



Dear Royal Oak Intermediate Parents, Caregivers and Students,

Your Board of Trustees is sad to announce that Ross Devereux has chosen to resign from his position as Principal of Royal Oak Intermediate as of 28 October 2018. This was an extremely difficult decision for Ross to arrive at and one that was not taken lightly by any means. This decision was based on personal reasons.

Ross passes on his thanks to the Staff, our community, board members and of course students for their positivity during his time here.

We would like to thank Ross for his enormous contribution to the school and we wish him and his family well in the future.

Ross is currently on a period of leave. Albra Stoltenkamp has stepped up from Deputy Principal to Acting Principal during this leave, and until such time as a Principal is appointed on a permanent basis. We are certain that Albra will perform this role superbly.

The Board are very confident that Albra and our wonderfully dedicated staff will support our children throughout the remainder of 2018 and beyond. Our School continues to move in the positive direction set by Ross and the Board, with our teachers focusing on delivering high quality teaching and learning here at Royal Oak Intermediate.

We will begin the process of appointing a permanent Principal and will look to have the right candidate in the role by the start of the 2019 year.

Please contact Albra or me if you have any questions.

Regards

**George Woodward**

**Board of Trustees Chairperson**