



ST PHILIP'S COLLEGE APPOINTS NEW DEPUTY PRINCIPALS

Dear Parents, Staff and Friends of St Philip's College,

In the middle of this year the College commenced an extensive, national recruitment process for a Deputy Principal – Senior School and a Deputy Principal – Middle School to replace Mr Chris Leesong, who will be retiring at the end of this year after 27 ½ years of loyal service to the College.

For the next stage in our educational journey two positions have been created. Due to the different developmental stages of students, and our desire to create age specific specialized educational programs, we have adopted a Senior and Middle school model, however we will forever remain one school community.

The positions attracted a strong and very accomplished field of candidates, and eight local and interstate applicants were interviewed. I am delighted to advise you that staff member, Mrs Leslie Tilbrook has been appointed Deputy Principal - Senior School and Mr Tony Knott (from St Mary's College, Toowoomba, Queensland and a past staff member) has been appointed Deputy Principal – Middle School, commencing January, 2018.

The appointment of Mrs Tilbrook and Mr Knott will be instrumental in moving the College forward and ensuring the implementation of the College's educational masterplan. Their years of experience, knowledge and passion for the College are great foundations as we move towards an exciting new era in education at the College.

We look forward to Leslie and Tony building on the successes of the past, but more importantly guiding our staff and students in the next phase of our proud history. I invite you to join me in welcoming them to their new roles.

Yours sincerely,

Roger Herbert
Principal