IN HONOUR OF MR ‘O’ AND THE ROAD LESS TRAVELLED

After 31 years of dedicated service we pay tribute to Mr Ken Ogilvie; esteemed teacher, admired Assistant Principal and loyal friend, as he now has chooses to ‘hang up his boots’.

Mr O is fondly loved and remembered by many; both past and present students and families. His wicked laugh, corny jokes, love of sport and antics on the roof still bring a smile to the face of all.

Today, our current students farewelled Mr O with many tributes at assembly; ranging from the status of his legs, to his ability to perform the Haka on cue. Tomorrow evening our Parish and School community gather to share in stories and farewell a trusted friend and colleague.

On a personal level I am indebted to Ken for the many hours of dedicated service as an Assistant Principal and his loyalty and friendship along the way. It was in 1989 that I first had the privilege of working with Mr Ogilvie as a teacher in my formative years. I learned so much, not only about teaching, but life itself during those first eight years together. His ability to look at the world practically and in perspective has allowed me to remain grounded on so many occasions. My respect for Ken goes beyond words as I hold him in the highest esteem as a friend, confidant and colleague.

He is remembered throughout the region and diocese by so many of which I wish to make note.

‘During many years of service you have been a solid rock when the waves of change have swept around the school. Wauchope and its parishioners are indebted to you.’

Fr Leo Donnelly
Parish Priest
St Agnes Port Macquarie

“Ken has been a loyal, faithful and committed servant of Catholic Education in this diocese. His leadership inspires and creates commitment. Ken acts with integrity underpinned by moral purpose.’

Mr David Condon
Director of Schools
Catholic Schools Office Lismore

So, my friend Mr O,
Kia Ora – God’s blessing on you and your family.
Thank you

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TERM 4 – WEEK 8 CALENDAR

Saturday NOV 21  Farewell Dinner for Mr Ogilvie: 6.30 pm for 7.00 pm
(Please note this is a formal pre-paid event)

Monday NOV 23  Staff Briefing; 8.35 am - Office open approximately 8.50 am

Tuesday NOV 24  Band Rehearsal 8.00 am
Band Tuition
School Banking

Wednesday NOV 25  Reconciliation – Year 3H

Thursday NOV 26  School Sport
Board of Studies Meeting – Mrs Coelho attending

Friday NOV 27  Staff Prayer 8.40 am - Office opens approximately 8.50 am
Uniform Shop Closed
Bundaleer Mass – Year 5/6GO attending
School assembly; 2.10 pm: School hall

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOV 30  Year 5 Leadership Training Day
DEC 4  Uniform shop – open
DEC 8  Semester Two Reports homes to parents
DEC 9  Year 6 Pool Day
DEC 10 Swimming Carnival
DEC 12 Graduation Mass – Year 6
DEC 15 End of Year Whole School Mass
DEC 15 Year 6 – Gold coin trail (Outside charity – Christmas lunch for the homeless)

Last minute preparations and the stage is set!