

STAFF COMMITTEE'S REPORT

FOR

COUNCIL MEETING, 16TH FEBRUARY, 1989

A meeting of the Staff Committee was held on Tuesday, 7th February, 1989.

BUSINESS :

- 1. Mrs. Jan Pennington  
English Teacher on maternity leave last year. Now requests further year's maternity leave. The School has no choice but to grant the leave, according to the Awards.
  
- 2. Rev. Ross Godfrey  
Long Service Leave Term 2, 1990 - Approved. Details of payment via Church or possibility of exchange are being explored.
  
- 3. Mr. Brian Buggy and ABC Symphony Concerts  
Last school year Mr. Buggy had three days off school to fulfil commitments with these concerts. This year it is expected that these commitments will amount to about eight days. His absence from school can be covered. The prestige to the School and the commitment of Brian Buggy are unquestioned. The Committee suggests that we agree to the absence and that perhaps this is the maximum number of days absence desirable, unless there are exceptional circumstances.  
  
Also, the Committee approves Long Service Leave Term II, 1990.
  
- 4. Organist Costs  
The Fees at present are \$60 per funeral and \$75 per wedding. The fees for the organist at funerals have to date been paid by the School. It is recommended that in future the organist's fee be paid by relatives, with the exception of pupils attending the School where the fee be paid by the School.
  
- 5. Mr. Ian MacPherson  
The Committee recommends approval for Long Service Leave Term II, 1989. Consideration was given to the term and quality of service and commitment by Mr. MacPherson. He had been unable to accept an exchange teaching position. It was the agreement of the Committee that financial assistance of \$3,500 was appropriate.

6. Mrs. Davy Conacher  
Suggest approval as exchange teacher teaching Term II, 1989.  
The Council has agreed to provide financial assistance of \$3,500.  
Subject to agreement with the relevant authorities.

7. Temporary Appointments 1989

Mr. Scott McConnell

One year in English. Five years Education Department casual plus overseas experience.

Ms Heather Knights

Term I Mathematics (replacing Mr. Degotardi). B.Sc. with seven years' experience in British Public Schools.

Ms Susan Marton

Term I French. Subject Head Killara High School.

Mrs. Julie Evans

Part-time Remedial teacher four days four periods - half pay. Replacing Mrs. Barnett.

Mrs. Judith Robinson

At present works in the Foundation Office. Next year will supervise and manage the considerable hassle of bus and rail passes.

8. Mr. Chris Fotis - Mr. Damian Vance

To be discussed after report from the Headmaster.

(DR.) JAMES A. WHITE,  
Convener,  
Staff Committee.

14th February, 1989