

## **Kew High School**

**By the early 1990s, Kew was not travelling well  
Down to 360 students, it seemed under a spell  
Walls cold and grey, Government changes are sweeping  
But a Renaissance was brewing, Kew High was just sleeping**

**The staff they were eager, to create a new place  
Council, parents and students, all wanted growth, at a pace  
We created a fresh vision, new subjects to begin  
The new uniform sparkled, and a pride grew within**

**Students came from afar, growing 100 each year  
With a strong reputation, they queued up to come here  
A new future, a belief, began to appear  
And she rose like a Phoenix, to everyone's cheer**

**From Ivanhoe and beyond, they travelled by bus  
And the trams filled with students, to come here to us  
A school of high Quality, strong teaching and learning  
The students inspired, their lights they were burning**

**As they went through 6 years of learning at Kew  
They developed their minds, and strong values they grew  
Their pathways did vary, with none left behind  
Prepared for their future, their right place they would find**

**You look at Kew now, the Renaissance complete  
A school that's transformed, and is now hard to beat  
Our belief in this school, and a system for all  
Leaves a light on this hill, so we all, can stand tall**

**As principal of Kew, I was privileged to lead  
A school which aspired, and strived, to succeed  
The students we taught, their legacy stands  
Kew's future secure, in most capable hands**

**With so many to thank, I can't single out one  
We worked as a team, our work never done  
Now as people drive by, they say with a sigh  
That's our school, right there, that's our, Kew High**

**Alan Taylor Principal 1992 - 99**