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**COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS NSW/ACT WELCOMES
APOSTOLIC NUNCIO FOR HOLY SEE, HIS EXCELLENCY CHARLES BALVO TO
COMBINED MEETING 2023**

The Council of Catholic School Parents NSW/ACT will hold their annual combined meeting on 31 August – 1 September, bringing together members of the Council and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Committee.

The meeting will be hosted by Headmaster Michael Blake at St Joseph's College Hunters Hill and will be attended by special guests and speakers including the Apostolic Nuncio for Holy See, Archbishop Charles Balvo, who will address the meeting at 3pm on Thursday 31 August, and celebrate Mass afterwards.

“The theme of our meeting, *Connecting for Growth*, is indicative of our aim to reach all parents and families as the first educators of children and young people in our Catholic schools in NSW and the ACT. We are proud to hold our annual combined meeting at a congregational school, which is a first for CCSP, and we look forward to welcoming leaders in education including from ACU, CSNSW and the Federation of Religious Institute and Ministerial PJP Catholic School Authorities in NSW and ACT. We are especially pleased to announce that the Apostolic Nuncio for Holy See, Archbishop Charles Balvo, will be joining us,” said CCSP Chair Wayne Davie.

Members of the press are invited to attend St Joseph's College, Hunters Hill, Mark St, Hunters Hill, on Thursday 31 August 2023 for interview and photographic opportunities for their publications.

The Council of Catholic School Parents NSW/ACT (CCSP) is the voice and advocate for parents and carers of children and young people in NSW Catholic schools, representing the families of over 257,000 students in systemic and independent Catholic schools across NSW and the ACT.

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