



ST. BRIGID'S COLLEGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Further to information sent to you regarding the College's Operating Guidelines which indicate which events and activities can proceed safely, the Principal of Mazenod College, Mr Andrew Watson, and I have spent some time considering the continuation of our joint production, *'The Wedding Singer: A Musical Comedy'*.

As you may be aware, activities must promote and practise good hygiene principles, and support schools as safe and open for learning. **Unfortunately, we will need to postpone the production at this point in time given the complexities of continuing it under the present guidelines, which focus on avoiding the gathering of multi-age groups of students, avoiding indoor school events of more than a class size and students mixing from different schools in these contexts.**

Naturally cast, choir and band members will be disappointed by this news. Please be assured that the decision has not been taken lightly, and it is our intention to monitor the information supplied to us via the Chief Health Officer, and communicated in updated directions, to ascertain whether we will be able to reschedule the event at a later date.

Mr Watson and I would like to acknowledge the outstanding work the group has done over the past six months, and the quality of their effort, passion and talent. The many staff members involved in the production have expressed what an absolute pleasure it has been working with this group and everyone involved hopes to continue working on this creative endeavour in the near future. In light of the postponement, we would like students to keep themselves well-rehearsed with their lines, choreography and band/choral parts, as we could be 'back up and running' at a moment's notice.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With my kindest regards,

Carmen Cox
Principal

11th February 2022