



Holy Cross College, founded by the Patrician Brothers, 1891

Holy Cross College

Office of the Principal

13 March 2017

Dear Parent/Caregiver

On Friday, 17 March the College will be holding a special celebration to mark St Patrick's Day. St Patrick's Day is a significant feast in the global Catholic Church, however, it has special significance for our Patrician community. It is appropriate we mark the day with both formalities and an element of fun.

An invitation is extended to all parents and friends of the community to join us for Mass on Friday, 17 March commencing at 10.45am in the Patrician Centenary Hall.

It will be mufti clothes for the day for your son which must include an element of green. Boys are asked to bring a gold coin donation for the Delany Foundation.

The Delany Foundation was established by the Patrician Brothers and their associates in 2008 following the Bicentennial of the Patricians in Australia. The Delany Foundation was a response to a strongly felt need in the Patrician community to reach out to support those at the margins, consistent with the original mission of the Patricians when they were founded by Bishop Delany 209 years ago.

The objectives of the Delany Foundation include the support and development of outreach programs for the benefit of young people both in Australia and overseas. Patrician-linked schools have continued to be important contributors to and supporters of the Foundation. The Delany Foundation not only contributes to the provision of health care and education in PNG, Kenya and Ghana, but also supports locally-based intervention programs designed to assist young people at risk.

Please contact your son's Year Coordinator if you need further details about the day.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Phillip Stewart".

Mr Phillip Stewart
PRINCIPAL

