

Dear Parent/Caregiver,

As you are probably aware, we have undergone a number of changes within the Board of Trustees in recent months. As a Board we strive to ensure effective and inclusive governance of the school - as well as seeking to empower the Principal and senior leadership team.

At Tuesday night's meeting the Board agreed to request that the Ministry of Education appoint an independent Limited Statutory Manager (LSM) to work alongside us.

We hope the LSM appointment will mean the Parents of MAC group feel their perspectives will be fully considered and that any necessary changes will be actioned by the school. The Board believes the appointment will enable this to happen quickly and minimise the ongoing impact on the students, staff and school.

We believe the appointment is a positive step, and look forward to turning our full attention to other key areas such as monitoring student achievement, recruiting a new Principal and supporting our staff and students after what has been a challenging few months for our community.

The Ministry will now work through a process to appoint an independent LSM, which we understand may be in place by the end of next week. We will update you further once this has been finalised.

Ed Nepia
Board Chair