

Principal's Update to P&F Meeting
Monday, July 29, 2019

1. Staffing

- Travis McLaren finished up at the end of Term 2 to move to Redcliffe with his partner. Travis has transferred to Grace Lutheran College Rothwell
- Replacing Travis we have moved Coreta Lennon to Secondary School which we were planning to do in the new year. Tegan Parham picks up Travis' Senior Drama classes.
- Coreta moving to SS gives us the opportunity to bring Jenny Huntington onto staff. Jenny has been doing contract work for us and is a valuable addition.
- Alex Duff Hooper has picked up some ancillary work in our business office supporting Leanne primarily with Marketing tasks.
- Mr Royce Jackson has started part time as our new Secondary Tech Shed Aide.
- We are currently working through a large group of applicants for our Payroll Officer.
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2. Facilities

- Our P&FA Fitness Equipment is all in and up and running. It looks great and is well-used already by our Secondary Students.
- Our Lighthouse re-development continues with the addition of the P&FA sponsored furniture over the break. This has enabled us to open up the last of the rooms.
- The college has engaged a Landscape Architect to complete a new masterplan for the Junior School Outdoor Spaces. We hope to have the plans completed in the next month or so and then go to tender on construction. The OSHC will be contributing as well to the redevelopment of some of the spaces that they use frequently as well. These two projects should see some activity underway later in this term. Exciting times ahead.
- This Wednesday we are having a Founder's Day Service at the Bev Road Campus where we will dedicate the Lighthouse Refurbishment and Fitness Equipment. Our LCAQD Bishop will be in attendance at the P-12 event.

3. General

- It has been a busy start to term for our college.
- Staff had a full PD week which started with some team building and collaborative tasks and went onto learning about resilience and planning and prep time as well.
- Our Japanese students visited and have left already.
- Athletics Carnivals finally got off the ground and were great days.

- JTAS and GBC Sport are underway. We are currently surveying students and families around the impact of these affiliations as we investigate possible options. There may be better ways to offer External Sport for our students, if there is we should be thinking about it.
- JOSEPH rehearsals are going ahead full-swing. It is shaping up to be a really cool production.
- We are edging closer to our 5 Year NSSAB review panel day on Friday 23rd August.

Respectfully submitted.

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Principal