



Sacred Heart
Girls' College
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AGE QUOD AGIS



From our Principal

Tēnā koutou katoa
Nga mihi nui ki a koutou

I hope you have found some time to Contemplate and listen with the ear of your Heart. On a similar theme for this Pānui, an extract from John O'Donohue reminds us of the 'secret work' that never stops!

We seldom notice how each day is a holy place
Where the eucharist of the ordinary happens,
Transforming our broken fragments
Into an eternal continuity that keeps us.
Somewhere in us a dignity presides
That is more gracious than the smallness
That fuels us with fear and force,
A dignity that trusts the form a day takes.
So at the end of this day, we give thanks
For being betrothed to the unknown
And for the secret work
Through which the mind of the day
And wisdom of the soul become one.
'The Inner History of a Day,' found in 'BENEDICTUS'
Tihei Mauri ora - kia tau te rangimārie!



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FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION MASS



Our Vision

Ignite the Passion: inspiring young women to change the world - me aro ki te hā o Hineahuone.

We live the virtues of Faith, Hope and Justice.

Our charism is expressed through **Communion, Contemplation, Mission.**

CURRICULUM NEWS

Assessment Week

A reminder that next week (26-30 August) is assessment week for senior students. The results from these examinations may be required as evidence if your daughter needs to apply for a derived grade due to unforeseen circumstances at the time of their external exams. The timetable for these exams is on the school website.

Senior Only Day

On Friday, 30 August, only Year 11-13 students who have a timetabled assessment are required to be at school. If you require your Year 9 or 10 daughter to attend school on this day, supervision will be available. In this case, please contact the student centre.

Subject Choices for 2020

Student Option Choice forms for Yr 11-13 students are due to be submitted by Wednesday 4 September. The course information and option forms are all available on the school website.

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REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR

On August 15th the Regional Science Fair was held at the Hamilton Gardens. Sacred Heart had 10 entries.

Samantha Brown	Yr 13 Investigation	Senior Division
Myella Abulencia	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Anne George	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Keelin Leong	Yr 13 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Amy Mohring	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Kayla Reymer	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Grace Richards	Yr 13 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Holly Taylor	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Jessica Wara	Yr 13 Wall Chart	Senior Division
Sophie Young	Yr 12 Wall Chart	Senior Division

Congratulations to the following students who won prizes at the Waikato Science Fair:

Samantha Brown: 1st Place Senior Science

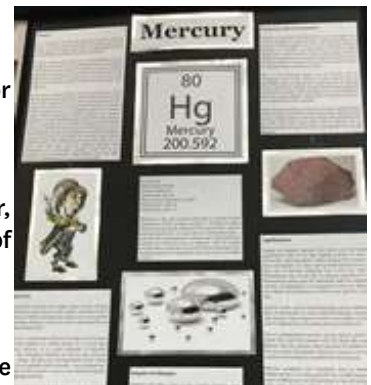
Best Yr 11 – 13 Investigation
Samantha's project was part of her Gold Crest Project (Science Fair on steroids). It is about how a certain beat, referred to as a Binaural beat, can relax you. Samantha has worked closely with scientists at the Waikato Hospital (Dr Logan Voss and Dr Rebecca Pullen) to produce her data. Without these people supporting Samantha, her achievement would not have been possible.



Keelin Leong: 1st Place Senior Wall Chart (Mercury)

Best Scientific Wall Display

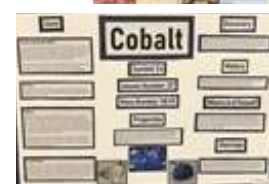
Keelin's wall display was clear, concise and had a balance of information and pictures.



Highly Commended

The following students were awarded Highly Commended in the Senior Wall Chart division.

Amy Mohring – Gold
Grace Richards – Sulphur
Sophie Young – Cobalt



Ms Murphy is very proud of all the Year 12 and 13 Chemistry students who submitted their wall charts! Well done to those who went through to the regional judging. There was a lot of debate in deciding the finalists, due to the quality of submissions.

UPCOMING DATES TO DIARY

26 - 30 August	Senior Assessment Week
30 August	Senior Only Day
2 - 6 September	Winter Tournament Week

WAIKATO PHILOSOTHON 2019

What does it mean to think? The greatest evolutionary gift to man-kind without a doubt, has always been art, culture and beauty. The Waikato Philosothon 2019 offered Sacred Heart students who participated, the opportunity to engage in riveting discussions about The Big Bang Theory: Does God exist? We were very proud to have Georgia Pollock (Year 13), as she was named best speaker from Sacred Heart.

The biggest takeaway was the deeper understanding of how philosophy, both as an art and a discipline, has a lot to teach us about knowledge, existence, logic and reality. It is easy to get swept away in a fast-paced world like our own. Philosothon proved to us the value of taking a step back and engaging in rigorous methodical thinking.

Jennifer Kim

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Catholic Family Support Services

QUIZ NIGHT

FUNDS RAISED GO TOWARDS VEHICLE UPGRADE

AUCTION * FUN * LAUGHS * PRIZES * SUPPER

FRIDAY 1st NOVEMBER 2019 - 7PM-9.30PM

DOOR OPENS 6.30PM

**Sacred Heart Girls' College Hall
Clyde St, Hamilton East**

**Register your team by Wednesday 18th October
\$10.00 PER PERSON - 8 PEOPLE PER TEAM**

More information please contact: Janinne Thomas

• Email: events@cfss.org.nz or phone: 07 856 3760

SHGC ROWING SEASON LAUNCH / OPEN DAY

All current and new rowers along with their family are invited to our information open day.

When: Sunday 8th September 2019 at 12.00pm
(after learn to row session)

Where: Hamilton Rowing Club (HRC) Grantham Street

•You will get to meet key personnel including the coaching team led by Kylee Corboy, committee/school and HRC reps.

•You will receive a 2019-20 information booklet or can request an electronic copy (season info including fees).

•You can check out the boats and storage/training facilities/uniform.

•There will be assistance with downloading our Team App and invites for supporters to join our facebook page.

•Anyone attending (siblings etc) can enter our 100m erg race! (a chance to win prizes)

•Light refreshments provided.

If you have any questions, please contact the SHGC Rowing Manager - Mel Pitchford P: 0272221501 or E: melsor30@hotmail.com



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STUDENT ABSENCES

For all Student Absentees, including away from school, appointments or late to school, please report to the following:

Email: absences@shgcham.school.nz

Phone: 07 856 7874 ext 2852