Can you believe the academic year is completed!

We have had an amazing year at the St Andrew Campus and our Awards Assembly yesterday was a highlight of the year with our choir performing, students reading original poetry, performing body percussion and dancing for us. Students received awards presented by Mrs Rachel Boyce (College Principal), Mrs Madeleine von Muralt (College Board Chairperson), Mrs Rebecca Fletcher (PYP Curriculum) and Pastor Andrew. Congratulations to all our students for a fantastic academic year, especially those who received these awards:

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<td>This award is for a student who has achieved well in any area of the curriculum. It could be that they have put in a major effort and improved in a learning area or that they have achieved well in a learning area. It is not necessarily for academic excellence but it can be.</td>
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Other award recipients were:

**Principal’s Award: Brody Fellows – Yr 5**

Brody exemplifies the College Values in all he does. Brody shows care to students of all ages, is ready to help out, before being asked and is also committed to improving himself in all areas of the curriculum. Brody has taken on leadership roles in the playground and in the classroom and leads with integrity and reflection. Congratulations Brody and thank you for being a role model to others.

**ICT/Ricoh: Charlie Peterson – Yr 5**

**Australia Day Citizenship: Cadence Kavanagh – Yr 6**

**Nicole Mansion – Spirit of St Andrew Award: Chelsea Warner – Yr 3**

This award is to a student at the St Andrew Campus who always puts in exceptional effort.

**As a final goodbye to the 2015 academic year** – I would like to say a huge thank you to all those involved in our College community. There are many people who have contributed to the smooth running of our campus: Class Carers, working bee helpers, disco helpers, special day activity helpers, classroom helpers, camp/excursion helpers and all the other times you have been around to enhance the learning of our students. Please accept this as a big thank you and I look forward to working with you all again in 2016.

For those families leaving to relocate or to attend different schools I wish you God’s richest blessings and pray that you find a welcoming community wherever you are. For Ms Rachael Murray and Mrs Debbie Tyson, I wish them well as they relocate inter-state. You will be missed by our community!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful staff for their dedication to student learning. I am grateful that I am able to serve the families of St Andrew campus alongside talented staff and look forward to the New Year.

School returns Wednesday 27 January 2016. Have a safe and blessed Christmas and enjoy the break from school.

*‘The beauty of Christmas is not in the presents but in His presence’ (Anon)*

Karen

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Candidate School Statement

St Andrew Campus Leanyer is a candidate school* for the International Baccalaureate (IB) Primary Years Programme and pursuing authorization as an IB World School.

IB World Schools share a common philosophy – a commitment to improve the teaching and learning of a diverse and inclusive community of students by delivering challenging, high quality programmes of international education that share a powerful vision.

*Only schools authorized by the International Baccalaureate can offer any of its four academic programmes: the Primary Years Programme (PYP), the Middle Years Programme (MYP), the Diploma Programme or the Career-related Programme (CP). Candidate status gives no guarantee that authorization will be granted.*
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**Year 5/6 Graduation and Award Ceremony**

A Graduation ceremony was held in the Dreambuilders church to see our current Year 5 and 6’s graduate from the Primary Years Program and ‘Step up’ into Middle Years Program.

A number of awards where handed out and we would like to congratulate all our award winners as well as the rest of the Year 5/6 graduates and wish them well on their continued learning journey.

**CONGRATULATIONS CHELSEA WARNER**

Chelsea received this award as she always does her best in all endeavours both in and out of the classroom. Chelsea strives to be a friend to all and is often seen helping students and staff around the campus. In class, Chelsea works diligently to complete tasks and is ready to support other students who may need some help. Congratulations Chelsea and thank you for your commitment to your learning and the learning of others.
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What a fantastic Christmas Concert put on by our beautiful ELC children.

A huge thank you to Miss Irene, Miss Rachel, Miss Nancy and Miss Jacinta.
HAVE A BLESSED CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR