goldsbrough Valley.

The *South Passage* departed from Townsville with twenty-three students and Mr Dawson on the journey of a lifetime. Whilst being responsible for the sailing of the ship, students had to cooperate



together in 'watches' to ensure the safety of the boat and crew. Despite the challenge of little sleep and some rough seas, students had the chance to visit islands, relax and take in the magnificence of the coast and sea.

The Blencoe Falls expedition incorporated mountain biking, hiking and exploring a vast area in the Blencoe Falls and Herbert River zone. Superb weather, cooking on the camp fire and spending time with a small group added weight to the enjoyment of this experience.

The Goldsbrough Valley expedition saw students hike the nineteen kilometre Goldsbrough Track from Babinda to the Mulgrave River. Having scaled the Bellenden Ker Range, they learnt about wilderness survival from guides from *On The Edge Adventures*, whilst utilising canoes for transport down the Mulgrave River. This was a camp in which students utilised many of the skills they had picked up throughout the Outdoor Education programme at Trinity Anglican School.

The Year 12 students travelled up the Gillies Range for an 'almost' three day camp to the Genazzano Centre. This programme focused specifically on developing skills of leadership, self-direction, self-motivation and reflection. The programme was enthusiastically lead by Graham Hyman and was making fantastic progress until Cyclone Rona hit the coast near Cairns causing an immediate evacuation back to the safety of our families and homes.

It was a busy and satisfying year all round as all the camps criss-crossed the various zones of Far North Queensland. It is to the staff that we owe much-of our thanks for being present for more than 4000 student days of the programme, to ensure the implementation and care of all involved. To them I am eternally grateful.

Next year promises to be yet another exciting year for students to take the next step along the Outdoor Education programme pathway at TAS. With the ongoing commitment of all the students, staff, GAP staff and numerous unsung helpers, it seems the programme will forge ahead with certain success and wealth of experience in 1999.

Hoping your holidays are safe and eventful.

Best Wishes

Mr Damien Boicos
DIRECTOR OF OUTDOOR EDUCATION



1999, the last year this of century has been a significant, concluding year in a number of areas for Trinity Anglican School on the sports arena. It will be the last year our students have to train in another pool. Our students will not rely on that old line about *having done well for such a small school* anymore. Our School will be assisting those sporting students who are achieving at a high level to extend themselves further and train for excellence in their chosen sport. It has been a great year with plenty of variety and success for all students who were prepared to put their hand up and involve themselves fully in the wide range of opportunities in sport that are available throughout the school year. I'm confident that every student who participated fully in the sports program this year will have benefitted in both the short and long term from their involvement.

The TAS Inter-house Swimming Carnival was won convincingly by those golden cats, the Leichhardt Lions. The spirit at Tobruk Pool was particularly pumped up and the other three Houses provided the necessary competition for the Lions to achieve the results they did. The A Division Inter-school Swimming Carnival against the other seven major schools proved to be a successful venture to kick-start our year. Through a committed team effort we were able to better our results from last year and finish second overall. Due to Saint's vast numbers and swimming club it was the best possible result we could have achieved and the students swam and supported magnificently to achieve their fantastic success. Six students were rewarded for their personal efforts with places in the top three age-champions for the carnival.

The TAS Inter-house Cross-country was a traffic stopper, literally, with the Cairns Police Force assisting our students across the highway to allow them to run up and down and up Red Hill. Some teething problems with the new course saw a four way tie, however, individually our students showed signs of the big results to come in cross-country. The Trinity Coast South Inter-school Cross-country was WON convincingly by the TAS Dragons over the familiar Red Hill course. In 1998 we came second by one point. This year we won by over 200 points with five age-champions. From there many of our runners continued onto the Peninsula Carnival. At this competition TAS students cemented our reputation as arguably the best cross-country school in Queensland by gaining thirteen positions in a 50 strong team. Not content to ease up, Monica Earl and Oliver Driscoll then ran so well at the State Titles in Kuranda that they were both selected in the Queensland team.

The TAS Inter-house Triathlon was again won by Leichhardt who seem to have a mortgage on this particular trophy. Despite Dalrymple winning all of the individual age-champions, Leichhardt once again proved that they were definitely the strongest team.

TAS finished the gruelling sixteen week CISSA Inter-school competition with four finalists, two premiers and one runner up. Mr Bassingthwaight's baseballers finished a very strong



Mrs Brewer's champion CISSA softball side.

season second to a Saint's team with national age-representatives. Mrs Brewer's softballers were very professional all year and their commitment to the end saw them outlast a determined Saint's team 4-1 in the final. Mr O'Connor's netballers won the whole competition again, undefeated again! Both the netball and softball team won their respective regional knock-out competitions this year as well. Both of these teams showed great team support and ability to achieve their outstanding success.

The TAS Inter-house Athletics Carnival was closely fought with the familiar yellow of Leichhardt finishing on top overall again. From there our students competed in The TCS Inter-school Athletics Carnival. This is traditionally our weakest field and despite some outstanding efforts we finished a disappointing fifth. Three students managed to finish in the top three age-champions.

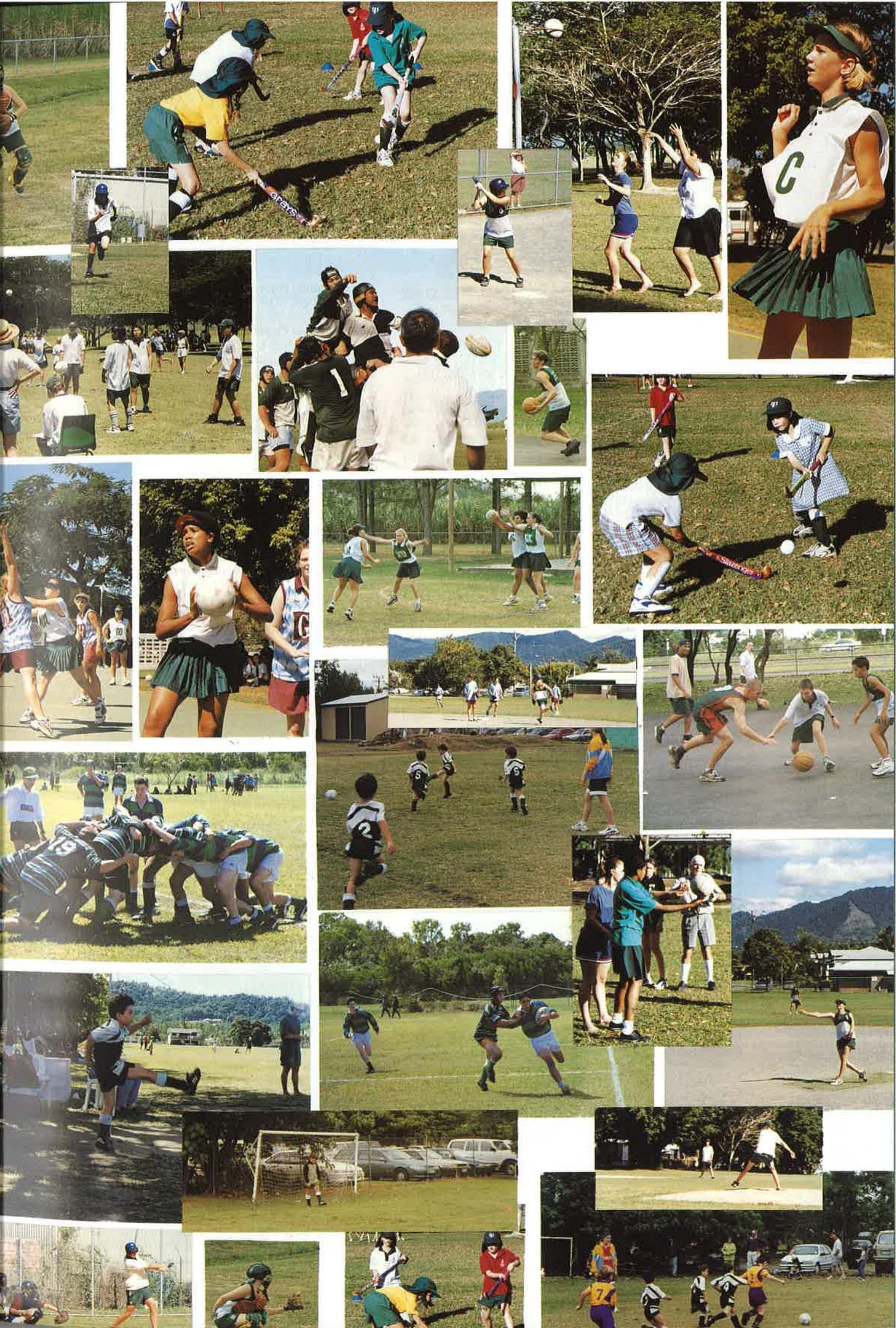
The fifth annual Sports' Awards were a glittering affair with dancers, singers and a gymnastics display leading up to our guest speaker, Reen Corbett, national iron-woman. At this night we recognise our many students who achieve success on the sporting field. The major awards have been listed elsewhere in Trinitas (p26). It was at this night that we announced the induction of the first eight students into the TAS Sports Academy. We are hopeful that we can implement a beneficial sporting program to assist our elite athletes to achieve excellence in their sport. You will hear more about this exciting venture in the next few years as we look to increase our students' edge over others in the sporting arena.

Our year was rounded off well with a beautiful day at Palm Cove to compete in the inaugural Inter-school Surf Life Saving Carnival. Our students competed well, winning three medallions and playing their part in our combined team finishing second overall. I look forward to the new millennium and meeting the sporting challenges with the enthusiasm of our students.

Mr Greg Bayldon
DIRECTOR OF SPORTS



Mr Peter Cox (Former Australian Beach Sprint Champion), Reen Corbett (National Ironwoman), Mr Greg Bayldon (Director of Sports), and students performing at the Annual Sports Awards



**INTER-SCHOOL AGE-CHAMPIONS
TRINITY COAST SOUTH ATHLETICS**

U15 Girls Sarah Simmons, **Open Girls** Rachele McCarthy, **Under 16 Boys** Ryan Lange.

TRINITY COAST SOUTH CROSS-COUNTRY

U13 Boys Michael Hurst, **U14 Girls** Monica Earl, **U15 Girls** Sarah Simmons, **U16 Boys** David Hurst, **Open Boys** Oliver Driscoll.

PENINSULA

U14 Boys Michael McArthur, **U14 Girls** Monica Earl, **U15 Girls** Sarah Simmons, **U16 Boys** David Hurst, **Open Boys** Oliver Driscoll.

SWIMMING A DIVISION

U13 Girls Kate Agar — 3rd, **U14 Girls** Monica Earl — 3rd, **U16 Girls** Vicki Ratliff — 2nd, **U16 Boys** Stacy Lazarus — 2nd, Mark McKelvey — 3rd, **Open Boys** Daniel Hanna — 2nd.

AGE-CHAMPIONS

ATHLETICS

GIRLS

U13 Paula Newman (K)
U14 Monica Earl (D)
U15 Sarah Simmons (L)
U16 Nicole Kadic (L)
Jess Ferguson (K)
Open Rachele McCarthy (L)

BOYS

Ashley Lymn (L)
Sam Brown (L)
William McArthur (M)
Ryan Lange (M)
Angela Graham (D)
Oliver Driscoll (L)

CROSS-COUNTRY

U13 Catherine Miller (M) Michael Hurst (D)
U14 Monica Earl (D) Michael McArthur (M)
U15 Sarah Simmons (L) William McArthur (M)
U16 Angela Graham (D) David Hurst (D)
Open Adrienne Hill (D) Oliver Driscoll (L)
Eleanor Hamilton White (D)

SWIMMING

U13 Kate Agar (M) Michael Hurst (D)
U14 Laura Cowsls (D) Sam Brown (L)
U15 Lindsay Sokolich (M) Adam Zaks (D)
U16 Vicki Ratliff (D) Stacy Lazarus (L)
Ryan Lange (M)
Open Aneike Waud (M) Daniel Hanna (D)

TRIATHLON

Junior Monica Earl (D) Michael Hurst (D)
Senior Angela Graham (D) David Hurst (D)

CISSA SPORTS AWARDS

AFL Joshua Smith
Baseball Peter Underwood
Basketball Ryan Lange, Margaret Reilly
Hockey Stacy Lazarus, Kimberley Roberts
Netball Jess Ferguson
Soccer Sascha van der Zijden, Jessica Singh
Softball Sherilyn Barnes
Touch Football Charles Strickland, Nicole Kadic
Volleyball Danny Blake, Maryanne Dore

INTER-SCHOOL TEAMS

UNDER 14 SOCCER — Runner Up, Grand Finalists & League Champion Runner Up

Coach: Mr George Karagiannis, Manager: Mrs Terri Cowsls

Encouragement Award: William McArthur, **Most Consistent:** Justin Smith / Justin Remmer. **Player of the Year:** Ben Forestal

UNDER 14A SOCCER — Major Semi Finalists

Coach: Mr Paul Jevtovic Manager: Mrs Terri Cowsls

Encouragement Award: Joshua Maule, **Most Consistent:** Jack Scrine / Nik Jevtovic, **Player of the Year:** Michael McArthur

UNDER 15 HOCKEY

Coach: Mrs Glenda Lake

Coach's Award: Rebecca Larcombe, **Most Consistent:** Michaela Grabau, **Player of the Year:** Shannon Reinhardt

UNDER 14 RUGBY UNION (Yowies)

Coach: Mr Jay Thomson

Encouragement Award: Sebbie Kenyon, **Best Back:** Michael Gianarakis, **Best Forward:** Joel Friskin

UNDER 15 RUGBY UNION — Finalists

Coach: Mr Jay Thomson

Encouragement Award: Jure Buljubasich, **Best Back:** Brendan Turner, **Best Forward:** Ben Moller

Spirit of TAS Rugby Shield & Player of the Year: Niklas Collins

FIRST XV RUGBY UNION

Coach: Mr Carl Sloan, Manager: Mr Craig Bassingthwaight

Encouragement Award: Mark McKelvey, **Coach's Award:** Brendon Lynch, **Best Back:** Clint Hampton, **Best Forward:** Daniel Hanna, **TAS Rugby President's Shield - Player of the Year:** Mark Oostergo

STATE INTERSCHOOL TENNIS

Coach: Mrs Louise Vickers

Girls' Most Valuable Player: Courtenay Donnelly, **Boys' Most Valuable Player:** Jeffrey Nilsson,

MAZDA NETBALL — Undefeated Regional Champions

Coach: Mr Brian O'Connor

Most Valuable Player: Naomi Pedro

COCA COLA CRICKET

Coach: Mr Greg Bayldon

Most Valuable Player: Andrew Rockley

KEITH DUDGEON INDOOR CRICKET — 3rd Round

Coach: Mr Greg Bayldon

Most Valuable Player: Andrew Rockley

AUSTRALIA POST GOLDEN GLOVES SOFTBALL

Undefeated Regional Champions

Coach: Mrs Robyn Brewer

Most Valuable Player: Annika Bradley

TCS CROSS-COUNTRY Champion TCS School

Girls' Best Performance: Monica Earl

Boys' Best Performance: Oliver Driscoll

INTER-SCHOOL A DIVISION SWIMMING — Runners Up

Girls' Best Performance: Vicki Ratliff

Boys' Best Performance: Stacy Lazarus

INTRA SCHOOL SAILING

Coach: Mr Tony Dawson

Best Crew: Vega Griffiths

Most Improved Skipper: Mark Leitner

SCHOOL COLOURS

Half Colours: This award is presented to students in Years 8, 9 and 10 for outstanding performance in their chosen school sport. The student's dedication usually culminates in their selection in a Peninsula or State team.

Baseball	Kyle Watson
Basketball	Naomi Pedro, David Kwong
Cricket	Tim Moeser
Cross-country	Monica Earl, Sarah Simmons, Sam Brown, David Hurst, Michael McArthur, Michael Hurst
Cycling	David Hurst, Michael Hurst
Rugby Union	Niklas Collins, Ben Moller, Jon Davies
Tennis	Courtenay Donnelly
Triathlon	David Hurst, Michael Hurst

Full Colours: This award is presented to students in Years 11 and 12 for outstanding performance in their chosen school sport. The student's dedication usually culminates in their selection in a Peninsula or State team.

Basketball	Sussanah Pedro
Cricket	Andrew Rockley
Cross-country	Oliver Driscoll, Matthew Jefferis, Daniel Jefferis, Owen Myhill, Jess Ferguson, Angela Graham, Nicole Bean
Netball	Sussanah Pedro
Rugby Union	Mark Oostergo
Softball	Annika Bradley, Sherilyn Barnes, Julia Lewis



Mr Greg Bayldon (Director of Sport), Sam Brown (Best All-Round Junior Sportsperson), Naomi Pedro (Junior Sportswoman), Oliver Driscoll (Senior Sportsman), Miss Reen Corbett (Surf Lifesaver), Christopher Diehm (Junior Sportsman), Annika Bradley (Senior Sportswoman) Angela Graham (Best All Round Senior Sportsperson), Fr Peter Laurence (Principal)

**TAS 1999 HONOUR ROLL
ACADEMY OF SPORT INDUCTEES**

Annika Bradley	Chris Diehm	Oliver Driscoll
Monica Earl	Ryan Lange	Sussanah Pedro
Naomi Pedro	Nicky van der Zijden	





This year no fewer than 70 boys played rugby for the School. There were three teams, the Under 14 and Under 15 at junior level and the Open Side. The statistics in terms of results for the first fifteen do not make impressive reading, however there were some excellent highlights, such as the try scoring of Clint Hampton and Ethan Simpson's drop goal against our near neighbour St Mary's from 45 meters out. Cynics would argue that Ethan was too tired to run! In truth, it was a great kick that brought victory.

The inaugural visit by the Cathedral School from Townsville was a very satisfying event. Many thanks to all the parents who took billets and showed great hospitality to our visitors. Almost the whole School came to watch a very close game won by our sister school. Mr John Bacon refereed that game, along with many others. I would like to thank him for his continued support of TAS Rugby and look forward to his contribution next season.

The TAS Rugby Supporters Club was very active this year through fund-raising and by providing after match functions when required. Many thanks must go to all parents who support TAS Rugby with special mention of the team of Mrs Margaret Hanna and Mrs Conny van den Brand, the backbone of all our efforts.

Representative honors went to Mark Oostergo for making the Peninsula Open Boy's side. Daniel Hanna, the Captain of Rugby for 1999, was a member of the Cairns Under 19 side crowned champions in Brisbane at the home of Queensland rugby, Ballymore.

I would like to make a special mention of Mr Jay Thomson, the coach of both the Under 15 and 14 sides. His efforts were well appreciated by the boys and he inspired them to some great wins this season. Indeed this Under 15 side is the most successful ever fielded by the school.

The future of TAS Rugby appears bright with such experienced and enthusiastic players coming through the ranks. This year TAS Rugby got a new oval, which is a full international size field.

I wish all the seniors well as they leave us and I encourage them to continue to play the 'Game they play in Heaven'.

Mr Carl Sloan DIRECTOR OF RUGBY

U14 & U15 Rugby Union

The 1999 Junior Rugby Union season went from March until early September. The U14 & U15 Yowies played a total of nineteen games in the 15 aside competition with nine games won to nine games lost, as well as a draw to St Augustines in the first round. Both teams also competed in the 10-aside competition at Mann St earlier in the year. The U15 team finished second overall at the end of the school rounds and then lost to third placed Trinity Bay in the semi-final. The U14 side has shown that there are some very good players coming up through the ranks. A big thank you to all the players this year. You did well fellas. Thanks for your efforts. I'd also like to thank the parents who supported the lads both on and off the field this year. Your support was much appreciated.

U14 Yowie Squad Members: Mr J Thomson (Coach), J Friskin*, J Bailey, M McArthur*, L Harris, S Ward-Riggs, M Moule*, R Spence, S Cave, P Ferguson, T Whish-Wilson*, D Moule, A Senior*, S Kenyon*, M Richardson*, D Quayle*, M Gianarakis*, D Hassall*, L Rankine*, C Gornall*, K Pedersen*, D Wilde*. **U15 Yowie Squad Members:** G Buchanan, J Buljabasich, R Williams, B Turner, B Moller, N Collins, J Davies, A Singh, T Birchley, A Thorpe, S McKenzie, T Rigano, R Bowater, T Dunn, S Caldwell. *Players signified with * played as members of the U15 Yowies also.* **First XV:** D Hanna, B Lynch, C Hampton, J Rigano, M Oostergo, O Myhill, S van der Zijden, M Trout, B Jorgensen, H O'Neill, A Rockley, K Dufty, M McKelvey, L Goodwin, C Conway, B Bidgood, D Robbins, C Freeman, R Lange, T Becker, N van der Zijden, E Simpson, R van den Brand.

The 1999 season was a very successful one for the TAS Brothers Hockey Club. Over 100 students played in eleven TAS teams which were entered in all age groups of the competition from Under 8 to Under 15 years. A further nine TAS boys joined with the Woree Brothers Club to compete in the Under 13 competition. This was the start of a collaborative venture between the two clubs which will see more TAS players joining the club in the higher age groups.

All teams played hard and a huge change in abilities was evident at the end of the season with all teams finishing strongly. Many children from the school were selected for representative trials and teams in both the School and state championships. The Under 10 girls team coached by

Sam Lumley was particularly successful being undefeated for the entire season. The Under 13 girls team coached by David Long was selected in A Division, the first time a TAS team has reached this level of skill.

Our thanks go to the tireless efforts of our coaches Wendy Drysdale, Paula Newman, Sam Lumley, Ron Tippett, David Long, James McGhie, Tony Sheppard, Airin Gomura, Sarah Simmons, Jessica Adams and Glenda Lake.

Thanks also to the committee of **Ron Tippett, Sue Taylor, Christine Laws, John Juides, David Long** and **Pamela Gornall** who all worked hard to ensure the smooth running of the club.

Sue Taylor COMMITTEE MEMBER

U13 BOYS (playing with Worree Brothers) S Lumley, B Keyte, J Deeb, S Haug, L Haug, G Newman, T Newman, J Miller, L Campbell. **GIRLS U8W:** Wendy Drysdale (Coach), K Abrahams, J Maltam, J Brossek, G Walker, A Falk, A Walker, N Gould, A Riggs. **GIRLS U8G:** Airin Gomura (Coach), J Marino, C Rogers, S Hurst, L Adams, C O'Leary, S Simpson, L Garnett, S Simpson. **GIRLS U10E:** Sam Lumley (Coach), S Griffiths, K Juides, N Zivkovic, R Laws, M Lumley, A Moorhouse, M Adams, K Maltam, D Zheng. **GIRLS U10B:** Paula Newman (Coach), R Palmer, S Hodgson, D Hippisley, S Iovannella, C Burman, E Georgouras, R Laurence, R Tomlinson, S Seeto. **GIRLS U10M:** James McGhie (Coach), E Watkinson, K Christensen, J Walker, T Brewer, K Brewer, J Paunovic, B Stafford, H Whittaker, G Walker. **GIRLS U13L:** David Long (Coach), M McGhie, D Wilson, C Miller, P Newman, M Gornall, V Gornall, T Brian, N David, N Juides, S Watson, S Laurence, A Campbell, S Brett. **GIRLS U13T:** Ron Tippett (Coach), A Iwagishi, E Masotto, G Nunn, Z Brown, R Hay, E Bassingthwaite, R Westecott, E Charlton, M Dewhurst, C Charlton, J Wane. **GIRLS U15:** Glenda Lake (Coach), A Chapman, A Gomura, J Lake, J Power, S Reinhardt, B Martin, S Singh, T Chapman, S Farkas, M Grabau, K Goodall, R Larcoombe, O Howarth, J Farkas. **BOYS Under 8S:** Sarah Simmons (Coach), C Iovannella, J Burman, L Stafford, B Sullivan, S Hodgson, J Gall. **BOYS Under 8J:** Jessica Adams (Coach), B Laws, -S Taifalos, A Ginn, S Brown, J Bassingthwaite, E van Kempen, N Haymes. **BOYS Under 10A:** Tony Sheppard (Coach), P Irvin, D Rogers, C Dewhurst, J-M Grabau, S Brian, M Leitner, J Skipworth, L Campbell, T Falkenstein.

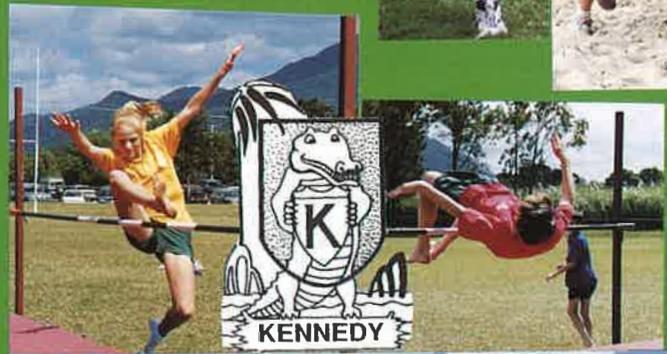
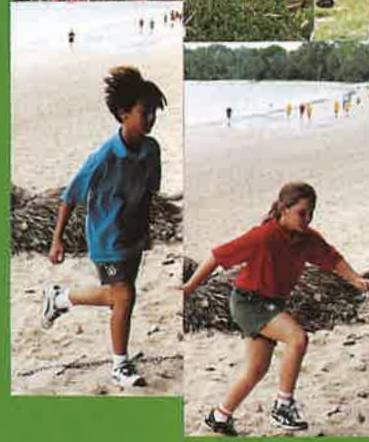
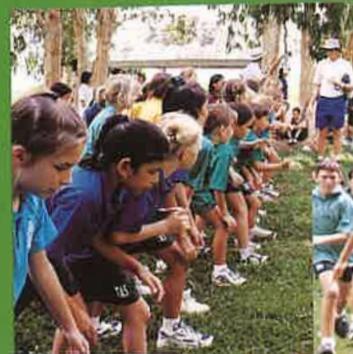


Top: Under 8W Bottom: Undefeated Under 10's coached by Sam Lumley (Yr 6 WRJ student)





Kennedy Cross
Conquer
Junior Events





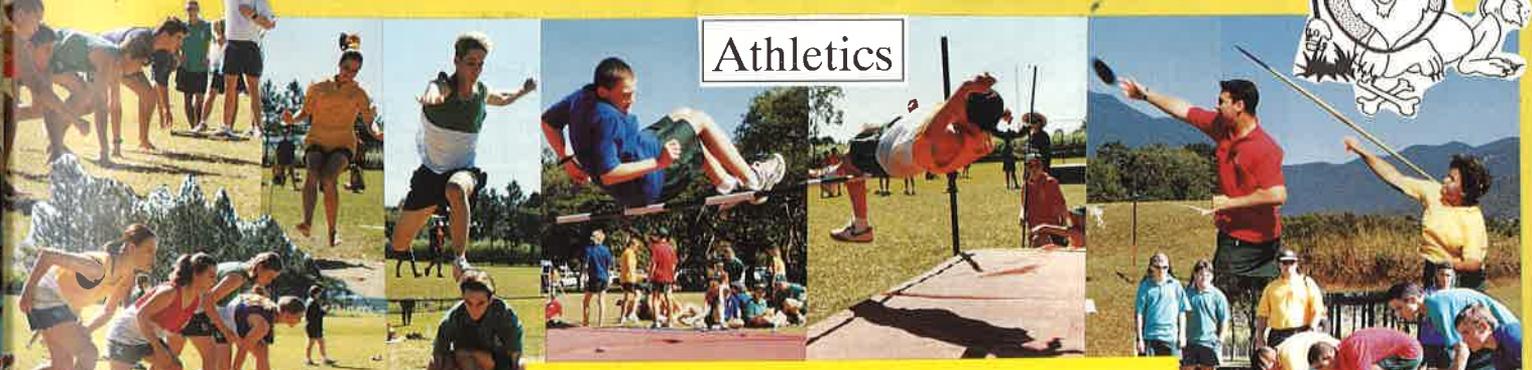
Swimming



Cross-country



Triathlon



Athletics

Leichhardt Lashes Out

It has been a great year for TAS Soccer and its players. Due to the untiring commitment of players, coaches, managers and the Committee, the club has grown astronomically. We have 198 players registered this year. These players come from all campuses of the TAS community: 34 Under 7 players and eleven players in competition age groups from Marlin Coast Campus, 27 Under 14 players at White Rock Secondary campus and 126 Players from Under 7 to Under 12 from White Rock Junior campus.

Soccer is a great way to promote friendships between the campuses. Marlin Coast players again joined in friendship with White Rock players: in the competition. Teams were very grateful to a number of White Rock Secondary students for undertaking to coach Under 7 and Under 8 teams. Thanks to Laura Cowls, William McArthur, Sam Brown, Josh Brown, Mathew Jefferis, Daniel Jefferis, Ben Forestal and Jonathan Bleakley. Your efforts were greatly appreciated by the players in your teams, who think you are wonderful 'big buddies', and by parents and the Committee.

So many of our teams have performed brilliantly this year. We never cease to be proud of the enthusiasm and joy coming from the Under 7 and Under 8 fields each Saturday. The players really have progressed in leaps and bounds, not only in skills and understanding of the game, but also in the sportsmanship required of a team sport. Soccer is a great game and teaches appreciation of the efforts of others in the team as well as pride in a player's own efforts.

A number of our second year Under 7 and Under 8 teams have been very successful at carnivals also - the Under 7(6) team won at Stratford and were semi-finalists at the TAS Carnival, the Under 7(8) team won at the TAS Carnival and were runners-up at Atherton, the Under 7(7) team were third at Kuranda and the Under 8(1) team were semi-finalists at the TAS Carnival.

The progression to larger fields is a big step forward towards competition soccer and our successful Under 9 team has handled it brilliantly this year, demonstrating excellent teamwork and individual skills. They also were semi-finalists at the TAS Carnival.

The competition teams have had a great year. We had two grand finalists this year - the Under 10(1) and the Under 14(1). Three of the four other competition teams made the semi-finals, with the Under 10(2) team very unlucky to be beaten on the last shot of a penalty shoot-out after valiant efforts by the goalkeeper. The Under 14(2) won their semi-final and progressed to the preliminary final, and again were unlucky to lose due to lucky goals by the opposition. The Under 12 A team also were semi-finalists in their grade.

The Cairns Association Knock-out Cup competition allowed many of our competition teams to shine. The Under 14(2) team won the competition, while the Under 11 team were grand finalists. Our Under 14(1) and Under 10(1) teams were unlucky not to be able to play due to problems with draws and player numbers.

At carnivals, our competition teams again performed well. A composite Under 14 team were runners-up at the Marlin Coast Rangers Carnival and a composite Under 10 team won at Edge Hill. The other teams also held their heads high at carnivals with game wins in the knockout rounds.

On the individual front, many TAS players have been selected for representative teams, ranging from Queensland Under 14 representative, Shuichi Fujinohara, to Cairns representatives in all competition age groups where we have a team. Kurtis Cowls, Steven Remmer, Kieren Wilson, Jake Forsyth-Turner, Josephine Whately, Justin Remmer, Ashley Lynn, Shuichi Fujinohara, Shintaro Okuma, Ben Forestal, Laura Cowls, William McArthur and Michael McArthur are Cairns representatives while Jake Forsyth-Turner, Justin Remmer, Ashley Lynn, Shuichi Fujinohara and our coaches Daniel Jefferis and Mathew Jefferis have represented Far North Queensland. In the schools' competition, Jake Forsyth-Turner, Kieren Wilson, Patrick Campbell and Josephine Whately all represented Barron River, with Jake representing Peninsula.

It is obvious that for a club with a relatively small population of potential players to draw from, TAS Soccer has done particularly well. Other Cairns' clubs are based in large areas of suburbs and can draw on many more children than attend our School. They often have two or three competition teams in an age group, whereas we have one or at the most two. We are proud of the club, this year one of the biggest in the competition, and one of the most successful.

TAS was a very proud club at the presentation. As well as two Grand Final teams to receive their medals - similar to much larger clubs with many more competition teams - we received four Best Player of the Year trophies. This award is voted for each week by

the opposition coach: or manager on a points basis.

Congratulations on your fine achievement to:

Raymond Cory	Under 10A division
Kurtis Cowls	Under 11A division
Michael McArthur	Under 14B2 division
Shuichi Fujinohara	Under 14A division

There are many people to thank for these successes. First thanks goes to the coaches who have put so much time and effort into our players. This year we have been lucky to gain many excellent coaches, some with experience in higher spheres. We hope that they will continue to impart their experience to our players.

Secondly, thanks must go to the managers of the teams, who have provided many hours of uniform sorting, card filling and other support for the teams.

Thirdly, thank you to the parents who manage to bring their children to training and matches and enjoy the spectacle of their child learning skills and sportsmanship and having fun. Thanks also to parents who helped at our carnival, refereeing, working in official and food tents, especially to those who helped even though they did not have children participating.



Grand finalists - Under 10(1) and Under 14(1)



Finally, thank you to the members of the TAS Soccer Committee, many of whom have given much time to the betterment of soccer at TAS. Although the hours occasionally seem long, there is a great deal of reward when we see our teams being so successful and behaving in a manner to make all of the TAS community proud. We hope that other parents and teachers will accept these rewards in the future.

Best wishes in soccer to all players, coaches and parents. See you next year!

Mrs Miriam Goosem
SECRETARY

Under 7 Team 1: Laura Cowls, William McArthur (Coaches), R Marino, A Bassingthwaighe, J Wegner, S Frizzo, J Thomas, S King, A Swinson, A Grosser. **Under 7 Team 2:** Sam & Josh Brown. (Coaches), T Jorgensen, J Dawson, A McKenzie, J Gould, B Marks, S Taifalos, A Taifalos. **Under 7 Team 3:** Eliza Ryan (Coach), J Ling, C Reynolds, J Ling, M Jones, N Cameron, A Capitanio, B Capitanio. **Under 7 Team 4:** Richard Haining (Coach), R Gilholm, S Green, S Haining, M Heggen, T Liley, C Walker, E Walker, N Stirling, E Brett-Hall. **Under 7 Team 5:** Tracey Hasler (Coach), H Golpa, M Hasler, D Jones, I Halabi, E Kirkness, R Cosmo, J Lasry, J Barton. **Under 7 Team 6:** Rick

Cotton (Coach), E van Kempen, K Kumagai, B Laws, J Burman, D Cotton, B Brodie. **Under 7 Team 7:** Gary McGowan (Coach), N Lynch, L Stafford, J Nunn, B Shute, O Bryant, T McGowan, J Parker. **Under 7 Team 8:** Chris Batt (Coach), S Batt, L Chapelle, J Clements-Markham, M Cogill, A Dascalu, R Halabi, D Muir, L Enderlin, E Turner. **Under 7 Team 9:** Peter Lotscher (Coach), T Cullen, P Lotscher, D Roe, J Mewett, T Kaesermann, C Raymond, C Toll, A McLeod. **Under 8 Team 1:** Peppi Iovannella (Coach), J Bassingthwaighe, C Goosem, J Hocking, B Ireland, C Iovannella, S Hodgson, S Brown, K Juides. **Under 8 Team 2:** Daniel Jefferis, Mathew Jefferis (Coaches), S Papagelou, J Freeman, A Ginn, A Tabuai, L Adams, A Simpson, N Moller, O Tindale. **Under 8 Team 3:** Ben Forestal, Jonathan Bleakley (Coaches), R Tomlinson, A Cameron, R Booi, N Haymes, K Ford, N Gould, B Sullivan, S Parsonson. **Under 9:** Mike Brzozowski (Coach), H Rosser, L Suprun, N Brzozowski, D Martin, B Harris, T Hook, J-M Grabau, R Cotton, S Brian, M Leitner, R Power, D Jevtovic, J Parsonson, K Maladina. **Under 10 Team 1:** John Campbell (Coach), L Campbell, G Newman, J Skipworth, T Clausen, R Koch, T Falkenstein, L Wilson, C Charlton, J Richardson, J Leray, Skaesermann, E Tindale, R Cory. **Under 10 Team 2:** John Campbell (Coach), N Shute, K Kawamata, M Watson, T Bishop, S Reimann, H Muramoto, R Tomlinson, S Sinha, J Brett, B Harris, J Brett Hall, M Kerby-Eaton, A Conlife, J Bakker, A Lavender. **Under 11:** Terry Gibson (Coach), A Pederson, C Moule, S Remmer, L Ueda, S McClymont, G Hannan, D Goosem, R Gibson, M Singh, K Cows, J Miller, C Smith, N Lindsay, N Singh, J Russell, K Sanada. **Under 12:** Richard McIntosh (Coach), C Ackland, K Wilson, J Schilling, C Scully-Clausen, T Newman, G Gummow, R Dolan, P Campbell, L Haug, T Manoy, K Hanna, J Whately, B Watson, J Forsyth-Turner, C McIntosh, A Campbell. **Under 14 Team 1:** George Karagiannis (Coach), T Barclay, J Brown, S Brown, J Bleakley, B Cook, S Fujinohara, S Okuma, W McArthur, B Forestal, J Smith, A Lynn, J Remmer. **Under 14 Team 2:** Paul Jevtovic (Coach), J Plumpton, M McClymont, M Leitner, M McArthur, T Ciccotosto, J Maule, J Scrine, P Ferguson, L Cows, N Jevtovic, S Doctor, D Wild, C Muramoto, T Bishop, S Haug.

TAS Soccer Committee President: John Campbell, **Vice President:** Terry Gibson, **Secretary:** Miriam Goosem, **Treasurer:** Sandy Hocking, **Registrar:** Ronda Leitner, **School Representative:** Rick Hodgson, **School Liaison Officer:** Eliza Ryan, **Committee Members:** John Juides, Chris Batt, Tony Shute.



Winners of the Cairns Regional Softball Championships
(Coached by Eliza Ryan). **Front** — Hannah Whittaker, Elena Board, Mia Lumley, Danielle Hippisley. **Back:** James Miller, Phillip Irvin, Grant Newman, Paul Clarke, Mark Leitner, Juliana Paunovic, John Skipworth.

Trinity Anglican School's seven softball teams once again performed to a very high level throughout the 1998/99 summer softball competition.

A select team of Year 4/5 softballers were chosen to contest the 1999 pre-season Cairns Regional Softball Championships. They played six games in one day and were victorious.

All games were played with great spirit and sportsmanship — a real credit to our students, their coaches and managers. All players thoroughly enjoyed themselves and we are looking forward to another enjoyable season ahead.

Mr Jason Atkins
PHYSICAL EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Under 10 T-Ball (Green) Mr J Atkins (Coach), J Bassingthwaighe, T Bishop, E Board, C Dewhurst, S Griffiths, D Hippisley, A Patel, J Patel, N Singh. **Under 10 T-Ball (White)** Mrs R Brewer (Coach), K Brewer, T Brewer, J Cunningham, M Leitner, M Lumley, S Lumley, H Muramoto, G Newman, R David. **Under 10 T-Ball (MCC)** Mrs K Macarthur (Coach), B Derwent-Smith, S Gilbert, S Heath, L Hughes, J Kirkpatrick, P Kveton, T-L Macarthur, J Punshon. **Under 12 Mod Ball** K Clarke, F Downs (Coaches), P Clarke, L Campbell, T Falkenstein, L Haug, P Irvin, B Kos, S Lumley, J Miller, J Skipworth. **Under 12 G Irvin, M Doctor (Coaches),** E Bassingthwaighe, A Campbell, K Cows, M Dewhurst, D Goosem, S Remmer, J Schilling. **Under 12 MCC** Miss E Ryan (Coach), M Goodman, J Grinter, S Kaeserman, N Lindsay, T Manoy, E Norman. **Under 14 S Barnes (Coach),** B Board, J Deeb, S Doctor, A Irvin, M Leitner, C Muramoto, S Haug.



Under 12 Mod Ball Champions

This year has been a successful one for our netball team. Our CISSA side went through the year undefeated and capped off the season with a convincing win over St Monica's in the finals.

The team then went on to win all fifteen games qualifying to play in the North Queensland finals in Townsville against Kirwan High. An excellent effort was put in by all girls, with special mention of Naomi Pedro, who received player of the match.

We are all looking forward to the Year 2000 and I'm sure that with future coaching from Mr O'Connor it will be a great year.

CISSA Netball: Mr B O'Connor (Coach) L Burton, V Ratliff, S Pedro, N Pedro, M Baldwin, M Gow, C Marshall, K Foley, A Bray, J Ferguson. **MAZDA Netball:** Mr B O'Connor (Coach) L Burton, V Ratliff, S Pedro, N Pedro, W Ratliff, S Riggs, C Marshall, K Foley, A Bray, J Ferguson.



Members of the Mazda Netball Team en route to Townsville



The Duke of Edinburgh Award is a multi-national award focused on personal development through four areas of activity, service to the community, skills, physical recreation and expeditions. The award operates at three levels, bronze silver, and gold and gives recognition for achievement. It is also a valuable addition to a student's curriculum vitae.

The Duke of Edinburgh Award has just entered it's third year of operation at Trinity Anglican School and has grown to a candidate base of almost 50 students. This year we have had three students complete their Bronze Award with many more nearing completion. Several students have also completed the Bridge Award (for students aged 12 and 13 years) which is a precursor to starting the Bronze Award.

The highlight of most awards is going on expedition and 1999 has been no exception with candidates partaking in the following expeditions: Sailing - five days Townsville to Cairns on the South Passage, Trekking & Rafting - five days in the Goldsborough Valley, Walking - two days Goldfields Track, Walking — four days Hinchinbrook Island, Cycling - eight days Cairns to Karumba, Canoeing - four days Lake Tinaroo

It is great to see the level of participation of students and I extend my thanks and appreciation to all staff and students involved. Special thanks go to Mr Boicos for the integration of the Duke of Edinburgh Award with the school's Outdoor Education programme, Mrs Bogart for providing the opportunity for girls to complete their expeditions and Mr Kruger for his co-ordination and participation in the Cairns to Karumba cycle expedition.

**Mr Tony Dawson
DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD COORDINATOR**

Awards Completed in 1999	A Moorhouse	M Doctor	C Thompson
Bridge Award	N Bean	A Muir	K Watson
E Schilling	D Robbins	V Wall	A McDonald
Bronze Award	C Freeman	F Downs	J Adams
S Lazarus	L Pike	N Nair	D Barnes
M Thompson	V Ratliff	T Grace	Silver Awards
M Hellwig	A Hill	M Gianarakis	J Goble
Current Candidates	N Kadic	J Taylor	N Van der Ziden
Bronze	E Schilling	A Barber	S Lazarus
D Blake	C Salter	J Crabtree	R Graham
B Bidgood	L Buljubasich	M Earl	B Stewart
R Van Den Brand	N Wilson	T Bresnhan	M Thompson
R Barclay	M Drummond	J Brown	C Van Beisen
	J Smith	S Brown	M Hellwig
	S Nair	B Forestall	



Above: Beginning of the Hinchinbrook Trip, Lucinda ~ George Point, Hinchinbrook Island ~ Little Ramsey Bay & Mt Bowen, Hinchinbrook Island ~ Right: Goldsborough Valley, 'Bronze' qualifying expedition ~Far right: Sailing on Trinity Inlet

During seven days of the June Holidays, Alan Strickland, Jonathan Bleakley and Vincent Strange rode the 800km road from Cairns to Kurumba. Assisted by John Bleakley in a support vehicle, they completed the gruelling and challenging ride in great style, making friends and seeing new places along the way. The boys were also able to raise over \$1100 for childrens' education in remote areas. It was a rewarding experience for me to accompany such a dedicated group of students. **Mr Peter Kruger ESL Teacher**



Enrichment Corner

The Secondary Language Literature team mixed *Macbeth* and *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* and won an Honours award.

The Primary Language Literature team combined *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* and *Oliver Twist* and won an Honours award.

Tournament of Minds

The Primary Social Science team also defeated road rage emerged with an Honours award.

Maths Engineering was awarded Spirit of Tournament

The Secondary Social Science team showed how to beat poor road users and were Honours award winners.

Our Science Expo allowed other students to experience the wonders of chemical reactions, and energy changes.

The Maths Engineering team scored an Honours award.

Our Maths Olympiad team has been placed in the top 10% in Australia for the past 3 years. Designed for Years 5-7 students, Nelson has been competing since Year 3.



Taking on the position of Head of Faculty this year made me wonder exactly what it would entail and especially how much I would have to know about Art and Drama. I was very pleased to discover that all departments, Art, Drama and Music, were very competently staffed with educators focused on the outcomes of students in their care.

There is variety in what is being taught as well as a great deal of diversity in the way each teacher approaches individual classes. I am sure you would agree that this leads to a well-balanced education for your children.

Through our schooling system today more people are educated in 'The Arts' The wider community can therefore better appreciate all forms of artistic ability as well as being critical of their experiences. Reiterating the preamble from the Arts Awards programme and on behalf of all members of this faculty ~ *It is a privilege to have the chance to guide and mentor those students whose lives will be changed by their involvement in the Arts.*

The major co-curricular events within the School this year were the WRJ Musical *Prince's Pursuit*, the WRS Play, *Fossils*, the WRS Musical *Little Shop of Horrors*, MCC Variety Night and the Arts Awards.

Each of these productions showed the fantastic amount of effort students, parents and staff are prepared to offer so that a quality result will be achieved. From the basics of learning the script or designing a set to the co-ordination of light and sound and getting the band to play in tune; every aspect of each production is a team building exercise and in my short experience at TAS those teams have come together to produce exceptional quality outcomes.

The Arts Awards was an evening to show off the talents of students in the Arts Faculty. Under the phenomenal direction of our drama specialist Ms Maggie Shephard, parents and students were presented with a spectacular collage of music, drama and visual art by a large cast who really put their utmost into a wonderful evening. It was testimony to the excellent standards we are setting and achieving in 'The Arts' at TAS. Congratulations to all those who have put in that extra effort and were nominated for awards.

I look forward to continuing to assist in developing the talents of all who are involved in the arts. It really is exciting to know that the skills, which they have learned, will be part of the platform from which the rest of their lives will unfold.

The year started with a real blast when 65 students were bussed up to Genazzano and spent the weekend with Mr Boicos, Ms Marks and myself, tuning up for the year as well as reading some very challenging new and old music. The parents who made it to the camp concert were suitably entertained and this performance was repeated, with a few extra guest artists, to the rest of the school community when all groups performed in our Term One Music Extravaganza. Father Laurence and Rebecca, his daughter, seemed quite surprised by their own performance.

Jazz in the Outback was a major focus for TAS Jazz through Term One as the members prepared to spend eight days of their holidays touring and performing in Western Queensland. The trip was a huge success both musically and educationally. Friends of TAS Music must be given credit for the fantastic job they did in fundraising, obtaining grants and catering for every aspect of the trip.

Early in the term most of the groups were called upon to perform at the AISQ dinner and conference. This was good exposure for TAS, as we played for the principals and staff of many other Queensland independent schools. Many passed on comments of praise and surprise that TAS had such musical capabilities.

Besides the numerous fundraising performances which TAS Jazz played at, focus for the rest of the term was mainly on the Cairns and District Junior Eisteddfod.

At the end of May all groups were once again brought together for a weekend of workshops and performing with

Mr Brad Millard, Lecturer in Charge of Wind and Bands at QUT. Many hours were spent fine tuning eisteddfod music. Most woodwind students received some personal tuition and brass students were also treated to an afternoon workshop with Mr Jason Redman, Lecturer in Brass at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music and Principal Trombone for the Queensland Symphony Orchestra.

The ensembles, bands, choirs and individuals all performed to a very high standard at the Eisteddfod. I feel that it is a worthwhile experience for all who participate as they



Brass Ensemble: Kirk Harmer, Michael Thompson, David Lawson, Michael Cadell, Alex Kochi & Roger Wynn.

witness the achievements of other children who are pursuing similar interests and can relate to the effort being exerted whatever the result.

The MCC Carnival was yet another event that brought all the groups together. The performances were all very good with a huge audience response. The children certainly did not show any signs of effort as they enticed the hordes of people at the carnival to relax and enjoy their evening.

During the Cairns Jazz Festival in July we were fortunate to have a Jazz workshop organized by Mrs Connie van den Brand and held in The Bishop Centre for Performing Arts. Guest lecturers included: Don Burrows AO MBE, Kevin Hunt (Piano), Jan McDougal (Trombone), Mark



Don Burrows inspired the TAS students during his jazz workshop!!

Heinzelmann (Drums), Tony Ashby (Woodwind Dixieland), Russell Harris (Voice) and Andrew Hungerford (Cairns woodwind instructor and organiser of the Jazz Festival). Also present was the Kalamunda Youth Swing Band from Western Australia. The day was open to all schools in Cairns and there was even a group from Tully in attendance. It was truly a worthwhile experience for those who participated.

The Coconut Carnival at White Rock was a great opportunity for that campus to experience the sounds of many of the School's groups yet again. I congratulate all those who put in the effort to perform with their group and were also required to help out or perform in other areas of the Carnival. The Concert Band and TAS Jazz gave another really great performance at the Arts Awards. The night also highlighted individuals and small ensembles. The evening was very successful and a job well done to all involved.



TAS ARTS AWARDS



AWARDS FOR CO-CURRICULAR WORK

External Music Examinations - Emma Robinson, Philip Cadell, Belinda Pratt

Regional Eisteddfods - Emma Robinson, Philip Cadell, Belinda Pratt, Christopher Thompson, Michael Thompson, Rebecca Hogben, Katherine Wynn

BANDS AND ENSEMBLES

Most Improved Junior Performer - Katie Clarke, Christopher Thompson

Most Improved Senior Performer - David Lawson, Belinda Pratt

Small Ensemble Prize - Brass Ensemble

Concert Band Prize - Katherine Wynn, Michael Thompson

The TAS Jazz Prize - Kirk Harmer, Robert van den Brand

The Friends of TAS Music Perpetual Trophy - Emma Robinson, Michael Pensini

MUSIC AWARDS

Most Entertaining Year 8 Presentation - Tanya Goodwin, Alissa Gianarakis, Skye Riggs, Natalie Murray, Elizabeth Irvin for *TLC*

Best Junior Composition - Blues Idiom - Deborah Phillips

Best Junior Composition - Pop Idiom - Ryan Bowater, Tyler Dunn, Tor Rigano *Away from You*

Best Senior Composition - All Styles - Michael Pensini

Most Entertaining Performance in a Small Ensemble (Modern Idiom) Michael Pensini, Kirk Harmer *Girl from Ipanema*

Most Entertaining Performance in a Small Ensemble (Classical Idiom) Emma Robinson, Philip Cadell with Liam O'Brien

Shostakovich: First Movement Trio in B minor

Best Junior Vocal Performance - Erica Schilling *Little Shop*

Best Senior Vocal Performance - Kirk Harmer *Git It*

Junior Encouragement Award - Vocal - Alison Loader, Nikolas Stewart, Alexandra Te-Loo, Erica Schilling

Junior Encouragement Award - Instrumental - Ryan Bowater

Junior Rising Star - Erica Schilling

Junior Musician of the Year - Katy Clarke

Senior Encouragement Award - Vocal - Akiko Okada

Senior Encouragement Award - Instrumental - Ben Gibson

Senior Rising Star - Philip Cadell, Belinda Pratt

Senior Musician of the Year - Emma Robinson

ART AWARDS - Junior

Artistic Endeavour Award - Alison Loader

Portrait Sculpture Award - Monica Earl

Tonal Drawing Award - Monica Earl

Painting Award - Alison Loader

Portrait Drawing Award - Nigel Ivanovic

Encouragement Award for Art - Lindsay Sokolich

ART AWARDS - Senior

Artistic Endeavour Award - Rachel Abbott

Post-Modern Art Award - Rachel Cross

Painting Award - Luisa Stephens

Drawing Award - Rachel Abbott

Graphic Design Award - Eleanor Hamilton-White

Computer Art Award - Alex Moorhouse

Ceramics Award - Oliver Driscoll

Sculpture Award - Seton Prettejohn

Photography Award - Rachel Abbott

Digital Animation Award - Matthew Peacock



Encouragement Award for Art - Eleanor Hamilton-White

DRAMA AWARDS - Junior

Most Original Presentation Developed from a Set Script or Story

The Boy Who Cried Wolf - Jodie Gummow, Erica Schilling, Andrew Heggie, Laura Cowles

Most Original Student Devised Performance in a Group or Individually

Letter X - Nigel Ivanovic

Chair - Alison Loader

Most Outstanding

Visual Interpretation

Set to Music by a

Group

Urrgh - Nigel Ivanovic,

Williams Reid, Adam

Miller

Most Entertaining

Group Performance to

Music

Hot Stuff - Rhys

Williams, Tyler Dunn,

Ryan Bowater, Paul

Behnke

Most Theatrical

Interpretation of

Script for Performance in Another Style - *Curiosity Killed the*

Cat - Alison Loader, Meagan Dudley, Sam McKenzie, Jacqueline

Wilson

Award for Consistency of Effort and Creative and Original

Contribution to Class and Assessment Work at all Times - Nigel

Ivanovic, Adam Miller, Will Reid

Junior Encouragement Award - Tegan Callahan, Alex Reinhardt,

Jodie Gummow, Erica Schilling

Junior Rising Star Award - Alison Loader

Sapphire Award - Nigel Ivanovic

DRAMA AWARDS Senior

Most Outstanding Student Devised Script Developed by a

Group or Individual - *Ignorance* Bree Turner, Rachel Cross

Most Original Interpretation of Set Script - *Baden-Baden:*

Lesson of Consent Joanne Alcorn

Most Outstanding Ability to Improvise and Adapting Stimulus

in a Variety of Given Circumstances - *Francis J Botha* Liam

Johnston, *Zulu Bay* by Sam Beattie

Most Outstanding Student Devised Individual Performance -

Perception of Acceptance Rachele McCarthy,

In Bed with Paul de Gaule by Phillip Stork

Most Entertaining Characterisation Created by a Student -

Security Guard Laura Pike

Most Entertaining and Original Performance formed by a

Group or Individual - *Hidden Fears* Laura Pike, Meah Lockhart,

Alexia Bia

Senior Encouragement Award - Ethan Simpson, Meah Lockhart,

Vicki Ratliff

Senior Rising Star Award - Laura Pike, Susannah Pedro

Senior Recognition of Exceptional Accomplishment Award -

Liam Johnston, Joanne Alcorn, Gemma Scott

Senior Emerald Award - Rachele McCarthy, Phillip Stork

1999 TAS ARTS AWARD

Emma Robinson & Phillip Stork



Mrs Alison Falk, Mr Jim Rea, Mr Eddie Zahner, Emma Robinson, Ms Maggie Shephard, Phillip Stork, Fr Peter Laurence



Elyse Milgate, Caryl Rosser, Michelle Reiman, Kelly Lingwood, Vega Griffiths, Grace Simpson, Bethany Phillips, Renee Faithfull, Alex Bishop, Catherine Wall



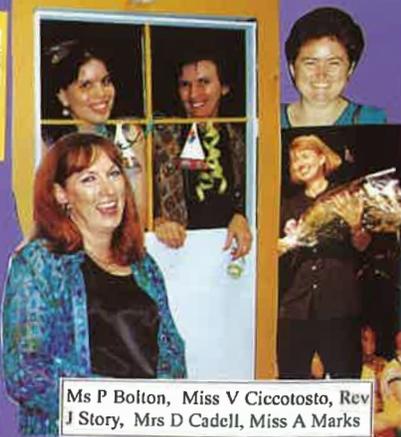
Kate Smith ~ Sean Muir

The Prince's Pursuit

March 11, 12



...that's Pumpkin Puffs!
Erin Charlton, Sarah Laurence, Violetta Zivkovic



Ms P Bolton, Miss V Ciccotosto, Rev J Story, Mrs D Cadell, Miss A Marks

-Who will capture
The Prince's heart?
The Ugly Sisters?
Cinderella?
Goldilocks?
Snow White?
-Can the
Fairy
God-mother
triumph
over
the
evil
Devil?

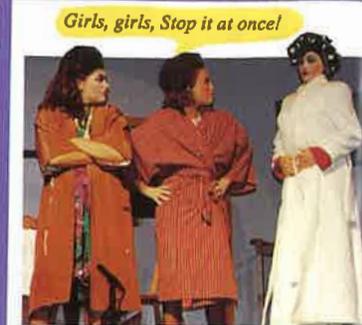


Alex Te-Loo
Nik Stewart

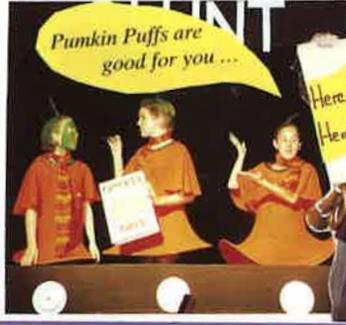
Jake Forsyth Turner



Chorus: Zoe Brown, Patrick Campbell, Lauren Fryer, Danielle Hippisley, Junior Joyce, Rebecca Laurence, Michael Leitner, Alexandra Moorhouse, Rebecca Palmer, Amy Smith, Pieta Spencer, Rebecca Tomlinson, Tessa Wright, Da Yen Zhong



Girls, girls, Stop it at once!



Pumpkin Puffs are good for you...



OHHH! It didn't fit!



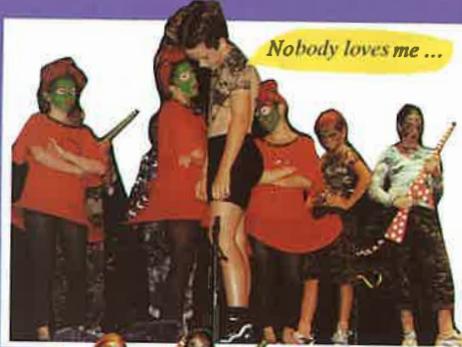
I'm NASTY!



I'm ROTTEN!



Cheer!



Nobody loves me...



Aahh!



Seven Dwarves
Rebecca Hay, Robert Gibson, Hayley Dunn, Claire Burman, Alycia McClymont, Rebecca Hough, Rhyannyn Westacott, Mark Leitner



The Huntsmen
James Nair, Chris McIntosh, Samantha Brett, Emily Masotto, Alex Cunningham, Chelsea Houston, Catherine McIntosh, Kieren Wilson



Wolf & The Three Bears
Liam Haug, Brett Watson, Vanessa Gornall, Michael Cadell (wolf)



Stage Crew
Timothy Jacob, John Deeb, Jeremy Garnett, Sarah Odgaard, Jeff Nilsson, Ciaran Scully, Clausen, Jessica Tilney



Orin The Dentist (Jonathan Bleakley)



Audreys: Joanne Alcorn & Janina Austin



Mushnik & Seymour (Ian Mackay & Phillip Stork)



Puppeteers
Stacy Lazarus, Kirk Harner & Mark Oostergero.

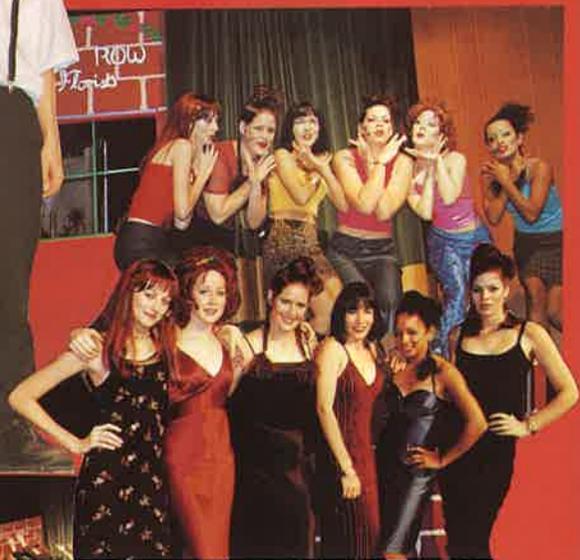


Mr Eddie Zahner

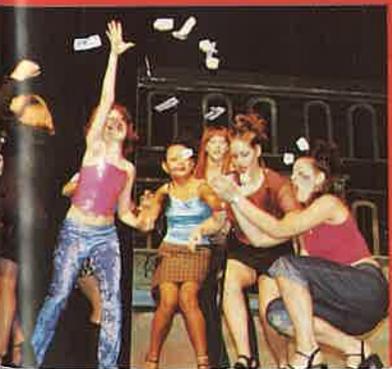
Mrs Alison Falk

Mr Phillip Turner

Musical Directors



Narrators: Alison Loader, Erica Schilling, Marisa Millgate, Abigail Stanbridge, Rachelle McCarthy, Caroline Yates.



Chorus

Elizabeth Irvin, Dimity Barnes, Karlee Foley, Vega Griffith, Julie Taylor, Tye Grace, Elys Green, Brooke Murphy, Josephine Clapham, Naomi de Swardt, Jade Sangster, Vincent Strange, Kate Agar, Carla Simms, Paul McGivie, Seychelles Pitton, Jelena Wright-Brown, Renae Tudor, Tegan Callahan, Andrew Heggie, Anthea Bray, Alana Ayrey, Jessica Willams, Lara Lavers, Nick Stewart, Luke Harris, Jonathon Bleakley, Alex Te Loo.



Band Members

Piano: Emma Robinson
Synthesizer: Christopher Diehm
Keyboard: Michael Thompson
Bass Guitar: Ben Gibson
Electric Guitar: Ben Adams
Flute: Fiona Downs
Clarinet: Kathryn Wynn
Drums: Michael Pensini
Saxophone: Belinda Pratt



Production Team
Choreography: Karlee Foley
Stage Managers: Rachael Cross
Tammy Ewen-Smith
Properties: Eleanor Hamilton White
Lighting: Ms Maggie Shephard
Brad Jorgenson
Aaron Lingwood
Sound: Philip Cadell
Follow Spot: Michael Hellwig
Andrew Birchley
Backstage Crew: Sherilyn Barnes
Hitomi Kihara
Rebecca Larcombe



I may have neglected to mention a few of the many performances that took place this year but I would like to list my most memorable ones:

- * Undara with TAS Jazz doing their last performance of the Outback tour.
- * TAS Jazz playing for the launch of the Great South Pacific Express. This was soon after the Jazz in the Outback tour and they played as if they were truly one entity.
- * TAS Jazz at the Cairns and Districts Junior Eisteddfod.
- * Concert Band at the Trinity Day service.
- * Concert Band when they received second place at the Cairns and Districts Junior Eisteddfod.
- * Earlybirds/MCC Movers as they entertained a very large crowd at the Northern Beaches Markets, Smithfield Shopping Centre.
- * String Ensemble performing at the AISQ Conference.
- * TAS Jazz at the Australian Academy of Music Festival 99



String Ensemble: K Agar, D Barnes, E Board, P Cadell, S Cadell, K Goodall, L Graham, R Graham, B Harris, E Milgate, C Nilsson, B Pratt, E Robinson, G Simpson, K Smith, C Thompson,



MCC Movers and Earlybirds: B Ashton, T Ashton, J Bailey, A Bekkeli, E Board, O Channelles, T Clarke, S Condon, A Cunningham, P Donald, T Falkenstein, D Goosem, L Gordon, D Groves, C Grundstrom, K Hanna, M Kadic, H King, N Kumagai, S Lewin, T Manoy, M McGhie, E Milgate, M Moorhouse, C Muramoto, J Scrine, N Vogelpoel, B Watson, R Westecott, N Zlatarich,

Concert Band: K Agar, A Barber, S Barnes, M Cadell, P Cadell, K Clarke, F Downs, C Flett, E Goodall, M Graham, R Graham, E Green, D Hanna, K Harmer, M Hellwig, R Hogben, H Kihara, A Kochi, D Lawson, M Milgate, M Pensini, D Phillips, B Pratt, E Robinson, V Strange, A Te-Loo, M Thompson, C Thompson, R van den Brand, K Wall, V Wall, R Wynn, K Wynn.

Receiving a fourth place in the *Queensland Festival of Music* last year, TAS Jazz travelled to Brisbane during October to experience the challenge of competition and to make an effort to place their best foot forward. They faced a critical audience in what is Australia's largest and most prestigious music competition and blitzed the field in their section (group and individual) of the *Australian Academy of Music Festival 99*.



TAS JAZZ: B Adams, S Barnes, R Bowater, P Cadell, K Clarke, F Downs, B Gibson, J Goble, D Hanna, K Harmer, A Hill, R Hogben, H Kihara, A Kochi, D Lawson, M Pensini, B Pratt, E Robinson, C Thompson, M Thompson, R van den Brand, K Wynn, R Wynn.



TAS Jazz ~ Practice ~ Performance ~ SUCCESS!!!

I am very grateful for the support I have received this year from the music tutors. They have been helpful in all aspects of scheduling and also forthcoming with assistance on issues concerning private tuition. I would like to make special mention of Mrs Sue Stütt who has given a good deal of her time organising the string programme and maintaining instruments.

The Music Captains have been exceptional in their role this year. Emma and Kirk really have made my job smoother by always being at rehearsals, assisting in whatever area of the band there has been any shortfall and always suggesting possible ways things may be done. Thank you both very much. Best wishes to Kirk and Emma and all the seniors, Michael Pensini, Daniel Hanna, Sheryllyan Barnes, Rebecca Graham, Katherine Wynn and Hitomi Kihara, who generously supported the music programme.

Mr Eddie Zahner
HEAD OF FACULTY — ARTS

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Music has played a large role in our cultural development at TAS. Being Music Captains of Trinity Anglican School in 1999, we have found ourselves involved in a many extra tasks, ranging from conducting to arranging music.

Performing in the various ensembles at TAS has provided us with a huge range of experience in the fields of jazz, classical and even contemporary music. The responsibility that has been entrusted in us, with our positions as Music Captains, has enabled us to act as role models for younger members of the TAS music community.

TAS Music provides students with opportunities to excel in solo performance and ensemble playing due to the number of concerts and other performing opportunities provided.

External music examinations are held in high regard at TAS, and this provides the students with an incentive to set a goal and work towards it. The school jazz band, TAS Jazz, has given musicians the opportunity to perform in the Cairns community as well as enabling them to participate in tours and competitions throughout Queensland. This has provided students with experience which they may not otherwise receive.

TAS provides opportunities for junior students to learn from senior students through participation in ensembles with students from both the Secondary and Junior School.

Being Music Captains of TAS this year has provided us with a wealth of experience and opportunities which will last a lifetime.

**Kirk Harmer and Emma Robinson
MUSIC CAPTAINS**

Our four school choirs have excelled themselves during 1999 in both school and public performances. Under the guidance of Mrs Anna Long the White Rock Upper Junior Choir participated in *Prince's Pursuit*, the White Rock Music Concert, Trinity Day, the Junior Eisteddfod (receiving a Highly Commended), Speech Night and the Carols Service

The White Rock Lower Junior Choir has been active during Terms One and Three and performed at the Prep-2 Chapel service at the end of these terms. They were a delight to teach and there are certainly some budding singers among them.

White Rock Junior Choirs 1999

Robert Koch, Zoe Brown, Chloe Charlton, Amy Smith, Elena Board, Nina Zovkovic, Steven Cadell, Michael Leitner, Joanna Ling, Da Yen Zheng, Kate Christensen, Pieta Spencer, Sarah Madison, Melanie Dewhurst, Rhyannyn Westecott, Erin Charlton, Elyse Milgate, Samantha Brett, Nagisa Kumagai, Violetta Zivkovic, Monica McGhie, Catherine Bleakley, Robert Gibson, David Goosem, Alex Bishop, Amber Donnelly, Danielle Hipsisley, Renee Saroglia, Mia Lumley, Bojana Kos, Rebecca Laurence, Ryan Lukosius, John Skipworth, Chris McIntosh, Chris Dewhurst, Carryl Rosser, Chelsea Russell, Teresa Clausen, Cameron Moule, Talon Bishop, Daniel English, Michael Watson, Alicia Lim, Natasha Lim, Melanie Maher, Zoe Nair, Louise Woolley, Morgan Currie, Thais Farrant, Emily Hare, Sarah Hurst, Ayaan Ismail, Natalie Maher, Claire O'Leary, Sarah Parsonson, Vanessa Steinmann, Sari Simpson, Satu Simpson, Claudia Georgouras, Brooke Capitano, Ellise Joubert.

The Marlin Coast Upper Junior Choir has been busy this year participating in many of the same activities as the White Rock Campus but also including the Marlin Coast Carnival and Variety Night. Variety Night took up much of Term Two and

Three with rehearsals. The students are to be congratulated on their efforts and their dedication to the choir.

Marlin Coast Campus Choirs 1999

Louarde Thomas, Ella Thomas, Samantha Gilbert, Belinda Ashton, Erin Walker, Adam Bekkeli, Bonnie Borowczyk, Julia Green, Stephanie Collins, Nicholas Vogelpoel, Tara Lebon, Elaine Crees, Jessica Grinter, Elly Scrine, Sanatsu Umehara, Estelle Leray, Tara-Lee Macarthur, Elizabeth Barrett, Talisa Bean, Lindsay Hintz, Stephanie Graf, Alessandra Vecchio, Jaimy Chappelow, Lauren Sando, Alexandra Lindsay, Erin Redmond, Sinead Spence, Melissa Terry, Zoe Beath, Greta Musso, Lena Cottray, Stephanie Serafino, Mathew Hasler, Mitchell Heggen, Aidan Dascalu, Sophie Manoy, Jessie Clements-Markham, Emily Turner, Hannah Trout, Tamika Meyer, Elizabeth Unwin, Tiffany Kaesermann, Yasmin Olsen, Danielle Upton, Tamami Nakano, Rebecca Smith, Sarah Mecklem, Cortne Brown, Eric Walker, Nathan Sterling, Kelly-Ann Cupitt.

Not to be outdone, the Marlin Coast Lower Junior Choir also participated in the Variety Night and many of the audience commented that they were one of the highlights of the evening.

Congratulations to all the students in our four school choirs and my thanks to Mrs Anna Long for her guidance with the White Rock Upper Junior Choir and to Mrs Alison Falk and Mr Lawrence Webster for their assistance with accompanying the choirs at their many performances.

**Miss Andrea Marks
MUSIC SPECIALIST**



White Rock Upper Junior Choirs 1999



Marlin Coast Campus Choir 1999

Marlin Coast Variety Night



Ladies and Gentlemen boys and girls,
Men in shiny shoes, Ladies their hair in curls
Come one, come all
Take your seats and have a ball.

A hush falls over the crowd,
Mothers and Fathers sitting proud,
Butterflies in actors tummies,
We heard a baby cry, "Where's my dummy?!"

The compares mount the stage,
Slowly Megan turns her page,
Tom's voice rings out, making an awful din,
He announces "And the Saints go Marching In"

Backstage crews working hard
Putting in the effort, going the 100 yards.
The actors need no cue,
But the interval's almost due.

Cake and coffee passed around,
From the bathrooms a lot of sound.
Interval's almost finished,
Actor's anxiety has diminished.

Several wigs are worn
Two t-shirts have been torn,
There's a prop everywhere,
But does anyone really care?

Fellow students getting stressed out,
Teachers are beginning to shout.
Miss Marks, Ms Mangan and Mr Webster too,
Where would we be without you?

Variety night a huge success,
And now for the huge mess.....

Collage by Tim Ashton, Adam Bekkeli and Natasha Zlatarich.
Poem by Jackie Hara-Crockford, Shevaun Fitzymers and Denni Rogers

The Work Experience programme for all of our Year 10 students was held during Week 5 of Term Three. Our programme was very successful this year with students benefiting from placement in a variety of industries which included dentistry, film production, animal and health care, hospitality, office management, computer technology, childcare, legal and the armed forces. Reports returned from employers and students were very positive and in many cases emphasised the suitability of the student to a future career choice. A number of students were also offered part-time employment as a result of their week with the employer. This year our students were placed in locations as diverse from Brisbane to Port Douglas. The programme continues to allow our students to develop new skills and responsibilities as well as developing their self-confidence, self-esteem, self-awareness, motivation and career directions. Many Year 10 students benefit from the experience by the fact that a week in the workplace certainly allows for some direction in the important decision making process of Year 11 and 12 subject selection.

A number of Year 11 and 12 students also took up the opportunity of a voluntary work experience programme during school holidays. All of these students were very successful in their placements.

The programme is sponsored by the support of businesses and employers in the Cairns and surrounding regions. Many employers assist us with placement on a regular basis. I would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to those who assist our young people.

I would also like to extend a big thank you to Mrs Irene Harrison who took over during my absence and to all other staff who assisted with administrative duties or with visiting students on placement. I would also like to thank the students for their enthusiasm and support of the programme.

Ms Barbara Mendelsohn
WORK EXPERIENCE CO-ORDINATOR

From sprinting through the rain up the 100 odd stairs to get to class, and lighting Bunsen burners to warm-up in Physics, to racing to the computer room at break to send those important e-mails, and curling up on the couch with a blanket, a few friends and a rich hot chocolate - life at St Anne's is as different as is possible to life at TAS. St Anne's School, Windermere, is a small, newly co-ed, school of about 200 students situated in the middle of one of the most beautiful parts of England. Over the past few weeks I've been tripping around the Lake District, been to Stratford to see the Royal Shakespeare Company perform Othello, visited the Glasgow School of Art, and made many new friends. Over the rest of my time here I will be going on a cultural trip to Edinburgh, touring London, and of course trying and make it too a Manchester United game. I'm having a terrific time and I definitely recommend to anyone to try a school or gap exchange.

Yours sincerely
Elys Green (on exchange at St Anne's, Windermere, England)

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Myra Grady (Nazareth Village) with Community Service students. Margaret Reilly at Boopa Werem Kindergarten. Heather Phillips at St Vincent Family Services

Put sixty hungry students in the Bishop Centre for the night; add movies, a slave auction, and turn the music up LOUD. What do you get? No, not a recipe for disaster! You get the first TAS '40hr Famine Sleepover.' Surprisingly, the two did not turn out to be the same. Perhaps the term *sleepover* wasn't the most appropriate to choose. However, with a little endurance and a lot of enthusiasm, the students at TAS proved that they were a force to be reckoned with. Together, they made a clear statement that they want a world that no longer tolerates poverty; a world that puts people first. This built an amazing sense of community across the different age groups present. It was uplifting and a clear sign that social justice can be achieved, starting with our own TAS community.

The slave auction was one of the greatest successes TAS had in its attempt to raise money to help *stop* slave labour. The highest bid for a slave was \$70. Slaves were made to partake in a range of activities including girls mud wrestling in detergent, guys shaving their legs and Sam Beatie (Yr 12) dancing in a nappy. A big thank you goes out to all of the Year 12's who supported the slave auction and the sleepover. Without them this very worthwhile event wouldn't have happened. Also thank you to Mr Sloan, Revd Janet, Miss Thomson and Revd Helen for their support, and for staying up all night to supervise the sleepover.

Nelson Mandela once wrote: *Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure.*

When we step out and give of ourselves for something we truly believe in, as the students at TAS have, the immeasurable passion within each one of us takes flight. This passion has taken flight at TAS, both in subtle and forward ways. It has fed the people around us, and it has fed our brothers and sisters across the globe. This is an achievement to celebrate and be proud of.

Heather Phillips Year 11

Rachel Abbott and Seton Prettejohn nominated their business proposal in the annual Regional Business Plan Competition run under the auspices of the Business Liaison Association. We are delighted to say that this business plan — a 24-Hour Medical Centre located at Smithfield — was announced the winner at the presentation at the Hilton Hotel on Thursday 21 October 1999. This is a tremendous recognition of the efforts and skills of the students in an arena outside of school and is well deserved.

Mrs Gaye Chant
ACTING HEAD OF FACULTY ~
BUSINESS STUDIES





It has been a great pleasure this year to welcome Mrs Kathleen Becker to the library staff at White Rock and Mrs Sally-Anne Goeldner to the Marlin Coast Campus Library. With Mrs Ferns at White Rock, our three Assistant Librarians have been teaching library and research skills to our junior school classes and encouraging reading by reminding the students of some of the more traditional authors and introducing them to newer writers and books.

Of course, one of the major innovations for the year was the establishment of the network at the Marlin Coast Campus, providing all staff and students with internet and email access. Not only have the older students learned to use the web, but many on both campuses have actually written their own web pages for inclusion on the Student Web at <http://www.tas.qld.edu.au/stuweb.htm>. Extension of the ISDN capacity to the main server has allowed for better access rates as more and more classes are integrating the internet into their daily curriculum.

For secondary students, the acquisition of online access to databases such as MacquarieNet, Echo and the University of Queensland Search Bank, has allowed students to diversify their research and add educational and professional journal articles to substantiate their reports.

The Library is always a hive of activity and we are very grateful for help we receive, especially from our wonderful Library Monitors who do such a great job covering and processing and shelving.

Mrs Linda White
HEAD OF INFORMATION SERVICES



White Rock Library



Network classroom at Marlin Coast Campus

Educating students with the medium of their time

The cutting edge of information and learning technology is now coined by the phrase *Anytime Anywhere Learning*. To achieve *Anytime Anywhere Learning* an educational institution must have connectivity. Students need to be able to access the institution's own resources as well as the vast amount of information on the World Wide Web. Ideally students would be able to individually search for relevant resources, choose what is appropriate for their needs, and then analyse and present these resources in a manner that would be acceptable in company boardrooms throughout the world.

Do you know the **current number one hit single**? Do you know the characters of *Dawson's Creek*? Do you know what an MP3 file is? What is the **medium of our students' time**?

Competency in Information Technology is one of the single most important aspects of a student's education. At Trinity Anglican School, in just six years of the **Laptop Programme**, Information Technology education has come a very long way. The standard of computer literacy demonstrated by TAS students is outstanding. Our graduating students have reported that their laptop skills have benefited them enormously in their **tertiary studies** and they find themselves helping fellow tertiary students with various aspects of technology. Our Years 5, 6 and 7 students **continually amaze staff and parents** with the speed at which they grasp technology and the quality of their documents and other work produced on their laptops.

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The school intranet, **TASNET**, is expanding every year and connectivity to **TASNET** is becoming easier. The **TAS Home Page** has links to search school resources as well as links to the major search engines for the World Wide Web. The pace of technological change is reflected in the laptops that were rolled out at the beginning of the year. The powerful **Toshiba 2510CDS** boasted **Pentium 266Mhz**, **32Mb RAM**, **4Gb HDD**, **internal CD-ROM** and **FDD**, a colour screen and a host of other amazing features - a far cry from the T2130 just 3 years ago. Also included was a **Xircom RealPort network adaptor** which allows trouble-free connection to the school intranet, **TASNET**.

Australia is the acknowledged **world leader** in implementing laptops into the school curriculum and many other countries are now starting laptop programmes modelled on the success of Australian schools. The USA and England are investing significant amounts into laptop programmes in an effort to make teachers and students computer literate. The Laptop Programme at TAS has meant that both staff and students have a high degree of computer expertise. The dynamic nature of computer technology means that there are always new skills to be learned and the laptops allow staff and students to be always at the cutting edge. Educational publishers are continually releasing software to assist learning in all subjects across the curriculum. For example, an interactive CDROM can be far more effective than a textbook. The potential of the laptop as a **powerful educational tool** is limitless.

The new Toshiba Data Projector has been very popular this year. Many teachers are now having their students present a wide range of projects and assignments using **PowerPoint** and the data projector. Many subjects are **creating web pages** as part of their class work and assignments. **TASNET** is being used as an data collection point for many subjects and classes, with teachers and students exchanging information electronically. For example, teachers put assignment details and criteria sheets on **TASNET** for students to read and download, and then the students submit their assignments back to the teacher by uploading their work on to a class area on **TASNET**.

WEB PAGE COMPETITION

Congratulations to **Year 11 students, David Robbins and Brent Chuang**, who gained second place in the Information Technology (IT) Careers Evening Cairns District Web Page Design competition held in July at the Hilton Hotel. They won copies of *Office2000* and other software for the school.



TAS Students demonstrating the school Laptop Programme to participants and teachers from throughout North Queensland at the Toshiba Expanding Horizons conference in Townsville.

EXPANDING HORIZONS CONFERENCE

Each year Toshiba hosts the Expanding Horizons Conferences for schools with laptop programmes. Due to ever increasing demand from schools wishing to find out more information about starting a laptop programme, conferences were held both in Brisbane and in Townsville this year. Being one of the leading laptop schools in Australia, TAS is always asked to present at these conferences. As part of the Expanding Horizons Conferences this year a Virtual Classroom was demonstrated after lunch at each venue. TAS was invited to demonstrate the *Virtual Classroom* at the Townsville conference. Twelve students accompanied by Mrs Taifalos and Mr Dawson travelled to Townsville for the day in the TAS school bus driven by Mr Martin Brown. The students were excellent ambassadors for the School and their sessions were the most popular at the conference. Their manners and presentation were impeccable and they excelled in explaining their school work on their laptops to the many principals and teachers attending from schools throughout North Queensland.

Thanks to **Mrs Taifalos** and **Mr Dawson** for organising such an impressive presentation of laptop work from the students and congratulations to the following students for their efforts at the Expanding Horizons Conference:

Year 8: Alissa Gianarakis, Natalie Murray, Sean Haug, Joel Bailey

Year 9: Jonathan Bleakley, Alan Strickland, Michael Gianarakis, Naomi de Swardt

Year 10: Deborah Phillips, Caitlin Salter, Isabel Bantegui, Victoria Wall



Mr Paul Yates, Mr Brian Springell & Mr Mark Ellis

TECHNICAL SERVICES AND HELP DESK

Mr Mark Ellis and **Mr Paul Yates** have performed an invaluable service this year in their capacity as Computer Technicians and general 'help desk'. They have given their expert help and advice patiently to almost every person in the school community - students, teachers, administrative staff and many parents as well. Mr Ellis' and Mr Yates' knowledge and experience covers an extremely wide range of software and hardware and their willingness to assist is appreciated by all the TAS community.

Mr Brian Springell
HEAD OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

No rest for pitcher

THERE has been no time for Cairns softballer Annika Bradley to rest recently.

Bradley, 16, has kept herself busy with representative duties since the Cairns Softball Association season finished a couple of months ago.

Last month she was a part of the Victorian Queensland schoolgirls team which took and retained the title in Darwin.

The team played 13 games, going through undefeated in a rigorous tournament which saw them play two games a day.

Bradley said yesterday she was continuing her training through the Queensland Academy of Sport which involved three softball and three weight sessions a week.

She said there was still plenty of work to do to attain her long-term aim of making the Australian open side.

"I'm pretty happy with things at the moment," she said. "There are always things you can improve on."

Bradley said she was still trying to improve the ball movement on her pitches, while she also believed she could pitch faster.

Her goal for this year is to make the Queensland Under 19 team which will contest the national title in Perth in September.

In between she will attend a QAS camp next month to be re-assessed and tested on her progress.



AIMING to improve: Pitcher Annika Bradley is aiming for selection in the Queensland under 19 team.

Young jazz players to hit bush

THE Trinity Anglican School jazz band, TAS Jazz, is going bush on its first tour of outback Queensland.

The 19-piece combo left yesterday for a tour that will see it perform before audiences at Dajarri, Eesardji, Robyside, Sapphic, Rucaboline, Lissicome and Wines in central Queensland.

Other highlights include a special show at Longreach's Stockman Hall of Fame and a grand finale at Under Lays Lodge north-west of Cairns for locals and tourists alike.

As well as the music, the band members, who are aged between 14 and 18, will be seeing as much of the country as possible — some hoping to strike it rich while bushing.



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Sydney bound

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The only swimmer from the Peninsula region to attend the Queensland trials in Brisbane, Dixon returned with three gold medals and a bronze.

At the 10th Junior National Wheelchair Games in Perth last week, Dixon collected another



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Softball star on the rise

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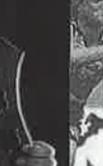
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Dancing on air at selection

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Young triathletes inspire coach

IT'S a big step from the Australian triathlon coach who has taken up the Trinity Anglican coaching reins for the inter-school triathlon season opener at Palm Cove on Saturday.

Czech Karol Wlodek was a member of the Australian team at the world triathlon triathlon in Switzerland last September and will leave with the national triathlon side to compete in the United States in October.

And she is the man who is inspired. "They do inspire me. They put it all in perspective for me and help me focus on what I have to do," Wlodek said.



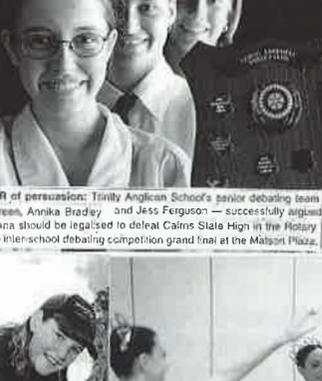
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Rachel sets the shutters snapping



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JAZZIC Rachel

SEEK was known as the north Queensland "lego kit" at 40 years, but now schoolgirl Rachel Abbott is striving to grace the billboards of "fashion" models.

"I'm going to move down to Brisbane next year to follow a career in fashion," said Rachel, 11, who will attend Trinity Anglican School at Wilkesville in Cairns.

"I'm having my model — it's a job and hopefully modelling jobs will come. It's nice and exciting I'm going for photography or art."

Headed in one of hundreds of boutiques all over Queensland trying to win the inaugural "Next Top Queensland" award.

The contest, which offers prize including a lucrative contract as a professional modelling consultant, starts next Thursday and has final parade during BIKI Fashion Week.

It is sponsored by the Bicy Centre and Bicy's Model Management, and is open to anyone aged 12-18 as the results a headshot, full-length photo and entry form by Monday.

Headed to Year 12 student from Mountview near Cairns, said Rachel started when she went to an entry form to model in a parade for the BIKI Fashion Awards held in Cairns.

"I've done a few photos, I had all about five years and doing like commercial stuff. I played with Legos," she said.

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Test enjoys dual role

Ten Years ago, high school teacher Peter Lawrence was a piping pig for the Anglican Church when he became the first ordained minister to work outside the church environment. KAREN FORMAN-LINWOOD reports.



STILL learning: Trinity Anglican School principal Fr Peter Lawrence with students Sebastian Frizza, 6, and Amelia Hulme, 8. Picture: Sun Wellwood

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Extra strings to bows

COURTESY Emma Robinson and Phillip Cabell are retraining in music. The son of a Trinity Anglican School teacher has both been retrained in music and is now a professional musician.



TALENTED... cousins Phillip Cabell and Emma Robinson are retraining in music. Picture: David Bragg

Phillip has twice won the Young Performers solo in the annual South Queensland Competition and Emma has won the Queensland Instrument Award.

There is no time for rest for the pair, with playing schedules for the upcoming Cairns Choral Society production, *Every for You*, and both set to start the outreach with the Cairns Junior Boys Orchestra in the New Year.

Hole in the ground set to be a showpiece

By Penny Robbins
It is a real local personality and the 1972 grand of the '70s' by Peter Lawrence.

The TAS (TAS) has by any the most notable pool in the region on the public pool in Winton.

Excavator operator Karin Marlow scoops up (from left) TAS principal Peter Lawrence, and G... James Niern, 6, Vicky Rostill, 16, Raymond Cory 10 and Stacy Lazarus, 16. Picture: David Bragg

FNQ starves

COMMUNITY-minded Northerners will starve themselves for 40 days next week as part of the 1990 World Values 40 Hour Famine.

School students throughout the city have already shown their support for the cause, many of them planning to give up their favourite food.

Trinity Anglican School students (from left) Heather Phillips, Jessica Singh and Caitlin Suttar.

Nicky wins gold

THE Far North has another national champion with Brad Hope of the Cairns Club.

HELEN Phillips had three children under the age of 10 when she first felt the calling to join the Anglican ministry.

There was a time when minister's wife Helen Phillips was against the ordination of women, but her views soon changed when she fell her own calling to the priesthood. KAREN FORMAN-LINWOOD reports.



ANSWERING her calling: New Trinity Anglican School Christian Helen Phillips. Picture: Sun Wellwood

John was sooth to as it came to him and Helen the associate priest and spent seven happy years working side by side.

John had a trusting eye but John had a habit of pulling it out with a screwdriver.

"I answered the above the..."

TAS musical to entertain family



SCHOOL production Lead Phillip Stork... Trinity Anglican School's upcoming musical *Little Shop of Horrors*. Picture: Spike Harris

SCHOOL production Lead Phillip Stork... Trinity Anglican School's upcoming musical *Little Shop of Horrors*. Picture: Spike Harris

Students shine

TWO Trinity Anglican School students have earned Awards of Excellence for their efforts in the Australian National Chemistry Quiz.

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Ironwoman at awards night

TWO Cairns Queenslanders triumphed in the Cairns Ironwoman triathlon.

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The Student Accommodation Centre is an organized family environment with a sole purpose to accommodate students from overseas and students who live a lengthy distance from the School. It also accommodates the GAP staff from the School. The centre is a converted duplex, situated 300 metres away from the Woree swimming pool. Adjacent to the pool there is McDonalds and a small array of various shops which are favourites of the students in the STAC.



Daniel Mather

As a full time boarder I know the importance of a family environment. The House Parents, Mr and Mrs McGowan, are very nice. They keep us constantly occupied with games, outdoor activities and, on the weekend, with excursion to places such as Sugarworld or 'Ross and Locke' which are always great fun. Not all the outings, outdoor activities, games etc are related to the STAC. Most of the boarders do

other activities during the week such as karate, soccer and shopping trips. Mr and Mrs McGowan perform an excellent job of transporting the students to and from their various venues.

The meals at the STAC cooked by Mrs McGowan are good indeed and always healthy. She also makes great desserts, my favourite being her famous self-saucing pudding!

The STAC isn't all fun-free though. Every weeknight from 6:30 to 8:30 we have study period in which we utilise the time to complete homework and assignments. Mr McGowan constantly checks on us to make sure that we are studying and helps with any problems we have. We also have kitchen hand duty. This involves two students each weeknight, cleaning the kitchen table, sorting out and delivering the daily laundry to each room and scrubbing any marks off the floor.

Overall, the STAC is a great experience. It gives the students the experience of being away from home and allows their unique personalities to develop. I have enjoyed my first year at the STAC and hope to enjoy many more!

Daniel Mather Year 8

My experience as a weekly boarder in the Student Accommodation Centre has proven to be a great place to stay during my time at TAS. The House Parents are really, really cool. They cook really nice food and take you to the larger shopping centres. At other times after school, you can walk down to the shops, play touch or just kick a ball in the park or you can relax in front of the TV. There is also a basketball hoop and volleyball net outside which doubles as a badminton or handball court. So, as a weekly boarder I think that any student would experience a lot from the boarding house and make new friends along the way.

Puikap (Pookie)Tabuai Year 10



This year we've seen the consolidation of the ESL Centre as our home base with students utilising our growing ESL library and our language learning facilities. It has been a pleasure to see some of our long-term students developing into confident English speakers who function independently in mainstream classes. New students have also joined us from China, Japan and Brazil.

I would like to mention some particularly fine achievements: Akiko Okada, who was chosen as a monitor and who received an Arts Award for her vocal performance, Shintaro Okuma, who has had much success representing our School in soccer, Hitomi Kihara, for enthusiastic contribution to TAS Jazz, and Mari Kawamata, for her academic success, winning a prize in the Australian Mathematics Competition and receiving a distinction in the Chemistry Competition

This year our students have continued to participate in CISSA sport. Our Year 10 students gained valuable life and language skills as part of the Work Experience programme and enjoyed joining the annual Geography excursion to Fitzroy Island. Positive contribution to the Outdoor Education programme has been acknowledged by staff with international students mixing more freely with their Australian counterparts on camp. We also had an enjoyable day trip to the Tanks Art Centre to view the Minister's Art Exhibition presented by senior students from throughout the state, and to enjoy a delightful sushi picnic in the Centre's gardens. During Japan Week, many ESL students attended the community function at Cairns Central.

Perhaps the highlight of this year's contribution by ESL students was the superbly choreographed and presented performance at the annual Fashion Parade by Shinsuke, Ninkim, Konosuke, Chiaki, Ai, Akiko, Aki and Hitomi. These students spent much time and energy creating a polished performance of traditional and contemporary fashion and dance.

I wish to thank the tireless contribution of Mr Peter Kruger and the kindness and understanding of all mainstream teachers who appreciate the linguistic and social difficulties encountered by our students who are learning English while at the same time studying in English.

**Mr Philip Turner
HEAD OF FACULTY - ESL**



IVAN MORAN - (Class of 90)— works as a digital animator and recently produced computer graphics in London for some of the space sequences featured in the BBC *Planets* TV series which was aired in Australia on the ABC in August.

ADAM HANSEN - (Class of 98) — training for triathlons. He is supported by 'Pump & Pedals' and 'Coconut Village Resort'. An earlier success was 6th position in the professional class at Caloundra Triathlon. He is the current North Queensland Open Pro Champion, North Queensland Sprint Champion and Coral Coast Open Champion. He is working full time as a computer programmer as well as training for future events.

JANELLE PROTHEROE - (Class of 95) — was named Trainee of the Year in the 1999 Queensland Training Awards. Janelle is an office administration trainee with Passions of Paradise Outer Reef Cruises.

AMBER IVANOVIC - (Class of 98) — was named Dux of the Martin College at their graduation ceremony in June. She is working in the front office of the Tradewinds Esplanade.

KIM CHUAH - (Class of 96) — while attending Bond University has won an award from Morgan Stockbroking for achievement in finance and has consistently appeared in each semester on the vice-chancellor's list for outstanding achievement.

DAVID CHRISTOPHER - (Class of 95) - appointed to White Rock Junior School as classroom teacher from January 2000.

NAYSUN SAEEDI - (Class of 91) — Guest speaker at the 1999 Valedictory. He has been a doctor at the Cairns Base Hospital for the past two years.

MR GREGORY BAYLDON - (Class of 86) - married Miss Fiona Lovell on 26 June 1999.

MISS JULIE WHITE - (Class of 87) married Mr Stephen Pearce (former TAS Dean of Students).

ADAM AND ANN BURTON - (nee Lazarus) (Class of 95) welcomed a son, Jesse John this year.

KIMBERLEY DUNLOP - (Class of 97) represented Papua New Guinea in the South Pacific Games in Guam for swimming. She won 2 silver and a bronze medals in the relays. Twenty-three countries participated. Kimberley is now in her second year of environmental studies at JCU.

HEIDI DOWNES - (Class of 98) — Rotary Exchange to France

TOM JONES - Class of 98) — Rotary Exchange to Japan

STEWART CLYDE-SMITH - (Class of 98) — Rotary Exchange to Germany

LAUREN WHITE - (Class of 98) — Southern Cross Cultural Exchange to France.



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TAS Music



The TAS Foundation is starting to make a contribution to the fabric of school life. The Pezzutti residence has been purchased on behalf of the School. This squares off the campus nicely. It is at present used as a caretaker-groundsman's residence, which adds to the security of school property. In future, the land may be used for a gymnasium-sports complex, alongside the swimming pool.

The Foundation seeks to support the development of long term infrastructure. It holds stewardship over donated funds. Each generation adds to the heritage of the school. Our children enjoy the efforts of past parents and well-wishers. Thus the school continues to grow. Already, approximately 1050 students attend from over 700 families. This number is set to grow to between 1200-1500 over the next few years. A master building plan, dare I say a five-year plan has been developed by School Council. The Foundation supports and complements the work of the School Council and the Parents and Friends Association in this task.

Of course, the pool complex is the subject of the moment. It would seem that the most difficult task has been set first! Father Peter Laurence has set the pace on this one, and like his namesake, Laurie Laurence, we follow the coach! However, he has seen that the time is right. The visit by the Canadian Swim Team has been very stimulating for students and all involved. The *Gala Dinner* evening was a great success. The athletes were inspirational in their testimony and our students, the musicians and stewards, did TAS proud!

Swimming looks to be the glamour sport for the Olympics from the Australian viewpoint. The Pan Pacific titles have confirmed that. Excitement will now build, and we hope and expect to raise more funds from sponsorship in this wake! The tender was given to Cairns Earthmoving Contractors (CEC) Pty Ltd by the School Council and work began during the September holidays. I think that the most exciting feature is the L-shape configuration incorporating an eight-lane 50 metre and a 25 metre (across) pool for 'Learn to Swim' and junior competition. This quality construction will serve current and many future generations of students. So kids, be prepared to pack or wear your 'togs or cossies' to school most or every day!

Who are the current Foundation team? Wayne Bishop stepped down as President, owing to work commitments. Wayne is still on the Board, and it is the 'can do' approach of 'the Bishops' that has set the example. Theo Bacalakis stepped down due to ill health. We send Theo and Effie our best wishes. Shane Pratt is our valued Vice-President, Wendy Milgate our valuable Secretary. Wise counsel is provided by Alan Donald, Russell Board and John Knott. Nigel Salter represents the School Council. Thanks go to John and Wendy Bacon and Melinda Short for their extra-curricular activities! We all welcome enquiries regarding tax deductible donation, pledges or sponsorship of pool items. *Please consider:*

Trinity Anglican School Foundation
Building for the future of our kids!

Dr Bob Miller
PRESIDENT



Alan Massie, Senga Greenwood, Canadian Swim Team members Mairanne Limpert and Curtis Myden, Australian gold medallists Julie McDonald and Penny Heyns from the South African Team, John McKenzie, Kerryn Hayes and John Greenwood at the Gala Dinner. (Photos reprinted with the permission of The Cairns Post)



It is very pleasing that once again we have been blessed with a dedicated and hard working committee that has seen some very attractive results from some great social activities and our ever reliable Tuck Shops and Uniform Shop.

This year's team consists of myself, Mr Clive Abbott and Mrs Jennie Gilbert, (Vice Presidents), Mrs Bronwyn Barber (Secretary following the resignation of Mrs Rosie Lavers), Mr Gary Lange, (Treasurer), and Mr Lindsay Yates, Mr Alvin Smith, Mrs Wendy Drysdale and Mrs Rose-Marie Sullivan (Committee Members).

It has also been very pleasing to see the excellent support of Principal Father Peter, Deputy Principal Craig, Dean of Students Ross, Head of White Rock Junior Rick and Head of Marlin Coast Lynn at nearly every one of our monthly meetings; their input has been wonderful and is much appreciated. I would like to take this opportunity to pass a vote of (thanks to Mrs Louise Vickers who once again has done a great job in the running of our Uniform and Bookshop and also to Emily Moritz and her team for the great job done in running the school tuckshop, to those 'few!!' helpers, our very sincere thanks for your time and assistance throughout the year.

Our major social fundraising activities again this year were the Marlin Coast Carnival and the White Rock Coconut Carnival under the coordination of Mrs Bronwyn Barber. Both Carnivals were again socially and financially a great success and much of the credit must go to Bronwyn for her tireless work in making sure all was in place for the big

days. May I take this opportunity to thank all those that assisted in one way or another at both carnivals.

Another great success was this year's Fashion Parade co-ordinated by Year 11 students Laura Pike, Vicki Ratliffe and Peta Harris. All reports were 'fabulous' from those that attended. Financially it was also a great success, so all round, very well done girls.

The annual Trivia Night was held at the end of October. Many thanks to Lindsay and Elaine Yates for the 'hours' of work put into co-ordinating such a fantastic and mentally stimulating evening.

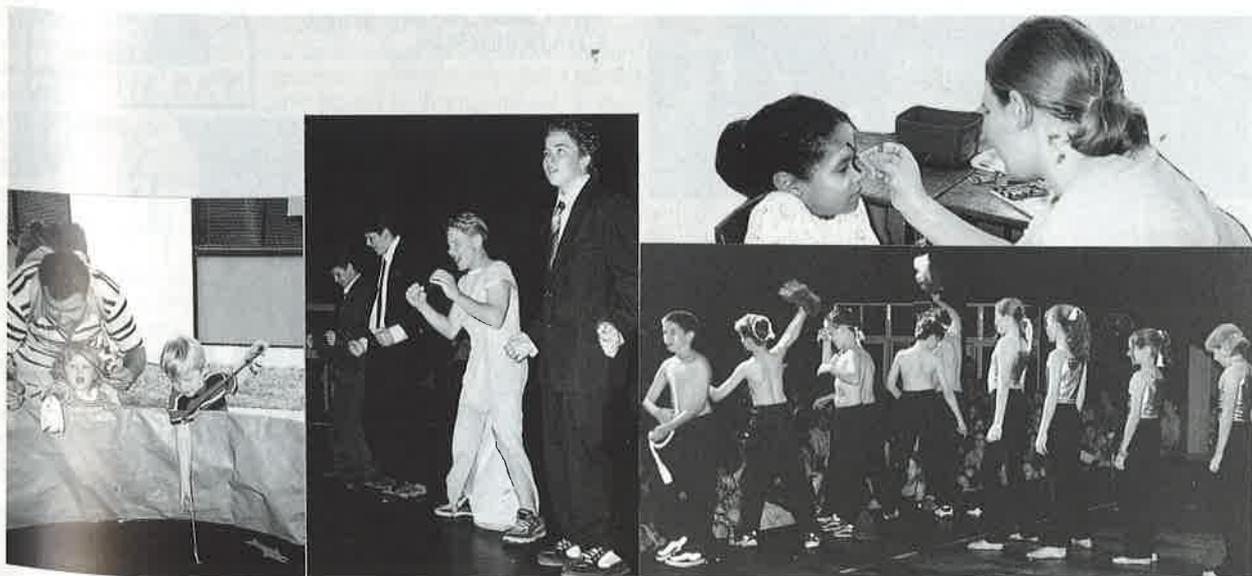
I would also like to acknowledge here the great work of Mrs Conny van den Brand and her Friends of TAS Music as we have worked closely together on occasions for the overall benefit of the School - it has been 'great'. We look forward to continuing this relationship into the future.

In closing, I invite ALL parents and friends of TAS to think seriously about giving a little extra of your time to our School for the benefit not only to today's students but those of tomorrow; your assistance will be appreciated by all.

Finally a BIG thank-you to our school staff, administration, students and you, our supporters for your invaluable help during this past year.

May I take this opportunity to wish you all on behalf of my committee a very Merry Christmas and prosperous new millennium.

Mr Ian Pike - PRESIDENT





1999 turned out to be an extremely busy but very successful year for Friends of TAS Music.

At the start of the year we received a grant from the Queensland Gaming Machine Community Benefit Fund for \$8000 which enabled us to buy a new baritone saxophone, a drum kit with hard cases, a timpani and a tuba for the total cost of \$13000 - value of over \$20000.

Our first concert was held on March 27 where all school groups performed and some ensembles and soloists from the music programme performed.

During the Easter holidays TAS Jazz went on tour. The *Jazz in the Outback* tour was an enormous success for audiences, the 18 band members and of course 'the crew', which consisted of band director Eddie Zahner, tour coordinator, Gail (the Sarge) Robinson, who did a fantastic job, Randall (Rice & Rocks) and Rosemary (for money matters small 'n' Large) Wynn, Evert (Eaglehawk) and Conny (the Cheerleader) van den Brand.



Audiences varied from town to town, from 100 plus to just twelve, but what can you expect if the town consists of three houses and a pub! 'Friends' raised over \$8000 towards the tour and received a Grant of \$1500 from the Minister for Youth and Family Affairs.

In May, Mr Eddie Zahner organized a workshop with Brad Millard, lecturer in woodwind and bands at QUT. Living in rather an isolated area, it was great to have Brad in Cairns to the benefit of all participating students. The weekend was fully sponsored by 'Friends'.

One of the TAS Jazz highlights was their performance at the launch of the Great South Pacific Express Train. This

resulted in national coverage and was part of the Win TV program *Getaway*, which was also shown on the Qantas in-flight entertainment programme on international flights.

Another highlight of the year was the workshop in July organized by 'Friends' in conjunction with the Cairns Jazz Club with the talented Don Burrows (AO, MBE). Don, a delightful man, who was assisted by Kevin Hunt (piano, keyboard), Jan McDougall from Canada (brass) and Mark Heinzelmann (gold medal winner Paris conservatorium, drums).

The second TAS Jazz Festival *Jazz by Candlelight* was held in October followed by the second tour to Brisbane where TAS Jazz won their section of the *Australian Academy Festival of Music 99* — a fantastic result!! This Brisbane tour was partly sponsored by 'Friends' (workshops, transport, trip to DreamWorld).

Other fundraising efforts during the year were: pie-drive, the sale of an endless amount of satÉ kebabs, and the running of the bar for the junior and secondary musicals, the Arts Award Night and the Fashion Parade.

I would like to especially thank all TAS Jazz members for their enormous commitment and enthusiasm shown during the year. TAS Jazz performed on numerous occasions for the Cairns and wider community. Through their efforts they have put a spotlight on TAS music.

The support of the TAS community has been tremendous during 1999 and I sincerely hope that it will continue in the year 2000!

Mrs Conny van den Brand
CHAIRPERSON





Each year we marvel at the wonders of achievement and growth not only amongst our students but our campus as a whole. 1999 has not been an exception.

Our School exemplifies a richness and diversity of people, of their ideas and contributions to our campus. This year I put to staff *What has made this year special and what have been the highlights?* Throughout this article I share some of their thoughts. With a number of new staff joining our campus during 1999, responses were enlightening. *Marlin Coast Campus has such a supportive staff who willingly share ideas, offer support and who care not only for the children but for each other. There is a feeling of family, of getting to know students across the classes and watching them 'grow'.*

The growth and consolidation in technology facilities have certainly been a highlight for Marlin Coast. With extensive fibre optic cabling put into place early in the year, the Network Room has become a hub for our Years 5, 6 & 7 laptop programme. Access to the World Wide Web for research and study is now available in every classroom together with e-mail facilities for all staff and students. Our technology programme has been boosted with such enthusiasm and involvement, as the 'new' becomes more familiar.

With student goals set high, and staff encouraging, nurturing, supporting and fostering student success, it is not surprising to see such pursuits of excellence in all academic, sporting, cultural, Christian and pastoral areas. My heartfelt thanks to each member of the Marlin Coast Campus staff who have been influential people in the lives of our young folk along their learning journey. Success and achievement for our Year 5 and Year 7 students in the 1999 Queensland Testing Programme, together with the Australian Schools Science, Maths and English competitions for years 5, 6 & 7 have provided opportunities for striving and achieving the *educational excellence* of our TAS Mission Statement.

Each year Variety Night exceeds all expectations and provides a performance of talent, enthusiasm and entertainment. Ms Elaine Mangan and Miss Andrea Marks with the support on piano from Mr Lawrence Webster, encourage and nurture our students to bring out their best as stage performers. Variety Night is not complete without our staff item. Jack (alias Mr Reid) left us with a lasting memory of a new version of the traditional *Jack and the Bean Stalk*.

1999 continued the focus of 'Greening the Campus'. By way of the Preparatory to Year 2 Electives in Term Three, our young folk lovingly planted, tended and established the new courtyard garden bed, as the Year 3's established their gardens behind their classroom. Our staff and students take pride in enhancing their delightful school environment. The 'Footprints into the Future' path was begun at this year's Marlin Coast Campus Carnival with a dual purpose - to raise funds, and also to create a path leading out towards our Chapel. As children left their footprints and their names on the pavers, they have made a step into TAS history. The 'Footprints' path will continue to grow and stretch towards the Chapel.

Student involvement across diverse areas of campus life has again been most pleasing. Student Representative Council members from Years 3 to 7 have supported seven charities this year in fund raising ventures. Jump Rope for Heart was a huge success and a tremendous effort was made by students, their families and their sponsors as they perfected their skipping skills and collected a most generous donation for the Queensland Heart Foundation. Throughout the year students have placed high importance on their social responsibility to support others in the broader community. I thank our hard working student leaders: Emma Henderson, Callum Jensen, Charne Quayle (Semester 1), Eleanor Jenkins (Semester 2), William Pitton (Semester 1), Adam Gaunt (Semester 2), Zoe Richardson, Eden Mills, Stefi Trenberth and Nicholas Vogelpoel, all of whom have encouraged, urged, motivated and enthused our students in the sporting and cultural life of our campus and School.

I wish to pay tribute to all who have involved themselves in supporting the many and varied programmes and activities on our campus, all of which have enhanced the team work and partnership that exists between parents and staff. In particular I thank Mrs Sue Welman as Deputy Head of Campus, and Mrs Kerry Jefferis and Mrs Judy Redmond who, as office secretaries, have continued to efficiently and calmly support our school and staff.

As the students of 1999 have risen to the challenges of life and learning at Marlin Coast Campus, we look forward to the successful learning journeys of our students into the new millennium.

Mrs Lynn Fowler
HEAD OF MARLIN COAST

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Marlin Coast Campus

Head Of Campus Report



PALMERSTON

The best job in the School was given to us; we were elected House Captains for the mighty, mighty Marlins, Palmerston, in 1999. We've had a great time, and we hope that next year's Captains have as good a time as we did!

The mighty, mighty Marlins, strong and true

The ruling team, through and through!

**Steffi Trenberth
Nicholas Vogelpoel**

MORRELL

This year has been a great one for Morrell! Although we only won the Cheering Award at the Swimming Carnival, everybody had a great time. Everyone has tried their very best. For both of us, taking on the role of Morrell House Captains has been very rewarding, and we would like to thank all of the Morrell students and the House teachers, for selecting us to be their house leaders.

Zoe Richardson & Eden Mills



Zoe Richardson, Steffi Trenberth, Charne Quayle, Emma Henderson, Mrs. Lynn Fowler, Callum Jensen, William Pitton, Nicholas Vogelpoel (Absent : Eden Mills).

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

Once again, throughout the past year, the Student Representative Council has supported numerous charities. One of these charities is World Vision, which raises money for Sherly Boem in New Guinea. The SRC. has also raised money for the Kosovo Appeal. We would like to thank Mrs. Schubert, who organised a 'Hamburger Day'. Nicholas Lindsay drew the School emblem, which we tried to fill with gold coins, the money going to The Children's Medical Foundation. The results of all our fundraising were outstanding, and we would like to thank everyone for their wonderful efforts.

Tara Lebon
Carry van der Zijden



Elizabeth Barrett, Lynn Gates, Tara Lebon, Lisa Priest, Shevaun Fitzmyers, Mrs. Sue Welman, Nathan Schubert, Nicholas Lindsay, Carry van der Zijden, Joshua Kirkpatrick, Julian Dascau

THE TAZETTE

Last year we started a newsletter at MCC called the Tazette. Throughout this year we have lost and gained members, but we've kept it going through 1999! Being on the staff of the Tazette means we can be creative, and improve our writing skills. It requires a lot of commitment as we give up our lunchtimes for the meetings, but it's been lots of fun!

**Steffi Trenberth
EDITOR**



Clockwise from Top: Tara Lebon, Denni Rogers, Olandah Channelle, Stephanie Collins, Tamsin Hyde, Steffi Trenberth, Emma Henderson, Stephanie Graf

THE LIBRARY This year the Marlin Coast introduced weekly library lessons for all classes. The transformation of the Library would not have been possible without our enthusiastic 'lunchtime' student Library Monitors. We would like to thank Mrs. Caron Gates, and parents of the School for donations of resources, and assistance with covering books.



A significant highlight was Book Week, celebrated in August, with the theme, 'Weaving the Web'. Activities included a parade, staff and student competitions, displays of student art, exhibits from the Spinners and Weavers Association, and class visits to the Council Library at Smithfield.

The addition of an extra computer and printer lent by After School Care, a scanner, and connection to the Internet, now provide students access to a wide base of resources for information retrieval.

Mrs Sally-Anne Goeldner

aussie of the month

1999

March	Danielle Upton	Year 2	Jake Mewett	Year 3
May	Sophie Manoy	Year 1	Megan Kadic	Year 6
June	Harry Smith	Prep	Steffi Trenberth	Year 7
July	Stephanie Serafino	Year 1/2	Casey Grundstrom	Year 5
August	Lauren Chapelle	Year 2	Belinda Ashton	Year 3
September	Ryan Gilholm	Year 1	Ella Thomas	Year 3
October	Riley Kveton	Year 1/2	Jakob Richardson	Year 5
November	Jenny Manessa	Year 1		

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JEANS FOR GENES DAY

Students placed gold coins on the School Crest (drawn by Nicholas Lindsay) to raise money for the Children's Medical Foundation



YEAR SIX PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE

Denni Rogers, as Sergeant at Arms, leads Shevaun Fitzmyers, the Speaker of the House, to open the Year 6 Parliamentary Debate at the Federal Parliament Education visit to the Cairns City Council Chambers



JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

With great enthusiasm and skill, Carry van der Zijden shows a group of younger students how to jump with double ropes!

This year, the School raised over \$4000 for Heart Research



YEAR ONE FIRE EDUCATION

The Smithfield Firefighters prove once again that student involvement is the most effective way to teach Fire Education

Preparatory

Jennifer Rhys

WORKING

Becky

Joshua

Claudia

Alex

James



Alexandra

Nathan

Lachlan

Britney

Storm

Harry

Matthew

Jack

Garvin

Taylor

Alexander

Georgia

Thomas

TOGETHER

Joanne

We extend our grateful thanks to all those who have assisted with the Preparatory Programme.

MCC



CELEBRATING



Jordan Daniel Frazer Joel Amy George Jon Clare Gabriella Isabella

Allyson's Shereve Lewis Joseph Nicholas Catherine Ashley Elizabeth Christy's

TOGETHER

Preparatory

MCC



In 1999 the enthusiasm shown by our students across all musical events was most praiseworthy. As I look forward to 2000, I wonder what words we will be using to describe their musical achievements? Perhaps cheerful, committed and creative?

My thanks must go to all the students in Lower and Upper Junior Choirs, the Marlin Coast Movers, those in the Variety Night, and those participating in the Charity Concerts. To those, too many to name, whose enthusiasm shone through in their classroom music lessons, *thank you, everyone!*

I thank the many staff who have helped those students succeed, including Mrs Jenny Meehan, Mr Scott Waterson, Mr Iden Piercy, Mr Eddie Zahner and Mrs Sue Stitt. My thanks to Mr Lawrence Webster for all his efforts at Chapel and throughout the year. Teachers, your students' achievements mirrored your enthusiasm.

Miss Andrea Marks
MUSIC SPECIALIST



Miss Andrea Marks with members of the Upper Junior Choir



The P-2 Friendly Olympics



Palmerston and Morell prepare to run their fastest

The students at Marlin Coast have been involved in a variety of sporting activities in 1999. All Year 3 to 7 students showed a lot of determination in our three inter-house carnivals, swimming, cross-country and athletics, with a number of students either being crowned age-champion or coming very close runners-up. The P-2 students are never to be outdone, and once again presented a fantastic spectacle at the *Friendly Olympics*. All were extremely keen and competent in the water during our Advent Term swimming programme.

Year 5, 6 and 7 students once again competed in the Thursday afternoon Barron River Inter-school Sport Competition. Not only were our teams very competitive in all sports, they also displayed a high level of sportsmanship.

We competed in soccer, netball, softball, aussie rules and cricket. Congratulations to all students, especially the Year 5 boys who won the Kanga Cricket competition (B division).

Congratulations to Palmerston House who successfully defended their tug-of-war title at the School's Trinity Day celebrations. That's three times in a row, now!

Thank you very much to all teachers and parents who have supported and assisted the sports program throughout 1999.

Take care over the holidays, and have a great Christmas.

Mr Jason Atkins
HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION SPECIALIST

The study of Japanese is of particular importance to students for all year levels. Through a variety of learning experiences, children are able to experience and enjoy the language and cultures of another country, as well as appreciate their own particular culture.

Mrs Jenni Campbell JAPANESE SPECIALIST

One of the projects Year 5 completed was a poster about an Australian native animal. Akio, Jacob and Maximo did a fine job when they wrote and illustrated a poster about *kamonihashi* (playtpus).



Making and eating *origiri*, or seasoned rice balls, completed the unit on food for Year 3 students Talisa, Matthew and Aaron. *Oishiisoo!* It looks delicious.



GREENING THE CAMPUS

The Year 3 students made a garden in front of our classroom. We planted lots of flowers and covered the earth with bark chips.

Andria Nunn & Jessica Daynes



PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

Elly Scrine and Jackie Hara-Crockford with their awards. We must admit we were very nervous because we wanted to represent the School well. But once we starting speaking, we weren't nervous at all!



THE MARLIN COAST CARNIVAL

Mrs Diane Daniels supervised the Marble Run at the Carnival. Once again, the enthusiasm of all involved made it a huge success.



MATHS OLYMPIAD

What is it? Some people think it's a good education, others think it's fun. We learn good problem-solving skills; some people think we should learn even more! It's certainly interesting. Thank you Mr. Reid for helping us.

Belinda Ashton Year 6



LOWER JUNIOR ELECTIVES PROGRAMME

Woodwork with Mrs Debbie Bennett was one of many fascinating activities offered to the Preparatory, Year 1 and Year 2 students during the Michaelmas Term Electives Programme. The enthusiasm and expertise of the 'Elective Helpers' was deeply appreciated by all those involved, especially the children.

Miss Irene O'Keefe

I like learning about frogs. I like Green Tree Frogs because they look nice. I enjoy watching them but I don't like the sound that they make. I brought my big frog poster to school. By Natasha Hunter.

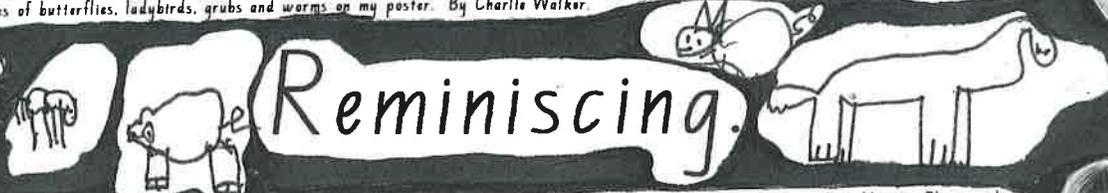
I like playing soccer at lunchtime. I like dribbling the ball and being the goal keeper. I like kicking the ball. I played soccer and got a trophy. It felt really good going up on stage to get it. I did not feel embarrassed about it. Spencer Green.

We made a picture of a farm and Georgia and I used wool, paper and textas and pencils. We made a table out of wool. We cut out the trees. We have a sheep that we are shearing. By Jennifer Maneffa.

In Japanese "Hello" is Konnichi wa. Watashi wa Sophie desu. means my name is Sophie. We made Pokemons. They looked funny. Mine was standing up on grass. By Sophie Manoy.

I liked doing my procedure talk. I made a turkey sandwich. I got two pieces of bread and put some butter on it. Then I put some turkey on it and some salad. I put another piece of bread on it. I ate it for my lunch. By Habib Golpa.

I did a project about bugs. Bugs are good. Some bugs eat other bugs. Some are girls or boys. You never know! Bugs are important. I put pictures of butterflies, ladybirds, grubs and worms on my poster. By Charlie Walker.



Mrs Bennett brought agates in. She gave us one each. You can make things with them. You can make broaches and necklaces. She got them from Agate Creek. By Isaac Halabi.

I gave a talk about camping. I pretended to toast marshmallows on my stick on my fire. I made my fire out of red cellophane. I put the marshmallows in chocolate sauce and I gave them out to the class. By Sam Haining.

We saw a performance of 'Just the Way We Are'. I liked it when the elf gave them three wishes and the mum wished that a sausage was on the man's nose. I like the music. By Jason Barton.

I brought my dog to school for news. His name is Max. He is six months old. He is a Border Collie and he likes to run. I take him to Puppy Training Classes. By Mathew Hasler.

We go to assembly every week. I like it when we have Chapel Service. I like it when I get an award. We said a poem about 'Michael, Anna, Jerome and Kate' and we sang our butterfly song. By Zachary Crum.

In Art I have learnt how to make a pod racer. It is a racing plane that does not have wings. There are many different kinds of pod racers. I used paper and staples. You drag them along and they fly. By Mitchell Heggen.

I like doing Maths and Me on the computers. It has shape, pattern, number and addition games. I like the shape one. By Mary-Louise Eagle-Frith.

I like Sport with Mr Atkins. I like playing Monsters on the Loose, Line Tiggly, Red Rover and Tunnel Ball. I like skipping because it is fun. My favourite thing is Line Tiggly because you have to run on lines. In Monsters on the Loose three people have one ball each. They have to try to tag you. By Gage Palmer.

I like going to the library at lunchtime because I can draw Ape-Escape. I love reading. I like reading Peter Pan because Captain Hook falls off the plank. By Sam Stent.

I like Morning Fitness with Mrs Thomas, Miss Mangum and Mrs Welman. We skip with long and short ropes. We play with the balls. We play on the Zippy-zoom. By Brittany Tait.

I like maths. I like to do plus sums. I wrote a story about $2+3=5$. I had two machines and I found three more. I had five altogether. If I had 12 toys and 5 broke, I would have seven left. By Emilio Brett-Hall.

I liked going to the Cairn's Show. Mum and Dad came too. Mitchell and Charlie were in my group. We saw showbags. I saw cows, horses and tractors. We saw rides and two big slippery slides. By Nicola J Kraemer.

I like singing with Miss Marks. We sing High, Low, Baby-O!, Into Dreams You Must Go. We pass the beanbag around when we sing. I clap to the songs. By Anika Werner.

I liked growing the tomato plants because you get to eat them and take them home. We have to keep watering them. We also grew flowers, lettuces and yellow peppers. By Roxanne Hart.

We learnt about fires. The Fire-fighters taught us to "Get down low and go, go, go," and "Get out and stay out, and "Stop, drop and roll." One of the best places to meet when there is a fire in the house is at the letterbox. By Adin Dasculu.

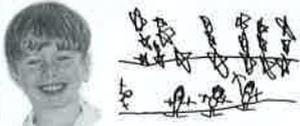
I like Show and Tell. I like seeing the things that people bring in. I brought in some snake skins. I found them in our backyard. I brought in my soccer trophy and a newspaper story about a whale. By Ryan Gilholm.

I like Buddies. My buddy is Richard. He is in Grade 3. He read stories to me. I told him that the stories were nice. I dressed up a Pocahontas for Bookweek. I showed him who I was. By Georgia Chappelou.



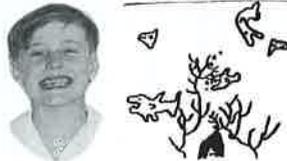
A YEAR TO REMEMBER !

OUR STAR PARTY



I learned all about stars. Ms. Mangan told us where they were. I saw Mars, it was on the Scorpion's tail.
Mark Phibbs

THE SEA



When we were studying the Sea, Ms. Mangan said we could paint on the windows. I learned that the puffer fish swallows air to frighten its enemies.
Sam King

THE INTERNET



We have a computer and it got connected to the Internet. I am nearly an Internet expert, but I don't know the password. I read my e-mail, but I never ever read other people's e-mail.
Michael Cogill

JAPANESE



We learn new words and sing songs in Japanese. Our teacher's name is Mrs Campbell.
Nathan Stirling

MY TEACHER



My teacher is a great teacher. Ms. Mangan is so good at Drama because she practices what she does. We know a lot now that she's teaching us.
Stephanie Serafino

H.P.E.



I like H.P.E. It makes you fit and strong. I like Poison Ball because it's really fun.
Cameron Toll

BUDDIES



Buddies is when one Lower Junior Class and one Upper Junior Class get together and have fun. At Buddies, I make things. Once I made my Dad a bookmark, and once Miss Chambers gave me a compliment about my magic wand.
Sarah Mecklem

LIBRARY



Library is fun. Mrs. Goeldner sometimes puts on a video. You can read books. Try it!
Jeffrey Hamilton

FRIENDLY OLYMPICS



Friendly Olympics is when you do races, and it's all about co-operation and good sportsmanship. My favourite was the running race. I had a twisted ankle I couldn't do the Jumping race, anyway I enjoyed watching.
Kelly Cupitt

THE CAIRNS SHOW



The Cairns Show is a farming show and we went to it. It was so much fun but I didn't want to hold the chicken. I panned for gold and found crystals.
Riley Kveton

THE CARNIVAL



The Carnival is where you eat lollies and you have rides like riding motorcycles. On the day that the Carnival was getting set up, Michael helped me with the poles. They were heavy.
Thomas Liley

ELECTIVES



Electives is fun. Thank you to the helpers for a great time, especially my Mum who teaches soccer. It was a particularly good time, because you get to kick the ball, and score goals.
Eric Kirkness

MY CLASS



In my class we work hard. I like being in this class, my teacher is excellent. I like having Year Ones in my class so we can teach them.
Zoe Beath

THE FARM EXPO



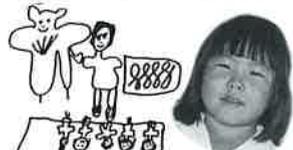
The Farm Expo is when we told everyone about farm animals because we were learning about farms. I liked holding the rabbit and the chickens and the lambs and the pig. We fed the animals.
Lena Cottray

THE SEA CAFE



We turned our classroom into a restaurant and we called it the Sea Café. We asked our parents if we wanted to come. I spilt a bit of tea and I put a scone on a plate. We learned skills that I have never done before. It was fun too.
Madeleine Johnson

ARTS COUNCIL VISIT



I never heard a story like that in my whole life! I loved it. The Koala wanted to be all kinds of animals. It was funny!
Tamami Nakano

MUSIC



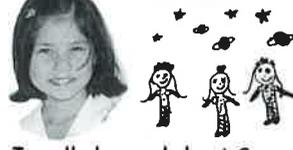
I love Music because we learn all about music with Miss Marks. It's super fun!
Philip Lotscher

ART



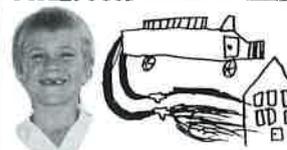
Mrs. Heggen teaches us about Art and tell us what to do. Art is my favourite lesson because we make things out of clay, and put them in the kiln. I also like doing paintings.
Eric Walker

SPACE



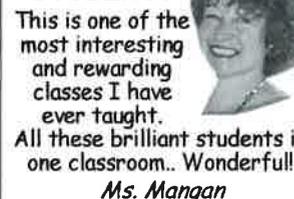
I really learned about Space when I did the constellations. The Swan has a twinkling body. The stars are beautiful, I cannot believe it, they look like jewels.
Melissa Terry

FIREFIGHTERS' VISIT



I liked the fire engine and the hoses. We got to squirt the hoses and to look inside the truck, and put on gloves.
Alex Priest

MY STUDENTS



This is one of the most interesting and rewarding classes I have ever taught. All these brilliant students in one classroom.. Wonderful!
Ms. Mangan





Emily Turner



David Muir



Danielle Upton



Rebecca Smith



Greta Musso



Logan Enderlin

Computers
 Everyone has learned a lot about computers. Computers are helpful to us so we can learn everything. The big disk is called the hard disk, every game is saved on it. The round disk with computer chips around it is called the brain of the computer. We take turns at using the computer. At the end of the day we shut down the computer, Math Workshop, World Cup 1998, Amazing World Explorer, My Amazing Body and Magic School Bus.
Daniel & Benjamin

Buddies
 In Buddies we had chopstick races and we had fun. We have lots of games to play and we played snakes and ladders. It was fun.
Jess & Emily



Sam Batt



Yasmin Oisen

News Groups
 It is fun going in front of the class. People show lots of different things, like teddies, showbags and radios. Sometimes Mrs Welman helps you. I love News.
Cortne Brown

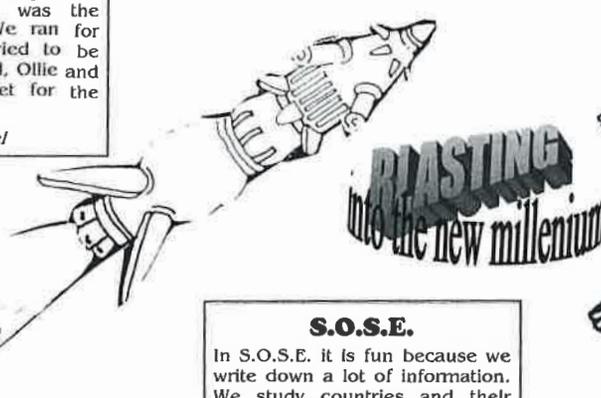


Lauren Chappelle



Thomas Cullen

The Friendly Olympics
 We were nearly in tears when we heard the Friendly Olympics was cancelled. Joel was the Captain of Red team and Lena was the Captain of Yellow. We ran for eighty metres. We tried to be good sportsmen like Sid, Ollie and Millie. It was too wet for the obstacle course.
Lauren & Joel



Tamika Meyer



Tiffany Kaeserman



Benjamin Masters

S.O.S.E.
 In S.O.S.E. it is fun because we write down a lot of information. We study countries and their cultures. Mrs. Welman gives us pictures to stick into our books of people and landmarks. We studied Space and learnt a lot studying Space. In S.O.S.E. we also learnt about the Human Body and all its needs. We also had Mr. Bones in the room.
Logan & Christopher



Cortne Brown



Elizabeth Unwin

Reading Groups
 In Reading Groups we have all these activities that are really fun like Cloze when we fill in gaps and there is another activity called Listening Post and there are lots more called Activities, Painting and Reading. When you have finished your activity you have to get out a game like Rhyming At The Zoo
Siwan & Yasmin



Jessie Clements-Markham



Daniel Roe

Chapel
 I like Chapel because you get awards and if you were leading the Assembly you sometimes get to speak at the microphone. You also get Aussie of the Month and the Best Class awards. When Miss O'Keefe speaks, she speaks loudly. When the teacher calls your name for an award you have your heart filled with excitement.
Greta & Hannah



Siwan Williams



Christopher Raymond

The Beach Excursion
 On the Beach excursion we took off our shoes and played in the sand. We built a sandcastle and Judy helped build the wonderful sandcastle that we made while we were there. The Year Twos from Whiterock came to the beach with us. It was a very good excursion.
Danielle & Elizabeth



Rhys Hughes



Joel Murray



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Hannah Trout



Mrs. Sue Welman



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Elizabeth



Year 3's Handwriting Experts







Mr Lloyd brought in a Children's Python. It was a female so it could lay eggs. The Children's Python is harmless. Kazmierz, Kenji, Sinead, Samantha

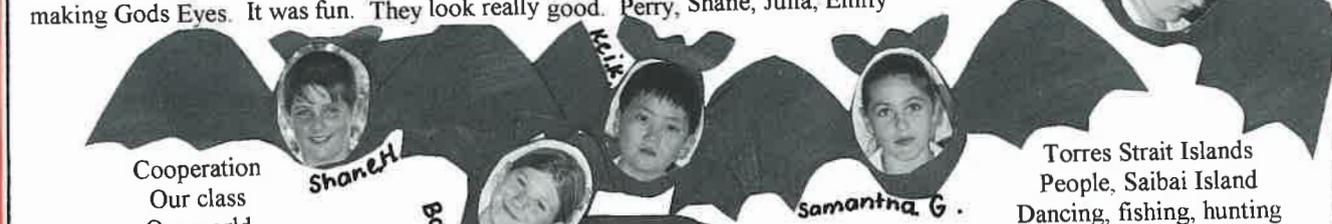


Public Speaking
 Year Four all wrote a speech for the Rotary Public Speaking Competition. Everyone worked very hard to produce interesting speeches. We practiced nearly every day. We all did a really good job and learnt a lot about speaking and listening. Adam, Julio, Leon, Adrian

Batty about Year Four



Art
 We made Gods Eyes in art. The colours are the crops and we made small rain clouds. We really liked making Gods Eyes. It was fun. They look really good. Perry, Shane, Julia, Emily



Cooperation
 Our class
 Our world
 Partners.
 Each of us giving and earning
 Respect.
 At school and at home
 Trying hard.
 Interesting subjects.
 Our class welcomes you. Its
 Never dull.
 Ali, Jack P., Erin, Keisuke

Torres Strait Islands
 People, Saibai Island
 Dancing, fishing, hunting
 Dugongs, islands, small island
 Travelling, living, touring
 Tasmanian Tiger, Australia
 Tasmania
 Tara-Lee, Hayden, Estelle, Jack A.



Sport is a fun activity.
 People play lots
 Of different games.
 Run out to
 Tondru is a warm up.



Camp
 On camp we slept in tents. Some of us had to abandon our tents in the middle of the night due to the rain. We went on a boat called the Daradgee Sun Bird. We did some fishing. It was very exciting. We played many games and learned about the environment. The one thing that we did not like about camp was the brussel sprouts! Jack B., Bonnie, Sascha, Bernie

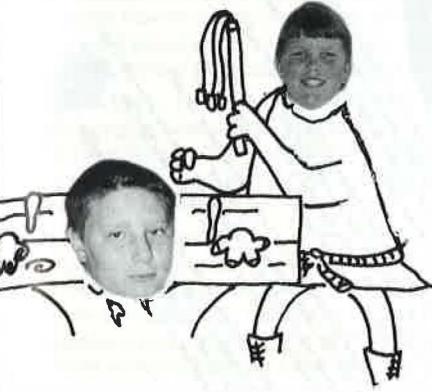
ALIENS

Adjectives: Adventurous, Aware, Appealing, Astounding, Artistic, Academic, Athletic, Awesome, Amazing, Animated, Amusing, Ambitious, Active, Attractive, Alert, Accomplished, Adorable, Artful, Admirable, Agile, Articulate.

Students: Alex Beath, Rosie Harris, Lisa Priest, Nicholas Lindsay, Hannah Whitfield, George Ambrose, Jessica Grinter, Akio Uetsuki, Maxime Coffray, Sanatsu Umehara, Lauren Maule, Edward Nouri, Jakob Richardson, Erin Walker, Casey Grundstrom, Greg Hughes, David Gaunt, Jerome Leray, Melissa Zlatarich, Sasha Kaspermann, Marika Goodman, Elly Scrine, Juliana Cosmo, Hulton King.



Order In the Court!



Mrs Lymbury is the Judge,
Matthew is in trouble,
Megan hops to her work,
Sits up on the double!
"What did we do to deserve this?"
Jay begins to yell,
"Quiet!" demands Mrs Lymbury,
"I'm teaching you to spell!"
Alex cried, "My contract's due!"
"So what!" Nathan said,
Alaine moaned, right on cue,
"I just want to go to bed!"
Peter gets caught again,
He forgot and answered back,
But Belinda, as she always does,
Put him back on track!
Vicki's writing notes once more,
Laine's thumb is sore,
Thomas said, "Get back to work!"
Oh, what a bore!
Michal's off in outer space,
Olandah's winning medals,
Denni's busy carrying the mace,
And Tom's off pushing pedals.
Torie forgot her middle name,
With best voice, Jackie told her,
Joseph K thinks writing's lame,
Larissa is thinking of Cher.
Joseph W is drawing things,
Shevaun gets an early pass,
Stephanie always sings and sings,
Oh, what a challenging class!

- by Year 6L



What a stimulating and exciting year 1999 has been in the continuing growth and development of the White Rock Junior School! Our increase in the Junior School population has been further consolidated and the relocation of our Year 7 classes to the eastern end of E-Block in the Secondary School justified. We began the Advent Term with 396 children; that is a growth of more than 45 enrolments (over 100 in the past three years!). This outstanding achievement is a good measure by which we may attest to the quality of work and care of the teachers and the educational programmes within our School.

The richness of life and the diversity of the programme offered to our students is always encouraging. Our school should always aim to be about children being guided to and through the experiences of living, sharing and learning. All of the special events, regular activities and timetabled lessons interweave into the rich fabric of our lives during which we will continue to grow and learn.

It has been rewarding in recent years to witness many barriers between groups of children being eroded away. There has always been the potential for this to occur through musical activities such as the Choir and our Earlybirds orchestral group. This year we experienced the outstanding *Prince's Pursuit* musical towards the end of Term One. This performance brought together many talented and dedicated people, including students from Years 4 - 12, all of whom were prepared to work together for the one common goal. Under Ms Paulie Bolton's astute guidance children assumed roles of stage hand, chorus member, prop designer, painters, 'gofers', cast members and so on. Many staff from both the Junior School and the Secondary School helped support the production, along with secondary students who volunteered their time and energy to assist with lighting and sound production, stage management and band membership. In summation, the performance was a wonderfully exhausting success, all in our marvellous Bishop Centre.

Other areas where this co-operative spirit has also been evident have been with our five Tournament of the Minds team, under the watchful guidance of Mrs Belinda Bogart. Our children put in months of preparation and produced some outstanding results, with a strengthening of their school spirit and teamwork skills being the real winners. The Maths Olympiad teamwork in a dedicated manner through Terms Two and Three to achieve the best possible results. Though teamwork was not such an essential element here, it is most encouraging to see Year 7 students showing an interest in and encouragement for the results of Year 5 children, who are all striving for the same goal. Our annual Triniset Exchange programme with Somerset College on the Gold Coast was another resounding success, perhaps the best yet. Teamwork was once again evident as the students strive to be involved and to achieve as proud TAS representatives.

There are occasions in our contemporary lives where competitiveness takes over our entire perspective. We constantly encourage the children to participate, to have a go and to enjoy - they must learn that on occasions success will follow but there are other important life skills to learn, such as how to be involved without focusing on the eventual outcome. We have all witnessed occasions when children's involvement in many activities has been marred by (perhaps an unintentional) emphasis on winning. This year, it is pleasing to report, we have been able to combine a good measure of success along with a recognition of the efforts of others and with an encouraging and friendly yet still controlled competitive attitude. This has been evident during our Triniset Exchange programme and during the inter-house carnivals conducted during the year. Let us continue to strive to be the best we can, as individuals and in our teams but emphasise the importance of nurturing happy and well-balanced young children towards adulthood.

Our junior school house system provides each child with a strong sense of belonging, a pastoral home at school, as it were. This year's White Rock Junior House Captains have continued our strong tradition, of leading a unified team into sporting and cultural events during the year. Congratulations to Kennedy for their wonderful turn-around in winning this year's trifecta; the Swimming, Cross-country and Athletics Inter-House carnivals. Kennedy also took out the average trophy for the swimming and athletics carnivals - a wonderful effort from a House that had not won any carnival for eleven years. All children in Leichhardt, Mulligan and Dalrymple deserve congratulations for their perseverance and determination during each of this year's competitive events.

We continued our double act with the children from the Marlin Coast and the White Rock Junior campuses combined to form the one Trinity Anglican School team, which competed in the Barron River Regional Cross-country and Athletics representative carnivals. Many of the

other schools are much bigger with far greater numbers from which to choose their teams, yet our children showed true grit and determination to overcome the odds and perform exceptionally well. Several of our children also went on to regional and state level representation this year. A hearty well done to all the team members.

The junior school leaders have worked productively and in a supportive manner throughout the year. These young people



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were ever available, and were prepared to tackle a range of duties, which were invariably handled with great aplomb and maturity.

It is encouraging to note the strength of numbers and performances for the soccer, hockey and softball teams throughout the year. Much praise must go to the teachers, parents, senior students and other friends of the School who work so hard behind the scenes for these sporting groups to operate so successfully during the year. Each of these sporting groups are now so prominent in the life of our School. Please see their individual sections for a more detailed report of this year's achievements.

The Outdoor Education programme continues to be one of the highlights for the children during each year. From luxury, to the wilds of fossil regions, from bush crafts to abseiling, the children all reported having a wonderful time. Mr Damien Boicos and his Gap Staff run an excellent programme, which stimulates both the minds and bodies of the children involved. They are presented with unfamiliar challenges with the result being positive learning and growing experiences. We eagerly await next year's week away from the safety and comfort of home.

In 1999, the White Rock Junior P & FA Sub-Committee has also been extremely busy. The main activities organised by the group have been the marshmallow Easter bunnies, the Mother's Day Stall, the morning tea and luncheon stalls for the Upper Junior and Lower Junior Athletics carnivals, the family book donation collection for the Library and classrooms and arranging stalls for the Coconut Carnival. Funds raised this year have gone towards a donation of \$1 200 for new fiction and non-fiction books in the Stuart Library. \$1 400 has been donated towards new seating around the Junior School. Many thanks must be directed to Ms Wendy Drysdale, Mrs Helen Crossley and Mrs Melissa Freeman in particular, who have worked tirelessly and to our other mums and dads whose contributions are so important to the healthy life of our School.

I also wish to thank the entire staff of the White Rock Junior School, who have guided and cared for each of our students throughout the year. Their dedication, expertise and care have always been clearly evident and are hallmark signs of a Christian and professional group of educators. All should be recognised for the additional time they devote to ensuring that foundations for all the children's development are clearly planned and executed.

The White Rock Junior School is a dynamic, active, educational environment, where children are encouraged to 'have a go' and be happy to do the best they can. We do not expect children to be the best, as long as they do their best.

During this year teachers have provided many challenges and opportunities which are highlighted in the following pages. I trust you will enjoy reading the overview which follows, of this year's activities.

The White Rock Junior School can justifiably feel proud of its achievements during this year and can look forward to an exciting and productive 2000 school year and beyond.

**Mr Rick Hodgson
HEAD OF WHITE ROCK JUNIOR**

One student from each of the classes from Year 3 to 7 is elected by their peers to be in the Student Representative Council.

The students meet once a week to discuss ways of supporting the Junior School, often making helpful suggestions for playground and classroom safety as well as encouraging all the students to be better citizens. The SRC also decides where the funds raised for charity are to be spent. This is a major aspect of their role and the children take it very seriously ensuring that the information is passed to their class.

This year we supported The Muscular Dystrophy Association through selling Bow Tie badges in school 'House' colours. It's Cool! says Stephanie. The



SRC Front Row: Hayley Dunn, Juliana Paunovic, Samantha Brett, Vanessa Gornell, Mia Lumley, Stephanie Iovannella.
Back Row: Ms Paulie Bolton, Daniel Martin, Ryan Dolan, Nelson Singh, Samuel Lewin, Aaron Simpson.

support for World Vision and the Eight Hour Famine was outstanding this year. Between the three campuses we were the highest fundraiser in all of Queensland. Of course the children each hope that they are acknowledged as being the highest fundraiser by receiving M T Rumbles, a small token given by World Vision. Casual Clothes Days are always a treat with the representatives collecting the money from their class then counting it. The charities supported were: the Scoliosis Foundation and the Fred Hollows Foundation. The children are very responsive towards helping the School and happily brought along cakes and bottles for the Coconut Carnival stalls. Any excuse for another Casual Clothes day!

We sponsor a student, Samuel Amposah, in Ghana. To raise these funds we have a coin line which the SRC prepares. Very small prizes are offered to the classes for having the longest line and raising the most money. This is done on a per capita basis for all Junior and Lower Junior classes. I would like to thank the students in 7B for accurately counting the thousands of coins. The favourite being a five cent piece. We were so successful that we also gave to the Cancer Foundation.

Our last charity function each year is the Christmas Hat Parade. The cost for entering is to donate a gift or food to place in Christmas Hampers which are given to those less fortunate in the Cairns community by 'The Basket Brigade'. We have a wonderful band of parents and helpers delivering those items.

Thank you to all the children and their families who support our ventures so graciously. We appreciate your assistance. To each student representative, you have been a wonderful group and truly have made a difference to the School and the wider community. Thank you!

**Ms Paulie Bolton
STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL
CO-ORDINATOR**



House Captains: Chris McIntosh (K), Amanda Campbell (M), James Sokolich (M), Ellie Willans (D), Mr Jason Atkins (HPE Specialist), Jake Forsyth-Turner (L), Nagisa Kumagai (L), Kim Hanna (D), Josephine Whately (K)





Parents take heart. If weekly music lessons show no sign of turning your kid into a young Leonard Bernstein, they could be stoking the talents of a future Marie Curie or Galileo (From Music Opens Minds on the Internet).

This comment was made, based on new studies which are revealing the impact that weekly music lessons can have on children's spatial IQ, self-discipline, dexterity, co-ordination, self-esteem, creative abilities and personal expression.

It is difficult to imagine what windows of opportunity have been opened up for our students simply by enabling them to participate in music. As a teacher it is one of the most exciting experiences to see young people grow personally and learn the value of music. I look forward to the year 2000 and observing the growth of each student, both as a musician and as a person.

My sincere thanks to the two Music Captains, Rhyannyn Westecott and Michael Cadel, for their assistance throughout the year, to the instrumental teachers and to parents for all their support.

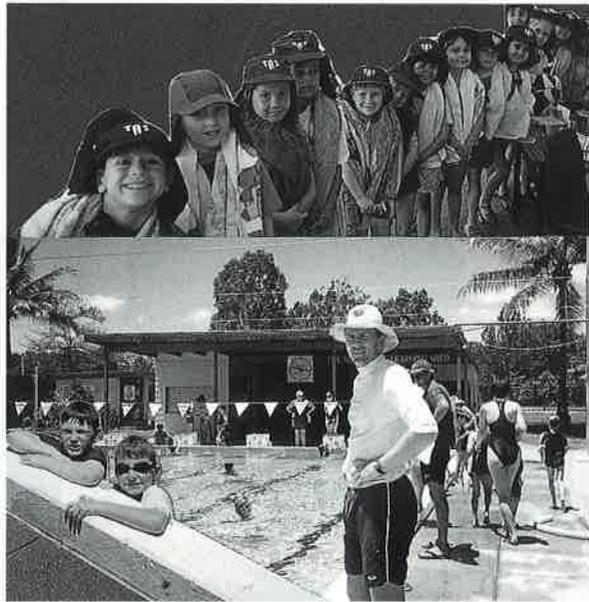
Miss Andrea Marks
MUSIC SPECIALIST

A 1999 was a very challenging and rewarding year for all students involved in sporting activities at White Rock Junior. The main sports of swimming, cross-country and athletics were all dominated by Kennedy House, who were far too strong and determined. Our greatest success was having seven students represent Barron River at the Peninsula Athletics carnival, from which two were selected to compete at the State Athletics Championships (Jake Forsythe-Turner and Vanessa Gornall).

HPE lessons have been designed to stimulate the mind and body. Health lessons have centered on developing knowledge of how our body works in order to take better care of it. Physical Education lessons have provided opportunities for both skill and fitness development. Some of the sports we have been involved in include Softball, Walla Rugby, Volleyball, Tennis and Cricket, not to mention our main three - swimming (yes, we're all looking forward to using our own pool), cross-country and athletics.

Thank you to all teachers and parents who have provided support and assistance throughout the year. Have a safe and joyous festive season.

Mr J Atkins
HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER



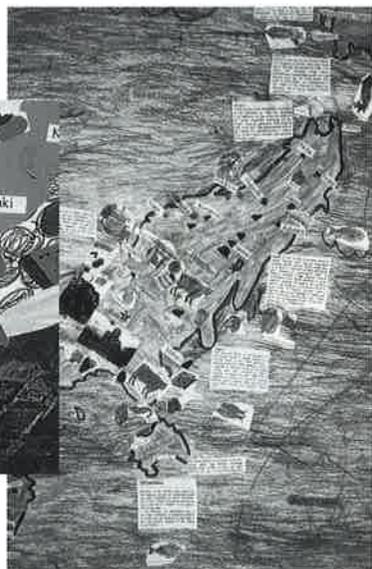
JAPANESE



Year 3 students displaying their annual play masks



Year 1 learn the names of fruit



Map of Honshu _
Part of the Year 4
Geography study

Preparatory



NICHOLAS

Sasha



CARYN



MIRBELA

DANIEL



michael

JOSHUA



Jessica

Laura



Leith

Rosemary

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Mrs Wadlingham



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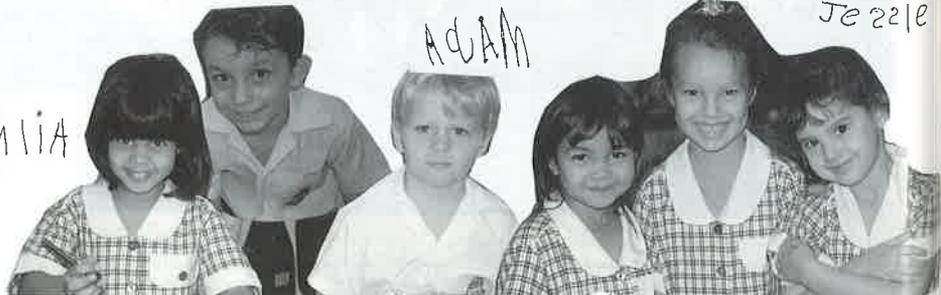
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Mrs Small



Jessica

JAMES

COURTENAY



MORGAN

SAMARA

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Jasmine



Hello Mrs Woodhouse

Amy

Bobbie madison



Zeshaan

camille

christopher



The Preps at work and at play

MARCUS

Joanna

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LIANA



Alex



The WRJ House Shield is presented to **Kennedy**

Prep to Year 2 Athletics Carnival



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May	Kim Hanna	Year 7
July	Erin Charlton	Year 7
August	Trevor Newman	Year 7
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October	Brett Watson	Year 6
November	Samantha Watson	Year 6

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Right: Samuel Lewin's rainforest painting was presented to Somerset College at the annual Trinet Exchange.



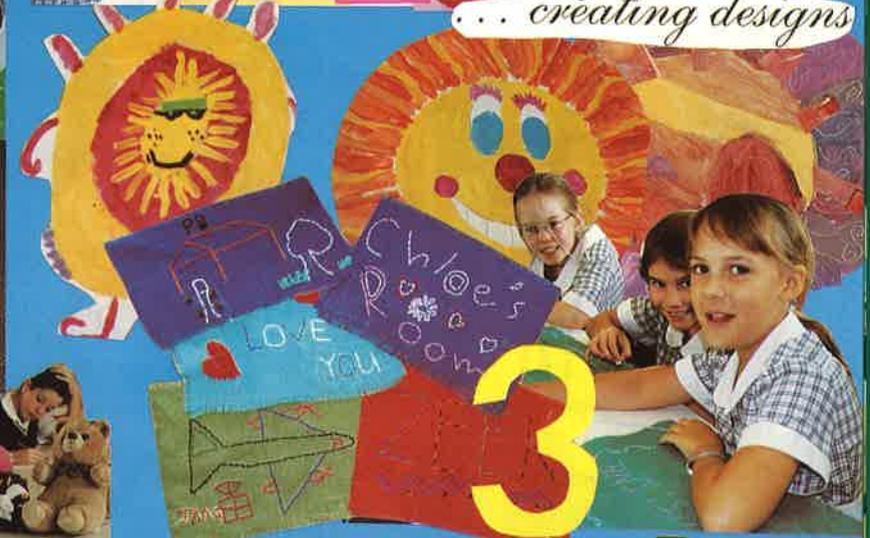
Art is ...



... creating designs



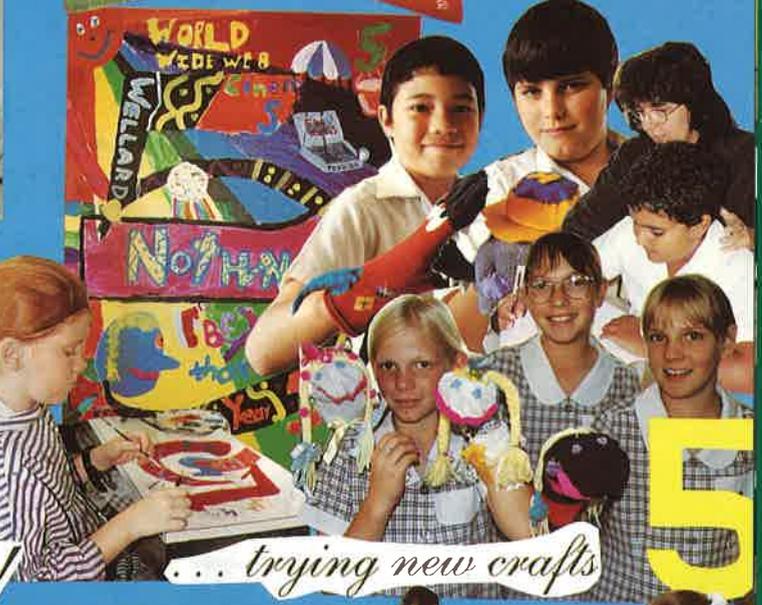
... investigating colour



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... trying new crafts

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In the Wild.



... solving problems

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Learning and Growing in





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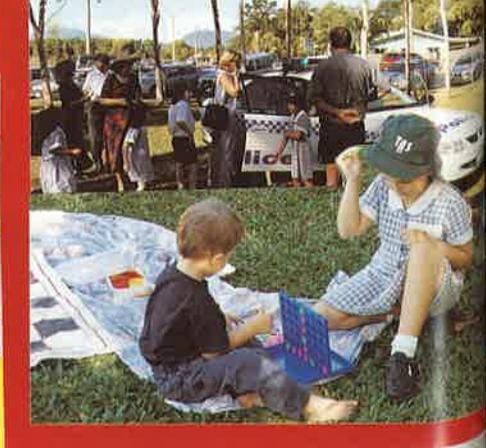
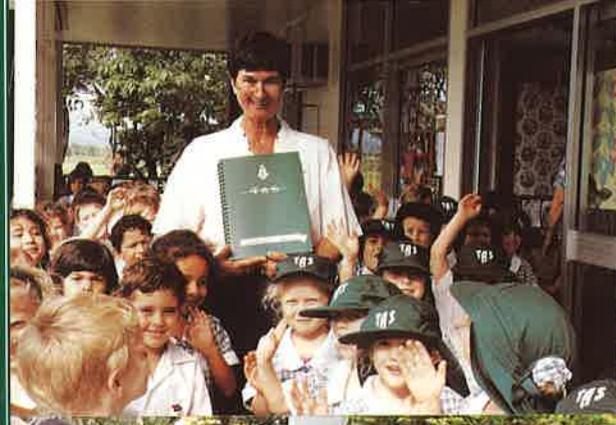
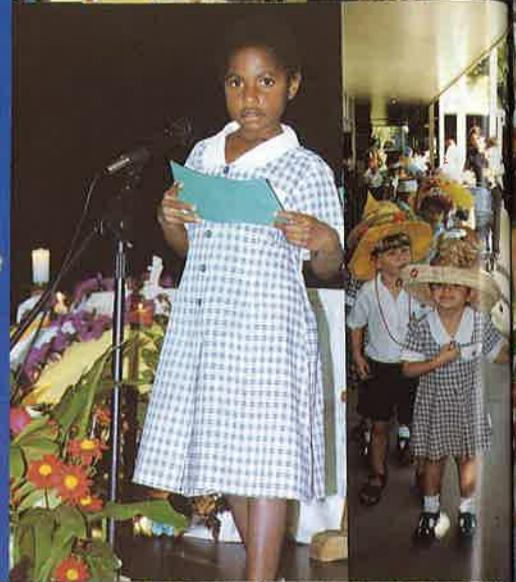
Christian Fellowship

Singing....Bible Stories....Craft....Creativity....Fellowship....
Fun....Family Service activities...Banners...Sleepover

Girls and boys from Years One, Two, Three and Four
enjoyed the Thursday afternoon activities
walking together in the Christian life
following the light of Christ



with Teachers: Mrs Audley, Mrs Hickey, Mrs Chapman, Mrs Smith and Rev'd Janet





Year Two



Jackson, Anna, Rhys, Blake and Morgan check out just how sharp those teeth really are.



Joel, Thais, Brendan, Renee, Adea and Oscar meet Sunshine, the bearded dragon.



Brendan, Jordan, Nikki, Kai and James are pleased the snake is secure in its box.



Sari, Brandon, Shannen, Christopher and Ayaan look for the turtles in the tub.



Stevie, Claire, April, Sarah and Tasciana smiled at the crocodile Jackie was holding.



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Ben, Jessica, Carly, Vanessa, Luke and Elizabeth get to know "The Simpson" snake family.

Emily, Megan, Stephen, Caitlin and Timothy are amazed at the length of the olive python.

Jenny, Samantha, Natalie, Steven and Elliot get to know the cheeky blue-tongue lizard.

Reece, Samuel, Maili, Claudia, Sarah and Danny are intrigued by the shingleback lizards.

'We're All Little Aussies'

This interesting and informative show was presented by Craig and Jackie from The Australian Reptile Park.

Year 3

Cassandra Addison James Samantha Paolo Kjens

Nectas
Jordan

Luy
Grace
Thomas

Jenna
Tomson

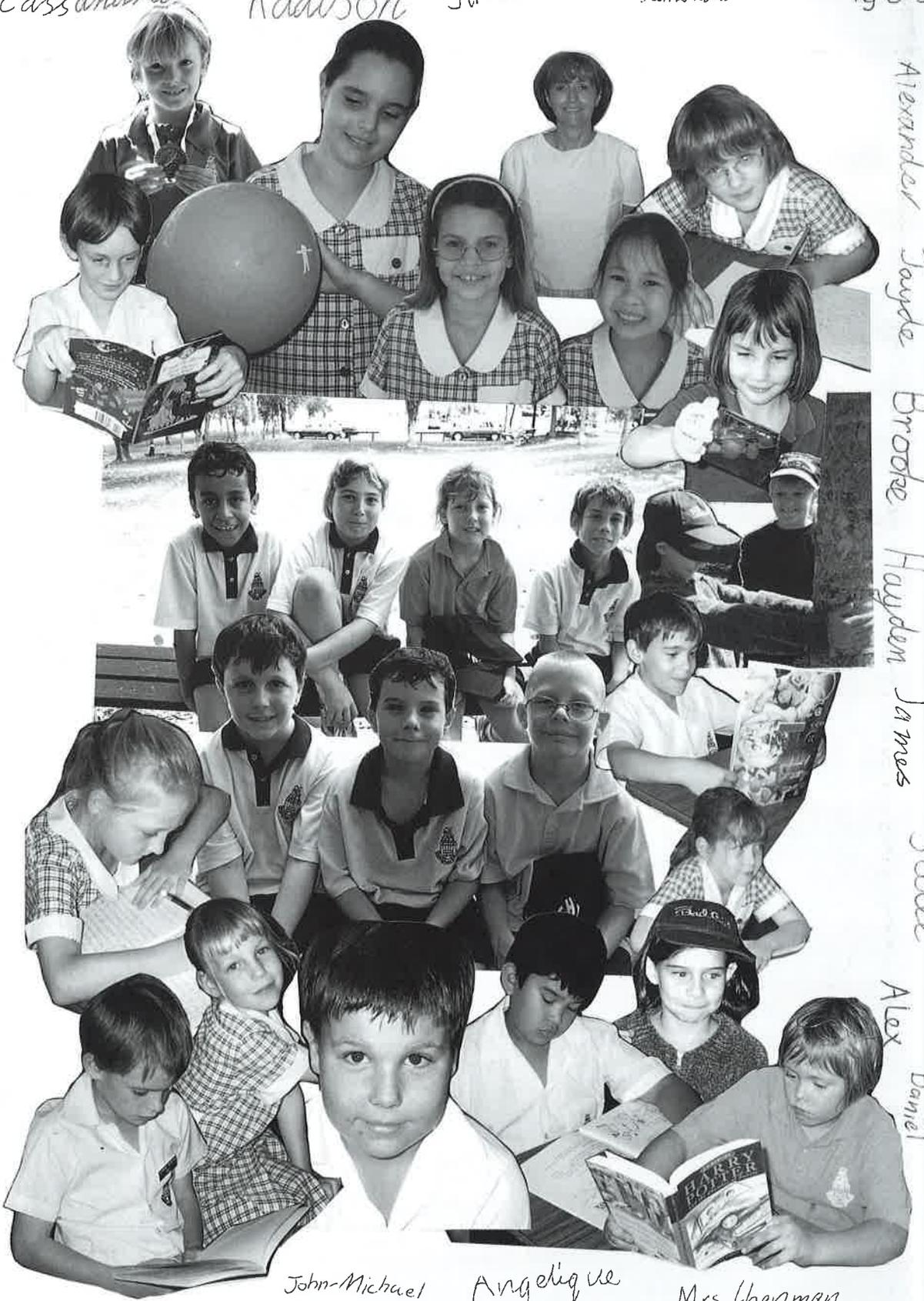
Charntelle
Jeremy

Alexander
Jayda
Brooke
Hayden

James
Sateer

Alex
Daniel

John-Michael Angelique Mrs Chapman



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We made a volcano and a fountain.
 We also made a hot air balloon.
 The best thing about Science is making
 things that work. Christine Goosem & Elle Moule

The swimming carnival was the
 first one we had been to. It was
 a lot of fun and everyone got to swim
 in more than one race.
 Jade Hoskin & Joanna Maltam

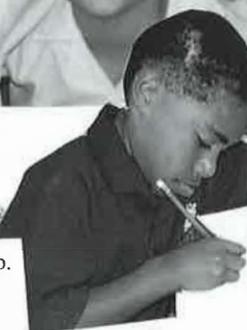


In contract time we can play with our toys and build things,
 but only when all our work is finished. Ellen Pedersen

In Oral language we
 performed a play for
 our parents. We were
 allowed to pick our own
 costumes. We all learnt
 our lines very well.
 Jenna Brosseuk



On camp we walked around
 Lake Barrine. Some of us were
 bitten by leeches and got stuck
 on 'wait-a-while'.
 Dane Douglas & Dusan Jevtic



We had a lot of fun on camp.
 We caught some yabbies,
 but we didn't eat them.
 We all slept in dormitories.
 Alana Haymes & Alex Falk

Our tour guide showed us the biggest crocodile
 called Grummy. I held a baby crocodile.
 Dominic White & Brian Ireland

We played hockey every Friday night.
 We only lost two games all season.
 Krista Abrahams & Leah Garnett



One morning a week we can
 bring something for Show
 and Tell. This is my turtle
 Bobby. He can run very fast.
 When I smile at him, he smiles back.
 Ryan Power



Little Aussies was a show about
 Australian Reptiles. We held a
 turtle, a shingle back and a blue
 tongue lizard. They were tamed
 by special people so that they could
 be handled safely. Aaron Simpson,
 Sam Brian & Annabel Riggs



Christopher

Michael

Year 4

Grant

Mr J Mc Ghee
Mrs J Smith

Joanna

Junior

Felicia

Danielle

Christopher

Stefanie

Chloe

Hayato

Nalani

Michael

Edwina

Talon

Rachel

Scott

Rebecca

Year 4

WRJ





Kate

Luke

James

Jace

Kimberly

David

Da Yen

Elise

Suzannah

Sammy

Renee

Jayne

Henry

Stephanie

Emelie

Nina

Amber

Shannon

Tahne

Toby

Kate

Bradley

Jack

Mark

Year 4

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Adonis

Daniel
E

Joshua

Mathew

Neddie

Emma

Kate

Shouvik

Lauren

James

Evan

Ryan

Susan

Bianca

*Mr
Long*

Shannon

**Daniel
P**

Hannah

John

Nathan

Sam

Nana



Paul

Monica

Alex

Together





Year 5

Raymond Ashlea Teresa Troy Benjamin Stephanie

Reilly Elena Lachlan Chloe Robert Bojana Andrew

Grace Zoe Sheree Steven Nelson Jackson Ms Wellard

In Technology Tyron Rebecca L Amy Rebecca T ☀️ 😊

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We also constructed balloon powered cars as part of our Science studies on energy.



We're a friendly mob who mix well.

For our Travel Expo, we dressed in our country's costume and ate the national foods.



Most people play the recorder in their mouths, but James tried using his back.

Our Chillagoe marble mining display won a Highly Commended at the Cairns Show.

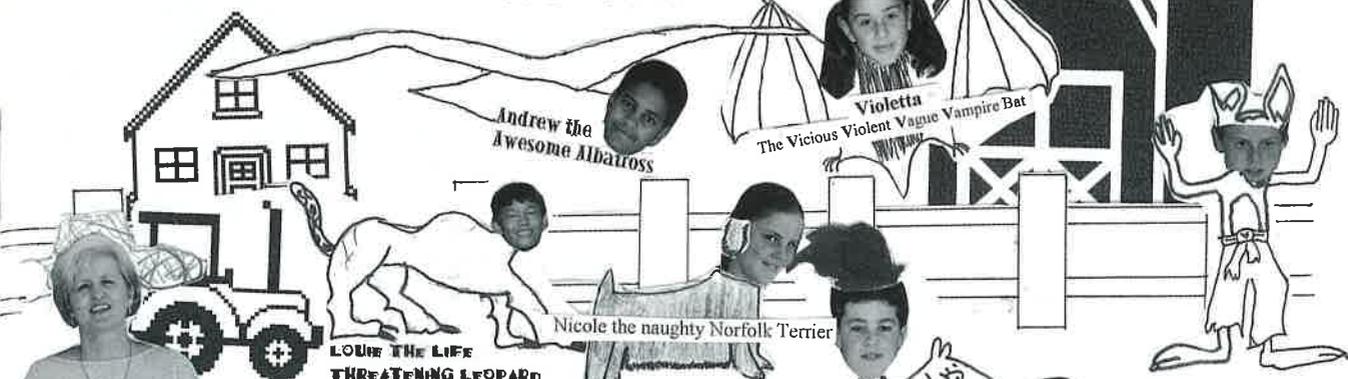


Year 6

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6J'S FUNNY FARM



Andrew the Awesome Albatross

Violetta The Vicious Violent Vague Vampire Bat

LOUIE THE LIFE THREATENING LEOPARD

Nicole the naughty Norfolk Terrier

KURTIS THE KARATE KING KANGAROO

Jeremy the Jubilant Jumping Jaguar

Woody the Wacko Woodpecker

In room fourteen in the Junior School,
Live the funny farm residents-all so cool.
"You're loony! You're fruit loops!" so yells Mrs :
"We're loud and we love it!" we joyfully say.

To space we have travelled, and wild cowboys seen,
Celebrations and Christmas, round the world we have been
Machines we have built, and books we have read
And now to Year Seven - a new year ahead!

So here we all are, such weird, wacky creatures
Wild and unique with such crazy features.
We can't help it all, 6J's never calm.
We're a talented lot our here on the farm.

We sing and we dance, we talk and we play,
And we are really bad at rhyming!

Sam the Smart Shark

Guy The Googly-Eyed Gecko

Chelsea the Cooked Chook

BRETT the Boogieing Bull-Frog

ALEX THE AFRICAN ELEPHANT

LIA THE LOOPY LEMUR

Elliott the Excellent Elephant

Hayley the Hip-Hopping Hippo

Alicia the Angelic Angora Lamb

Jason The Jumpy Jerboa

Alisa The Adventurous Addled Anaconda

Catherine the Classy Cat

Cameron the master Mole

Mrs Jackson the Fantastic Funky Farmer

Natasha the Nifty Norwich Terrier

James the Jamaican Jackass

Peter the Pouncing Panther

Austyn the Obnoxious Ox

Trevor the Terrifying Thoray Devil

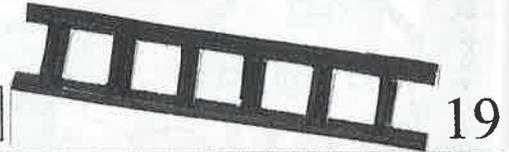
Monica the Monstrous Millennium Bug





PROGRESS and Grade 7B

Absent: Ryan Dolan, Chris Mc Intosh



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Year 7

51 	52 	53 It was great having two wonderful teachers. This year I finished my projects early.	54 	55
41 	42 A positive thing was camp - even though it was really wet and muddy.	43 	44 	45 This year, arguments with my friends became more frequent.
31 	32 	33 	34 A pitfall is when I talk inappropriately in the classroom.	35
21 	22 Watch out for Mr Sheppard; he expects a great deal.	23 	24 	25
11 Stay in your boundary area during recess and lunch times.	12 	13 	14 This year I have had new learning experiences and opportunities.	15
1 START 	2 	3 	4 	5
		We have "Little Buddies" every week.		

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PITFALLS

Grade 7S

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<p>56</p>	<p>57</p>	<p>58</p> <p>In grade 7, getting your homework done is a priority.</p>	<p>59</p>	<p>60</p> <p>CONGRATULATIONS! The herpetological horrors of Grade 7 have been successfully passed and the future is yours for the asking!</p>
<p>46</p>	<p>47</p>	<p>48</p>	<p>49</p> <p>This year I have listened more than I have talked.</p>	<p>50</p>
<p>36</p>	<p>37</p>	<p>38</p> <p>This year I have learnt not to rock on my chair.</p>	<p>39</p>	<p>40</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p> <p>A negative about this year is that you have to watch out for sad tales and lines.</p>	<p>30</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17</p> <p>The students at TAS were very welcoming so I have made many friends.</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>
<p>6</p> <p>This year I have improved in Maths, Science, Reading and Language.</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>

Year 7

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This year, Years 6 and 7 had the opportunity to visit the Somerset College on the Gold Coast to stay with a host family for a week. While we were there we participated in, sports, debating, public speaking, general knowledge and a mathematics quiz. We also had a good social time together as we went to the beach and Sea World.

We left very early in the morning, flying Qantas. After what seemed forever we arrived at Somerset College to be picked up by our host families and taken back to their house. The TAS students spent the weekend with their billets and got to know them.

On Monday we went to Somerset College with our billets and attended an assembly. Immediately after that we were taken outside and had the Triniset Exchange photograph taken. Next we started the sports for that day which were: boys touch, girls touch, boys soccer, newcombe ball, girls soccer, boys hockey, tennis, chess, pool activities and tug-o-war. The sports were great to watch and at lunchtime we had a sausage sizzle at the Koala House which is a house just near Somerset College. At 3pm the TAS students were to gather in our meeting place, the music room. We discussed what we needed for the next day then were dismissed.

On Tuesday it was our trip to Seaworld! We had the whole day to have a look around and go on all the rides, as long as we were in a group of more than three. Throughout the day we met in different places to check the roll. The day was great and we had time to see the shops and the teachers even had a great time on the rides!

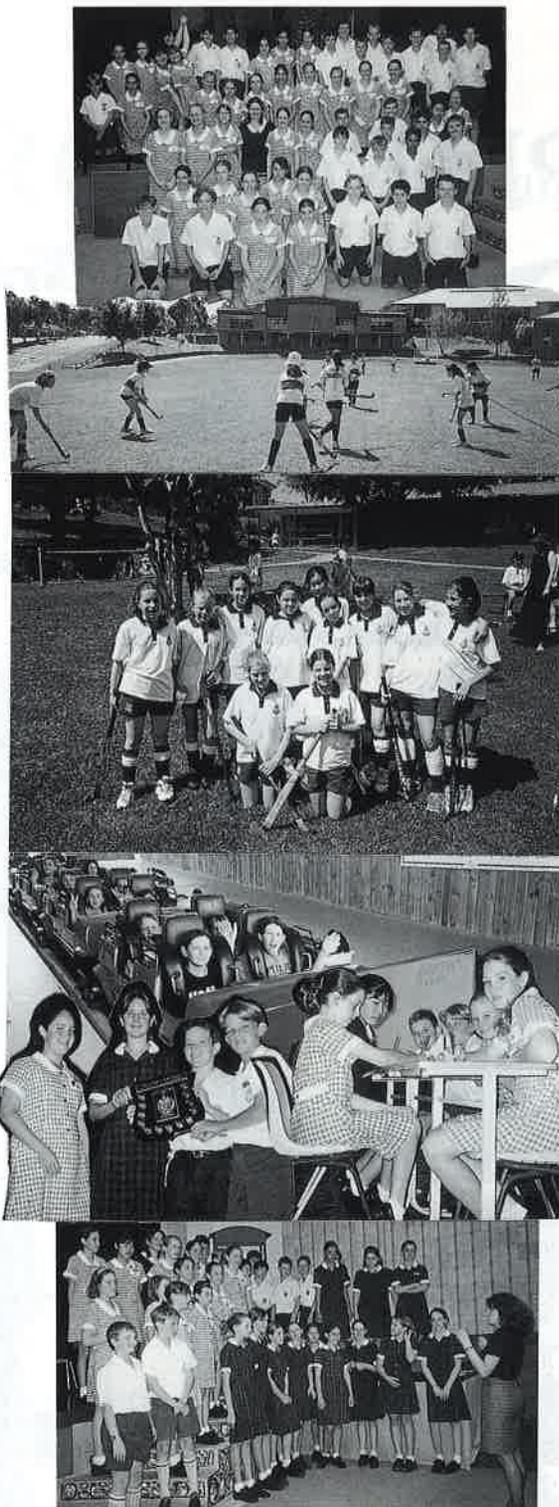
On Wednesday there were more sports. They were: girls hockey, boys basketball, girls softball, girls basketball and boys softball. The people who were not in one of these sports were spectators while choir members had a practice for the Chapel service that evening. After lunch, we all went to the beach and had a sandcastle competition. The models were great and there were lots of prizes. That night there was a combined school's Chapel service. The sermon was taken by Father Chris, TAS' old chaplain who moved to Somerset College.

On Thursday the TAS students went to Brisbane to visit Parliament House and the Science Centre. At Parliament House we saw the Members of Parliament sitting and as it was question time and very interesting to see how everybody spoke and behaved. Next we split into two groups. The Year 6 students went to the Science Centre while the Year 7s stayed and had a tour around Parliament House. At lunchtime we swapped over. While in the Science Centre we had the opportunity to press buttons and find out why whatever happened. The whole day was very interesting and fun. We arrived back at Somerset at 4:30pm and were collected by our host families.

Friday was our last day on the Gold Coast. It was a day of language and maths events. Firstly were the debates, with the topic of Computers have taken over our lives. Both TAS teams won their debates. After a short break we had the public speaking and both Somerset teams won. Mastermind, a maths competition, was the next event. Somerset won that by just a few points. During the final assembly we thanked all the teachers and people who helped, the choir sang and the captains made speeches presenting a memento to each school. Finally the winner of the exchange was presented with the shield. This year Somerset won.

It was hard to believe that the week had already gone and we were heading home tomorrow. We were dismissed and went back to our host families' house to pack and share a last evening together. On Saturday morning we departed from the Gold Coast at 6:30am and we arrived back in Cairns at 11:30am. As much as we enjoyed the week away it was wonderful to be with our families again.

Erin Charlton Year 7B
WRJ TRINITAS STUDENT EDITOR



The experiences gained by our students at The Triniset Exchange remain exceptional. They each discovered more about themselves and how to deal in a positive manner with new and often uncertain experiences. Every student who attended this exchange was an excellent representative and ambassador for our school. The parents who supported their children participating in this exchange are to be thanked, as without them we would not be able to continue. The efforts of the teachers who participated in the organisation, preparation and supervision of the students are also to be congratulated. This is a team activity and could not have succeeded without everyone pulling their weight. This is the tenth year we have had the opportunity to experience The Triniset Exchange and Somerset College is really looking forward to our next challenge in the year 2000.

Ms Paulie Bolton
DEPUTY HEAD - UPPER JUNIOR



One of the most popular movies with our students, and indeed many adults, over the past year has been *There's Something About Mary*. While some of the scenes are a little questionable, the audience is left pondering what it is about Mary that is the *something*. At first glance, the answer appears obvious. She's played by Cameron Diaz, one of the better known and more popular actresses of the past few years, especially to our teenagers. Mary is also an orthopaedic surgeon, independently wealthy and living in

Miami, Florida. Problem solved. As the story unfolds, it becomes clear that while Mary has, or is, all of these things, surely the *'something about her'* is more than is obvious. The *something* that registers in the title and the minds of the other characters is that Mary is meaningfully connected to another human being. In her case, a disabled brother for whom she cares and watches over. No other character in the film has this connection or anything similar. They are, like so many people in our world, disconnected from others. They are, as Australian writer Ruth Ostrow suggests, *looking for the world of the cul de sac*, longing for a world where we connect with others and develop a bond that is more than selfish.

So much of what we do at Trinity Anglican School is, and should be, about providing opportunities for all in our community to connect in some way to others. The best of what we do encourages our students to seek our new connections; on the stage, in the beauty of our natural environment, on the playing fields, and yes, especially in the classroom. It is worthwhile to remember that long after the content of the classroom is forgotten, we remember those teachers and students with whom we connected.

I remain confident that the programme offered at White Rock Secondary is as much about how we teach and learn as it is about what we teach and learn. I salute the efforts of my colleagues in providing a first rate education to our youngsters, one that is challenging and supportive, comforting and confronting, filled with some tears and plenty of smiles, some failure and significant success.

I note particularly the success and diversity of what is offered outside the classrooms. The developmental nature of the Outdoor Education programme brings our students to situations where they know a little more about those around them and a lot more about themselves. Mr Damien Boicos is to be commended for the quality of what he provides for the students who have taken part this year. The work experience programme, co-ordinated by Ms Barbara Mendelsohn, is also a quality offering to the Year 10s and provides an opportunity every year for someone to shine in another area outside of the classroom.

Of particular note this year were the efforts of our Senior Debating team, coached by Mrs Kathy Basingthwaighte, in winning their competition undefeated. The CISSA Softball team, coached by Mrs Robyn Brewer, won their inter-school premiership for the second consecutive year after a memorable season and stirring final. It almost goes without saying that our Netball team has again distinguished themselves. Coached by Mr Brian O'Connor, the girls were undefeated in the inter-school premiership as well as some regional tournaments. We are justifiably proud of the efforts of all who represent us in this most public of ways.

Similarly, TAS Jazz and all members of the Music Department, under the direction of Mr Eddie Zahner and Mrs Alison Falk, are a most commendable public face of the School. Our School Musical, now firmly entrenched as an annual event, was a wonderful celebration of the cultural life of the School. All singing, all dancing, all eating (at least by Audrey II!!), the show went on magnificently over three nights in the Bishop Centre.

Tribute is due to the Heads of House and Heads of Faculty who co-ordinate the pastoral and academic streams of the School. In all they do, they affirm the student-centred approach so predominant at Trinity Anglican School. My colleagues who lead these areas, Mr Norm Brosseuk (Academic Director) and Mr Ross Switzer (Dean of Students) are constant sources of inspiration (and respiration!) bringing energy and commitment to their everyday roles. Our students benefit constantly from these well planned and executed activities. Both these gentlemen are constant sources of reference to me and the WRS staff and students. I thank them for their efforts in assisting me.

Weekly meetings with the Prefects, have been (generally) pleasant experiences for all. I value their contribution to the life of the School in so many ways. Our meetings have always been full of laughter and considerations for others, the hallmarks of good leadership. The School Captains and Vice Captains have been integral in the smooth and effective operations of this fine group of young men and women.

I wish to register my thanks and appreciation to members of the School community as we prepare to break our physical connection with TAS at the end of this year. I thank Fr Laurence for the opportunity to serve this fine school over the past few years and for the supportive mentoring he has always offered to me. I look forward to continuing next year as fellow Anglican Principals and developing further links between the two schools. My family has made many meaningful connections at TAS, ones that will stand the test of geography. I thank my colleagues for their constant good humour and loyalty, my students for inspiring me in class, my baseball team for a fantastic season (I see a premiership next year), and all other members of the TAS community. Your friendliness has touched our lives. We can certainly attest, *there's something about TAS*.

Mr Craig Basingthwaighte
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

WRS
White Rock Secondary

Deputy Principal's Report



It is with a feeling of loss that we bid farewell to Mr and Mrs Bassingthwaighte and wish them well as they move to Mackay. Mr Bassingthwaighte has been a source of the ever-apt quotation and the undisputed authority on matters pertaining to film; his demonstration presentations provided an insight for students and staff alike. The senior classes will definitely miss his perception and wit. For Mrs Bassingthwaighte, nothing was ever too much as she juggled parental duties, the demands of the senior classes which she took over early in second term and the management of two senior debating teams. We all wish the Bassingthwaighte family every success in their new challenges.

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS ENGLISH COMPETITION

Congratulations to the following ten students from the Secondary School who gained a High Distinction (top 1% in the State) in this prestigious competition:

- Year 8 - Brendan Board, Patrick Donald, Luke Harris, Sean Haug, Elizabeth Irvin, Paul McGhie
- Year 9 - Laura Whenmouth
- Year 10 - Rebecca Larcombe
- Year 11 - Rory Barclay and Elizabeth Goodall

Rebecca Larcombe and Luke Harris have gained High Distinctions in the last three and four competitions respectively - a great achievement for both students as well as a challenge to each one to maintain that level in the forthcoming years. Fifty Certificates of Distinction and eighty-one Certificates of Credit were also awarded.

DEBATING The Senior 'A' Team of Elys Green, Annika Bradley and Jess Ferguson excelled to become the champions in the Inter-School Debating Competition organised by the Rotary Clubs of Cairns Earlville and Cairns Sunrise. The 'B' team of Stacy Lazarus, Sareeta Nair and Nicole Kadic also became a formidable combination and the daily verbal sparring between teams proved beneficial to all.



Mrs Kathy Bassingthwaighte, Jess Ferguson, Elys Green, Annika Bradley

To prepare in-depth speeches every two weeks over the lengthy period of the competition calls for dedication and determination and all students who participated deserve our support and recognition. An enormous 'Thank You' is extended to Mrs Kathy Bassingthwaighte for her untiring guidance to both senior teams.

The unity and commitment of the junior debating team augur well for the future; we did not quite make the finals but we were close! Well done to Catherine Nilsson, Deborah Phillips, Jonathan Bleakley and Samantha Hoult.

PUBLIC SPEAKING & WRITING COMPETITIONS

Public speaking is increasingly regarded as a life-skill and it is to the credit of our students that TAS is represented in the many competitions during the year.

Nicole Kadic was selected for the area final of the Plain English Speaking Award but unfortunately had to withdraw through a clash with the Year Eleven camp. Nikolas Stewart won the Junior Poetry section of the inaugural Claude Morris Poetry Competition held as part of the Cairns Show with his version of *Mulga Bill's Bicycle*.

Paul McGhie was High Commended for his entry entitled *Racism* in the Statewide Literacy Competition organised and supported by the QIEU, ETAQ and *The Courier Mail* (see below).

The Rostrum Voice of Youth is always a popular competition but to have fourteen TAS speakers was exceptional. Jess Ferguson was selected to speak in the FNQ area finals but it would be true to say that all were winners in the sense of benefiting from their participation in the competition. A similar comment applies to the Rotary Junior Speaking competition in which TAS fielded the maximum number of entrants.

Tammy Ewen-Smith was a worthy representative of the Barrier Reef Lions Club in the area finals of the Lions Youth of the Year Quest. This demanding competition has many facets with public speaking being a minor component; to reach the finals is a great achievement and experience.

Caroline Yates deserves congratulations on being declared the The Junior Newsreader of 1999 in the competition organised and sponsored by Win Television and Northern Building Society.



Jess Ferguson, Caroline Yates, Abigail Stanbridge

Alicja Wenderlich and Samantha Hoult submitted entries to a short story competition early in the year. Although they did not win, their stories were both chosen for inclusion in a forthcoming book by the Australasian Publishing Company. Both students will soon have the satisfaction of seeing their work 'in print'.

It is fitting to congratulate those students who have excelled throughout the year but it is equally necessary to commend those who have taken part without achieving the accolades of success. The spirit of participation is surely just as heartwarming and it is from this reservoir of talent that success finally springs.

I would like to thank the staff for their constant dedication, innovation and support; these are the qualities which in turn engender student success. To Mrs Falk, Ms Bagnall, Mrs Taifalos, Miss Tame, Ms Mendelsohn, Mrs Bassingthwaighte, Mr Sloan and Mr Bassingthwaighte - a sincere 'Thank You'.

Mr Malcolm Bailey
HEAD OF FACULTY - ENGLISH

RACISM

- Racism
- Is the equivalent
- Of never being allowed to drink
- In an oasis in a desert world
- Of not being allowed a roll of a dice
- In a huge casino
- Of not being allowed to raise a family
- In the world that offers so much to the next generation
- Of not having a chance in life
- Because of something you can't help

Paul McGhie



A mind once stretched by a new idea never regains its original dimension

Oliver Wendell Holmes

The quote above captures the essence of the Key Learning Area of Studies of Society and Environment. SOSE involves investigations into controversial and challenging issues and promotes critical thinking in the development of optimistic future visions. Trinity Anglican School has been fortunate to be a Trial and Case Study School for the new SOSE Curriculum. This has allowed TAS to be at the leading edge of significant educational change. This move to outcomes-based education represents a paradigmatic shift in education.

In Year 8, SOSE is married with English forming the subject of English Communication. This year students have discovered and creatively interpreted the mythology of ancient civilizations and contemporary society. Students have fine-tuned their mapping skills, discovered their local area and explored first hand the European and Aboriginal history, as well as the geography and beauty of the Cooktown and Laura regions.



Grace Simpson and Amy Oakley making models of Medieval Europe Back: Aaron McDonald's and Darren Moule's costumes for their Mythological Oral Presentations.

At Year 9, students commenced their studies with an investigation of Medieval Europe and demonstrated their knowledge through the construction of a model of some aspect of life during this time. Investigations were conducted into a range of diverse topics including Commercial Farming, Endangered Species and Youth Culture. Additionally, students were able to advance their mapping skills through an introduction to GIS and other electronically delivered mapping programmes.

During the year we were fortunate to have Mr Terry O'Shane address the Year 10 students on current issues facing indigenous people. His inspirational message of 'Hope' left a lasting impression on the students. Throughout the year several modules were trialed and students undertook investigations into the development of Australia's identity, Tourism and National Parks and the Republican Debate.

The study of History provides opportunities for students to understand the background to contemporary social and political issues. The Year 11 Modern History course involved in-depth studies of modern nationalism and inter-nationalism. Year 12 students explored the somewhat fragile and volatile relationship that Australia experiences with its closest Asian neighbours, especially Indonesia. Lively discussions and debates are commonplace in these classrooms.

Earlier in the year five of our senior students, Annika Bradley, Tammy Ewen-Smith, Heather Phillips, Briony Boath and Nicole Kadic attended the Constitutional Convention at Lake Tinaroo and participated in discussion and debate surrounding constitutional issues. From here, Annika was selected as one of two Northern Delegates to participate in the National Convention in Canberra.

Exploring, understanding and evaluating the social and environmental dimensions of the world is the prime focus of Senior Geography. This year students have undertaken field investigations into Land Conservation practices, catchment management and the geomorphology of the Atherton Tablelands Region.

Utilizing data from the GIS to assist in the compilation of research and field reports continues to form an integral part of SOSE Faculty, thus enabling students to further develop their expertise with information technology. Commendable performances were exhibited by Alex Kochi and Roger Wynn in the National GIS competition. Also of note were the results achieved in the annual Department of Natural Resources Map Week Competition.

It is a well-known truism that students learn what they care about, from people that they care about and who, they know, care about them. Over the 1999 school year I pay tribute to the dedication and care demonstrated by Mr Tony Dawson, Mr Brad Greene, Ms Barbara Mendelsohn and Mr Carl Sloan.

Mrs Catherine Taifalos
HEAD OF FACULTY - SOSE



Annika Bradley and The Hon Warren Entch at the National Convention in Canberra.

Mathematics this year has had some very notable highlights. Term Three is usually the most important as most competitions occur during Maths Week in late July, early August, culminating in the Australian Maths Competition.

This year in Term One a number of Years 8 to 10 students took part in the Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians. This is the preliminary build-up to preparation for the International Maths Olympiad and is designed to identify very talented young mathematicians and to nurture them for the big challenge in Year 11 to be selected for the Australian team.

Successful students and budding mathematicians at TAS who distinguished themselves were Isabel Bantegui (Year 10) gaining a High Distinction in the Challenge. Distinctions were awarded to Shirley Shen (Year 10), Matthew Miller (Year 9) and Paul McGhie (Year 8). Both Isabel and Shirley were invited to participate in the next phase of the competition - the International Maths Olympiad - which consisted of a four hour test on five problems.

The highlight of the round of competitions this year was the magnificent success of our Year 8 Maths Quiz Team which beat teams from ten other Cairns' schools. The team consisted of Paul McGhie (Captain), Catherine Nilsson and Sean Muir who were selected from a most enthusiastic group of eager Year 8 students. The choice, though extremely difficult and disappointing for some, resulted in a very impressive showing by our team. I was extremely proud of them and honoured to be part of the preparation - minimum preparation but maximum success from a trio of very talented Maths students. The Queensland Association



Year 8 Maths Quiz Team

This year has seen many changes to both the junior and senior programmes. The junior programme is still in the middle of a 3 year transition stage, adopting the new outcomes based, self directed learning incorporating Personal Development, Physical Activity and Personal Health. This change will see our faculty introducing a new method of reporting over the next few years. By 2002 the whole School, Preparatory through to Year 10 will be following a sequential and progressive modern curriculum. For the students it will appear very similar to past years except in the greater emphasis on self direction and discovery learning.

One particular example is the Year 10's assisting in the coaching of our junior Somerset Cup teams. The students trained a team one lunchtime per week over six weeks. The Year 10 students performed their tasks positively and displayed a professional attitude, caring nature and skilled knowledge in their fields. The Junior School staff were very pleased with the interaction between the junior and secondary school students. Mrs Bolton was moved enough to write glowing references for all of the students who participated. Their excellent behaviour and professionalism has ensured the success and future of this venture.

The Year 8 students completed much quality work, in particular, an application to run a national sports team of their choice from Cairns. In their submission they had to include uniforms, logos, mascots, venues, sponsors, coaching and support staff and a justification as to why their organisation would succeed. The Year 8 teachers, Mr O'Connor and Mr Bickham, were very impressed, as I was, at the very high quality of work that was submitted. These children should have been helping the Taipans settle in Cairns

of Maths Teachers Problem Solving competition, which is held on a Saturday at St Mary's College, is difficult to enthruse students to participate in. However, we had a very good response from students from Years 8 to 11 and I was very pleased to receive certificates of Honourable Mention for Belinda Pratt (Year 11), Jessica Adams and Matthew Miller (Year 9). This is an excellent result for three our students as the problems are extremely difficult and all participants deserve praise for attempting this competition.

This year our talented Maths students distinguished themselves with outstanding results in the Australian Mathematics Competition (Westpac).

Finally, to the mundane work in the classroom, I am more than encouraged and impressed with the way the students

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competently use their laptops in submitting work of high quality, especially in assignments. This is particularly so in the senior years where the laptops are used as a tool to assist rather than to direct the curriculum. In Years 9 and 10 the use of the Maths program Graphmatica is becoming extremely useful as a teaching tool in various sections of the Maths program.

In conclusion, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Maths staff and students who have helped to make my job in the school so rewarding.

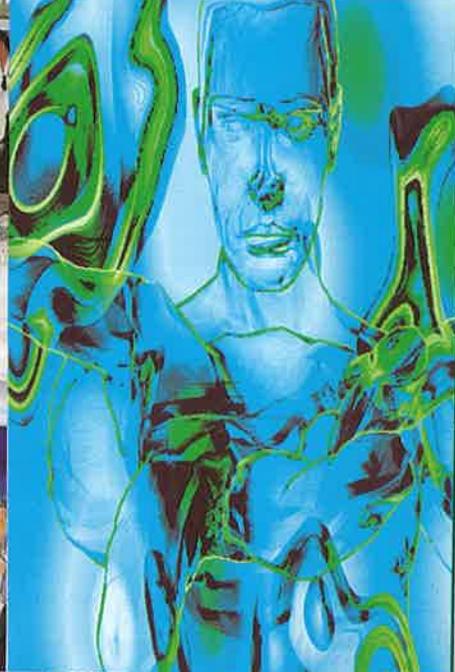
Mr Max O'Sullivan
HEAD OF FACULTY - MATHEMATICS

Mr Bickham's Year 9 class participated in some very interesting activities including triathlon training, culminating in a mini-triathlon. This particular unit will benefit from the completion of our pool next year. As you could imagine they found the swim particularly tough around the White Rock campus.

In the Secondary School we had the unusual situation where the Year 12 students were finishing their two-year course in the outgoing subject Health and Physical Education while in Year 11, the students began the bold new senior subject Physical Education. There has proven to be an immense difference between the two subjects. Physical Education is more independent-based and allows practical performances to contribute towards the exit score to a greater degree. The Year 12 students have worked very hard play-ing squash and golf while in Year 11, the students have shown they are sunsmart by keeping to the indoor courts in Futsal and Indoor Cricket.



Mr Greg Baydon
DIRECTOR OF SPORT



Understanding the rainbow is Physics, but delight at the rainbow is morality.

Lin Yutang

Good science teachers allow students to develop an understanding of Science. However, I believe the most important part of teaching Science is to encourage students to develop a love of the world around us and to develop a scientific morality which will equip them for future issues that they will face in the scientific world.

This is my last Trinitas report as Head of Science, so I have included one of my favourite quotations. I am looking forward to my new role in the School next year; however, this is tinged with some sadness at leaving behind a faculty that I was asked to lead from its humble beginnings in 1986. I wish the Science Faculty all the best for the twenty-first century.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Maryanne Dore and Michael Pensini attended the prestigious Rio Tinto National Science Forum in January this year. They reported to the whole of the Secondary School at assembly upon their return. The forum was an inspirational experience, involving attendance at lectures, visits to scientific institutions such as the Tidbinbilla observatory and preparation for the future as scientists. It was an experience of a lifetime for both Michael and Maryanne, one they will never forget.

Year 11 students Belinda Pratt, Michael Thompson and Philip Cadell entered the Physics, Chemistry and Biology Olympiads. We wish them luck in these endeavours.

In the RACI Chemistry Competition two students achieved in the top 0.2% of the state and were presented with Awards of Excellence by the local RACI representative, Elvy Grigolato of JCU, Cairns. Congratulations to Paul McGhie and Luke Harris in Year 8 for such an excellent achievement. TAS secondary students received thirty High Distinction certificates in this competition. These students achieved in the top 10% of the state, a most impressive effort.

Mrs Brewer's Year 8 class, were given the opportunity to do some creative inventing during Term Three. Applying their knowledge of electric circuits and problem-solving abilities, the students designed and built some wonderful creations. These included an electric garden maze, a pin-ball machine, a cyclone-warning device, an electric light and heater, a model of an amusement park, a lighting system for the interior of a car and many other impressive innovations. Students enjoyed exploring science at their own pace and were seen rushing to science classes. They were often reluctant to leave, even for lunch! This activity served to motivate our learners and to demonstrate their talents. Students really did 'step outside the square'. Will any become future inventors or famous scientists? Time will tell!



Year 8 Junior Science

As part of the revision of the Year 10 course, students performed research projects so that they could gain experience at first hand in design and implementation of a small piece of scientific research. This was very popular with the Year 10 students as they learnt much of value for use in the Biology and Physics projects in Year 11 & 12 and most importantly - it was fun!

Beneath umbrellas and enjoying the aroma of the mangroves, the Year 11 Biology students discovered the diversity of mangroves to construct an herbarium collection which was produced after many weeks of care for the selected specimens.

The individual research projects conducted in Term Three provided students with the opportunity to study first hand many physiological and environmental effects on plant growth. The area adjacent to the Biology laboratory has been a showcase for the projects which students have diligently attended for seven weeks. Many students have gained a CSIRO Crest award for their fine projects.



Margaret Reilly finding out about the effects of Calcium on plants

Year 12 students produced a major report on the mangroves using the study site behind the school. On some occasions students literally 'sank' into their tasks. Their environmental awareness of the importance of this vital ecosystem was reflected in the fine reports presented. The biology laboratory was a hive of activity for the Open Day displays; the video microscope unit and videocam were on display and a lot of interest was shown in their use in the classroom.

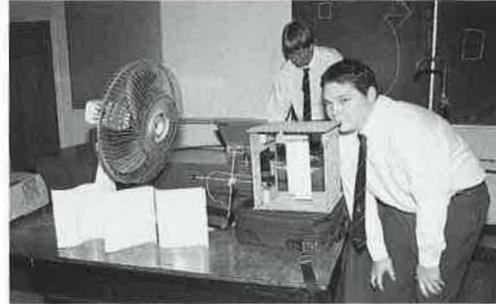
As part of the safety component of the Chemistry course students in Year 11 and 12 were given a lively demonstration of the use of fire extinguishers by Meisenhelter and Co of Hartley St. The company kindly donated their services so that students could find out first hand how to put out both liquid fuel and carbon fires. A huge pall of smoke engulfed the school as our students fought the mighty blazes.

The Chemistry Youth lecture was held on Wednesday 20 October at Cairns State High School. It was most interesting and students learnt about applications of Chemistry in the real world.



Year 11 Chemistry student Penny Rosser

The Physics students produced some very innovative research projects this year. Owen Myhill developed a Lizard Speed Measuring Device in conjunction with JCU lecturer Phil Turner. Sherilyn Barnes received inspiration at the JCU Open Day, designing and building a water-powered rocket. Thanks to Peter Grabau and Phil Turner of JCU for their regular visits to help the electronics students. Students all received a Silver CREST Award for their brilliant research efforts.



I would like to thank Rosalie Trinder for her never-ending efforts in supporting staff and students alike in the faculty. I would also like to thank Mrs McPherson, Mrs Brewer, Mr Thompson, Mr Dawson and Mr Springell for their professional teaching throughout the year.

Dr Barbara Howard
HEAD OF FACULTY - SCIENCE

Adam Kingsbury testing his "windmill", Sherilyn Barnes assembling her 'water-powered rocket' and Mark Oostergo tests 'packaging'.

1999 saw the introduction of AutoCad (drawing software) to Year 9 Graphics. Students successfully learnt and applied the programme to a variety of class drawings. This foundation year of study should give them a good understanding of the programme for application in future year levels of Graphics.

This year the Year 12 students undertook detailed study into designing products, dwellings and presentational media. They were required to research solutions and devise outcomes and then package and market their ideas. All the exercises proved to be a valuable learning experience for all involved. The Year 11 students have also been busy designing solutions to real life problems. The kitchen design problem proved to be a difficult task, however, students finished with designs that were both practical and aesthetic. Overall, senior Graphics students have performed very well, producing some creative and innovative designs.

With the introduction of AutoCad this year and larger junior student numbers, the future looks bright for further developing students' learning of graphical communication skills.

This year we introduced an exciting initiative for Year 8 Design Technology students. Students were issued with a booklet designed to incorporate all major theoretical components of design and production technologies. The booklet presents the work in an exciting and challenging manner. Student response to the booklet has been positive, ensuring that the method of delivery will continue next year.

Knockdown furniture construction methods have been the focus of work for Year 10. This style of furniture construction has been in use for a number of years in Europe and is starting to appear in more and more of the

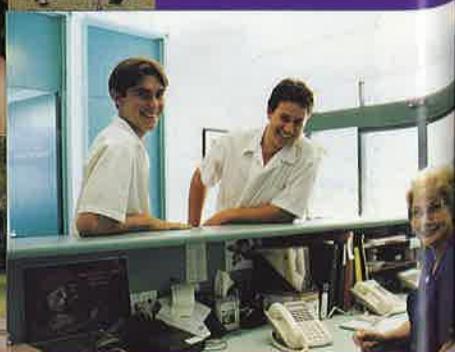
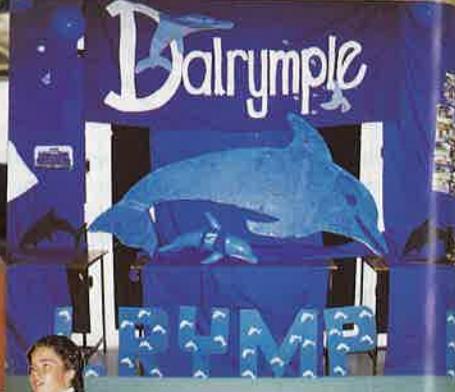
furniture produced in Australia. Students were required to construct a first aid cabinet using modern hinges and fixing hardware. This experience also exposed students to various machining processes. The students' results from this unit of work were impressive.

I would also like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the contribution Mr Brian O'Connor has made to this subject area this year. His work with the senior Design Technology students and primary school classes has been appreciated.

Overall the students appeared to enjoy their experiences in Design Technology this year. The senior students in particular are to be commended on their design and construction of projects throughout the year. We look forward to seeing the majority of students again next year.

Mr Doug Telford
HEAD OF FACULTY - DESIGN TECHNOLOGY







ISQ Biennial State Conference



1999 has once again been a busy and productive year for the Business Studies Faculty. It has been a year of change, challenge and growth.

At the end of Term One we farewelled Mr Brad Greene as he left sunny Far North Queensland for a year's teaching exchange in Scotland. In his place we welcomed Ms Linda Thomson. The purpose of such exchange programs is to allow both professional and personal growth, as well as the opportunity to travel and experience life in another part of the world. We also welcomed Mr Julian Dever to the faculty during Term Four.



The business students have continued to demonstrate enthusiasm and a great capacity for learning, both in the classroom and beyond. Early in the year the Year 11 Legal Studies students took part in the Mock Court competition for the first time. Almost the entire class participated either as a defence or prosecution barrister, a witness or a jury member in the court room simulation. The demeanour and enthusiasm of the students on the night was outstanding - they were a credit both to themselves and to the school. Also to be congratulated was the team of Year 12 students who took part in the annual Moot Court Competition organised by Bond University. Again the students acquitted themselves creditably, with Jessica Singh selected for mention by the adjudicators for her presentation. Other team members were Rebecca Graham and Bree Turner. A huge thank you to Ms Barbara Mendelsohn for her professional guidance, knowledge and motivation imparted to the Legal Studies students.

Business Organisation and Management has again been a dynamic force in school life. This year saw the formation of Enterprise 11 and the running of several ventures throughout the year by the Year 11 students such as selling flowers for Valentine's Day and chocolates for Easter. Through these experiences the students have learned some of the tribulations which face real-life business such as the impact of a cyclone, as well as the need for effective planning and organising for such ventures to be successful. These skills are then translated in Term Four for the Annual Trade Day - an event involving the entire school community and which is greatly anticipated each year. Year 12 Business Organisation and Management students then take the skills learned through Trade Day as well as classroom learning, a step further when they are required to produce a realistic Business Plan for a proposed business idea. Such practical 'hands-on' activities, while demanding of time and energy are truly rewarding and it is to be hoped that the skills and memories will remain with the students long after they leave school. (see p41)

An entirely new experience this year has seen the school enter the area of Vocational Education with two students undertaking School-Based Traineeships. Michael Miller in Year 11 commenced a traineeship at Turner Newmedia in Term One in Information Technology, leading to a qualification at Certificate IV level. Daniel Physick started his traineeship in the Rural Skills (Aquaculture) area at the beginning of Semester Two. Students who undertake a traineeship, work with their employer for at least one day a week as well as undergoing training, both on and off the job. Participating in a traineeship is not an easy option as it requires commitment, both in the workplace and at school. However, the benefits can be extremely rewarding through offering students an alternative career pathway. Already a number of Year 10 students have indicated a



keen interest in becoming involved in the program in the year 2000.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those involved in the Business Studies Faculty for their tremendous support and continuing efforts throughout the year.

Ms Gaye Chant
ACTING HEAD OF FACULTY
BUSINESS STUDIES

Aquaculture traineeships

Provided by Bobby May, Reef 2005 Vocational Placement & Training Projects.

Our aquaculture school-based traineeship through Reef 2005, the Marine Industry Vocational Placement & Training projects, includes one day a week at the aquaculture farm, three days a week at school and one day a week training.

This provides students at the end of their two years with a Higher School Certificate as well as a Certificate 2 or possibly even a Certificate 3 in Aquaculture.

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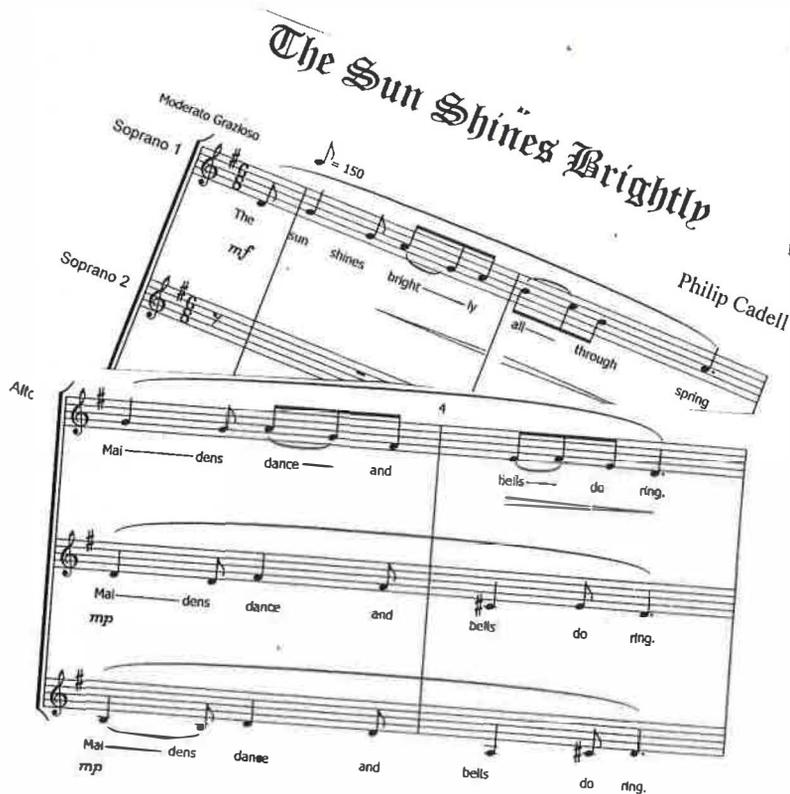
Daniel Physick, an aquaculture trainee holding two live painted crayfish.

Again, this year we have seen an explosion of talented music students performing and creating some excellent works. Our Year 8's have studied the history of rock and film music culminating in entertaining presentations featuring favourite rock stars through to them enhancing a scene with appropriate background music. We may see a budding John Williams scoring music for a future Hollywood blockbuster one day!

The elective students have culminated their talents by writing Renaissance madrigals, Top 40 hits, instrumental arrangements and small ensemble pieces. Through their study of different musical genres they have learnt a lot about performing declinques and compositional styles.

There are a lot more opportunities for musicians today than there were for our predecessors many years ago. All students are glad they are heading into the next millennium as respected, valued musicians, not merely the lowly paid servants of Mozart's day.

Mrs Alison Falk
SECONDARY MUSIC TEACHER



Konnichiwa! Bonjour! Selamat Siang!

This year we have seen the consolidation of the Indonesian programme introduced last year where the focus has been on the use of technology. This has been facilitated by the use of our new technology classrooms. Students have particularly enjoyed *Budi Teaches Indonesian* and other computer software and have used the Internet for researching topics such as the exploitation of Indonesian labour by multinational companies such as Nike. We have also been fortunate to utilise the services of Mrs Bolton (Dewi, Helen and Rebecca's mother) who taught Indonesian cooking to Year 9 students.

In Japanese classes the accent has been on interactive activities where students have engaged in sushi-making, produced their own *manga* (comics), written and presented plays to the White Rock Junior school students and, at Year 10 level, have worked collaboratively with St Augustine students.

In French, Ms Bagnall, who has taken on Mrs White's senior classes while she is on long service leave, continues to fly the red, white and blue and entuse our students.

The highlight for this year in LOTE was the trip to Japan in June attended by students from all three campuses. Home-staying in Chiba, the shopping, sightseeing and kareoke in Tokyo, the temple visits in Kyoto, the Peace Park in Hiroshima, as well as the hostel and travel experiences throughout the trip will long be remembered by all students. Our multi-cultural group were wonderful ambassadors of our School and our nation, and their interaction with each other and with everyone they encountered made Mrs Gomura and myself extremely proud. I wish to thank Mrs Gomura for her meticulous planning for this trip, her boundless energy and her enthusiasm.

I wish to thank the teachers of the LOTE department - Mrs

Chizuko Gomura (Indonesian & Japanese), Miss Kirsten Tame and Mrs Jenny Campbell (Japanese) and Ms Pam Bagnall (French) and Mrs Linda White (French).

Merci beaucoup! Termakase! Arigato Gozaimasu!

Mr Philip Turner
HEAD OF FACULTY - LOTE



Apprendre le français à l'école est chovette!

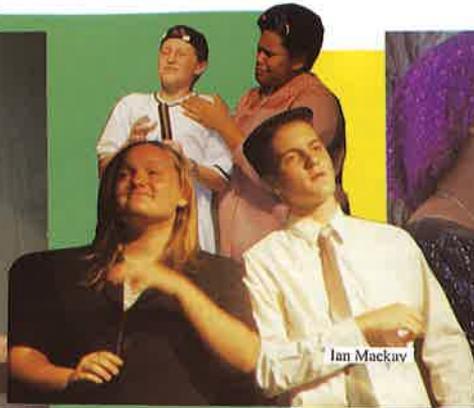
Quand nous voyageons, le français nous apporte un autre moyen de communiquer. Cela nous a aussi permis de découvrir une autre culture, une autre langue, et une autre partie du monde.

C'est important d'apprendre la grammaire et la conjugaison, mais la meilleure partie du cours de français, c'est la cuisine, et en particulier, les crêpes.

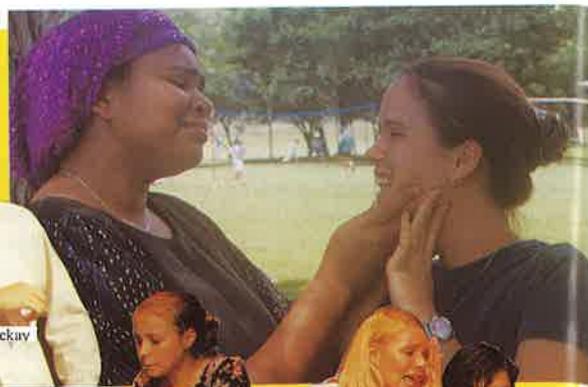


Susannah Pedro

Nigel Ivanovic



Ian Mackay



Olivia Colegrave



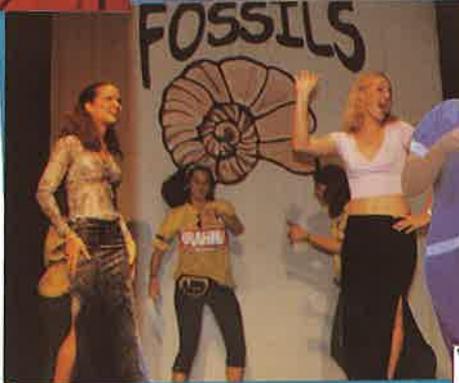
Meah Lockhart



Ethan Simpson



Laura Pike

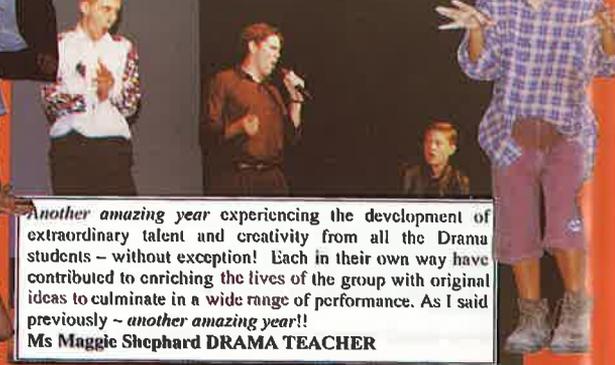


Vicki Ratliff



The school play this year was *FOSSILS* by Manuel Anton. This was performed by the Year 11 drama group. The play reflected the attitudes of three teenagers to their parents -- the fossils.

DRAMA



Another amazing year experiencing the development of extraordinary talent and creativity from all the Drama students - without exception! Each in their own way have contributed to enriching the lives of the group with original ideas to culminate in a wide range of performance. As I said previously - another amazing year!!
Ms Maggie Shephard DRAMA TEACHER

Home Economics has enjoyed another year of producing aromas to provoke the palate and fashion to flatter the figure. I would like to congratulate all of our students on the energy and enthusiasm that they have displayed, as well as their endless creativity! Our top students for the year were:- Year 8 Kavita Muralidharan, Year 9 Kirsty Alexander, Year 10 Isabel Bantegui, Year 11 Alena Ladd, Year 12 Rebecca Graham.

1999 has been a year of change as the faculty introduced a new subject for Year 11- Hospitality Studies. This subject combines general and vocational education and is an excellent choice for Cairns with its dynamic local hospitality industry. Hospitality students will soon be travelling to the Gold Coast to gain experience at Sea World Nara Resort.

These subjects produce individuals who are confident and effective in the management of their lives and possess life and work related skills. I look forward to exploring many new activities and ideas with our very talented students next year.



Ms J McCarthy
HOSPITALITY STUDIES CO-ORDINATOR

The emphasis in this course is on **programming logic** rather than on the use of application packages. In Year 11, students learn the basics of computer programming using Visual Basic and in Year 12, the students study Database Design using Microsoft Access. This course involves a high degree of mathematical logic and complex reasoning, and is generally suited to students who have gained a high achievement in Mathematics in Year 10. IPT is aimed at students who intend to proceed to a tertiary course with an **Information Technology** component. In particular, to those students interested in specialising in programming and software engineering and design.

This course does not involve studying operating systems or application packages such as Windows, Office, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, digital imaging, graphic design or Web page design. The Board of Senior Secondary School Studies is currently designing a **new Queensland Senior course covering these application topics.**

In Year 11, IPT students learn how to solve complex problems by designing algorithms and then implementing these algorithms in the programming language **Visual Basic**. The Year 12 students tackle the demanding and interesting topic of **Conceptual Schemas and Database Design**. Conceptual Schemas is a very recent branch of computer science that deals with the entities (objects) that make up a database and the roles (relationships) between them. The design of Conceptual Schemas is an essential foundation for a Systems Analyst who would undertake a thorough study of a business organisation, analyse the exact flow of data through the business and recommend appropriate

solutions. Other topics covered in IPT are **Computer Systems, Artificial Intelligence and the Social and Ethical Implications of Technology.**

The standard of projects and assignments presented by students continues to be very impressive, with many students submitting work of first year tertiary standard. Indeed, a High Achievement in IPT gains automatic credit for some university Information Technology (IT) subjects. About one-half of the 1998 Year 12 IPT class went on to study IT at university, either on its own or in combination with another discipline. With the increase of technology in all areas of society and in particular the exponential rise of the Internet, skills in IT are highly desirable for any course of study.

The Year 11 and 12 IPT students had **excellent results** in the **Australian Schools Computer Studies Competition**. There was one High Distinction, twelve Distinctions and six Credits. The average in both year levels was significantly higher than the state average, so congratulations go to all the IPT students. These results are an excellent achievement by the students.

High distinction: Year 12: Aaron Lingwood.
Distinctions: Year 11: Rory Barclay, Philip Cadell, Andrew Dunkerley, Michael Hellwig, David Robbins, Joshua Smith. Year 12: Andrew Birchley, Dale Bulmer, Adam Kingsbury, Owen Myhill, Charles Strickland, Jim Timings. **Credits:** Year 11: Daniel Blake, Brent Chuang, Stacy Lazarus, Michael Miller, Michael Thompson. Year 12: James Rigano

Mr Brian Springell
HEAD OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

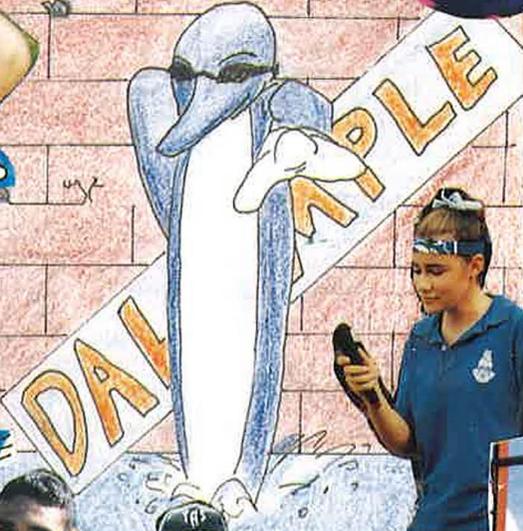
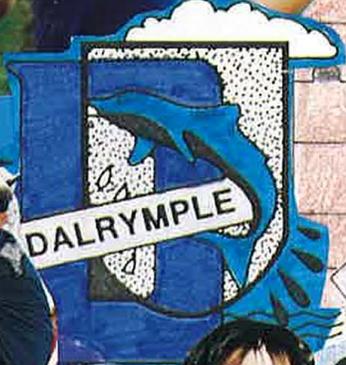


DALRYMPLE
Head of House: Mrs Robyn Brewer

FRONT ROW (left to right) - Catherine Nilsson, Ai Ito, Sarah Laurence, Jenni Kingsbury, Jessica Hamman, Ruelleigh Croes, Joanne Aleom, Mrs Robyn Brewer, Jim Timings, Remi Hirata, Robyn Croes, Elizabeth Irvin, Rei Ito, Mhan Davie. **SECOND ROW** - Mr Carl Sloan, Mr Peter Kruger, Christopher Diehm, Alfred Bovey, Eden Clark, Nigel Richardson, Kristin Stephens, Tom Whish-Wilson, Tim Bishop, Milan Paunovic, Rory Spence, Jeffrey Nilsson, Daniel Mather, Michael Hurst, Mrs Jill McPherson, Mr Brad Greene, **THIRD ROW** - Tye Grace, Luke Harris, Ashley Guy, Kent Duffy, Leon Doure, Alan Strickland, Matthew Jeffers, Daniel Jeffers, Sang Hyun, David Hurst, Tim Lanski, Joshua Plumpton, Andrew Brown, Alan Irvin, **FOURTH ROW** - Rachel Knott, Laura Cowis, Claire Whish-Wilson, Alison Loader, Kate Smith, Jodie Gummow, Monica Earl, Alana Ayrey, Louisa Stephens, Margaret Reilly, Jessica Willans, Belinda Pratt, Louise Hansen, Holly Todd, Rachel Lloyd, Abigail Stanbridge, **FIFTH ROW** - Christian Gormali, Yusuke Suzuki, David Lawson, Jarrah Crabtree, Ben Moller, Adam Zaks, Adam Kingsbury, Charles Strickland, Mare Beath, Jonathon Bleakley, Jeremy Goble, Samuel Ward-Riggs, Phillip Jenner, Alex Kochi, Graham Irvin, **SIXTH ROW** - Kay Clarke, Carla Simms, Angela Graham, Vicki Rauliff, Victoria Wall, Erica Thompson, Adrienne Hill, Jessica Singh, Claire Vanbesian, Susan Singh, Julia Lewis, Eleanor Lynn, Kellie Grace, **BACK ROW** - Alex Singh, Brendan Lynch, Vukadin Paunovic, Wayne Yin, Daniel Hanna, Dale Bulmer, Alex Moorhouse, Michael Hellwig, David Robbins, Hiroshi Kaniai, **ABSENT** - Tanya Collins, Rebecca Collins, Alexia Bia, Justin Lai, Kengo Uraki, Miho Hirota, Tomomi Heneda, Yoshihiro Shimada.



Dalrymple



DALRYMPLE

1999 has been a fine year in Dalrymple House. It has been a fitting way to farewell the millennium. I have enjoyed working with the senior group this year. They have been encouraging and supportive at all times. They have lead the House competently this year showing genuine care for the younger students in their tutor groups. Our 1999 House Captains, Joanne Alcorn and Jim Timings have added energy and humour to our House meetings and put every effort into organising events. They have truly led by example. They have competed willingly in every House event and made time to get to know their younger students well. I thank them for their hard work and support throughout the year.

Mr Sloan, Mrs McPherson, Mr Kruger, Miss Thompson and Mr Campbell have been our tutors this year. I thank them for their relentless support and the positive, professional manner in which they always carry out their work as tutors.

All the best for the Year 2000.

Mrs Robyn Brewer
HEAD OF DALRYMPLE HOUSE

Our exciting year as mighty Dalrymple Dolphins kick-started with House Day at Ross'n'Loch leisurely lyloing and swimming down the rapids. At the end we were greeted by an impressive BBQ lunch cooked by the Year 12's. An interactive, team-building day enjoyed by all involved, but also sorely remembered by some! Next time: trust us on the sunscreen.

Next on the calendar was the Inter-school Swimming Carnival held at Tobruk Pool. What our enthusiastic fins might have lacked in speed, they certainly made up for in team spirit and participation. Many individual triumphs were achieved on the evening. Dalrymple proved that when

**Dynamite
 Athletes
 Leaders
 Runners
 Youth
 Mighty
 Proud
 Legends
 Enjoyment**

Kate Smith



on our own turf, the mighty Dolphins turn into Lion, Croc and Mullet eating sharks. The efforts contributed to setting up, competing, cheering and judging for the carnival were greatly appreciated by all the House.

Cross-country, athletics carnival and triathlon followed the same trend with maximum participation and enthusiasm. The fins were out there to make a stand and provide a challenge for other competitors. There was healthy competition between the Houses this year throughout all events. Thank you to the other Houses who made the challenge that little bit better this year. A special thanks goes to all those Dalrympians who simply tried their best to support and encourage the House through the year. Your efforts have not gone unnoticed. Keep it up.

The Tutors have put in an incredible amount of effort and work into organising, motivating and teaching the students in so many ways. Tutor time, now held in the mornings before period one, has proven to be successful in organising and preparing our team members for the industrious day ahead. Tutors give constructive feedback and allow students to interact and discuss different topics amongst those of different ages. Occasionally a round of volleyball or handball was involved. A very special thank you goes to all Tutors for their time and efforts this year.

House meetings held every Tuesday morning have been instrumental in getting the team on track, discussing school issues, celebrating victories and as simply team-building

opportunities. It is hoped that they make everyone feel as if they are part of the Dalrymple family. Hey, it's not everyday you get to eat cake for breakfast!

The seniors contributed magnificently during the year, taking over House meetings to motivate students for upcoming events, not to mention the crazy skits put on by the two House Captains.

Thank you to the library ladies for allowing Dalrymple the time to use the library as their meeting place; it was greatly appreciated.

But most of all to the one and only, extra-ordinary Mrs Brewer for everything she has done for the House to make it such a successful and happy year for everyone. If it wasn't for our leader, we wouldn't be the committed and enthusiastic team we are. Mrs Brewer is always there when she is called upon and needed, never losing even in the slightest amount of that bright, encouraging Dalrymple team spirit which keeps us all going.

Overall, the commitment, cooperation, participation and enthusiasm has shone through each and every student this year; each and every student simply striving to do their best for their fellow team members. It hasn't gone unnoticed Dalrymple, but rather it has shone brighter than every before, and we just want to say thanks for a fantastic year. We know there is more to come in the future!

Joanne Alcorn and Jim Timings
HOUSE CAPTAINS

Blue dolphins flying high
 Flying high across the sky
 See them diving in the pool
 The other Houses drool, drool, drool
 See them working all through school
 We all think we're really cool!
 We're all first across the line
 Even last is really fine.
 Debating teams and Chapel prayers
 We are a team that really cares
 We beat other teams to the core
 We're Dalrymple - for evermore!

Victoria Wall



WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS, MY FRIENDS!



1999 proved a very successful year for the Leichhardt Lions, with the Lions proving that we are the champs once again. Our key to success was house spirit with each member playing a crucial role in all sporting and cultural events. Many thanks go to Mrs Falk, our trusty

Head of House and all the tutors. The seniors have done a great job this year by supporting us and encouraging house spirit.

House Charity During 1999 Leichhardt supported the Queensland Cancer Fund once again, by selling fresh and silk daffodils. Leichhardt managed to raise \$763 from both White Rock campuses as part of the annual Daffodil Day Appeal.

Mark Oostergo

Tutor Group This year Leichhardt had four tutors. They were Miss Mendelsohn, Miss Bagnall, Mr Thomson and Mr Dawson. Tutor group time provided a good bonding experience for the House, which proved to be the reason for the great success Leichhardt achieved this year. Highlights of tutor during each week included house meeting on Monday, Chapel on Tuesday and the ever popular puzzles on Friday in which, all members of tutor group participated.

Andrew Birchley



The **Athletics** carnival was yet again another successful competition for the mighty Lions, as we came out victors again. Wining both the junior and senior divisions, Leichhardt cleaned up all the trophies. The main key for the

victory was because we were able to fill every possible position in all the races. Congratulations go to the Leichhardt age-champions Josh Brown, Sarah Simmons, Nicole Kadic, Oliver Driscoll and Rachele McCarthy who also won the inaugural Gemilla Kadrik trophy. With the athletics win under our belt it the overall trophy looked very golden.

Bradley Jorgensen



Debating As a House we are very proud of our debating teams and acknowledge the work that all debaters put into their successful speeches. All teams - Year 8, Junior and Senior performed well and tried earnestly to argue,

out-talk and rebut. Overall Leichhardt tied for first place.

Janina Austin



Swimming The Lions once again proved that they were the dominant species in the pool. Being the first carnival of the year, everyone gets hyped up and is ready to go for the jugular. Leichhardt did just that. At Tobruk

Pool, the atmosphere was electric, the cheering ecstatic and the victory inevitable. Not only did our champs help secure a win, but so many Leichhardt students filled in for others or swam up where they could to ensure full participation in all events. Congratulations to our age-champions: Sam Brown and Stacy Lazarus. Overall, a great carnival led by a fantastic cheer squad who kept going all night.

Rachel Cross



Trinity Day Despite our best-gloved efforts, it was not our year in the tug-o-war event. However, we kicked butt in the dash to bring home the overall trophy. Great running team!

Oliver Driscoll

Triathlon Again over 80 Leichhardt students proved that what they really like to do best is to swim, ride and run. In that order and one after the other. Our fantastic seniors reigned supreme and won the trophy and our juniors were not too far behind and the House won the overall as well. The willingness of students to compete as individuals certainly earned many house points, and also, the rest of the House combining to make teams or run single legs was heartening. Congratulations go to the fastest team: Zoe, Nick and Tracey (Year 8). Our individuals deserve special note; everyone was excellent, but in particular - Sam Brown, Sarah Simmons, Oliver Driscoll and Nicole Kadic who all came second. The great day was topped off by Rachele, Brad and Sarah in the beach flags.

Maryanne Dore

Cross-country We were robbed! Leichhardt students competed in the right spirit on the day and all ran a superb race to finish excellently in this event. The participation was supreme and the 'new' course enjoyed by all. Top efforts to our champion runners led by Oliver and we settled for tied first in this event.

In conclusion this has been a great year. Congratulations are extended to all Leichhardt students on your success - and oh how sweet each victory was! Our hope is that all Leichhardt students realise the quality of their performances. Never forget 1999 and don't let anyone play down your champion year. Modesty is admired, yet your achievements are worth proclaiming. The true test will be for Leichhardt House next year - we wish you well.

Rachel Cross

I would like to say a sincere thank you to all Leichhardt students for their involvement in all house activities this year. So many of you achieved your personal goals in the various competitions held in 1999. Others ignored their pride and competed anyway for the House just to gain one or two points or to enable a team to enter a race. All efforts, no matter how great or small are appreciated.

Our quiet achievers must be acknowledged too. All of you, unheralded and unsung, who have made the House what it is today, have contributed in so many ways behind the scenes. To those of you who have perhaps raised money for charity, welcomed a new student, designed a poster, participated in Chapel, worked hard or have just been a nice person, you can pat yourself on the back!

Finally, our 1999 Leichhardt seniors proved that good things do come in small parcels. Although you were small in number, you were mighty in spirit and leadership. The House thanks you for your unflappable determination and enthusiasm and we wish you well in your chosen careers. Never forget the Leichhardt spirit.

Mrs Alison Falk
HEAD OF LEICHHARDT HOUSE





LEICHHARDT

Head of House: Mrs Alison Falk

FRONT ROW (left to right) - Bethany Phillips, Tanya Goodwin, Jenna Happy, Zoe Sherr, Bradley Jorgensen (Vice Captain), Rachel Cross (Captain), Mrs Alison Falk (Head of House), Mark Oostergo (Captain), Janina Austin (Vice Captain), Rebecca Booth, Carene Kloss, Vega Griffiths, Ashley Wright, Alissa Gianarakis. **SECOND ROW** - Mr Dawson, Ashley Lynn, Cameron Thorpe, Briony Booth, Josephine Clapham, Rebecca Hogben, Jacqueline Wilson, Deborah Phillips, Alana Muir, Melissa Darby, Yuuko Yamamoto, Tracey Dangaard, Joon Ho Park, Mark Leitner, Mr Jay Thomson, Ms Pam Bagnall. **THIRD ROW** - Joshua Maule, Sean Haug, Jediah Thorburn, Kyle Watson, William Reid, William Emms, James Taylor, David Kwong, Tyler Dunn, Michael Gianarakis, Nigel Ivanovic, Thomas Birchley, Tim Moeser, Stein Cave, Daniel Groves. **FOURTH ROW** - Shona Ellis, Marisa Milgate, Airin Gomura, Danielle Wilson, Emily Simmons, Laura Burton, Peita Harris, Laura Pike, Heather Phillips, Katherine Camlin, Emily Burman, Kristy Alexander, Maryanne Dore, Lauren Buljubasich, Sarah Simmons, Brooke Murphy. **FIFTH ROW** - Meah Lockhart, Nicole Kadic, Martine Richards, Amy Barber, Alina Skinner, Nicole Bean, Jelena Wright-Brown, Natalie Brand, Amanda Harris, Sophie Taylor, Leonie Spalchaver, Erica Schilling, Penelope King, Tegan Callahan, Naomi De Swardt. **SIXTH ROW** - Hiroki Ichikawa, Nicholas Wright-Brown, Bradley Lukosius, Shintaro Okuma, Byron Bidgood, Josh Brown, Yohei Nishizuka, Masaki Masu, Daiyu Hironaka, Sam Brown, Brock Cook, Dane Hassell, Jack Scrine, Shuichi Fujinohara. **BACK ROW** - Mark McKelvey, Oliver Driscoll, Ethan Simpson, Daniel Blake, Ben Gibson, Andrew Birchley, James Margach, Sascha Brand, Ryan Bowater, Owen Myhill, Jure Buljubasich, Adam Thorpe, Stacy Lazarus, Brent Chuang, Luke Goodwin. **ABSENT** - Rachelle McCarthy, Nanda Holyoak, Naomi Pedro, Sussanah Pedro, Nicole Rummy, Jennifer Rummy, Brendan Board, Cody Freeman.





HOUSE CAPTAINS

FRONT ROW: Mrs Alison Falk (L), Ms Julianne McCarthy (M), Mr Craig Bassingthwaighe, Fr Peter Laurence, Mr Brian O'Connor (K), Mrs Robyn Brewer (D). BACK ROW: Rachel Cross (L), Mark Oostergo (L), Gemma Scott (M), Sam Beattie (M), Liam Johnstone (K), Caroline Yates (K), Jim Timings (D), Joanne Alcorn (D).

The letters SRC stand for Student Representative Council. This organisation is aimed to assist communication between the students and administration. The SRC is chaired by the School Captains, with Mr Switzer (Dean of Students) as an advisor. The council is made up of the School Captains and a male and female representative from each year level.

The 'Reps' talk within the year group and from these discussions bring any ideas, plans, needs or requests forward to the Friday meeting. All the topics are discussed and sorted out with regard to funding, time and organisation, before they are given to administration. Administration looks over the topic and our proposals then looks at what they can do for us and give back the results and we return back to the year group and tell them what has happened to their topic. If the topic is a go ahead we organise and run the venture



STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

Nikolas Stewart (Yr 8), Jessica Adams (Yr 9), Michael Thompson (Yr 11) Tamsin Ewen-Smith (School Captain), Alena Ladd (Yr 11), Mr Ross Switzer, Alex Te-Loo (Yr 8), Michael Pensini (School Captain), Caitlin Salter (Yr 10), Thomas Birchley (Yr 10) Andrew Heggie (Yr 9)

Since the SRC was established in April earlier this year, many topics have been raised. Most suggestions have been in the area of new supplies around the school, for example, many new water bubblers have been installed due to popular demand and there has been lots of talk about new seating areas. Other suggestions such as the tutor situation and more sport for the junior part of the Secondary School have also been talked about. All up the SRC has and probably will always be a useful group around the School providing a service purely for the student body.

Thomas Birchley and Alena Ladd



INTER-HOUSE JUNIOR PUBLIC SPEAKING

The youth of today are revolting! Well of course they are, just look at me. But really, James Taylor, is it that hard to really keep your socks up? And Will Reid, is it really that hard for you to keep your shirt in? And Holly Todd, just look at your hair. Look at all of you; it's absolutely appalling. Is it really that hard to follow these simple rules, or are we breaking them for a reason.

Yes today's youth are revolting. But this statement can be taken two ways. Of course there is the view that they smoke and drink, vandalise public property and have the most hideous dress sense. But there is another more serious meaning; that youth are revolting, revolting against what?

The youth of today are revolting against society in general. But hasn't this always been the case, with every generation of youth since the 1960's revolting against their 'leaders'? Everybody here knows it; sure most of the adults here went to a protest or two. But protesting about what specifically ~ better living conditions, a better quality of life, the general rules and regulations of the population? But these protests, not just here in Australia, but in the whole of the world are necessary; it lets the big guys know what is wrong with a particular system and how the problems can be rectified. The revolution of youth is necessary to help change and purify life. Without this change the world would stagnate, never altering, with the same problems recurring every generation, and no one there to point out the injustices and mistakes.

Now there is a very important question I'd like to ask all of you here. Why are the youth of the world outlawed for having an opinion? Is it because the more they protest, the more changes that are made as a result of their protests, thus leading in governments or simply the teachers of a school having their power eroded because of the independence of these youths?

And so the way to control this little problem is to stop us, the youth, every one of us sitting here today, from having an opinion to begin with. Lets pretend for a moment that we are living in an oppressed society with no freedom and justice. All youth are meant to be the same. We are being trapped, so we can be broken. School uniforms required, not just to make us look nice and to create some form of discipline, but as a way of trying to keep us all the same. The endless list of rules and regulations that are used to keep us under wraps, *pull your socks up tuck your shirt in, don't talk back*, because remember there is no freedom of speech. All of these are attempts to crush the individual and create a society of youth that are all good, but who have no real opinions of life and how to change things for the better. Our eyes are being shielded, because if we see what the world is really like, we might develop a few opinions on the matter, and might want to change something, but this definitely isn't 'on'. We mustn't have opinions and we mustn't think freely. We must co-operate with societies law-abiding rules to eradicate all individuality and create mindless zombies.

And that, Ladies and Gentlemen, is why the youth of today, all over the world, are revolting; long live the revolution!

Nigel Ivanovic ~ Leichhardt

INTER-HOUSE SENIOR PUBLIC SPEAKING

Here's a scenario; you've had your eye on this just gorgeous drop dead guy for ages, and you had finally decided to ask him out, but at the last minute you change your mind again . . . The next day some other girl, not half as suitable according to your criteria, asks him out and he says yes; then they live happily ever after. Of course, if someone had told you back then, that now was more important than later, perhaps you'd have got your dream date; but now the two of them are married with two kids playing happy families. Later was just too late.

It's a saying that nearly everyone has heard at sometime, *now is more important than later*, but is it true? Do you believe it? Should you believe it? I can't believe it's not butter? For me it has many meanings, and I hope in this short time now, I can at least touch on a few of them. For all of you, especially the lovely looking people situated in the centre, *now*, listening to my speech is much more important than listening to other speeches later.

It is very difficult for us to define an image of just what now is, sure it's a period of time at present, but is now a split second, an hour, or an era? Generally when the parents nag us to clean our room, we reply with a promise to do it later . . . with the general meaning of within the next ten years. On the other hand when hear the response, *later* . . . to them it is legal, unbreakable contract to have your room spick and span within ten minutes? In other words **right now**.

Now, I could spend three minutes going to the extreme of saying that we should live each day as though it is our last, and yet that would be totally pointless. I know at least 99.99% of you would not be sitting here listening to speeches at school if you thought it was your last day alive on this planet.

On a personal note, now I am a Year 11 student with exams in a couple of weeks, four assignments due, broke, no time for a job or anything else, with the prospect of being the only Year 12 student without a car next year, doing a nerve racking speech . . . Later I'll have a job, a car, a wardrobe of clothes and a social life - no exams, assignments or public speaking competitions! In that aspect later is certainly more important to me than now!

However there is only two things certain in life, life and death, and now we are all alive, but later we may never even get to see it. Why waste opportunities in the hope that later you will have the same chance when in fact you may never. We should all make the most of the gifts and talents we have been given, be it a talent in sport, school or if you happen to be able to juggle three pieces of jelly whilst swallowing a steak knife, standing on an elephant: take that skill and get a job in the circus.

So I hope that you have learnt a lot from my speech and that you go and ask that person, that you secretly admire, out . . . but, **right now**, it is more important for me to finish my speech, than later when I will lose 10 points for talking too long . . .

Sometimes it's best to make the most of the moment . . . **NOW**

For instance if my sister offers me a piece of triple chocolate mud cake and I don't take it now, I can guarantee it won't be around later when I really feel like it. It is much more important, in order to gain a happy quality of life, that I eat that cake. Therefore, it is more important, that I eat it now, rather than later, otherwise known as never.

Really do hope I got the message to you soon enough; I'm glad that I told you this speech at what was now, because perhaps later would have been too late.

The fact is that no-one really knows what now is. The same goes for later, how often has later arrived in your life? Never! In fact later will never arrive, so later is never, and now is unknown? Basically we could reword this topic to 'unknown is more important than never' This is also a very indepth question, but rather off the topic.

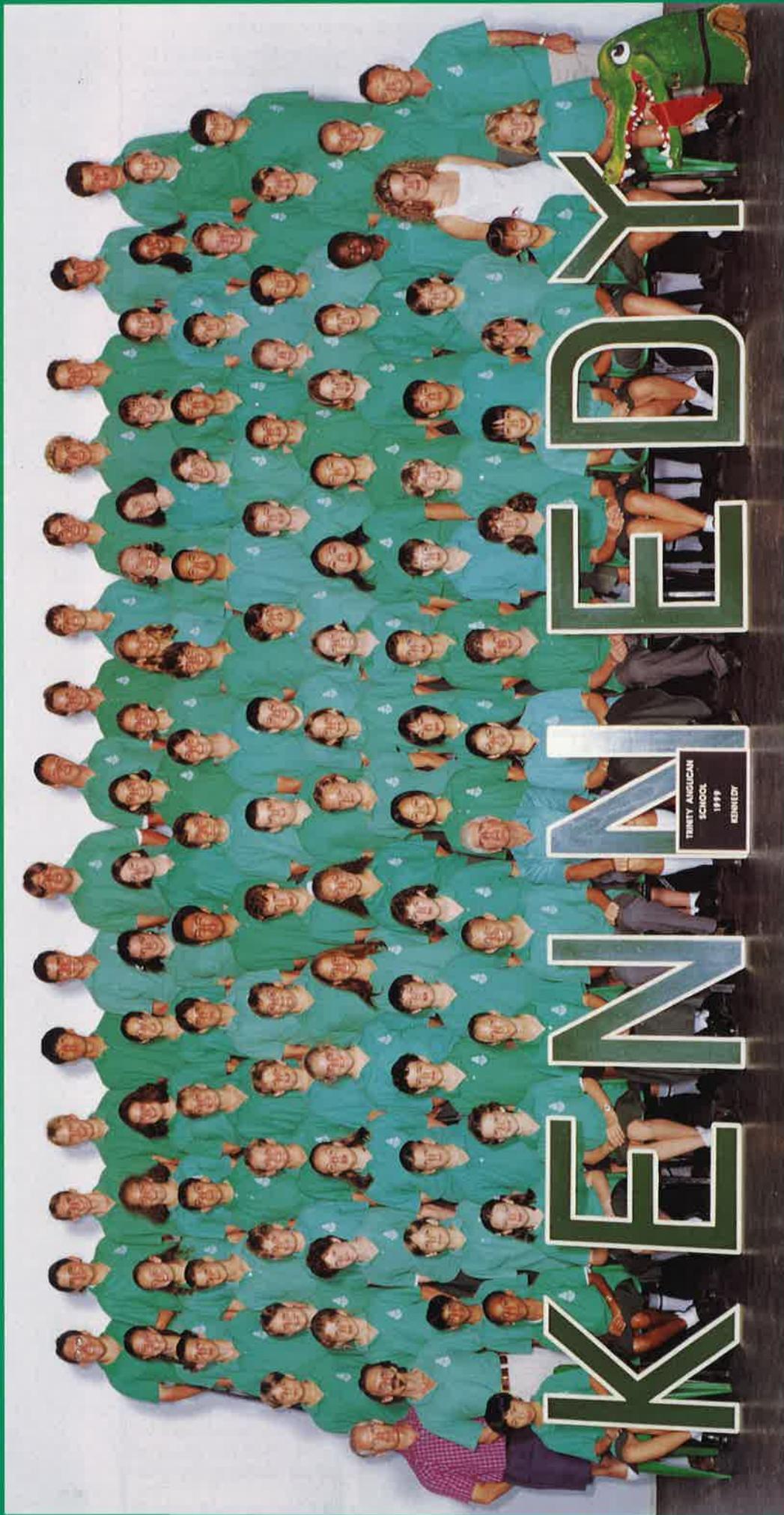
Jess Ferguson ~ Kennedy



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KENNEDY

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Good Luck
-or 1999!

1999 was a year which produced some joy and some disappointments; no matter what challenges were thrown our way the Kennedy Crocs were able to fight back as only the Kennedy students can. The Years 12s of Kennedy have helped us tremendously in running the House competitions; we simply could not have done it without them.

House Day To initiate the new Crocs to Kennedy House, there was no better way than to hit the waterslides at Sugarworld. Beginning the day with swimming trials at the pool, the Crocs felt right at home. Inter-tutor games followed, allowing for some fantastic synchronised-swimming towers and cheering competitions. Once again the senior students were responsible for the cooking and serving of a scrumptious BBQ. This was topped off with waterslide mayhem and some rich 'chocy' cake for afternoon tea. At the end of the day we were sure that the old and new Crocs would be a force to be reckoned with!

Swimming House Competitions and school events are always a highlight on the school calendar. First up was the Swimming Carnival, and with an elite field of swimmers, Kennedy went as outside favourites to take the title away from the dominant Leichhardt team. However, it was not meant to be this year, as the result did not go our way. The students of Kennedy were not deterred as they showed much promise for the future. James Rigano (Year 12) was inspirational in getting the troops ready for war, and on the night the House proved to be one of the loudest and most exuberant of the four cheering Houses. Go the mighty Crocs!

Debating The overall results for our House were not as good as last year, however, everyone tried their very best in each level. Many good arguments, for and against were presented on the day.

Cross-country What happens when there are 400 students, a wet and slippery course and a cross-country planned? You get absolute mayhem. The 1999 cross-country was fun and also challenging. The Crocs ran superbly and made it known when they were on the course. As Liam and myself are not the best runners we were able to experience first hand what it was like running a race when there are 98 Kennedy students eager to win. It was terrifying!!! There was a four-way tie at the end of the day, which really reflected the dedication and commitment of all the students who ran.

Trinity Day What a great day this was. Our House gave all they had in the tug of war, but were unable to compete with the brawn of the other Houses. We performed well in the dash and again showed great house spirit.

House Charity This year our efforts were put behind the Leukaemia Foundation. We sold golden bears as a fund raiser and managed to donate \$300 to aid research in finding a cure.

Triathlon The sun was shining brightly when the Crocs converged on their home turf, Kewarra Beach. Again Kennedy's enthusiasm and spirit shone through, with a huge number of Crocs competing on the day. Unfortunately, we weren't victorious that day, but much fun was had in the sand-building and flags competition. It was a great way to conclude Term Two.

Athletics As the last event of the sporting calendar, the Athletics Carnival proved to be the best event of the year. The entire House displayed roaring house spirit throughout

the day, whether they were throwing a javelin, trekking around the oval in the 3000m or supporting other House members. The spirit shown by the House made us extremely proud to be the leaders of Kennedy. Everyone pulled together and blitzed the field during the relays, however the overall result did not reflect our students' commitment at the end of the day. It was just great to see everyone having a fun time as well as competing to the best of their ability.

Conclusion A large thank-you must be extended to Kennedy's four dedicated tutors, Mr Rea, Mr Tippet, Miss Tame and Mr Turner. You guys are all legends!

All of the year 12s would like to thank our Head of House Mr O'Connor for providing us with support and encouragement during the year. He made it possible for us to run the House to the best of our ability and gave us the main responsibility so as we could develop our leadership skills throughout the year.

We would also like to take this opportunity to congratulate all the Kenedyites on a great year and wish them all the best of luck in the years to come.

Caroline Yates and Liam Johnstone HOUSE CAPTAINS

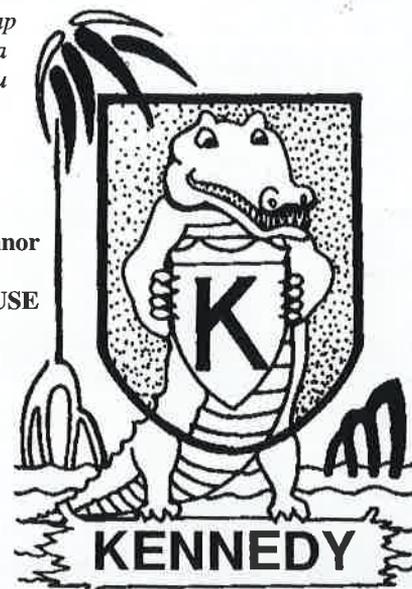
What a fulfilling year this has been! I have mentioned throughout the year how winning is not everything as long as you try. Well, we may not have won many competitions this year, however, the spirit and dedication shown by our students was second to none. House spirit does not just happen, it is developed. I would sincerely like to thank our tutors for all their hard work in this area; Ms Tame, Mr Tippet, Mr Rea and Mr Turner's assistance throughout the year has been unswerving. To my House Captains I would like to say a big thank-you for your efforts during the year. Your support and leadership during 1999 has enabled the House to maintain a strong and spirited involvement in all school activities. To the parents of Kennedy House students thanks must go to you also for your continued support of the House.

KENNEDY KEYNOTE

*Sow an act, and you
reap a habit. Sow a
habit, and you reap
a character. Sow a
character, and you
reap a destiny.*

Charles Reade

Mr Brian O'Connor
HEAD OF
KENNEDY HOUSE



As we stand on the brink of the new millennium, it is with great pride and joy that I write this article. The spirit of optimistic co-operation and concern for one another continues to grow within the House, as well as a quiet determination to be successful academically, culturally, socially and personally. Mulligan House has always been fortunate in having a wealth of very talented individuals who have a great impact on the ethos and culture of the House. I have found it continuously rewarding to be associated with the students and activities of Mulligan House.



I would like to thank every single student and staff member in the House for their personal contributions throughout 1999. Congratulations must go to our House Captains, Gemma Scott and Sam Beattie, who have demonstrated great commitment and enthusiasm to the Mulligan cause. They have been ably assisted by Vice Captains Bree Turner and Matthew Trout. Our finances have been most ably managed by our Treasurer Katherine Wynn, who has also preserved the house photographs in a most impressive style, framed for past and future Mulletts to enjoy. The Mulligan archives have been capably maintained by the most artistic Eleanor Hamilton White is also to be framed for posterity. Thanks also go to our outstanding group of Year 12's who have provided a very fine example for the rest of the House to follow. I do thank them for their efforts.

Special thanks must go to our tutors who make such an enormous contribution to the House in their daily dealings with students and their contribution to House activities. Our very caring and loyal House Tutors for 1999 were Rev Janet Story, Ms Maggie Shephard, Mrs Chizuko Gomura and Mr Doug Telford. They have been an enormous assistance and support to me personally and to the House in general and I thank them for their efforts in this very demanding role.

Ms Julianne McCarthy MULLIGAN HEAD OF HOUSE

House Day this year again saw all the Mulletts trek south to the idyllic Golden Hole just south of beautiful Babinda. A succulent barbie lunch was efficiently prepared by our Year 12's for our delectation while we cavorted in the crystal clear water of this magnificent swimming hole. This is a terrific day and allows us all to get to know all of the new Mulletts and to let them see what fun it is to be part of such a great House!

Another exceptional **Inter-house Swimming Carnival** was the result of an evening full of team spirit, excitement and entertainment. As the grandstands quickly filled with ecstatic kids who just couldn't wait to dive into the swimming pool, records came crashing down as students swam for their Houses, and the cheers got louder and louder, until finally there was silence. Then a voice came from above announcing that all that cheering and chanting had paid off and Mulligan was the winner of the Cheering Award. Mulligan was placed 2nd overall in a very close finish. A great effort, well done Mulligan! Our stars were: Kate Agar, Lara Lavers, Lindsey Sokolich, Annika Bradley, Aneike Waud, William McArthur, Sam Caldwell and Ryan Lange. **Sam Beattie**

Trinity Day or our founders day was as exciting as ever for all and nearly as successful as usual for Mulligan. This year we were literally pipped at the post in the last race of the Dash which was a great disappointment after some excellent performances. However, no one could defeat the mighty spirit of Mulligan House when it came to the tug-of-war. We were again victorious in a team event which is what we Mulletts particularly enjoy! The whole event was thrilling and conducted in the spirit of friendly rivalry between all of the campuses and all of the Houses. It is a great opportunity to make contact with the rest of the School.

This year's **Inter-house Debating Competition** was held at the end of Term One. Many Mulligan members made a valiant

effort for their House, and accumulated several wins in the process, with three of the Houses eventually drawing overall. It was a great way to see out the first term of the year with everyone getting into the spirited mood of the day. There were three topics for different age groups, *That there is too much violence in entertainment* for Year 8, *That money has corrupted sport* for the juniors and that *Women need men like fish need bicycles* for the seniors.

Our winning teams consisted of Natalie Murray, Gabrielle Miller, Dayne Quayle, Ankur Sinha, Joel Bailey, Kate Agar, Alicja Wenderlich, Lara Lavers, James Mansfield, Vincent Strange, Caitlin Salter, Elys Green, Annika Bradley and Sareeta Nair. There were some very entertaining debates and even though not everyone won, Mulligan House spirit shone through. Congratulations to everyone who participated in this great competition and thank you to everyone who helped out on the day, adjudicating, time keeping, being chairperson and, of course, to all our great debaters. **Sareeta Nair**

The **Inter-house Triathlon** at beautiful Kewarra Beach was a great success. Mulligan didn't win every race nor did we win the competition, but it was very enjoyable and we all had an excellent day, with a cooling swim, leisurely bike ride and a scenic jog. Extra beach side activities also included a sandcastle building competition and some very exciting flag races.

I would like to congratulate those who gained a place - Individual Event: Eleanor Hamilton White, James Mansfield and Vincent Strange. Teams Event: Sam Caldwell, Nicholas Collins and Adam Miller (1st) Ankur Sinha, Dayne Quayle and Dominic Wild (2nd) Sareeta Nair, Karlee Foley and Alena Ladd (1st) Catherine Miller, Gabrielle Miller and Alicja Wenderlich (2nd).

Extra special congratulations to our juniors who were placed first. Mulligan came second overall despite having only a few Age-Champions - a might effort from the Mighty Mulletts! Thanks also to all those who helped put the day together and organise events and results. **Alena Ladd**

It was a cold, rainy morning when all students flocked over the Bruce Highway to the start of the dreaded run, jog, walk over the notorious heart-breaking Red Hill. With the Police blocking the traffic, everybody crossed the highway safely although with a slight feeling of embarrassment as the traffic piled up!

It was the first time that the **Inter-house Cross-country** had been held at Red Hill and it was a great new experience for many. The scenery was a change from the usual White Rock streets of past years, so much so in fact that there was some confusion about the correct path. In the end the event was declared a draw, but it was a challenging and exciting day for all. **Eleanor Hamilton White**

Congratulations to Mulligan on an excellent performance in the **Inter-house Athletics Carnival** We can be justly proud of being placed 2nd overall. Well done, the Mighty Mulletts! Our stars were: Shannon Reinhardt, Aneike Waude, Cameron Flett, Michael McArthur, William McArthur, Ryan Lange and Sasha Van Der Zijden. Others who shone were: Catherine Miller, Gabrielle Miller, Caroline Houston, Barbara Martin, Victoria Wall, Karlee Foley, Eleanor Hamilton-White, Joel Bailey, Matthew Richardson, Aaron McDonald, Sam Caldwell and Adam Miller.

Special *Mulligan Loyalty Awards* to Elys Green, Kia Johnstone, Sarah Storrs, Samantha Roy, Alicia Wenderlich and Chiaki Shine for the special help that they provided for their team. Well done! Congratulations to everyone who contributed to another great Mulligan performance!





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Head of House: Ms Julianne McCarthy

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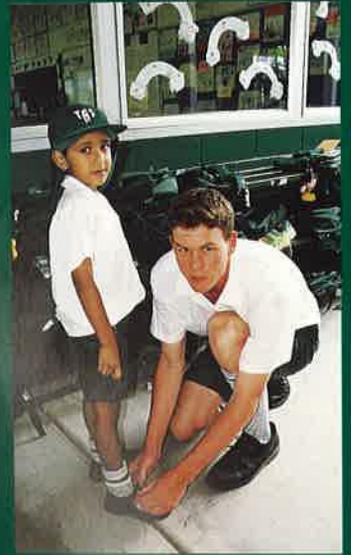
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