

# COMMUNITY & RELATIONSHIPS

GOALS	STRATEGIES	TIMELINE	RESPONSIBILITY
<i>Establish the school as an integral part of the Pottsville community</i>	1. Ensure a school presence within all significant community events e.g. ANZAC Day, Nursing home visit, public displays of work samples etc.	1.1 ongoing	1.1 Principal / A.P. / Leader of Evangelisation / School Chaplain
	2. Invite local organisations into the school for community based celebrations e.g. Pre – schools for Book Week, Indigenous locals etc.	1.2 ongoing	1.2.Principal / A.P. / School Chaplain
	1. Initiate and sustain a culture of community partnerships with local organisations e.g. Dune Care, Pottsville Community Centre	1.3. ongoing	1.3. Principal / School Chaplain
<i>Identify, initiate and build opportunities to engage parents / carers in the life of the school</i>	2.1 Provide opportunities that encourage parent / carer involvement e.g. Grandparents Day	2.1 ongoing	.1 Principal / A.P.
	<b>2.2 Create opportunities that nurture family members as partners in student learning and growth e.g. parent information evenings, student led conferences, see saw, school masses</b>	2.2. 2017	2.2. All Staff

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<i>Establish and promote community networks</i>	3.1 Provide ongoing opportunities to invite groups into the school for focused joint projects e.g. Pre-Schools, Men's Shed, St Vincent de Paul Society	3.1. ongoing	3.1. Leadership Team, Chaplain, Student Leaders
	3.2 Visit and engage outside agencies in the pursuit of enhanced educational and personal growth of students and staff	3.2 ongoing	3.2 Leadership Team, ANT, Chaplain
	3.3 School is connected locally and globally	3.3 ongoing	3.3 All Staff, Chaplain
	3.4 Form relevant and authentic relationships with other Diocesan schools.	3.4 ongoing	3.4 All Staff
<i>Develop a community that is based on positive relationships, trust and transparency</i>	4.1 Ensure that the school promotes inclusivity for all community members – parent assembly evenings, school community events	4.1 ongoing	4.1 All Staff
	4.2 Create a culture where diversity and difference is celebrated e.g. NAIDOC week, Harmony Day, Indigenous approach to learning, grandparents friends day,	4.2 2017	4.2 All Staff
	4.3 Decision making is collaborative and transparent	4.3 ongoing	4.3 Leadership Team