7 October 2016

Dear Members of the St Gregory’s Family,

Welcome back to Term 4 after a great holiday and hopefully everyone is returning well rested and ready to work towards achieving their goals for the year. Welcome back to Mr Smith who has been on leave for most of the year.

Welcome to Ms Wendy Gracie, who will be taking Mr Ghezzi’s position whilst he is on Leave for the term. We were fortunate to find someone with Ms Gracie credentials and willing to take up the position at this time of the year. Mrs Quirk will also be on leave for the first five weeks of the term.

The Graduation Day was a memorable one with so many working to ensure that it was a success for the Year 12 students and their families. The Year 12 students now have to face their HSC Exams which commence next week on Thursday 13 October. I would ask that we keep them in our thoughts and prayers over the next few weeks.

The students will notice some changes upon their return with more building works being completed in their absence. The construction crew from Gregory Hills have commence draining the dam behind the pool in order to prepare for work on the extension of Gregory Hills Drive. The oval relocation has been completed now and work will be furthered on the western entrance road.

The Year 11 students will be receiving reports shortly, going on Retreat and then commencing their Year 12 studies. There will be an Academic Assembly in the College Hall on Friday 28th October at 9.00am for Year 11 in order to present the academic awards for the year. Years 7 – 10 will be facing exams later in the term and these students have the opportunity now to keep preparing for them and making every day count in their quest to achieve to the best of their ability.

The students will return next Monday in their summer uniform and I will look forward to working with them.

Yours sincerely,

Damien Millar