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Dear parents, Chairman of the OLSH Board of Management, Board Members, staff and members of the extended OLSH community,

It is our privilege to share with you the excellent results OLSH International achieved in 2020 at the National Examinations. Our students and staff faced four weeks of lockdown two weeks each, on either side of the Term 1 holidays, with no access to online learning platforms, shortened school days in which to complete the prescribed curriculum, daily power outages and the extended power outage in September/October 2020 during peak period of exam preparations. Schools in the developed countries of the western would have found these challenges formidable when preparing 1 year level for National Examinations, not to mention 3 Year Levels as in PNG.

We can say with much gratitude and joy, that as OLSH staff, we did our best to ensure that COVID-19 did not diminish our enthusiasm, energy and commitment to ensure that our students were well-prepared for their examinations. We are grateful to God and we are appreciative of our students and teachers who worked extremely hard in a highly challenging COVID-19 year to achieve these results.

One point to observe in our 2020 results is that teachers are working very hard to ensure that increasing numbers of students are achieving high scores rather than a few students were scoring exceptionally high grades at the top end of the spectrum and the others scoring average grades.

We acknowledge and thank the OLSH Board of Management for their ongoing support for the daily life of the school. We are also appreciative of all our parents, our foremost partners in the education of your children, who supported your child/children to do their best.

The Leadership Team congratulates all our students at Years 8, 10 and 12 and all their teachers for an outstanding achievement in 2020. Well done students and staff. You can be rightfully proud.

Judeline Wadhwani
Principal

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Acting Principal



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SUMMARY OF 2020 NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS RESULTS 8, 10 & 12

YEAR 10 2020

OLSH has continued its tradition of achieving excellent Year 10 results.

- OLSH is ranked in the first place out of 11 high schools in NIP once again in 2020, thus maintaining our high achievement levels.
- All 21 students have been given an offer for Year 11 by the National Department of Education
- 7 students scored straight Distinctions maintaining the OLSH level of excellence from 2019
- Additionally, 4 students scored 6 Distinctions and 1 Credit
- Student Bethuel Opety achieved second place out of 5272 students in the country who studied Information Technology.
- Out of 61543 students at Year 10 nationally, Bethuel was ranked 20th in Maths and 25th in Science. An excellent achievement by Bethuel.
- SUBJECTWISE ATTAINMENT
 - English: 19 Distinctions and 2 Credits
 - Business Studies: 19 Distinctions 2 Credits
 - PD: 15 Distinctions, 6 Credits
 - Maths: 16 Distinctions, 5 Credits,
 - IT: 16 Distinctions, 5 Credits
 - Social Science: 13 Distinctions, 9 Credits,
 - Science: 12 Distinctions, 8 Credits and 1Pass

IMPROVEMENT IN ATTAINMENT OF ***DISTINCTIONS*** SCORED ACROSS SUBJECTS .

SUBJECT	2020	2019	2018
English	22	13	4
Business Studies	21	12	1
PD	18	9	3
Maths	17	8	2
Social Sciences	16	7	3
IT	16	6	-
Science	15	7	3



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YEAR 10 WRITTEN EXPRESSION RESULTS

OLSH Year 10 students continued to achieve high scores out of 21

YEAR	20/20	19/20	18/20
2020	7	5	6
2019	6	6	NIL
2018	1	5	6

YEAR 10 SCIENCE PRACTICAL EXAMS

16 students achieved 40 and above in the Science Practical Exams. Of these, the following achievements are noteworthy:

- Lapan Tuvui achieved 49 out of 50 marks.
- Bethuel Opety achieved 48 out of 50 marks.
- Belinda Bua, Agrippa Kalamen and Zillah Wol achieved 46 out of 50 marks

An excellent achievement from all these students at Year 10.

YEAR 12

- OLSH sent up 23 Year 12 students.
- A total of 30711 Year 12 students sat for the examinations nationally.
 - Rose Daniel was ranked 407th, placing her in the top 1.32% nationally
 - Jannice Anis was ranked 620th, placing her in the top 2.1% nationally
 - Lyone Judah was ranked 642nd, placing her in the top 2.9% nationally
 - Sinclair Sabadi was ranked 834th, placing him in the top 2.71% nationally

Rose, Lyone and Sinclair achieved 4 As and 1 B across their subjects

- 23 out of 24 OLSH students have received offers from various tertiary institutions in the country.
- Out of 24 students, 4 students received scholarship awards from ITI



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INCREASE IN ATTAINMENT OF 'A' GRADES IN 2020

Increasing numbers of Year 12 students scored A grade in 2020. A comparison of grades achieved in 2020, the COVID-19 year to those in 2018 and 2019 appears below. In Biology OLSH maintained the number of A grade in 2020.

SUBJECT	2020	2019	2018
Chemistry	3	2	-
Biology	3	3	-
Economics	4	2	-
Business Studies	2	-	-
Legal Studies	2	1	-
General Maths	3	-	-
English	8	4	4
ICT	4	3	1

WRITTEN EXPRESSION RESULTS

1 student scored 19/20 – Adela Vovola

3 students scored 18/20 - Natasha Camble, Natasha Chan, John Peniel and Othniel Withan

4 students scored 17/20 – Jannelle Anis, Jannice Anis, Shania Ignatius, Greg Patu and Theresia Waulas
YEAR 8

- OLSH sent up 11 students to the Grade 8 National Examinations
- OLSH is ranked 4th among the schools in New Ireland Province
- 4 out of 11 students scored Very High across all their subjects
- The English results in particular were very pleasing :
 - 7 students scored Very High and 4 students scored High
- In Combined Subjects, 9 students scored Very High and 1 student scored High
- Students Steven Knox and Dwayne Knox are ranked in the top 12 students in New Ireland Province.

SCHOLARSHIP STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS – YEARS 10 & 12

YEAR 10

All the 7 students who achieved straight distinctions are scholarship students:

1. Jessica Akaripa
2. Belinda Bua



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3. Lumencia Kangol
4. Bethuel Opety
5. Leon Thomas
6. Lapan Tuvui
7. Zillah Wol

In addition

- Noel Thomas achieved 6 Distinctions and 1 Credit
- Regina Siangat achieved 4 Distinctions and 3 Credits

YEAR 12

All 7 scholarship students have secured places in tertiary institutions

Jannelle Anis	National Polytechnic Institute of PNG	Diploma in Electrical Engineering
Jannice Anis	PNG University of Technology	Bachelor of Science Applied Chemistry
Rose Daniel	PNG University of Technology	Bachelor of Accounting
Lyone Judah	Divine Word University	Bachelor of Arts
John Peniel	University of Tropical Resources	Diploma in Tropical Fisheries
Israel Soi	Don Bosco Technical College	Diploma in Electrical Engineering
Theresia Waulas	National Polytechnic Institute of PNG	Diploma in Science & Technology

The academic achievements of the scholarship students at the Years 10 and 12 National Examinations were also reflected in their application and attainment in school throughout the year. The following students were awarded the status of dux for 2020 at their respective Year Level:

Year 10: Bethuel Opety

Year 12: Lyone Judah