



QUEEN CHARLOTTE COLLEGE

Newsletter to Parents, Caregivers & Friends of the School • 3 December 2009



Principal's Comment...

We draw to the end of another successful year. Having a successful school such as Queen Charlotte College requires a lot of work from many people but especially dedicated staff members and I would like to extend my thanks and admiration for the fine job they do. The best resource a school can have is, competent and professional staff and

we have some of the best people in the business. My thanks too to our Board of Trustees who are committed to continuing the employment of quality staff so parents and caregivers can be assured their students are receiving the best possible education.

We farewell two teachers at the end of the school year. Jacqueline Spencer is leaving to take up a position in Jakarta, Indonesia and Ron Lloyd leaves to teach in Saudi Arabia. We wish Jacqueline and Ron all the very best in their future careers.

We wish you all a happy and safe summer holiday. We look forward to greeting all our students back, ready for another year in 2010.

Possible Alternative Bus Run Students - Travelling From Blenheim

Queen Charlotte College has been approached by a parent with a proposal to assist in addressing the bus transport times available for students travelling to Queen Charlotte College from Blenheim. She would like to organise a bus that leaves Blenheim at 8.00am and returns the students to Blenheim straight after school.

Should you, as a parent of a student travelling from Blenheim in 2010, be interested in discussing an alternative option to that currently available, please contact Jessica Bagge on 578 9900 (work), 5789200 (home) 0274336677 (Cell).

Library Books The library is now closed for the lending of books. Please return all overdue library books to the school library asap. There are many books that have not been returned and we would rather spend money on new books for the library, than replacing unreturned ones.

School Uniforms We would appreciate any donations of second hand uniform items. Please drop your outgrown uniform at the school office.

- ◆ 104cm blazer for sale. Phone 0211315929.
- ◆ 96cm blazer for sale. Phone 5736429.
- ◆ 104cm blazer for sale. Phone 5735591.

Coming Events

- ❑ **Prizegiving** - For all students, will be at 7pm on Thursday 10th of December. You are most cordially invited to attend. Guests are to be seated by 6.45pm.
- ❑ **Junior Prizegiving** will be held in the school hall from 11.30am on Thursday 10th December.
- ❑ **End of Term 4** - School will close for the year on Friday 11 December. For most students the final day of attendance is Thursday 10 December.
- ❑ **New Enrolments** – Staff will be available 9.30am-12.30pm the week of the 25th-29th January for new enrolments in 2010.
- ❑ **Start of Term 1, 2010** – School will begin again in February 2010, with the first day for all students being Tuesday 2nd February.