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College Council Members



Jane Swift

I am Archbishop's representative on the Mercedes College Council and am privileged to have had this role for the last 4 years. I have 2 adult children, and 5 grandsons, 2 of whom are currently at Mercedes. Max and Leo are both in the Junior School, while Liam Swift graduated in 2017.

I have been a teacher and principal in Catholic schools; I have also worked as an assistant director in charge of human resources in Catholic Education SA, as a Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Adelaide and as Director of Catholic Education SA. Being on the Council gives me excellent opportunities to continue to live out my passion for Catholic education and to contribute to the faith, education and wellbeing of children and young people. I have a particular commitment to excellence in education, to valuing and promoting the teaching profession, and to child protection.

This year I am continuing in my role as Chair of the Education Standing Committee of College Council.



Olga Trouptsis

I am a current parent, with my two daughters currently enrolled at Mercedes College, Anastazia is in Year Level 7 and Renee is in Year Level 6. I am very passionate, energetic and determined to contribute fully as member in a truly representative Council. Working in the Catholic Education sector since 2013 has provided me the opportunity to meet wonderful students, parents and staff in various communities.



Louise Mathwin

Having a law degree has given me the skills to work in private legal practice, as an Adviser to State and Federal Members of Parliament and Ministers and to run and expand my family property business that my grandparents started 60 years ago. Whilst maintaining part time work for a Federal Member of Parliament, I have followed my passion and now run my own business in the health and wellness industry. My children (William and Eleanor) are in the Junior School at Mercedes. I am a serving member of College Council and I am the current Chair of our Council. My husband Isaac is an Engineer in private practice.



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Leeann Katherine Faddoul

With children set to attend Mercedes College until 2024 and fundamental to my Catholic faith and personal values being the desire to make a difference within the community and for the future of our children, I welcome the opportunity of contributing to and supporting Mercedes College through Strategic Management and sound governance practices, as part of a dedicated and committed College Council. These values are also reflected in my career choice of working in the SA Ambulance Service; where my governance experience ranges from Executive, Finance, Risk Management & Audit to Community Advisory & White Ribbon Accreditation Committees.



Tanya Sexton

I have been a parent at the College for 12 years. My two daughters have been at Mercedes since reception. I am a qualified accountant and have spent my career working in the public sector. I have a strong interest in governance and strategic management. As a member of the College Council I will bring a strategic focus to developing initiatives that will ensure Mercedes College continues to be regarded as a world class school into the future.

Alf Ianniello

I am the Chief Executive Officer of Detmold Packaging, a South Australian packing company employing over 2,500 people worldwide. Together with my previous roles at British Aerospace and Schefenacker Vision Systems in the defence and automotive industries respectively, my international experience encompasses all continents of the globe.

I have qualifications in electronic engineering and management. I deliver industry and executive seminars and have participated in a number of committees and industry bodies.

I apply the same ethos of commitment and hard work to my charitable ventures, having twice led a bike-riding team from Adelaide to Melbourne. I am the Chairman of Adelaide City Football Club.

My wife Maria and I have four children, pre-schooler Olivia and three boys - Benjamin, Jack and Joseph - who attend Mercedes College.