



## SAINT KENTIGERN TRUST BOARD

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Dear Saint Kentigern Community

We recently wrote to advise you that Mr Geoff Burgess, Principal of Saint Kentigern School, has announced his decision to step down from his role at the end of Term 3 this year after a long, successful career. After careful consideration, the Board has decided to implement a change to the leadership and reporting structure of the two Saint Kentigern primary schools with effect from the start of Term 4 this year.

A new role will be created to oversee both primary schools.

The new role of Head of Primary reflects the commitment of the Board to ensuring that the delivery of primary education at both Saint Kentigern Schools remains of the highest order, enabling the two schools to work collaboratively, sharing ideas, specialist facilities and staff wherever appropriate.

I am very pleased to advise that Mrs Sandra Hastie has been appointed to the new position of Head of Primary with effect from the start of Term 4, and will also continue in her current role as Principal of Saint Kentigern School for Girls – Corran. Mrs Hastie has been a key contributor to the Saint Kentigern community for the past 18 years, initially at Saint Kentigern School and most recently at Saint Kentigern School for Girls - Corran. In the role of Head of Primary, Mrs Hastie will be responsible for assisting the Board in the development of the vision and the strategic planning for the two schools. She brings a wealth of both sound educational practice and academic rigour to the role.

The Board has instructed external recruitment consultants to begin the process to fill the position of Principal of Saint Kentigern School with the appointment to take effect from the start of Term 4, 2012. We will of course keep you advised of progress.

I am sure you will join me in congratulating Mrs Hastie on her appointment to this exciting new role; one that will serve to further strengthen the educational opportunities for primary aged boys and girls at Saint Kentigern.

Should you have any questions in relation to these changes please feel free to email me at [trust@saintkentigern.com](mailto:trust@saintkentigern.com)

Thank you for your ongoing support of the Saint Kentigern community.

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