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## **Nuuuli Vocational Technical High School Celebrates Graduation of the Class of 2024**

Today, Nuuuli Vocational Technical High School celebrated the graduation of sixty-two students at a ceremony held in the school's gymnasium. The event began with an invocation by Bishop Albert Toloa, who delivered a spiritual message urging the graduating class to embrace faith and place God first in their lives. The graduation theme, "Embracing our Journey," highlighted the significance of personal growth and perseverance throughout their educational journey.

In his keynote address, Lt. Governor La'apui Talauega Ale addressed the challenges the graduates faced, including the impact of COVID-19 and resource constraints over the past four years. He emphasized the resilience developed through adversity, stating, "These challenges have built your character. While the American Samoa Government provides support, your determination ultimately shapes your own success."

Reflecting on the theme "Embracing Our Journey," Lt. Governor Ale highlighted its profound meaning, encouraging the graduates to recognize the value in every experience. He remarked, "Your journey is a testament to your strength and determination. Embrace each step, as it has shaped you into the remarkable individuals standing here today."

Lt. Governor Ale expressed gratitude to the parents, families, and faculty for their support and encouragement. He concluded his address by inspiring the graduates to pursue their dreams with determination, saying, "Let your dreams guide you and your determination propel you forward. The world eagerly awaits your talents and contributions."

During the ceremony, Valedictorian Mingyuan Wang and Salutatorian Ida Tauline Tatupu were honored for their outstanding academic achievements. Students were also recognized for their involvement in clubs and their notable accomplishments as they received their diplomas.

Congratulations, Wildcats Class of 2024!

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