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Dear Members of the Lindisfarne School community,

Principal's COVID-19 Update 14 to the Community Extension to Lockdown to 28 August 2021 - All of NSW

This morning the New South Wales Government announced an extension to the lockdown until Saturday, 28 August 2021 for all of New South Wales including regional areas. The current Public Health Orders will remain in place until 28 August.

Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School will continue remote and online learning until such time as the lockdown and Stay at Home Public Health Orders are lifted. The School will remain closed for face-to-face learning and only open for children who are vulnerable or the children of essential workers who cannot conduct their learning from home.

Parents are requested to log any absenteeism from remote and online learning via Parent Lounge, otherwise, all students are expected to be engaging in the learning programs being provided to the best of their ability.

Head of Senior School, Mrs Kate Cornell and Dean of Studies, Ms Caroline Jeffries will communicate shortly with HSC students and families regarding finalising the remaining HSC Trial examinations.

Please also note that under Level 4 restrictions for schools, masks become mandatory indoors and outdoors.

As you understandably appreciate this is a time of continued challenge in New South Wales and I urge families and staff to follow all requirements of the lockdown and to get tested if you have any COVID-19 symptoms, no matter how mild.

We also understand this is a difficult time for the community and are grateful for your ongoing patience and cooperation. Please continue to monitor the New South Wales Health websites as information is updated regularly.

We continue to make representations to all levels of Government and relevant authorities in relation to the New South Wales/Queensland border along with a number of organisations and groups impacted by the current restrictions.

The efforts this week of our School parents, our students and our extraordinary staff have been incredible, once again demonstrating the strength and resolve of the Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School Community.

Should you require any further assistance, please contact your respective Head of Subschool, Mark Douglas, mdouglas@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au, Jeremy Godden, jgodden@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au, Kate Cornell, kate.cornell@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au or Deputy Principal, Charlotte Lush clush@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au or Director of Community Engagement, Simon McKinley smckinley@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au.

If you are experiencing genuine financial hardship as a result of the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic please contact the Business Manager Brett Dinsdale, bdinsdale@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au in relation to available support.

School Chaplain, Reverend Constantine Osuchukwu, constantine.osuchukwu@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au, the School Psychologists, Sarah Broome, sarah.broome@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au, Susi Meyers, smeyers@lindisfarne.nsw.edu.au and Senior Staff are available to school families and students at this time.

With our love and support as we journey together through the current challenges and the impact on everyday life.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stuart Marquardt', written in a cursive style.

Stuart Marquardt
Principal