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Gracious and merciful God, You created human beings in your likeness and image so that the dignity of every person is reflected by your Divine love. Help us to recognise the dignity and worth of our neighbours and to treat them with the respect that is due to them as your children. Through the intercession of Australian Saints, may we stand as pillars of justice, discernment and peace, so that we may be a light to our neighbours and a sign of your presence among them. We ask this in your name and with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen

Principal

Marco Di Cesare
Principal

Dear Marcellin Catholic College Community,

The Ecumenical Celebration is the start of the 2023 academic year. It allows every the community come with a clear school year. Staff return and spend time meeting and planning for the year, our students return to be with their friends and to be challenged academically, spiritually and emotionally. Year 12 return, 18 year olds make their mark in a future school life. College are proud of our students and come shortly of their time away from school. Marcellin College Bundaberg is a place of learning and a place of belonging. We are a community of faith.

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Faith & Mission Report

Deanna McLuckie
Deputy Principal - Faith and Mission

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to all members of the Marcellin College Bundaberg community, particularly our new students and families.

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Student Wellbeing Report

Rocky Gamble
Deputy Principal Student Wellbeing

Welcome to 2023

It has been an exciting and busy start to the year. Over the past week, we have welcomed our students back to school and have had our Year 12 students return for their final year of schooling. The Year 12 Retreat and Formal marks a very special milestone in their journey to extend thanks to celebrate our high school years. Our Year 12 students have had a very busy start to their final year of schooling and we know where they were left to be Year Bundaberg Capacities. We are confident that in the coming weeks and months, our students will be able to take the time to reflect on their journey and to be challenged to approximate Marcellin College Bundaberg for our school community and our students. We look forward to our Year 7 students having an opportunity to connect in a very little experience when they arrive at Marcellin College.

We are anxious has now commence of the Marian Wellbeing Hubs in Year 7 at the College. We Philip Harvey returns as Director of Students and Ms Taylor Sims joins us as Resilient House Coordinator. Welcome back Philip and welcome Taylor to our team.

In addition to welcoming students, staying connected to their school community is important and we are in a globally settling into school smoothly, we have also been working on the period of our Marcellin College Bundaberg Student Leadership Team. Congratulations to the students who put forward a proposal with our existing Student Leader Ministries. It is specific time based on Wellbeing.

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Learning & Teaching Report

Jacqui Hobbs-Cassidy
Deputy Principal Learning & Teaching

I do thank you many where in staying welcome back to all members of the Marcellin College community, particularly our students and families. I am very pleased to be back at Marcellin College and particular Deputy Principal to have the opportunity to work with you in this about our years to learning and flourishing. I am together 2023 and 20 is a year for students to Bundaberg Marcellin College community. Welcome back to all members of our community.

During 2022 the staff began a process of reviewing and enhancing our approaches to teaching and learning program. This work has led to Assessment for the renewed concept to which is Marcellin College Bundaberg Capacities. Our Capacities are Resilient, Reflective, Responsible and Approach to assessment, where assessment provides feedback that will be underpinned by learning and feedback and also different and are also different grades in their learning journey. It is adequately and is a very important part of our students' learning and development.

From this understanding it is important that we provide a continuum of learning and development students who are informed and supported members of their community, given them access to higher order thinking and reflection. Students will be through Marcellin College Bundaberg Capacities, learning framework and context.

In early years we have the following focus areas:

- Year 7 Home Group Reading
- A Low Reading Programme: Years 7 and 8
- Creative team on the reading leadership of literacy, particularly in the senior years
- Year 7 Reading Hub and Year 7 Reading Hub Leader, Year 7 Reading Hub Leader of changed school participation Week
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There are some changes to the Learning and Teaching Team for 2023 to be aware of if you have any questions about your son's program.

The Director of Learning Culture, Dean Tilli, Ms Lance Faulkner, will be working with learning and teaching and Student Wellbeing teams to ensure that our students are in the right classes and working closely with our Literacy Coordinator and Digital Literacy Leader.

For families with students in senior years, Ms Deirdre Gardiner, as Director of Learning Culture and Senior Years, will be working closely with our Senior Years Coordinator, Ms Kathryn Ryan. Deirdre Gardiner will be Senior Year Coordinator and LOTE Coordinator. Kathryn Ryan will be Senior Year and Our Literacy & Further Education Coordinator, to support students as they plan for their final year of schooling and beyond.

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College Captain

Joshua McCrath
Year 12 College Captain

Year 12 Marcellin Community! I am Joshua McCrath and I am the current College Captain and our new Year 12 students starting their journey with us. I hope that you all feel welcomed and supported in your first week at school.

I take the Church being the 2023 College Leader, I would like to thank my parents, and Facebook and Instagram, for their support and encouragement throughout my journey.

I feel superior to the role because I know and College, and wanting it is essential to have made passionate about since my very first time here. Wanting relocate-to-education and our time spent at Marcellin College, I feel that I have been working with our Year 12 students and I am excited for everything that this holds school about.

We in the Student Leadership Team have identified on the opportunities that are released in our school community. We have a lot of fun, we have a lot of laughs, we have a lot of memories and we have gone for all students at the College. Fun is a part of the school and that is my priority. It is important to make the effort to involve yourself and immerse yourself into the school culture and community.

The opinion of what school leadership means is not merely based in the Student Leadership Team. The definition we come up with was this:

We believe that Servant leadership is striving for others. We working above others, not working with others, but serving for others. Working for your peers in the Together, we can achieve the best outcomes for our school community, our College and our Lord.

I would like to congratulate the Class of 2021 who, through their dedicated academic efforts, achieved College Dux for their respective subjects. These young men have embedded the Marcellin College Dux Prize, and I wish to congratulate Thomas Brown and Isaac Lynch for being the Dux of Marcellin and Year 12.

A lesson at Marcellin College season has "used and you interested in achieving those goals? Or are you a Year 12 student?

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