



Holy Cross College, Ryde

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

As a potential student leader at Holy Cross College, your son has been invited to attend the annual Patrician Brothers' College Fairfield, Student Leadership Day on Friday 25th August. This Leadership Day will provide opportunities for student leaders from Catholic schools within the Sydney region to develop their leadership skills through various activities such as listening to insights from prominent Australians on what it means to be an effective leader.

The Leadership Day will feature keynote addresses from international jurist, educator and former Justice of the High Court of Australia **The Honourable Michael Kirby AC CMG**, General Manager of the Penrith Panthers **Mr. Phil Gould**, former Deputy NSW Police Commissioner **Ms. Catherine Burn** and ultra-marathon athlete, motivational speaker and former Federal politician **The Honourable Patrick Farmer AM**, who will offer their reflections on effective leadership.

As part of the day's program we will also be facilitating a Q&A session with a panel of guests including: **Mr. Anthony Cleary** (Director of Religious Education for Sydney Catholic Schools), **Ms. Anne Marie Elias** (Chief Disruptor and Advocate for Social Change), **Ms. Ashley Killeen** (Head of Marketing for OzHarvest), **Hon Patrick Farmer AM** (Ultramarathon Athlete, Motivational Speaker and Former Federal Politician), **Mr. Michael Usher** (Australian Presenter and Reporter for Seven News Sydney) and former Deputy NSW Police Commissioner **Ms. Catherine Burn**.

Students are required to be at school by in full College Uniform by 7:50am for an 8:00am departure to Fairfield. Morning Tea, lunch and refreshments will be provided. The Leadership Day will take place in Fairfield's Jubilee Hall, 268 The Horsley Drive, Fairfield, NSW, 2165. Each student is required to bring a pen with them on the day.

I am anticipating a great day full of insight and discussion and I would be delighted if your son would be able to attend.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr. Andrew Gillies
YEAR 11 COORDINATOR

Mr Michael Reid
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Please Return to Mr. Gillies by Monday, 21 August 2017

I give my son permission to attend the Student Leadership Day on Friday, 25 August 2017 at Patrician Brothers' College Fairfield and I authorize the person in charge of the activity to consent where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to my son's receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary.

Parent's / Guardians Signature:

Son's Name:

HCT Class:

Contact Phone Numbers

Work	Home	Mobile	Medicare Number

Medical Register Information: WHS

Please complete the following if necessary

Is there any physical / medical / emotional reason that could impact on your son's health/safety during the excursion (e.g. serious asthma / injury):

Please state: _____
