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DEAR PARENTS AND FRIENDS

CONNECTING WITH THE NEXT GENERATION

In August while attending the Presbyterian Schools' Annual Conference, I had the opportunity of listening to Mr. Mark McCrindle, one of Australia's foremost social researchers. Mr. McCrindle researches trends between generations, and looks at the implications of these on our lives, families, and businesses.

Mr. McCrindle argued that in order to engage teenagers, you need to understand how they operate. The more you understand about how they think and feel, the better you are able to interact with them. He believes that there are substantial differences in the way generations approach issues.

He started by establishing the generation mix of our nation:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>% of Population</u>
Builders	Before 1946	Over 60	16%
Boomers	1946-1964	41-60	22%
Generation X	1965-1979	26-41	23%
Generation Y	1980-1994	12-26	20%
Generation Z	1995-2009	Under 12	19%

The Builders of Society he characterised had huge loyalty (i.e. to job, denomination, political party, and brand), and had been shaped heavily by the war.

The Boomers on the other hand had pushed hard in their youth to break down autocratic rules, in a desire to be flexible and adaptable. They started life in an environment with strict family upbringing, strict school and strict hierarchal structure in their jobs, and were now seeking a more consensus approach. They like the latest technology tools, but unfortunately many don't know how to use them, or at best only in a small percentage of their functions. It is the Boomers and Generation X which make up the bulk of the parents of the boys in our school.

McCrindle argues that our sons in Generation Y operate quite differently, and are technologically switched, more street wise than we ever were, more entrepreneurial they don't dutifully obey as we did, and possess incredible negotiation skills. Groups like Scouts, Church, Lions and Rotary Clubs just don't have the same relevance to them, and like all organisations unless they improve their act, and engage young people, are just one generation away from extinction.

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Koal Berkahn-Greer and George Caseley
Cuthbert House - 'City of Troy'



HOUSE DRAMA
Patrick Hindmarsh
Backstage technical expert



Antony D'Esposito and Scott Ansell
Durham House - 'Julius Caesar'

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New Engagement What works best today:		
	20 th Century (Baby Boomers)	Today (Generation Y)
Leadership	Authority Technical Skills	Authenticity People Skills
Influence	Provable Experts	Observable Friends
Training	Structured Sit and listen	Spontaneous Try and see
Motivation	Long-term needs Bank Balance	Short-term demands Life Balance

Society today has a new perspective on things. Generation Y has a different set of things that they value as important. These are:

- 1) **Social connection** – their peer group is their most important priority.
- 2) **Fun and Entertaining**. They are not into delayed gratification. They want to go to school and do things that give them ‘a good time’.
- 3) **Cool and cultured**. They want to do things which have social desirability. They support causes such as environmentalism, but only to a superficial absorption level, as long as it will not personally disadvantage them.
- 4) **Life enhancing**. Their parents have been comfortable and done well in life, but they want something more. They want the balance that their fathers didn’t have between home and work.
- 5) **New and Innovative**. They like to choose things differently. They like many things purely because they are new. Only 9% respondents from Generation Y choose “making more money” as important compared to influences like “making a difference”.

In the life choices for Generation Y these values and perspectives become crucial influencing factors.

New Perspectives

20 th Century:	Today:
• Evidence	• Experience
• Conformity	• Individuality
• Experts	• Peer Groups
• Content	• Process
• Regional	• Global
• Absolutes	• Relativism
• Theology	• Spirituality

The challenge for us as parents, is to recognise that young people today have a different set of drivers than our own. This doesn't mean we have to change our standards of values, as those same teenagers are crying out for structure, security and framework. We live in fairly redefined communities from that we were brought up in (i.e. our children tend to be dropped at school, they don't play up the road unless we clearly know the people they are with, and in many cases are more bubble wrapped than our generation). But in other aspects they are exposed to the influence of the television, mobile phone, and internet/computer, and are more worldly and knowledgeable, about things that we were frankly naive about at their age. As parents we need to know how our kids think, feel and are engaged, but we also need to strive hard to involve them in activities that involve our families, and ensure that they have clear parameters, and consequences, if they move outside the values and bottom lines that we all strive to provide as parents.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM FOUR 2006

Week 1

OCTOBER:

Monday 9	TEACHER ONLY DAY. Staff Meeting – 2007 Strategic Plan. PARENTS' & FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION MEETING AND MEAL. Feedback on the Community Survey (All parents welcome).	8.30.a.m. 5.15.p.m. 7.00.p.m.
Tuesday 10	All Boarders' Return (weekly and full). <i>TERM FOUR COMMENCES.</i> JACKET DAY. Summer uniform changeover starts.	8.30.p.m.
Wednesday 11	Beginning of Term Chapel Service. Summer sports practices commence. First round of inter-house Summer sport. Aidan vs Cuthbert - Oswald vs Durham.	8.25.a.m. 3.30.p.m. 2.40.p.m.
Thursday 12	East Coast Poverty Bay Boarding Parents Meeting.	
Friday 13	BLAZER DAY. GISBORNE A. & P. SHOW (Promotional Tent). Wanganui Collegiate School billets arrive.	

Saturday 14	Summer sport recommences. Year 9 and 10 Cricket and Junior Tennis VIII vs Wanganui Collegiate at Lindisfarne.	
Sunday 15	St. Andrew's Church Parade.	10.00.a.m.

Week 2

OCTOBER:

Monday 16	JACKET DAY (Last Jacket Day until End of Term).	
Tuesday 17	Year 13 Aidan House Chapel.	1.45.p.m.
Wednesday 18	HAWKE'S BAY A & P SHOW (Promotional Tent). Students released early.	12.20.p.m.
	Performing Arts Concert – H.B. Opera House. (All Boys must attend wearing blazers).	7.00.p.m.
Thursday 19	BLAZER DAY. HAWKE'S BAY A & P SHOW (Promotional Tent). SPORTS AND CULTURAL PRIZEGIVING. (Parents Welcome to Attend). Exeat begins after Prizегiving.	1.30.p.m.
Friday 20	Boys Focus Group Quiz/fish and chips night.	3.30.p.m.
Saturday 21	HAWKE'S BAY A & P SHOW (Promotional Tent).	6.30.p.m.
Sunday 22	Exeat Weekend – no sport. No Evening Chapel Service.	

Week 3

OCTOBER:

Monday 23	LABOUR DAY. Exeat Concludes.	
Tuesday 24	All Boarders' Return (full and weekly). Yr 10-13 Speech Board Exams.	8.30.p.m.
Wednesday 25	Year 13 Cuthbert House Chapel Service. Year 10-13 Speech Board Exams.	1.45.p.m.
Thursday 26	Finals of the Summer inter-House Competition. Year 10-13 Speech Board Exams.	2.40.p.m.
Friday 27	BLAZER DAY. NEW BOYS' ORIENTATION DAY (for students entering College in 2007)	9.45.a.m.
Sunday 29	Athletics – LYDIARD CUP – Nelson Park. Head Prefects' Chapel.	

Week 4

OCTOBER:

Monday 30	House Assembly.	1.45.p.m.
Tuesday 31	Year 13 Durham House Chapel Service.	1.45.p.m.

NOVEMBER:

Wednesday 1	Sir John Marshall Impromptu Speech Competition.	2.40.p.m.
Thursday 2	College Council Meeting.	1.30.p.m.
Friday 3	BLAZER DAY.	
Sunday 5	Evening Chapel Service.	7.30.p.m.

Week 5

NOVEMBER:

Monday 6	CAMBRIDGE MATHEMATICS EXAMINATION.	8.15.a.m. - 9.45.a.m.
Tuesday 7	Year 13 Oswald House Chapel Service.	1.45.p.m.
Wednesday 8	House Meeting. Year 9 & 10 Outdoor Activities Organisation.	1.15.p.m. 2.40.p.m.
Friday 10	CAMBRIDGE MATHEMATICS EXAMINATION. ANNUAL PARENTS' & FRIENDS' CHRISTMAS DINNER.	1.15 - 3.45.p.m. 6.30.p.m.
Saturday 11	Doug Storkey Memorial Tennis Fixture with Napier Boys' High School at Lindisfarne.	
Sunday 12	Evening Chapel Service – Holy Communion	7.30.p.m.

Community Survey Feedback

We have had a fantastic response to the Community Survey with over 210 Lindisfarne families returning completed forms. Over the next four newsletters we will provide you with detailed feedback on each of the sections of the Survey. I want to thank the Senior Management team, Mr. Robert Mangan, Mr. Ross Barry, Mr. Martin O'Grady, Mr. Rod Dowling, Mrs. Beverley Harrison and Mr. Murray Richardson for the huge number of hours they have put into analysis and interpretation of the results, and also Mrs. Stephanie Dockary, Mrs. Anne Averill, and Mr. Medwyn Poppelwell for their assistance in recording and presenting the information.

In this newsletter we provide feedback on why families sent their sons to Lindisfarne, and comment on the College's Special Character.

KEY REASONS FOR SENDING YOUR SONS TO LINDISFARNE

For the question '*what was the key reason in your decision to send your son*', the top ten reasons were:

	Number of responses
Small classes/small school	49
Emphasis on Academic Excellence	36
All round holistic approach to education	20
All boys single sex education	16
Standard and quality of education available	15
High standards and expectations of students	14
Emphasis on Christian Values and Teaching	12
Quality of the Boarding opportunities	12
Reputation and recommendation of friends	12
Family connections	11
The College location	10

For '*what was the second most important reason*'? The ten highest responses were for:

Small classes/small school	22
Boys single sex education	18
Quality of Boarding opportunities	14
Emphasis on Christian Values and Teaching	12
College location	12
High expectations and challenging environment	11
Family connections	11
All round holistic education	10
Emphasis on Academic Excellence	10
High standards and expectations of students	9

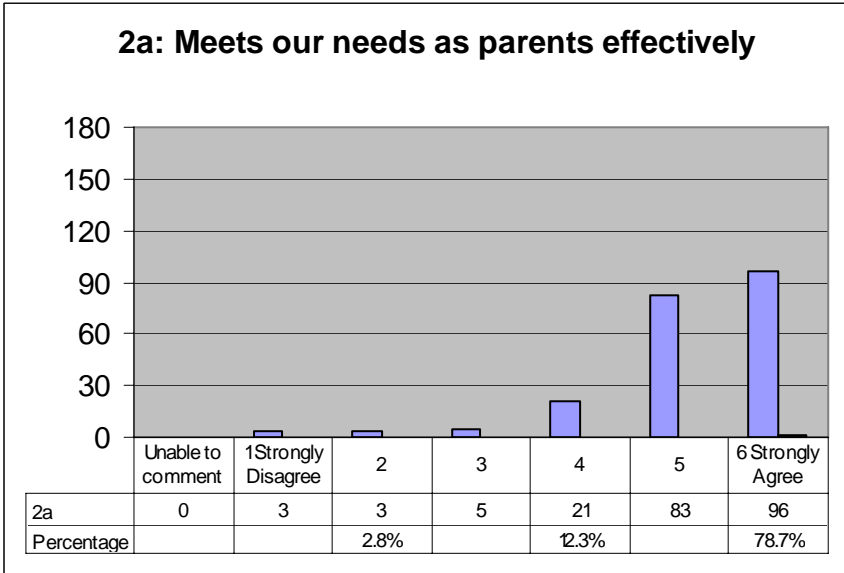
So **overall** if we aggregate the responses, and look at the top two reasons parents sent their son to Lindsfarne the results are as follows:

Small classes/small school	71
Emphasis on Academic Excellence	46
All round holistic education	36
Boys single sex education	34
Quality of the Boarding opportunities	26
Emphasis on Christian Values and teaching	24
High standards and expectations of students	23
College location	22
Family connections	22
Reputation and recommendation of friends	18
High expectations and challenging environment	18

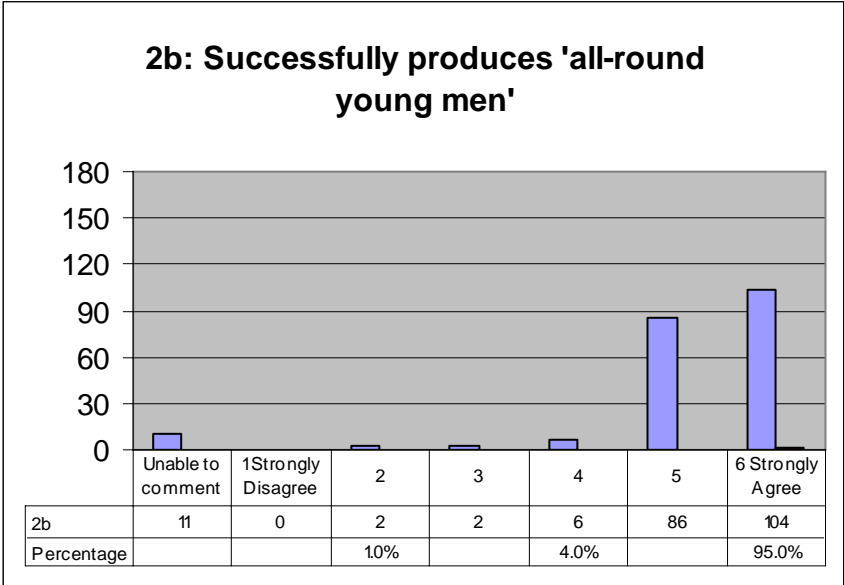
LINDISFARNE'S SPECIAL CHARACTER

Where the respondents were asked to rank Lindsfarne College on a six point continuum on various indicators, the results were as follows:

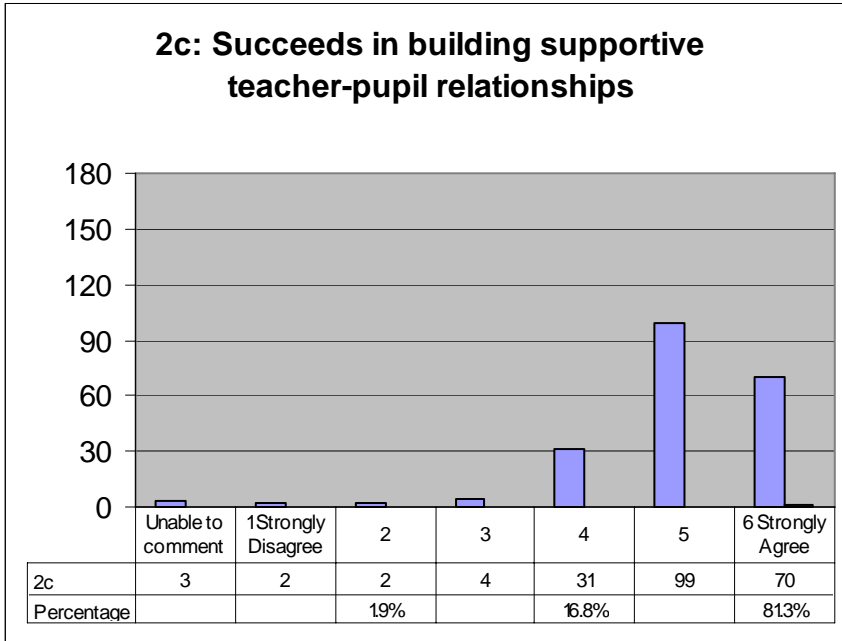
2a Meets our needs as parents effectively



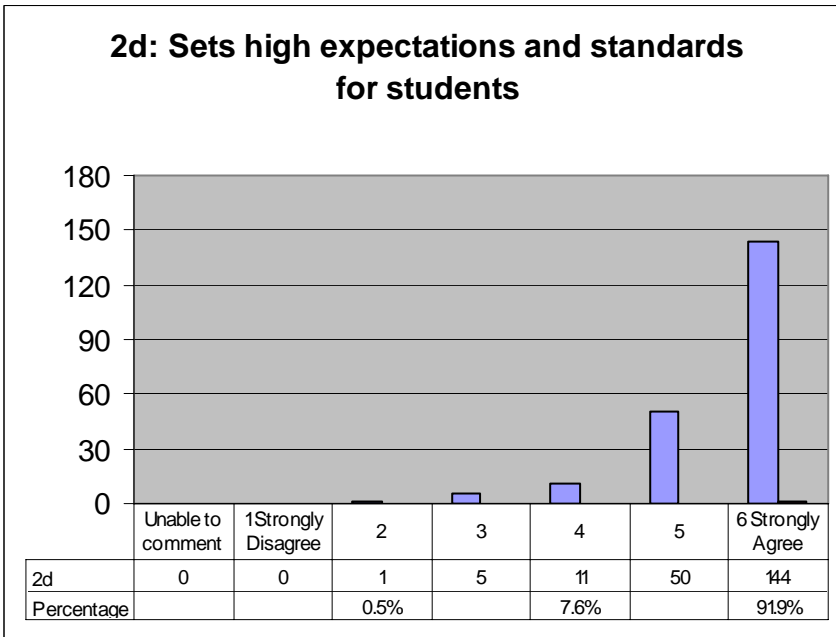
2b Successfully produces 'all round young men'



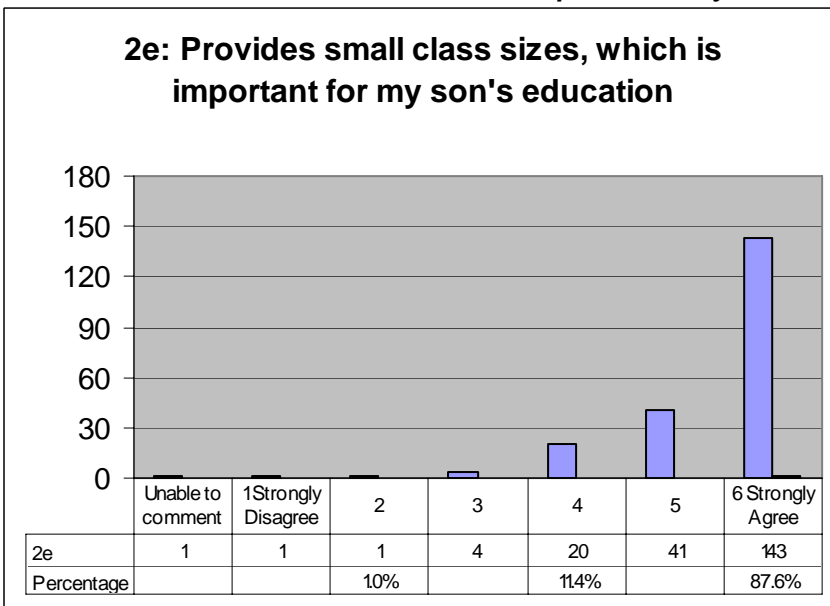
2c Succeeds building supportive teacher-pupil relations



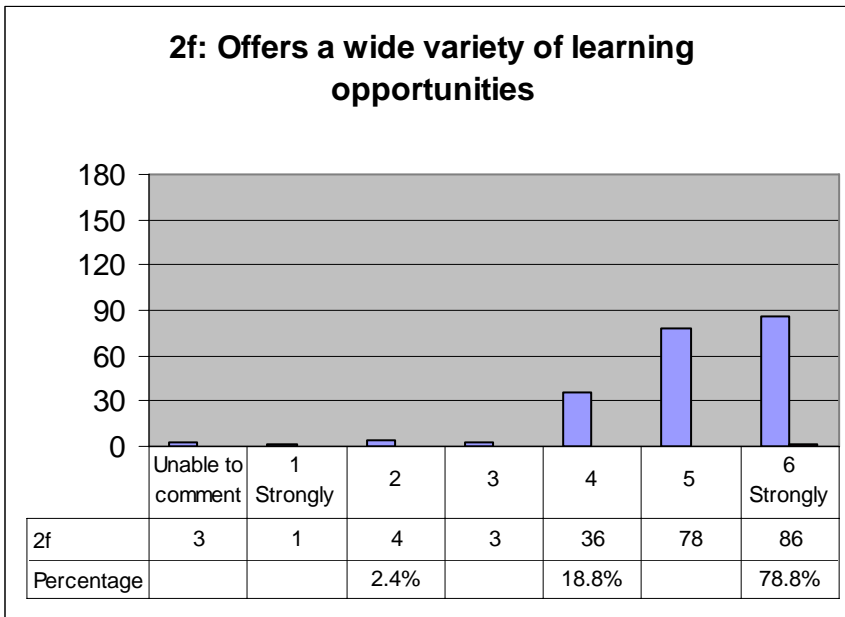
2d Sets high expectations and standards for students



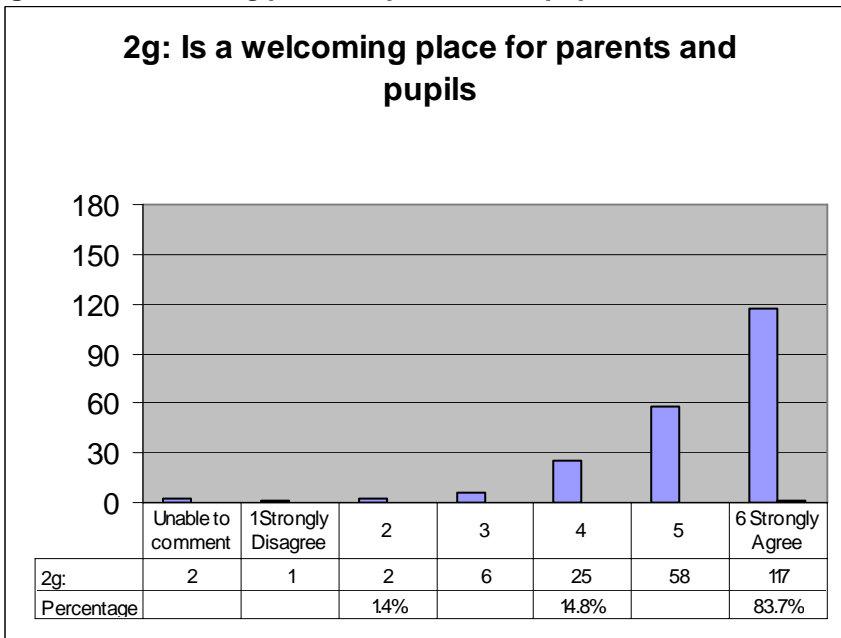
2e Provides small class sizes which is important to my son's education



2f Offers a wide variety of learning opportunities



2g Is a welcoming place for parents and pupils



For 2 (a) , (b) , (c) , (f) and (g) the median response was a 5/6 while for (d) and (e) the median was 6/6. An extremely pleasing set of response results.

Asked '*what do you view as Lindisfarne's Special Character*' the respondents commented as follows:

- Its Christian Dimension and values that extend beyond the Chapel and R.E. Classroom 53
- The Four Cornerstones and holistic approach to education 51
- Promotion of high standards 32
- Development of fine well-rounded young men 20
- Sense of community and family within the College 16
- Small classes and individual focus of the College 15
- Caring staff who are genuinely interested in their sons 13
- Preparing young men well for future life 11
- Smaller school 9
- An environment where success is celebrated 9

For the question ‘*how do you think Lindisfarne could improve the delivery of Special Character*’?

Only 94/200 made a written response, with the greatest number, 23, commenting that there was nothing that should be improved that they wanted/more of the same.

Most of the other comments were only made by one respondent, but of the ones mentioned more than once, the following were made most frequently:

Make the Christian Dimension more Dynamic/Modern	6
Stricter in striving for higher standards (i.e. uniform, bad language)	6
Reduce class sizes further	5
Encourage greater participation and emphasis on cultural activities	5
Be more flexible in discipline and operational issues	4

Academic Excellence

An Excellent set of results in the Hawke’s Bay Science Fair.

The 39th Hawke’s Bay Science Fair was once again generously sponsored and supported by the Eastern Institute of Technology. Lindisfarne students once again excelled in the Science Quiz sections, but also took part in making a Musical Instrument, Technology Challenge and Titration sections. I want to thank the teachers in the Science and Music faculties for the excellent support, encouragement, and mentorship that they provided for the boys, both in class and over the week of Science Fair activities.

Prizewinners:

Making a Musical Instrument.

<i>Year 7/8</i>	<i>Jack Arnall Rory Cook</i>	<i>2nd place Highly Commended.</i>
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Science Quiz:

<i>Year 7/8</i>	<i>Zachary Emmerson Matthew Dekker Scott Van Heerden</i>	<i>2nd equal place</i>
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<i>Year 9</i>	<i>Michael English Michael Hackney</i>	<i>3rd place</i>
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<i>Year 10</i>	<i>Thomas Addis George Willis Sean Bayley Hugh McHugh</i>	<i>1st place</i>
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Project Section: *Project entitled “it’s all the same to me on colour blindness”.*

<i>Hugh McHugh & George Willis</i>	<i>Highly Commended</i>
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A fine set of results in the Australian English Competition.

174 Lindisfarne students were some of 450,000 students from Australia, New Zealand, and the Pacific region who sat this year’s Australian Schools’ Mathematics Examination.

42 students achieved a Credit Award (top 35%) of candidates, 19 achieved a **Distinction Award** (top 10%), while 1 student **Michael Hackney** a High Distinction Award (top 1%). For Michael he has achieved the Prestigious “Triple”, in gaining High Distinctions in Australian Science, Mathematics and English examinations all in the same year – a superb achievement.

Once again the College's results were consistently above the National mean in all age groups.

Distinction (top 10% of candidates).

<u>Total Number of N.Z. Students</u>		
Year 7	<i>Dominic Cowie Luke Marriott Matthew Dekker</i>	8942
Year 8	<i>Scott Van Heerden Jamie Mudgway</i>	9731
Year 9	<i>Thomas Harrison Richard Gush Samuel Martin Nick Peacock Sean Peyton</i>	5982
Year 10	<i>George Willis Rory Stephenson Hugh McHugh Tim Gledhill Luke Gilmore</i>	5287
Year 11	<i>Oliver Peacock Matthew Arcus</i>	2456
Year 13	<i>Armando Neris Cameron Elliott</i>	793

High Distinction:

Year 9 ***Michael Hackney*** with 53/55 questions correct a result which was better than or equal to that of 99% of New Zealand's top Year 9 students.

Languages Week.

To highlight the growing importance of other languages, the Languages teachers and pupils at the College held a "Language Week" in August. Each of the 4 language areas of the school (French, Maori, Japanese and German) arranged for an assembly presentation involving boys speaking each language in front of the school. The Kitchen staff enthusiastically prepared various national dishes during lunch times over Language Week. The boys enjoyed trying such dishes as "chicken and rice", "pork and puha", and "sauerkraut", and were able to learn the expressions for various common terms such as in each of the 4 languages, from display signs around the school.

"With New Zealand's growing dependence on tourism and trade, a knowledge of Maori or a foreign language can help a boy's career prospects", said Head of Languages Mr. Dowling. "The new New Zealand curriculum acknowledges this by placing more emphasis on languages at Years 7 and 8"

Other Academic Highlights.

Our Intermediate school teams competed recently in the East Coast Athletics Competition run by Havelock North Intermediate. Our team, of ***Matt Broome, Jamie Mudgway and Scott Van Heerden*** took out a Silver Award in the Team Competition, and a Bronze Award for third place in the non Intermediate section (i.e. behind the Hereworth and Woodford teams).

Christian Dimension

Senior R.F. Campbell Bible Reading Competition.

13 boys put their name forward for this year's contest, with six senior boys (***Chris Fryer, Tane Huata, Patrick Stevens, Nikhil Gopalakrishnan, Armando Neris and William Findlay***) selected to contest the final, at the Sunday Evening Chapel service on 3 September. ***Patrick Stevens*** was adjudged the Senior Bible Reading Champion for 2006, with Armando Neris second, and Chris Fryer in third place.

Student-Led Worship.

The boys continue to do a great job in leading the school in worship during the week day Chapel services. Each Year level has put a tremendous amount of thought and effort into the services. Their messages, in turn, have been well received by both the boys and the staff.

Year 11 Oswald

Theme: "We should admit our flaws and strive to never lie".

Sermon: *James Lansdown*

Reading: *Sam Eames*

Prayer: *Tom Parsons*

Year 10 Aidan

Theme: "Making your own choices in life".

Sermon: *Ben Wynne-Lewis*

Reading: *George Willis*

Prayer: *Tom Wynne-Lewis*

Year 10 Cuthbert

Theme: "The importance of teamwork in life".

Sermon: *Jeremy Knapp*

Reading: *Daniel Ellingham*

Prayer: *Andrew Beacham*

Year 10 Durham

Theme: "The importance of a Good heart".

Sermon: *Blake McCarthy*

Reading: *Ben Wallace*

Prayer: *George Mackie*

Year 10 Oswald

Theme: "The importance of sharing a common sense of direction".

Sermon: *Leo Gemmill*

Reading: *Calum Ironside*

Prayer: *Sam Skerman*

Included is an example of one of the quality sermons delivered by the boys, this one by **Ben Wynne-Lewis**, on behalf of the Year 10 Aidan House students.

MAKING YOUR OWN LIFE CHOICES

The Sermon is Based on the reading of Mark: Chapter: 1, verses 16-20. Jesus calls the First Disciples.

A young boy had an aunt who wanted to buy him a pair of new shoes. So she took him to a cobbler, for a pair of new shoes. The cobbler asked the young boy, "Do you want square toes or round toes?" Unable to decide, the boy didn't answer, so the cobbler gave him a few days to think about it. Several days later, the cobbler saw him on the street and asked him again what kind of shoes he wanted, square toes, or round toes. However, again, he still couldn't decide, so the cobbler replied, "Well, come by in a couple of days and your shoes will be ready".

Then the boy went to the shoe store, a few days later, he found that his shoes were indeed ready. However, to his surprise, he found that one was square-toed, and the other was round-toed. The cobbler looked at the young lad and said, "That experience teaches you, that if you don't make your own choices, someone else will".

The picture I get in my mind when I read this story is that, as long as we live, we will always be faced with choices. It matters not whether you are a young person, or an old person, life is full of decisions and choices. Different choices we have to make, arise all the time and the choices that are made, ultimately determine the path that we will take. A wise man once said, "Life is full of choices. If you make the wrong one, you'll pay the price; and if you make the right one, you'll enjoy the result".

We are the people who get to enjoy the choices we have made, but on the other hand we are the ones who suffer for our mistakes. These are just the small choices we have to make in life and the choices that we make can either end up being successful, or lead to failure. In the long run, we shape our lives, and we shape ourselves. The process never ends until we die, and the choices we make, are ultimately our responsibility and we have to live with them - both positive and negative.

Life is full of choices and these choices are the decisions that we have to make in life. The decisions you make shape you into the young person you are today. There are many decisions you have to make, but if you make the wrong one what do you do? Do you learn from this mistake, or do you walk blindly and make the same mistake twice. This is again another choice you have to face.

The one choice that many have to make, Christian or not, is the choice to follow Jesus Christ. To live a life with God. This is one of the most important choices many people have are faced with in their life. In the reading of Mark: Chapter 2 verses: 16-20 Jesus walked past the sea of Galilee, he saw two fishermen casting their nets into the sea so he called out to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people". The two young men immediately followed, for they had heard of this man going by the name of Jesus Christ, Son of God. What would you have done in this situation? Would you have followed tamely like these two men did, or would you question the man who said these words? That could have been the reason why Jesus had so much faith and determination, because a few young men chose to follow him without question, for better or worse.

So I set a challenge before you, to learn from the choices you make and develop your path in life by thinking of the decisions you have already made, and ones you may be faced with in the future. I would like to leave you with a quote, that sums up what I have been talking about. It goes like this: "You are the person who has to decide. Whether you'll do it or toss it aside; you are the person who makes up your mind. Whether you'll lead or will linger behind. Whether you'll try for the goal that's afar. Or just be contented to stay where you are".

Cultural Participation

Lindisfarne gains Gold in National Band Festival.

Both the Junior Concert Band and Concord Symphonic Band, travelled up to Auckland, to compete in the National Concert Band festival over the weekend of Friday 11 through to Sunday 13 August.

The annual event, is a culmination of months of hard work, practice and performances, and sees our music groups competing for recognition against adult and community groups. The combined Hastings Girls' - Lindisfarne College Concord Symphonic band was up first on the Friday afternoon, conducted by Director of Music, Mr. John Snowling. They played their Concert Band repertoire, in the Auckland Town Hall including 'With each Sunset comes the promise of a New Day', 'Fanfare Britannica', and 'Jubilate'. An hour and a half later, the band played their entertainment repertoire including 'You raise me up' with vocal solo by Holly Ryan from H.G.H.S, and a bright march by Eric Osterling 'Dorchester'. For the second year, the group were awarded a Gold Award for their Entertainment performance, and a Silver for their Concert piece – a fantastic achievement and just recognition for the high standard of musicianship within the Senior school.

The Junior Concert Band, conducted by Mr. Flemming Kristensen, and consisting of Lindisfarne Year 7 to 10 students (i.e. with the assistance of a few senior boys) performed on the Saturday. The band's performance included items such as 'I will follow Him' from the early 1990's film 'Sister Act', and the 'St. Petersburg March' and saw them take out a Silver Award for the second consecutive year, a fine indication of the depth of musical talent that exists within the College.

Just under a dozen of our best musicians then played for the Bay Cities Community group. This group conducted by Mr. John Snowling, took out an amazing Gold Award for performance and entertainment.

We are very proud of our College musicians tally, of a Gold and two Silver Awards, from the weekend. The Concord Symphonic Band is one of the most professional and polished student bands in the country. Our thanks go to Mr. John Snowling, Mr. Flemming Kristensen, Mrs. Alana Frankum and Mrs. Jill Frizzell (H.G.H.S.) for the time, energy and commitment that they put into music within our two schools. The future continues to look extremely bright for music within our College.

Value for Money at House Drama Festival.

The theme of this year's House Drama Festival was Classical Mythology, with two Roman and two Greek Tragedies.

Oswald got the event off to a good start with their interpretation of the challenging play the 'Aeneid'. Notable performances came from **Sam Eames as Dido, Abraham Ropitini as Aeneas**, and a lively cameo **from Oliver Jarden as Rumour**.

Aidan followed with Alexander the Great. Strong roles were played by **Ben Wynne-Lewis** as Alexander, **Jock Shaw as King Phillip** and **George Carey as Olympias**.

Durham overcame many obstacles in the lead up to the festival, and delivered a credible performance of Julius Caesar. **Blake McCarthy as Cassius, Angus Davidson as Mark Anthony**, had strong performances; with co-director **Antony D'Esposito** stepping into the role of **Brutus** at the last minute, and doing a fine job.

Cuthbert finished the afternoon with the story of the taking of the **City of Troy**. **Jeremy Knapp, Daniel Ellingham** and **Andy Beacham** all gave strong performances, with **George Caseley** wooing the lovely **Helen**, played by **Koal Berkahn-Greer**.

The Actors and Directors did a fantastic job of each of their plays. Each actor, had significant and challenging lines to learn, and the quality and the depth of the acting was some of the best seen in the College.

Adjudicator **Mrs. Carol Boyle**, placed Durham first, Aidan a close second and then Cuthbert third and Oswald fourth. **George Caseley** received the cup for the most promising junior actor, **Ben Wynne-Lewis** taking out the title of overall best actor for his passionate portrayal of **Alexander the Great**. Aidan won the award for the best programme design, **Oswald** for the best use of technical and stage, and **David Roper** and **Antony D'Esposito** won best directors. All the Directors did a fantastic job with their younger charges to produce quality plays. Special thanks must be made to Arts Prefects **Jeremy Ansell** and **James Pearson** who wrote each of the scripts and put a huge amount of time into the Drama Festival in the lead up to the final performances. **Patrick Hindmarsh** (Technical) together with **Mrs. Donna Jones** (Co-ordinating) must be recognised for the superb support and assistance they gave each of the Houses.

My sincere apologies to the many parents who were inconvenienced by the time overrun, that occurred in the Inter-House Drama Festival. A large number of scene changes and delays between each House's performance, meant we ran well over time. We will be putting in place a strict maximum time limit for each House, and this will be factored into the judging sheet in future years. We are extremely sorry for any stress and difficulties that arose from the time overrun.

Strong Oratory skills characterised the Churchill Finals.

The Junior Churchill Oratory saw topics ranging from "That Barbie should be banned", through to "That fur should not be worn as a fashion statement". Eleven quality speakers - **William Dykes, Lochie Hammond, Nirmal Gopalakrishnan, Aaron Murphy, Abraham Ropitini, Jack Stobart, Ben Wynne-Lewis, Hugh McHugh, Nick Fryer, Scott Ansell, and Timothy Gledhill** from Year 9 and 10 contested the finals. Adjudicator, Mrs. Suzette Mayes awarded places to the students who delivered well supported, creditable convincing arguments, which held the audience's interest.

Abraham Ropitini was placed third for his provocative speech where he argued "that America is itself the leading terrorist organisation". Runner-up was **Nirmal Gopalakrishnan** who argued that "Winston Peters is not as bad as he is portrayed"; and this year's Junior Churchill Oratory Champion was **Scott Ansell** who presented a powerful and persuasive argument "that sport is undermining culture at Lindisfarne".

With topics ranging from "That the All Blacks need to improve", through to "That art-house cinema is under-appreciated", the Senior Churchill Oratory produced quality speeches that held the audience's attention throughout. Ten Yr 11, 12 and 13 students qualified for this year's final: **Nikhil Gopalakrishnan, Antony D'Esposito, Alexander Lyons, Matt Arcus, Jeremy Ansell, William Findlay, Sam Eames, Tane Huata, Jeremy Ennis, and Logan Smith**.

The Adjudicator Mr. Karl Signal (H.O.D. English at Hastings Girls' H.S.) commented on the high standard of all speakers. He made the point that oratory involves a 'performance' rather than merely delivering ideas, and awarded third place to **Antony D'Esposito**, who argued "Consumers are victims of false advertising", second place **Tane Huata** "That we should heal the world and make it a better place", and the 2006 Senior Churchill Oratory Champion was **Logan Smith** who passionately put the proposal "That 'mullets' are the best hair cut".

Lindisfarne once again excels in Hawke's Bay Young Musician of the Year Contest.

Two of the six finalists for the H.B. Young Musician of the Year competition in 2006 were from Lindisfarne.

19 young competitors were selected to take part in the preliminary round held over the weekend of 8 & 9 September. Lindisfarne Trumpeter **Ben Hunt** joined Guitarist **Hamish Thomsen** and Pianist **Matthew**

West, in each presenting a programme, of three contrasting works of up to a maximum of 20 minutes in length, to the Adjudicators. **Matthew West** and **Hamish Thomsen** were both chosen to play in the final at the Century Theatre on Friday, 15 September. It was an evening of fine music making from all finalists and displayed not only their very high performance but also their commitment to music over a number of years.

When the results were announced our own **Hamish Thomsen** (and student of guitar teacher Dave Boston) was awarded the runners up prize. This was a wonderful and deserved result for Hamish, and followed on from the success enjoyed by Matthew West and Ben Hunt in 2004 and 2005 respectively.

UPDATED SPEECH RESULTS

Results from Speech NZ Examinations held on 31 August (Supplementary Day).

ASB Diploma in the Teaching of Speech and Drama
(results of diploma level are Pass, Pass with Distinction or Not achieved)

<i>Jeremy Ansell</i> <i>Armando Neris</i> <i>James Pearson</i>	}	Diplomas now completed
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ASB Module Two

<i>Alexander Lyons</i> <i>Mark Smith</i>	Pass with Distinction Pass
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Speech and Drama

Grade Seven

Honours: *Matthew Arcus, Sam Eames, Jonathan Hackney, John O'Halloran*

Merit Plus: *Ben Goodwin, Zane Stevenson*

Grade Six

Merit Plus: *Matthew Harper, Ben Sutherland*

Merit: *Dean Napier*

Credit Plus: *Oscar Robertshawe*

Speech Monitors.

A large number of senior boys give a significant amount of their own time and energy to assist Junior classes and individual students, for their Speech Examinations. This mentoring by seniors during free periods, lunchtimes and weekends, is of invaluable assistance to Mrs. Donna Jones, and Miss Victoria Logan. We have an exceptional number of the College (i.e. one quarter of the school roll) studying aspects of speech at any one time, and we would not be able to accommodate the numbers or achieve the outstanding results we do, without the student speech monitors, listed below, who assist with our teaching programmes.

<u>Year 13:</u>	<i>Jeremy Ansell</i> <i>Armando Neris</i> <i>James Pearson</i> <i>Michael Williams</i> <i>Ben Harvey</i>
<u>Year 12:</u>	<i>Jack Barley</i> <i>James Eastcott</i> <i>Thomas Ellingham</i> <i>William Findlay</i> <i>Jake Firman</i> <i>Nikhil Gopalakrishnan</i> <i>Andrew Harrison</i> <i>Simon Luke</i> <i>Alexander Lyons</i> <i>Thomas Rutledge</i> <i>Mark Smith</i>

Year 11: **Matthew Arcus**
 Samuel Eames
 James Lansdown
 Zane Stevenson
 Lee Trezise

Outstanding Results in Royal Schools Music Examinations:

Lindisfarne students once again did extremely well in the recent Associated Board of Royal Schools of Music Examinations. Of particular note were the achievements of **Scott Ansell (Yr 10)** and **Ben Hunt (Yr 13)**.

The following are a full list of achievements:

Alexander Harrison	Grade 2	Alto Saxophone passed with Merit
Gregory Shirras	Grade 2	Alto Saxophone
Bradley Sickler	Grade 3	Tenor Saxophone
Scott Ansell	Grade 3	Trombone passed with Distinction
Thomas Steele	Grade 4	Alto Saxophone
Jonathan Hackney	Grade 5	Trumpet
Timothy Jones	Grade 5	Trombone passed with Merit
Sam Eames	Grade 7	Alto Saxophone passed with Merit
Ben Hunt	Grade 8	Trumpet passed with Distinction

Notable Performance by the Pipe Band.

In the 'Scotland is my Home' concert, in the Hastings Opera House, on Sunday 27 August, our Pipe Band performed a solo bracket of medleys', which were reported as being of the highest standard that our band has played over the past seven years.

The level of performance, illustrated and highlighted the strength, and ability of the Pipe Band.

The concert was hosted by the City of Hastings Pipe Band, and featured Scottish Dancing and Solo pipers from around New Zealand. In front of the audience of over 600 people, the school's pipers played some new and old favourites. **Neil Marriott** played a superb solo in front of the appreciative audience. Many favourable comments were made by members of the public in attendance, especially regarding the band's performance of "Highland Cathedral".

Pipers in attendance were **Matthew West, Neil Marriott, Thomas Yule, Angus Hildreth, Marcus Hildreth**, and they were supported by Drummers **Chris Starck, Driaan Lubbe, Sam Barley** and **Jonathan Gee**.

We want to recognise the efforts of tutor Mr. Bill Menzies and teacher-in-charge Mr. James Francis who have both put a huge amount of effort into reforming, and getting the band where they are today. The concert was a superb effort, and just recognition for the time and dedication put in by the boys. In a Presbyterian School, a Pipe Band is very special. We really appreciate the commitment of the boys to play twice daily – before school and at the end of lunch. The band adds a special flavour to our College.

Sporting Endeavour

1ST Soccer XI Earn top eight placing in National Tournament.

The 1st XI Soccer team earned a place in the Rex Dawkins Cup Tournament in Auckland, as a result of their consistent performances in the Hawke's Bay Secondary Schools' provincial competition. Facing tough opposition, the side aimed for a top four finish.

On 14 August, after atrocious weekend weather, they played just the one game against a highly ranked Mt. Roskill Grammar School side. Down 1-2 at halftime our team lifted their standard of play to convincingly win 5-2 against the eventual fifth place getters. Goals were scored by **Ben Hunt (2), Michael Barry (2)** and **Patrick Scammell (1)**,

On Thursday they easily accounted for Keri Keri High School 3-0, **Richard Dobson (1), Patrick Scammell (1), Andrew Geddes (1)** scoring goals, before drawing with Long Bay College 1-1, with **Andrew Dykes** scoring our only goal, just before half time.

Finishing top of their pool, the 1st XI drew with Massey High School in their cross over match on Wednesday. Going into the match with confidence, they soon found themselves 2-0 up just 25 minutes into the match, with good finishes from **Patrick Scammell** and **Andrew Dykes**. However Massey fought back to take the game 4-2, and eventually to make the tournament final.

On the Thursday, Lindisfarne played Otumoetai College. Again they found themselves 2-0 up, but let their Tauranga opponents come back and level the score. The game went to penalty shoot outs which Lindisfarne lost 4-5. Goal scorers were **Tom Pritchard**, **Andrew Dykes** and **Andrew Geddes**.

On the Friday, playing off for seventh and eighth, they faced St. Kentigern College. Dominating territory and possession they eventually lost 1-2, with **Ryan Ennis** their only scorer.

The final placing of eighth place was disappointing, after the team's very strong start in the Tournament. But the side played a number of top Auckland sides, and showed that they were competitive at this high level of football.

1st XI Hockey team finish strongly in second tier tournament.

A very young and inexperienced 1st XI side, competed in the India Shield Tournament at Lloyd Elsmore Park in Auckland. With just two seventh formers in the team the competition was always going to prove challenging, however our 1st XI gained confidence with every game, to finish the tournament strongly.

On Monday 14 August they faced the first of their three pool games. Against Rosehill College they went down 3-1, after being 1-1 at halftime. Rosehill had good forwards, but we could not exploit obvious weaknesses in their defence. **Ryan Davidson** was the sole Lindisfarne scorer. The second game of the day against Massey High School, they lost 2-1 after trailing 2-0 at the break. Massey had big strong forwards, but the second half was all Lindisfarne, who scored through **Jonathan Gee** and just failed to draw the game, with two penalty corner attempts in the last minute.

On the Tuesday, against Kamo High School, Lindisfarne trailed 3-0 very quickly, before **John O'Halloran**, scored a crucial goal before halftime to give the side heart. Again Lindisfarne dominated the second half and when **Oscar Robertshawe** deflected a Bernard Klos drive, they threw everyone forward but could not equalise, Kamo eventually winning the match 4-2 with a last minute penalty goal.

In the cross over match on Wednesday, our 1st XI faced St. Bede's College, whose reputation of fast breaks was well deserved. Although dominating possession, St. Bede's stunned the Lindisfarne side with two goals in five minutes, which was countered with a **Ryan Davidson** deflection just before halftime. With 10 minutes remaining **John O'Halloran** scored a good field goal to equalise, however, in the last minutes the Christchurch side scored after a clearing pass was intercepted. A disappointing loss after a strong effort.

The last two games saw Lindisfarne win comfortably. Against Rathkeale, a first half blitz saw our side lead 5-0 to eventually win 6-0 (Goal scorers **Jonathan Gee (3)**, **Ryan Davidson**, **Jacob Bullot**, and **John O'Halloran**).

The final game against Nelson College resulted in a 4-1 win, after leading 3-1 at halftime. The Nelson defence was under constant pressure, as Lindisfarne's forwards pressed hard. Scorers were **Oscar Robertshawe (2)**, **John O'Halloran** and **Lucas Simcox**.

The 1st XI final placing was 13th out of 16 teams, and gives them a chance of staying in the India Shield Competition in 2007. The team got stronger and stronger as this year's tournament progressed, and we would have gained a lot from the experience.

1st XV Competitive in the Presbyterian Quadrangular.

This year's 18th Annual Presbyterian Rugby Quadrangular was hosted by St. Kentigern College. The 1st XV travelled confidently up to Auckland, buoyed by their excellent form in traditional inter-school matches, and in their local Hawke's Bay competition fixtures.

Lindisfarne drew St. Andrew's College in their first round match. Playing with the aid of a strong wind in the first half, they were guilty of some poor decision making, and ball security. They did not tactically make full use of the advantage of the wind, and trailed 7-10 at the break courtesy of a **Kelsey Miller** try.

In the second half, the Lindisfarne forwards made inroads into the impressive St. Andrew's defence. After constant pressure captain **Rory O'Connor** scored, but an error saw the ball turned over, and St. Andrew's

replied with their own try. Despite having a huge territorial advantage Lindisfarne were unable to convert their opportunities, and lost 12-20.

In the play off for third/fourth, we met Scots College. The inclusion of Israel Dagg allowed greater attacking options. Lindisfarne dominated throughout leading 24-0 at halftime, and running out comfortable winners 45-8. **Israel Dagg** kicked 7 from 7, scored two tries and finished with a match tally of 25 points, in his last game for the College. **Laurent Simutoga, Tom Wallace, Jack Barley** and **Chad Greer** all also scored tries.

Under 15 Rugby team so close to victory in Rembrandt Fine Arts Tournament.

It was bitterly disappointing to once again have been so close and yet so far away from finally winning this Tournament. This was Lindisfarne's third time in the final, and the 2006 team had a very real chance to etch their own little place in Lindisfarne history, by winning the Tournament for the first time. The team did everything they possibly could to win the final, except surpass St. John's on the scoreboard. In the final seconds of the game, after Lindisfarne had led the game through much of the second half 8-6, St. John's came back to score the match deciding try in the final play to take out the title.

But Lindisfarne need feel no disappointment for what they achieved, and the fact that they managed to make it to the final was in itself quite an achievement. After a somewhat indecisive first game, against the very big Central Hawke's Bay College team, Lindisfarne managed to squeeze out a 15-15 draw. A much improved second half led to their revival in this encounter. The second game was against Wanganui Collegiate, a team already played and beaten earlier in the season. This game was also a close one, with the Lindisfarne team winning 7-0. The third game on Friday afternoon was to be an extremely important one, as if it was won, Lindisfarne would go directly into the final as the top qualifying team from their pool with 2 wins and a draw. If it was lost then 5th or 6th would have been the best they could have managed. This game was against St. Peter's School from Cambridge who had managed to beat Central Hawke's Bay College. In the final minutes of the game, **Scott Schaw** kicked a drop kick to secure the game 14-12. It was a game which featured enormous character and courage by the home side, who were relentless in the pressure that they put on the St. Peter's team, and hence were deserved finalists in the end.

So in the final on Saturday morning, Lindisfarne approached the game with optimism, knowing that they could do it with huge effort. With the game tied at 3-3 at halftime, and they then scoring early in the second half, the Lindisfarne team defended strongly and played with the passion and enthusiasm which had become typical of their style. Many of the other teams were bolstered by players from their first and second XV's, and Lindisfarne were arguably the smallest team there, but they played with the conviction and pride of a team twice their size, and for this are to be admired, and congratulated. They grew immeasurably, both individually and collectively as a team, and should feel real satisfaction from what they have achieved. Tournaments such as these have a funny way of throwing up teams that are considered under-dogs, and this was certainly the case in 2006, and Lindisfarne has much to feel proud of, in this year's Under 15 team.

Close results proved to be characteristic of this year's U15 tournament. The largest winning margin was 17 points, and in ten of the games only 7 points separated the winners and vanquished. Final results were St. John's College 1st, Lindisfarne 2nd, St. Peter' School and Palmerston North Boys' High School 3rd equal, Rathkeale College 5th, Central Hawke's Bay College 6th, Scots College 7th and Wanganui Collegiate 8th.

Director of Sport, Mr. James Francis, did a brilliant job in organising his fifth North Island Invitation Under 15 tournament. Once again the tournament ran tremendously smoothly, and efficiently, much of the credit for this is attributable to Mr. Francis. As a College, we get huge positive publicity for the tournament, and we appreciate Mr. Francis's key role in making the annual tournament such a success.

Clay Target Shooting Team makes it four in a row.

The Senior A Clay Target team took out both the Woodville and the Eastlands Inter-Secondary competition, to have won the last four regional shoots that they have participated in.

On Friday 11 August, the A team of **Kriston Chadwick, Hamish Gannon, Graeme Gannon, Digby Hewitt** and **Adam Skudder**, won the Palmerston North Boys' High School event held at the Woodville Clay Target Club, against 14 other squads including the very strong Palmerston North B.H.S. team.

The College A side were slightly behind P.N.B.H.S. after two of the three events, but responded well to take overall victory in the final event. The individual highlights included:

- **Adam Skudder** 3rd in the Points score
- **Kriston Chadwick** 2nd in the Points score
- **Graeme Gannon** 1st in the Points score and 2nd overall best shooter

In addition to these successes **Digby Hewitt** scored a possible as well.

On Sunday 3 September the shooting squad took part in the last regional event for the year, the Eastlands Inter-School Clay Bird competition at Wairoa. 10 teams took part, representing 5 secondary schools, including strong teams from Napier Boys' H.S., and Central H.B. College.

The performances of both the A and B teams was outstanding, with the A team taking out the event, and the B team led by **James Tod** finishing in 2nd place (i.e. ahead of the A teams of the other teams competing).

To cap off a great day, all of the individual events were won by students from our College – with Lindisfarne filling all three of the final three places in each event as well.

Due to the many possibles gained, many squad members were involved in the lengthy shoot offs, which were held to separate the top shooters – one of these lasted for well over 50 targets, forcing the organisers to change the rules, and the degree of difficulty, in order to split the shooters.

Individual Results:

- **James Tod** 3rd in Points score event
- **Graeme Gannon** 3rd equal in Overall points for the day
- **Adam Skudder** 3rd in single Barrel event
- 3rd equal in overall Points for the day
- **Digby Hewitt** 1st in Single Rise event
- **Kriston Chadwick** 1st in Points score event
- 1st in Single Barrel Rise event
- 3rd in Single Rise event
- 1st Overall points for the day

Kriston Chadwick's shooting performance in taking out the High Gun Award was outstanding. He was the only shooter to shoot all scheduled targets in the three events, and was therefore involved in all three shoot outs - winning two of them, and only just missing out on the other, with a 3rd place after breaking some 50 targets in a row.

Our B team of **Jesse Friedlander, Alex Berkahn-Greer, Andrew Geddes, Aidan Collin, and James Tod** were second in the teams event, with the A team taking out the event.

We congratulate the boys on the consistently high standard of shooting that they have displayed over the term, and wish them every success in the upcoming National Championships

AWARD OF WINTER SPORTS COLOURS

These were presented by Mr. Joe Hitchcock, who is Sports Development Officer for Secondary Schools in Hawke's Bay. A qualified Physical Education teacher and Basketball coach, Mr. Hitchcock co-ordinates all sport for the province's Secondary Schools, liaising with Sports co-ordinators in schools, creating the draws for codes and has been instrumental in the establishment of the H.B. Supports Academy for our elite athletes.

This year's recipients of Colours for excellence of performance, skill and technique, and unselfish dedication and commitment to their sports are as follows:

Soccer: ***Andrew Dykes (Double Colours), Patrick Scammell (Double Colours), Michael Barry, Patrick Stevens.***

Hockey: ***Jacob Bullot, Jonathan Gee, John O'Halloran.***

Rugby: ***Israel Dagg (Triple Colours), Rory O'Connor (Double Colours), Laurent Simutoga (Double Colours), Kelsey Miller (Double Colours), Nathan Ebbett, Jack Barley.***

Basketball: ***Adam Tripp (Triple Colours).***

Squash: ***Thomas Jackson (Triple Colours).***

Cross Country: ***James Holden.***

FAIR PLAY AWARDS FOR WINTER SPORTS TEAMS

Fair Play recipients were recognised, for the outstanding quality of sportsmanship and fair play that they have displayed, throughout the just completed winter season. At all times, the boys chosen by their coaches, played hard but fair, and have been a credit to their team, coaching staff, and to the College as a whole.

Hockey

<i>1st XI</i>	<i>Thomas Yule</i>
<i>2nd XI</i>	<i>Bernard Woolf</i>
<i>3rd XI</i>	<i>Richard Clarkson</i>
<i>4th XI</i>	<i>Aaron Harry</i>
<i>5th XI</i>	<i>Thomas Harrison</i>
<i>6th XI</i>	<i>Thomas Addis</i>
<i>Int. School A</i>	<i>Henry Yule</i>
<i>Int. School B</i>	<i>Scott Van Heerden</i>

Rugby

<i>1st XV</i>	<i>Nathan Ebbett</i>
<i>2nd XV</i>	<i>Simon Luke</i>
<i>3rd XV</i>	<i>Samuel McCormick</i>
<i>Under 16</i>	<i>Ruie Bridge</i>
<i>Under 15</i>	<i>Vaughan Mayhead</i>
<i>D Grade A</i>	<i>Dallon Gregory-Hunt</i>
<i>D Grade B</i>	<i>Andrew Mitchelmore</i>
<i>E Grade A</i>	<i>George Willis</i>
<i>E Grade B</i>	<i>Hamish Gannon</i>
<i>F Grade</i>	<i>Jason Hope</i>

Soccer

<i>1st XI</i>	<i>Ryan Ennis</i>
<i>2nd XI</i>	<i>Sam McHardy</i>
<i>3rd XI</i>	<i>Matthew Rose</i>
<i>4th XI</i>	<i>Michael Hodgkinson</i>
<i>Junior A</i>	<i>Luke Gilmore</i>
<i>Junior B</i>	<i>Matthew Geddes</i>
<i>Junior C</i>	<i>Nicholas Fryer</i>
<i>Junior D</i>	<i>Sean Peyton</i>
<i>Int. School A</i>	<i>Andy Drinkwater</i>
<i>Int. School A</i>	<i>Jos Crasborn</i>

Basketball

<i>Senior A</i>	<i>Matthew Whyte</i>
<i>Senior B</i>	<i>Andrew Dykes</i>
<i>Senior C</i>	<i>Daniel Hair</i>
<i>Junior A</i>	<i>Harry Whyte</i>
<i>Junior B</i>	<i>Ben Wynne-Lewis</i>

Squash

<i>Senior</i>	<i>Thomas Jackson</i>
<i>Junior</i>	<i>Michael Owen</i>

Alternative

<i>Senior</i>	<i>Matthew Arcus</i>
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Badminton

<i>Senior</i>	<i>Thomas Alexander</i>
<i>Junior</i>	<i>Thomas Addis</i>

Squash Team takes out Hawke's Bay S.S. Championship.

Lindisfarne A Squash team took out the A Division of the Hawke's B.S.S. Competition. The A side won all seven round robin games over the season – winning most of them by 4-0. In the semi-final they defeated Napier Boys' High School, and in the final Havelock North High School 3-1 to remain undefeated.

The team members: **Thomas Jackson (Captain)**, **David Owen**, **Alex Winsley**, **Ben Volz**, and **Sean Bayley** were presented at the Colours Assembly with their championship certificates by CEO of Hawke's Bay Squash Mr. Jan Prieditis.

Our B Squash side of **Sean Bayley**, **Ryan Bayley**, **Michael Owen**, and **Zak Bode** finished in sixth place in the competition.

Rugby Sides take out four Hawke's Bay Secondary School Championships.

An unprecedented five Lindisfarne teams made the finals of the Hawke's Bay Secondary Schools' Rugby Competition, held at Park Island on Sunday.

The Mr. Mangan and Mr. Rogers coached Second XV, played St. John's College in their final, playing with a strong wind in the first half were unable to capitalise on the excellent possession they had. Simon Luke was unlucky not to score in the first five minutes, and they went to the break 3-7 down. In the second half they played more intelligent rugby, and through strong runs in the forwards were able to put pressure on the opposition. **Aidan MacMillan** kicked five penalties to earn a 15-15 draw, and a shared title against their much larger St. John opponents.

The Under 16 side coached by Mr. Smith and assisted by Mr. Ray Stafford also faced St. John's in their final. In a close and competitive game fitting of a final in this grade they led 5-3, at halftime, with the wind at their back, they scored two more good tries in the second half. Player of the day was **Isaac Scott**. The U16 side finished the season scoring 286 points (including 49 tries), having just 72 points scored against them, and are deserved winners of their competition.

In the D Grade A final, Lindisfarne, coached by Mr. Kidd, played Central Hawke's Bay College at the end of an undefeated season. They made good use of the wind to lead 15-0 at halftime, courtesy of tries to **Karl Van Der Linden (2)** and **Oliver Leicester**. In the second half they conceded two quick tries to have just a 15-12 lead. In one of the side's only two sorties into the opposition half, **Karl Van Der Linden** scored his third try, before they conceded a soft try to achieve a narrow 20-19 victory.

In the D Grade B final, Lindisfarne coached by Mr. Ellis and assisted by Yr 13 student Kenneth Munn, met Havelock North High School, a side whom they had beaten earlier in the season. Down 3-10 at halftime having had the use of the wind, they looked up against it, but the team lifted their performance and commitment, dominating territory and possession, crossing the line but unable to get that crucial try. After a scoreless second half, Havelock took out the game 10-3.

In the E Grade 'A' final, the Mr. Brown coached side, assisted by Mr. Hapi-Smith, took on the Hastings Boys' High School side. Undefeated prior to the final, our E Grade team had just pipped Hastings Boys' High School 5-0 in their earlier encounter. Hastings made good use of the wind to lead 8-0 after 10 minutes, but through a try to **Sam Gray** the score was level 8-8 at halftime. In the second half Lindisfarne used the wind to good effect, and kept Boys' High trapped in their own half. Both **James Buxton** and **Vaughan Mayhead** scored to seal a 18-8 victory. A great result after a fine season of Rugby.

Historic Father Fisher Trophy Win.

The strength of junior rugby in the College was shown when the Father Fisher team (i.e. drawn from Year 9 students in the E and F Grade) defeated St. John's College on Tuesday 22 August.

Lindisfarne had last beaten St. John's for this trophy in 1999, and in fact have only had four victories in the last 20 years, and eight in total, for this annual Rugby exchange between our two Special Character Schools.

The 2006 fixture resulted in a convincing victory to the home side. Leading 22-7 at halftime, the Mr. Kidd coached side ran out the winners 43-14, after a great team effort.

Skiers and Snowboarders perform creditably at North Island Secondary School Event.

On Sunday and Monday 3 & 4 September Lindisfarne competed at the N.I.S.S. Ski Championship at Turoa, competing against secondary schools who had huge ski budgets and students for whom skiing is their major sporting activity.

Lindisfarne entered two teams of 5 boys. Each team had to consist of a minimum of one junior.

On Day one of the NISSSC students competed in the Giant Slalom event. This consisted of a single time trialled race on one of two tracks designated for juniors and seniors. Due to the weather being somewhat dubious, the initial senior track was bought down to a lower area on the mountain, meaning both juniors and seniors competed on the Yahoo course. Results from day one gave the students a North Island ranking. Results are as follows:

Junior – 113 entrants

Tim Harker	15th
Jack Crowley	21st
Jonty Coats-Harrison	27th
Tom Parrant	61st
Hugo Rittson-Thomas	68th
George Carey	106th

Senior – 67 entrants

Matthew Blackburn	24th
Richard Clarkson	29th
Joseph Ellingham	45th
Daniel Hair	67th

On day two, students completed a Dual Slalom event. Results were used from the previous day for students to compete against the person ranked one above or one below themselves. This is a straight win or loss event, with no times being taken. Both tracks were situated in a big bowl, which was a tough, icy track. Crashes began early and continued throughout the day, with up to a 40% crash rate, which lead to a tough day. We went into the day with team one ranked 22nd and team two ranked 40th, finishing the day with team one ranked 29th and team two ranked 34th out of the 80 teams entered.

The competition is a fiercely contested one with most of the top three students in each age group, being home schooled, or studying via correspondence, to allow them to ski throughout the day and study at night. Some schools had ski budgets of up to \$80,000 and many took weeks off school to train for this event.

We appreciate the support and encouragement that Miss Smith provided to enable the boys to compete, and also the fantastic assistance of parents, in particular Mr. Harker, Mr. Crowley, Mrs. Wignall, and Mr. Clarkson.

At the NISS Snowboard Championships held at..... on in appalling conditions **Jack Crowley** earned a 10th place, **Jeremy Moroney** 15th and **Zak Bode** 50th.

WINTER SPORTS TEAMS QUALIFYING FOR THE LONG ROOM

Senior A Squash Side won all nine of their competition fixtures, including the Hawke's Bay S.S. final against Havelock North H.S.

Team members: **Tom Jackson (Captain), David Owen, Alex Winsley, Ben Volz** and **Sean Bayley**.

3rd XI Hockey – Development Team.

Coached by Mr. Barry, this season saw the 3rd XI win the Division 2 Boys Grade in the Hawke's Bay Hockey Competition. This was achieved without a loss and only a single draw (against the team we eventually defeated in the Final by the score of 3-0).

The team played 9 games for 8 wins and a draw, and scored 46 goals for and only 4 against.

The grade contained two 1st XI's (from Karamu HS and Colenso), two second XI's (from Havelock and Colenso) and another 3rd and 4th XI (from Napier BHS).

The 3rd XI side was comprised of Year 9, 10 and 11 students only and represents a "Development" group within the sport of Hockey in the College.

The highlight of the season, was undoubtedly emphatically accounting for a good Karamu 1st XI in the season "Final" after earlier in the season only just being able to hang on for a hard earned 3-3 draw. This game saw our 3rd XI, totally dominate the game from the first whistle and firmly shut the door on a much bigger and older opposition. Tight marking and back-tackling ensured a steady stream of turnovers and these were converted through the quick, firm passing counter-attacks that followed.

This has been an outstanding season for this group of hockey players and augers well for the next few years of hockey in the school as these players move through to the 1st XI.

The Team included:

Karl Brough, Robert Lascelles, Richard Clarkson, Thomas Richardson, Nathan Scott, Ben Goodwin, Dean Napier, George Goodwin, Isaac Scott, Nick Haselhoff, Scott Reid, Sam Reynolds, Matt Curd, William Stoddart.

E Grade 'A' Rugby Team.

Coached by Mr. Brown, and with assistance from Mr. M. Hapi-Smith, the E Grade A Rugby team has just completed an outstanding season. Starting with the grading games, the team went through undefeated and was placed in division one. The good start was carried on throughout the season, with the forward pack exerting dominance over all our opposition and the backs displaying excellent skills in finishing well. The season highlights were; the close fought wins over both Hastings Boys' and Karamu. These games truly tested the teams defence and the boys responded outstandingly well to grind out the wins in both games. The season culminated with the final at Park Island and a hard fought win over Hastings Boys 18-8. The team's success this season was not due to stars, but rather the depth and skill level of the whole team, including the reserve bench. Stats: Played 9 games won all, points for 238 and points against 54.

The Team included:

Koal Berkahn-Greer, James Buxton, Wilson Collin, Jack Crasborn, Stuart Douglas, Michael English, Sam Gray, Alexander Gunson, James Gunson, Aaron Hapi-Smith, Sam Hartree, Harry Hewitt, Vaughan Mayhead, Nicholas Peacock, Jeff Phillips, Fraser Tombleson, Daniel Walker, Ben Wallace, Tobias Wignall, George Willis, Ben Wynne-Lewis, Tom Wynne-Lewis.

D. Grade 'A' Rugby Team.

Coached by Mr. Kidd, the D. Grade A Rugby team has completed a memorable season in which all players developed, and the team grew into an outstanding school boy rugby team. They played committed and determined rugby, built around discipline and team spirit and beat their closest rival CHB twice, to take out the 2006 D Grade title. Stats: Played 10 games won ten, points for 364, points against 51.

The Team included:

Matthew Harper (Captain), Ben Bunworth, Graeme Gannon, Aaron Murphy, Jack Barr, Oliver Leicester, Samuel McNair, George Abernethy, Dallon Gregory-Hunt, Tom Hunter, Longo Reo Te Koro, Drew Bibby, Oliver Peacock, Te Arepa Harrison, Scott Schaw, George Mackie, Jeremy Knapp, Karl Van Der Linden, Sam Poole, Daniel Scannell, Jacob Smith, James Holden.

OTHER SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS

- The Junior B Soccer team, coached by Mr. Ian Findlay, made the final of the Knockout Cup at Park Island on September 2. Playing Taradale, a side whom they had had both a win and a loss against previously, they lost the final 1-2 after being unable to convert their chances. The team's success is directly attributable to their commitment through the season. **Matt Geddes** proved an excellent Captain, **Tim Harker** a reliable goalie, while **Jordan Waterhouse, Sean Bayley, Matt Winchcombe** and **James Sawers** all worked tirelessly throughout the season.
- **Jonty Coats-Harrison** managed a sixth and eighth placing over the two days of Slalom and GS in the K-Cup Ski Nationals at Mt. Hutt in the K2 class in August.
- **George Mackie** and **Daniel Ellingham** continued to enjoy outstanding success at the recent Hawke's Bay/Poverty Bay Winter Swimming Championships. George gained four Silver Medals and six Bronze Medals swimming in the 15 and under age division, while **Daniel Ellingham** gained two Gold Medals in the same division. In addition Daniel and George teamed up, to win the 15 and under Medley Relay and George was also a member of the successful Gold Medal winning, Sun Devils freestyle relay team.
- **Anaru Wakefield-SciaScia** and **Liam Murphy** were both chosen for the Hawke's Bay Under 13 open weight team, while **Florian Attenoux** and **Ben Thomas** were selected for the final squad for the Hawke's Bay Under 16 Rugby representative team.
- In week eight, on Monday 4 September, our runners participated in the **Round the Lake relay in Wanganui.**

A team of 24 students, from Year 7 through to Year 13, competed in the annual Wanganui Collegiate event. The race is run in teams of four, with each runner completing a 2.2km leg, before they tag their next runner. In the past 5 years, we have regularly attended this event with our greatest success coming 3 years ago when we won the Intermediate Schools section. This year we had teams competing in four separate categories.

Results:

Intermediate School A:	7 th
Intermediate School B:	16 th
Year 9:	6 th
Juniors:	8 th
Seniors:	8 th

Best individual runners were **Monty Morgan** and **James Holden** who both completed their laps in just over 7 minutes. Although these results were not the best we have had, Lindisfarne competed well, and will look to strengthen the teams next year as we have some talented runners coming through the ranks.

- In the final week of the term on Wednesday 13 September, Lindisfarne fielded a number of teams in the East Coast North Island Road Race. Lindisfarne numbers were down due to all the Year 9 boys being away on their annual Ski Camp, and seniors being involved in exams. **James Holden** performed outstandingly to win the Junior boys' 4km race, being pushed hard two hundred metres from the finish by one of his training partners. James broke the record held by Hugo Beamish from two years ago by 10 seconds. James was backed up by **Michael Drinkwater** in 15th place, and **Sam Skerman** in 26th position. Our two senior representatives found the windy 6km course testing, with **Andrew Crocker** in 9th place leading home **Ryan Ennis** in 15th position.

- Additional Winter Sports Caps were awarded at the Colours Assembly:

Soccer XI (All single Caps)

Hamish McNicol	15 games
Sam McHardy	14 games
Giovanni Tabellini	12 games

Hockey 1st XI (All single Caps)

Nicholas Haselhoff	12 games
Isaac Scott	11 games

A SUMMARY OF SENIOR SPORTS TEAMS PERFORMANCES
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Rembrandt Fine Arts Lindisfarne 1st XV 2006

The 1st XV have recently completed a relatively successful domestic season. A clean sweep of the traditional fixtures, included a record win against Wanganui Collegiate, and this season also saw the first victory over Hastings Boys' High School since 1997. A defeat at the hands of St. Andrew's, ended our hopes at the Presbyterian Schools' Quad Tournament, while the disappointing loss to St. John's, meant the team was unable to defend the Hawke's Bay Secondary Schools title won last year. The team scored 645 points including 96 tries, and conceded just 191.

Israel Dagg's promise was recognised with selection in the initial training squad for the Magpies' 2006 campaign before establishing himself as the first choice fullback for the Air New Zealand Cup matches. Israel recently became the first Lindisfarne rugby player to be selected for the N.Z. Secondary Schools' side since Campbell Johnson. Loosehead prop **Laurent Simutoga** was selected for the Hawke's Bay Academy and the Hawke's Bay Under 20 representative side. He was recently joined in this squad by tighthead prop **Kelsey Miller**. Captain **Rory O'Connor** and lock **Nathan Ebbett** joined Miller in the Hawke's Bay Under 18 trials but were unavailable for selection due to the upcoming tour of the United Kingdom. Each of the players named above made massive contributions to the 1st XV and it was most gratifying to see their efforts recognised on a regional scale.

The majority of this season's team has been together for two seasons now, and very few of the year's squad will be returning. Andrew Harris, Sam De Terte, Kelsey Miller, Rory O'Connor and Israel Dagg have given three years of dedicated service to the first XV, an achievement worth acknowledging. Many of the others will be leaving after a second season with the team (Matt Goodwin, Ryan O'Sullivan, Henry Gaddum, George McIlldowie, Adam Tripp, Michael Williams, Tom Wallace, Laurent Simutoga, Geoff Sawers, and Nathan Horsfall) and we would also like to acknowledge their commitment. Other leavers include Tim Kershaw, Louis Beamish and Tom Jackson. Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Bovey would like to thank each and every one of these boys for their commitment and wish them well with their future rugby. School sport is very much cyclic in nature, but it is seldom that a team loses so much ability and experience at once, so next season will of necessity be a rebuilding exercise. This year's side has been a cohesive bunch with wonderful esprit de corps and we look forward to the upcoming tour very much.

1st XI Soccer

Without a doubt this has been a huge year for the 1st XI, with a total of 30 matches played with the regular Hawke's Bay League season, Knockout Cup, Australian Tour, Inter-school fixtures and Tournament Week in Auckland. This has definitely been one of the biggest seasons in the school's 1st XI history.

The local competition saw us finish 4th after having 4 losses in the first round by a solitary goal. The second round saw us perform much better with wins over Napier Boys' High School, St. John's and a couple of draws thrown in as well.

Inter-school games saw three convincing wins in each of our traditional fixtures; Scots 6-3, Rathkeale 6-0, and Wanganui Collegiate 7-0.

The Knockout Cup saw us finish in the top four but losing to Taradale 1-0 in the semi-finals. This was an exciting game and once again we had our opportunities but were denied by a tenacious Taradale side.

The Rex Dawkins Cup in Auckland was a real opportunity for our team to shine and once again we went close and after beating many top sides from around the country, we were beaten in the quarter finals 4-2, after holding a 2 nil lead mid way through the first half. The team we lost to (Massey High School) went on to contest the final and were tipped 3-2 by Kelston Boys'. What could have been?

1st XI Match of the Round Report from the local League vs NBHS.

Lindisfarne has never beaten Napier Boys' before, so this game was for many in the team their last opportunity to finally beat Napier Boys', so a win would be a special achievement. Lindisfarne began the game in the best fashion possible going up one nil within the first minutes of the game with **Andrew Geddes** the scorer. Lindisfarne continued to dominate possession and territory effectively as they created numerous chances from all over the park. Continuous pressure led to scoring our second goal from a superb corner by **Richard Dobson** with **Andrew Dykes** converting this. We were building significantly in confidence as two more goals came before the break; Lindisfarne was on a roll as not one of the 11 on the pitch dropped their game. The half time score was a fantastic 4 nil lead to Lindisfarne. We knew the game was far from over as with 40 minutes to go anything could happen. Two substitutions were made with new boy **Giovanni Tabellini** entering the frame. In the second half we allowed Napier Boys' to get back into the game a little as we conceded a soft goal. But Lindisfarne kept on battling with many more shots at goal. The end score was a 4-1 victory to Lindisfarne, which made the whole team very proud, as it was our best game this year. **Patrick Stevens** and **Adam Glasspool** had superb games in defence. Goals were scored by **Andrew Dykes (2)** and **Andrew Geddes (2)**.

Senior Players to Depart the 1st XI side this year.

Andrew Dykes (Midfield) – Captain, Played 87 Games, Capped 4 times, Colours 2, Scoring 29 Goals.
Patrick Scammell (Midfield) – Vice Captain, Played 78 Games, Capped 3 times, Colours 2, Scoring 26 Goals.
Tom Pritchard (Defender) – Played 72 Games, Capped 3 times, Scoring 2 Goals.
Michael Barry (Midfield) – Vice Captain, Played 52 Games, Capped 2 times, Colours 1, Scoring 9 Goals.
Ryan Ennis (Midfield) – Played 51 Games, Capped 2 times, Scoring 5 Goals.
Patrick Stevens (Defender) – Played 48 Games, Capped 2 times, Scoring 1 Goal.
Ben Hunt (Striker) – Played 47 Games, Capped 2 times, Scoring 7 Goals.
Pulkit Gupta (Defender) – Played 38 Games, Capped 2 times.

Overall this has been a mixed season, with some outstanding results, but at the end of the day the one nil losses proved costly, in the side not quite reaching all of its goals.

2008 Soccer Tour of America.

The planning for the 2008 Soccer tour is well underway, with the itinerary being finalised. The boys will play a total of 4 games, against some of the most prestigious boys' schools in America.

The tour will kick off at Memphis University School in Memphis, before moving on to Montgomery Bell Academy in Nashville. From there the boys will conclude their Tennessee leg of the tour with a game against McCallie School, Chattanooga. The final game is against Landon School, Washington DC.

It is hoped to have the boys billeted at all four venues, staying three days at each venue. This promises to be a very exciting and educational tour. The tour will conclude with a three day stop over in Los Angeles, before returning to New Zealand.

Any boys who are interested, but are not on the tour list, should contact Mr. Petersen immediately upon return in Term 4.

Student Leadership

Election for Student Representative on the College Council.

Our present student representative, Jeremy Ansell, is close to completing his one year term on the College Council. Jeremy has done an excellent job, representing the view point of the student body on the College's governing body. Jeremy has provided very detailed feedback on student matters to the Council, and has proved thoughtful and considerate in his input on the matters raised.

This year's election, started off with all the hallmarks of a General Election, with posters and headline grabbing activities during the first week of the campaign. Top calibre candidates contested this year's election, and all spoke extremely articulately, and entertainingly, at the special assembly set aside for them to address the students. **Brad Stafford, William Findlay, Mark Smith, Stuart McKelvie** and **Alexander Lyons** put themselves forward for election, and in a hard fought race **Stuart McKelvie** was declared the preferred candidate, after the boys' votes had been counted.

Continued Support for the Performing Arts and Events Centre

Construction has commenced on Stage 3 of this project, the extension to the Chapel Sanctuary. The new Sanctuary will provide us with a small private Chapel for Prayer and reflection, which will be open and available for use by all members of the Lindisfarne community. A feature of the Sanctuary will be the high standard of finish of the wood panelling on the walls.

Sanctuary floor layout

How the congregation will view the Sanctuary

We have had a good level of interest from past and present students in making donations towards each of the House stained glass windows (i.e. Aidan, Cuthbert, Durham and Oswald). All contributors to these windows will have their names listed in plaques located directly below.

Since the August Newsletter the following donations for Stage 3, and Stage 4 (i.e. a 350 seat Auditorium Atrium and Oral Communication Classroom, new front Car Park and extra Tennis Courts) have been received.

Old Boys: **Stratton Ellingham**

Parents: **Sandford Family**
 Willetts Family
 Ellingham Family
 Grossman Family

Grandparent: **Mr Jim Sinclair**

The total funds raised to date stand at **\$576,165**

Uniform Matters

Thomson's Suits has advised us that Summit is discontinuing the production of the 101 Blue shirts, used by Year 12 and 13 students. In consultation with the P. & F. Uniform ladies, we have opted for a significantly different blue for this senior shirt, which we will phase in next year. All Year 12 boys will be required to have the new coloured shirt in 2007 (i.e. while Year 13 may continue to wear the existing coloured shirts). In 2008, both Year 12 and 13 will have to have switched to the new shirt. The new shirt is only available for purchase from Thomson's Suits, and will retail for \$59.95. We are aware that some boys have in the past worn blue shirts purchased from Farmers, under this uniform change these shirts will no longer be an option.

We are also looking at a new range of College Rugby Jerseys. In the meantime, we would not advise parents to purchase a new House or Rugby Jersey, until a final decision is made. Again any such uniform change will be phased in, to minimise the inconvenience on Lindisfarne families.

Maintaining Uniform and Dress Standards

As mentioned at least once a year in newsletters, one of the points of difference of Lindisfarne College is our adherence to high standards. In the recently completed Community Survey 32 families (16% of respondents) stated that the promotion of high standards – of work, values and discipline was what they identified as Lindisfarne's Special Character (i.e. the third highest category of the survey).

As we are all aware, part of the challenge of becoming an adult is taking responsibility for the standards of your own personal presentation. The way you dress and are groomed have a significant impact on the impression you create, on those around you. Some Lindisfarne students at times struggle with self management skills. A mature young man shouldn't need to be told when he needs a haircut, he should recognise that it needs doing and make the necessary arrangement.

With regard to the College's expectations regarding grooming:

- We require that **hair colour** should be natural (i.e. no blinding or artificial colour).
- That hair should have **no product** added to it (such as gel or hair wax).
- That it be **kept short in length and low in height** (hair should not touch the collar or ears).
- That it be **well kept, combed and set down** (it should not stick up or be spiked).
The College Council bylaws, give the Rector the authority to send a boy to a hairdresser to ensure that their hair conforms to requirements. I would have no compunction in sending a repeat offender to the barber for a number #3 haircut. But **would prefer the boys themselves took responsibility** for the maintenance of their hair. Can you please ensure your son returns in Term 4 fresh from a new haircut.

While on uniform issues, a significant number of boys seem to lack a sufficient quantity of grey socks, when wearing their grey trousers. Short grey socks are acceptable, but white socks are not. Boarders need at least six pairs of short/long grey socks over a school week.

Parents' and Friends' Secondhand Clothing Shop

The Parents' & Friends' Secondhand Clothing Shop is presently gearing up for sale days. Now is the time to start sorting out uniforms to sell. Parents wishing to sell items in the sales must have the clothes into the Office by **Tuesday 12 December**. **All items must be freshly laundered, and be in good condition.** Blazers **must** be dry-cleaned.

The first Sale Days will be: Friday 27 October - 11.30 – 2.30.p.m (Orientation Day)

Further Sale Days will be listed in our next Newsletter.

Key Dates early in Term Four

We draw your attention to a number of key events that will be held early in the Term Four calendar.

In Week Two (i.e. the week prior to Labour Weekend) on the evening of Wednesday 18 October we will be hosting the Annual Performing Arts Concert in the Hawke's Bay Opera House. On that day boys will finish normal classes at 12.20.p.m, and once they have finished their lunch, Dayboys are free to go at approximately 12.45.p.m. All boys are expected at the Opera House at 6.45.p.m for the concert. The evening provides an opportunity to showcase the cultural talents of the boys in the school, and is well supported by Parents' & Friends' of the College. The next day, Thursday 19 October at 1.30.p.m we will be hosting our Annual Sports and Cultural Prize-Giving. All parents are welcome to attend this event, at which a past Head Boy will present the awards.

On that same day, Fathers' and Sons' are invited to the Fish, Chips and Quiz night on Thursday evening. The inaugural event was a huge success in 2005, and we advise Fathers to book their tickets earlier as numbers are limited to just 150 dads and their sons.

Some of you with new sons to the College will be involved in the Orientation for New Boys in Week Three (Friday 27 October). We hope as many as possible of you will attend the Parents' & Friends' Christmas Dinner, and see the Annual Address to the Haggis in Week 5 (on Friday 10 November).

Concluding Remarks

As the frenetic Third Term passes into memory, we approach the crucial Academic Term. All Year 11, 12 and 13 boys have just completed Benchmark examinations, and will be aware of how much work they will have to put in before the start of the NCEA Level 1, 2 and 3 examinations in just six weeks time.

It is crucial that all senior students dedicate a significant portion of their September break to revising course work covered over the year. The fourth term will go quickly, so a revision timetable must be drawn up by each student, co-ordinating the schedule of study in the lead up to the examinations. A consistent, persistent, and self disciplined approach to study is crucial to success in National qualifications. Parental assistance in helping boys to balance social, co-curricular, and scholastic commitments would be greatly appreciated.

While many of our Year 10 boys will face their first experience of NCEA Examinations this year, all Year 7, 8, 9 and 10 students all have Junior End of Year examinations in Week Seven.

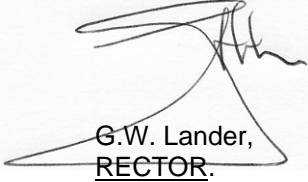
The past ten weeks have been extremely successful for the College, its students and staff. We have enjoyed considerable cultural success; with both our Concord and Junior Concert Band gaining medals at the National Band Festival, ***Matthew West*** and ***Hamish Thomsen*** making the final of the H.B. Young Musicians competition, ***Tane Huata*** a finalist in the Manu Korero Speech Competition, and high quality performances in the House Drama Festival.

In Sport, five Junior Rugby teams and one Soccer side made the finals of their competition. The 1st XV, 1st Soccer and 1st XI Hockey all have had fine seasons, and have enjoyed convincing wins in our traditional winter sports exchanges.

Academically our students have enjoyed considerable success in Australasian English, and in the Hawke's Bay Science Fair competitions, and a focused and industrious atmosphere has characterised the atmosphere in the classroom over the term.

I wish all the boys and staff a relaxing September break, as we approach the business end of the College year.

Yours sincerely,


G.W. Lander,
RECTOR.

**Lindisfarne v
Wanganui Collegiate at
the
Under 15 Tournament**



**1st XI Soccer action against
in**



**Aidan v Cuthbert
Senior/Junior House
Rugby Tournament**



**1st XI Hockey team v NBHS
HBSS Championships**



**A fine new spectator vantage
point – the new Ag/Hort
Block nearing completion.**



**Oswald V Durham
Senior/Junior House Rugby**



Aidan Junior House Rugby Team



**Aidan v Durham in the Senior
House Rugby tournament**