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Among the best



READY FOR THE NEXT CHAPTER: Some of the pleased Chevalier College Year 12 students at a celebratory morning tea on December 16 at the school. Photo: Claire Fenwicke

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THE results are in and many Highlands students are celebrating their achievements.

Some were relying on the result to gain a place in a certain course, some were merely curious as they had already attained Early Entry places or didn't need an ATAR for their chosen field. Others were happy it was all over.

The seven high schools - Bowral High School, Moss Vale High School, Southern Highlands Christian School, Frensham, Oxley College, Chevalier College and St Paul's International School - shared a mix of top ATARS, top 10 in subjects and an impressive number gained Bands 5 and 6.

At Oxley College, William Lamrock-George awoke to his friends congratulating him for making it onto the NSW Premier's All-Rounder list - for students who achieve a Band 6 mark (or E4 for extension subjects) across 10 or more units.

"I didn't think I'd get on to

the list, so I didn't even bother checking," he said.

"While I received a 96.55 ATAR result, I've applied for a distance education course at Charles Sturt University so I can take a half-GAP year. I'm really interested in eventing, and I have a horse I want to bring up to grade next year."

Oxley College teachers were also pleased, having gained a ranking of 63rd in the state - up from 89th last year.

At Chevalier College, two students made it onto the All-Rounders list - Bridget Shirlow, with an ATAR of 98.3, and Harry Fenton, who achieved an ATAR of 98.55.

"I'm really pleased and surprised with my result, I guess it shows that hard work pays off," Harry said.

"I'm planning on studying law and international relations at Australian National University [Canberra]."

Chevalier student Eyob Geist achieved VET student of the Year for hospitality in the Workplace Learning Southern Highlands

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