

YG

From: YK
Sent: Friday, 11 September 2009 1:33 PM
To: REDACTED
Cc: YG
Subject: RE: [SPAM]

Dear REDACTED

Thank you for making me aware of this information. I will of course be sharing this information with the Headmaster.

I appreciate that you have been put under stress by some of the phone calls that you have received and this is unfortunate.

The situation, as you have made reference, is now in the hands of the Police.

If you feel the need to chat at any stage, I am always available, as is our School counsellor and YH

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With kind regards,

YK | Head of Preparatory School |

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From: REDACTED
Sent: Friday, 11 September 2009 12:45 PM
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Cc: YG
Subject: [SPAM]
Importance: Low

Dear YK

I have received many phone calls, mainly on Wednesday, which clearly had an emotional impact on me. The calls were mixed, some angry and presuming absolute guilt, some very sad and in disbelief and others disappointed in the schools actions.

Please trust that my remarks to the parents remained impartial and basically consisted of the responses below:

- It is not our place to judge – natural justice will prevail
- The school is acting within the legal constraints available to them

Yesterday, emails began to be forwarded in support of YJ not to class lists but rather to 'friends'. The emails have stated that they are of a personal nature. A group of parents are organizing a book of letters, drawings etc that will be given to YJ and there is some suggestion that this document will act as a type of character reference in the legal proceedings. A collection is also being undertaken for Coles gift cards for YJ. These parents are deeply saddened by this and are gravely concerned of his mental and physical well being.

The risk involved in this sort of activity is that whilst I admire the support that this group of parents are undertaking, if an email is forwarded to a parent who does not share their sentiment, it will become the schools problem. I would not like to see parents divided because of this issue.

I feel a responsibility to the school to make you aware of this.

Regards
 REDA