

# WSHS Alumni



## WE MADE IT THROUGH 2020

What a challenging year it has been with COVID-19. We hope that all our families have returned to some normality.

Looking back on our school year: Online classes were delivered, Year 10 missed their first exams, NAPLAN was cancelled and Year 9s completed OLN. On the positives, from Term 3, excursions and activities resumed, class routines were back to normal and school productions and concerts began again. We look forward to 2021 when normal routines return.

As the school year ends we wish all our members, students, staff, families and community a safe and happy holiday.



*We would like to help you advertise any reunions. Please contact us on the email below and we can post them on our WSHS Alumni Facebook page. We'd also love photos of your reunions to post.*

### Goings-on .....

- NAIDOC – Thank you to all involved in creating a wonderful acknowledgment and celebration of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture.
- Staff Appreciation Day - Thank you morning tea for all staff.
- Darren Hamley – Prime Minister's Prize for Excellence in Science Teaching in Secondary Schools.
- Year 12 - Congratulations and best wishes to all our graduating students class of 2020.
- Here are some end of year events
  - ✚ End of Year Music Concert
  - ✚ Year 11 Dinner Dance
  - ✚ Year 9 End of year movie
  - ✚ Year 8 River Cruise
  - ✚ Year 7 Zoo excursion
  - ✚ Keys-4life parent workshop
  - ✚ Lower School Dance and Drama Showcase
  - ✚ Year 10 Production – Willa Wonkie and The College Tour



### WHERE ARE THEY NOW

#### *Introducing Georgina Earl...*

**What year did you graduate?**  
2015

**What is your greatest achievement after high school?** My biggest achievement has been completing an honours-research degree in neuroscience! I loved being able to learn about the brain and the body, especially brain development in the early years of life. During honours, I was able to investigate the effects of a drug, dexamethasone, on brain development in infants born preterm, using a sheep model. Very challenging and lots of hard work, but also very rewarding to finish the year with a printed thesis!

**Have you continued with your studies – if so what?** Bachelor of Philosophy (Honours) course at UWA, with majors in Neuroscience and Physiology.

**Where do you live and what is your occupation?** Clinical Research in Perth. Currently looking at sleep!

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