



Mrs Fiona Nolan
Principal
Mount Carmel College
361 Sandy Bay Road
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Dear Mrs Nolan.

RE: HOBART LEGACY BADGE WEEK - STUDENT ASSISTANCE

Hobart Legacy Inc was established in 1923 as the Remembrance Club of Hobart, to assist Returned Servicemen gain employment and establish business and farm enterprises. The Club inspired the creation of some 44 Legacy Clubs across Australia, with an evolved focus on the welfare of the widows and partners of deceased Service Men and Women, who saw active service or died of injuries following their service, and the education and development of their children.

It is a voluntary organisation that relies on its members (Legatees) to deliver on its aims. Our primary source of income is the collection revenue from Badge Week, which is spent on the beneficiaries. Legatees are prohibited from recovering personal costs associated with their work for the Club, save for training. Last financial year we spent some \$67,000 in direct support to our beneficiaries.

This year we raised approximately \$70,000 across the Greater Hobart Area. In no small part this was due to the assistance we received from Mount Carmel College. In Sandy Bay (outside the Newsagency (Monday-Tuesday and Coles (Wednesday-Saturday))) we raised some \$2,800. This amount included a very kind and unexpected donation of \$100 from your School's Community Fund.

The kind offer of support from Mr Gerard McNulty and a group of your school's students was indispensable in enabling me to fundraise in Sandy Bay during the whole week. The students who assisted me were:

*Miss Amelia Cowen
Miss Emily Pizzoni
Miss Freya Rossiter-Hill
Miss Island Smith
Miss Juliette Cousins
Miss Ellie Banks*

Their assistance presented me with the opportunity to recognise that, in a changing world, there remains the hope in youth who are prepared to actively support their community. The young ladies are a credit to themselves, their families and your school community.

Would you kindly pass on my thanks to Gerard and the above students and may God bless them in their personal and academic endeavours.

Yours sincerely,

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