



14 November 2023

Dear College Community,

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to inform you of a significant change regarding our traditional Founders' Day celebration scheduled for Friday 24 November, a cherished event in our school calendar.

In an effort to align ourselves with other Edmund Rice Schools worldwide and to honour the Feast Day of Blessed Edmund Rice, we have made the decision to postpone our Founders' Day celebration to 10 May, 2024 which aligns with our future 2024 Founders' Week celebrations. We believe this adjustment better reflects the values and legacy of our founder and provides a more fitting occasion to celebrate our shared heritage.

We understand that many families have already been billed for the event as part of their Term 4 accounts. Please be assured that these funds will be carried forward to next year's celebration, and no additional costs will be imposed on any current student. We greatly appreciate your understanding in this matter.

Additionally, this change aligns with our Year 11 Assessment schedule and will support our students as they navigate the challenges of the 2023 school year. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, but we believe that this adjustment will ultimately enhance the quality and significance of our Founders' Feast Day.

Therefore, Friday 24 November will be a normal school day for all students.

We thank you for your ongoing support and look forward to celebrating this special day in a manner that truly befits the spirit of our College.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the College.

With warm regards

Michael Ronchetti  
**Principal**