7th October 2015

Dear William Carey Christian School Community,

It gives me great pleasure to announce the School Board has appointed Mr Keith McMullen as the Principal of William Carey Christian School commencing in January 2016.

Keith McMullen is the current Head of Science, holding this position for the last 14 years, and has been part of the William Carey teaching staff for 20 years. Prior to this, Keith worked in the NSW public education system.

In addition to providing exceptional leadership to the Science faculty, Keith has been involved in:

- Implementation of the ‘Embedding Formative Assessment’ framework across K-12 that the school now bases the school teaching framework on
- Assisting the Director of Teaching and Learning in preparations for BOSTES inspections that have resulted in the maximum 5 year accreditation
- Developing frameworks to improve teaching and learning in the Science department
- Implementation and ongoing management of Years 7-9 Assessment Calendars to improve families’ awareness of upcoming assessment tasks
- Establishing the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme at William Carey
- Coordinating the Natural Photography Competition for the past 7 years
- Multiple school musicals in various backstage and orchestral roles

Outside school, Keith has been involved in HSC Biology marking including leading and instructing a team of makers, completed a Moore Theological College PTC Course with 1st class honours and is an Elder at his church. He also has an interest in photography and bushwalking.

The process leading to the appointment has been extensive over the past three months. The School Board greatly appreciates the assistance of Dr John Collier, current Principal of St Andrew’s Cathedral School, throughout the process. The School Board was unanimous in offering Keith the role of Principal. The School Board has the expectation and confidence that Keith will continue to develop the culture and educational excellence that already exists at William Carey, whilst continuing to ensure the school’s vision and distinctly Christian worldview is maintained.

Yours sincerely

Christopher Gross
President
William Carey Christian School