Morning Briefing Notes – Wednesday 1 April 2020

It has been an amazing end of term with some really positive feedback from families, our P-12 provision is outstanding! Please try and get a break and switch off over the next few weeks if you can (ensuring you still read our school emails).

MAZEL TOV -BIRTH:

Courtney and Luke PETERS ('02) had a baby boy yesterday (31/3/20). Siblings are Nina (creche) and Evie (ELC)

NOTICES:

<u>Student Services (from Deb Reed)</u> - Just a reminder to check the Need to Know Register for your classes and ensure that if you have students with additional needs, assistants, special arrangements, that you are aware of what those needs/special arrangements are and contact Student Services if you have questions, concerns or need help.

<u>HR (from Carla)</u> -Thanks & Farewell to Nuccia Rantieri (Sport Teacher who was filling in for Stefan Defranceschi whilst on LSL) who finishes end of term 1 but will return for CRT work.

Kinder Staff, ELC Assistants and Creche Staff – Term Two

As we are still unsure of what government restrictions will be in place for the operation of Early Childhood Education Centres, we are planning for a number of scenarios for the start of Term Two, that we will discuss with you. We are also seeing what assistance the recently announced government packages can bring as this may make a material change to what we are able to do.

On Friday, we hope to send an email detailing possible scenarios and options for Creche and ELC staff from Eleanor Muscat in Human Resources. If you have any questions, Eleanor and Carla in your HR team will be happy to discuss these with you.

<u>Jeremy</u>

We are unlikely to know what we are doing with regards to school opening in Term 2. I will provide an update to all hopefully on Tuesday 14 April. The reality is that we should be planning for a continuation of digital Bialik.

A huge thank you to staff that have contributed to Lee's voluntary holiday program. Jeremy is offering JED Talks to families (parents and grandparents) and staff are very welcome to join too. Please reply to the forthcoming email stating which session you would like to attend and a zoom meeting link will be emailed to you an hour before the session.

If you have heard of/or from, families that are experiencing hardship with regards to school fees, please refer them to our finance team (as per email sent last week). Please encourage them to communicate with the college. If you know of families that may be able to assist financially, please also ask them to contact the finance team.

Our BCPA are coordinating food packages for members of our community that have no one to assist them. Details of how to access these will be emailed shortly.

Nathan and the Primary team have produced an incredible video which will be sent to our community on Friday with a Shabbat message. Amazing job well done!

Stay healthy in mind and body. Take care of yourselves and your families.

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Date: To be advised Location: MS Teams