

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are aware that serious charges were laid by the Victoria Police against a former member of teaching staff in the Geelong County Court today. The charges relate to allegations of sexual abuse made by one student in reference to events that took place more than 30 years ago at the School's Corio campus.

No current student or member of staff is involved with the court (or police) hearing.

We are conscious that events of this nature are a matter of grave concern to the whole of the school community and, to the extent that we are legally able to do so, we shall keep you informed of developments.

I take comfort from the belief that today any inappropriate behaviour would now be reported by students to school staff immediately, so that appropriate and effective action can be taken swiftly by us and other authorities.

Your support and understanding during this period is very much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Meek
Principal