



Cantabrian Girls Ex-Students' Association

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Diary Notes: Saturday 18th September, 2021 Short meeting in the MPC at 2pm followed by our annual event. This year it will be an afternoon tea and farewell/presentation to Sue Holden (outgoing principal 2020). **Further details regarding the afternoon tea will be given in our following newsletter.**

Dear Members:

I hope you have been well and have been able to enjoy the beginning of 2021. We have welcomed the decrease in restrictions thus far and are hoping to include all our usual programme of events.

The beginning of the year saw Canterbury Girls' acknowledge the high achievers of 2020. It was a 'virtual' assembly without parents or a student audience, however, our association continued its contribution of trophies and prizes for the Dux students in each Year. The recipients included:

Year 7 Dux 2020 - Charlotte Earp

Year 8 Dux 2020 - Cordelia Scheer

Year 9 Dux 2020 - Alexandra Spencer

Year 10 Dux 2020 - Hannah Carr

Year 11 Dux 2020 - Mieke van Wel

Year 12 Dux 2020 - Hannah Veitch



Year 11 2020 Dux -Mieke van Wel with placegetters and Deputy Principal Ms Roby Andrews

Year 8 2020 Dux, Cordelia Scheer with 2nd and 3rd placegetters.



Year 7 2020 Dux, Charlotte Earp with Year 7 placegetters



Year 9 2020 Dux –
Alexandra Spencer

Last year's Ex-Cantabrian Scholarship recipients Hannah Geering and Adrijana Petkovic will join Merle at a Year 10 meeting later this term. This will hopefully inspire some of the Year 10 students to apply for the \$800 scholarship. As many of you are aware, this scholarship has been provided since 1985 to worthy recipients who would benefit by the monetary assistance. It is an important part of our Association's programme and one we have worked hard to ensure continues each year. Another reason to ensure you ask all your school friends who are not already members to join us by committing, connecting and contributing to our Association.

The Committee hopes we will be able to bring you the annual meeting followed by our social event -pending Covid restrictions of course! The plan is to start the afternoon with a quick meeting and this will then be followed with an afternoon tea and presentation/farewell to the Canterbury Girls High School ex-Principal, Sue Holden who retired last year. The event will be held in the Sue Holden Amphitheatre, outside the MPC at the School. It will give the opportunity for all present to walk around the school grounds and reminisce about our old school days and have a look at the changes to the outside landscape. Further details will be sent out to all members closer to the date.

I hope to see lots of members and as many friends as you can bring along at the planned afternoon tea on Saturday 18th September. Until then, take care and keep well.

Kathie Burgess,
Secretary

FROM THE PRESIDENTS DESK

Well at last we can look forward to getting together, and our committee have come up with the great idea of afternoon tea combined with a farewell to Sue Holden with a chance to have a good look around the school. I look forward to seeing you there and catching up.

Merle Chalmers



Calling all past Cantabrians both students and teachers. It is time to:

COMMIT

CONNECT

CONTRIBUTE

Join the Ex-Students' Association and you can help ensure the Cantabrian Scholarship and the funding of the Dux Awards continues.

Email the following information to mmalins1@bigpond.com or send to Ms M Malins, 31/1 Sandpiper Crs NEWINGTON NSW 2127 .

SURNAME:..... GIVEN NAME:..... MAIDEN NAME:.....

YEARS AT SCHOOL:..... to

ADDRESS:

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and transfer **\$20 for 3 years' membership** to:

BSB	802821
Account No.	2014914
Name of Account:	Cantabrian Girls Ex-Students Association
Reference:	Ensure you state your full name and the year you left CGHS

You will receive our Newsletters, reunion information, invitations to annual functions and updates on CGHS events.