## **Our Principal's Message**

Cattai Public School situated 10 kilometres north of the township of Windsor near the picturesque Hawkesbury River, offers students all the benefits of education in a large school, with the friendliness and welcoming atmosphere of a small school. I am greatly honoured to be Principal of such a strong academic, high achieving school and one of tremendous community support. Our school is one of tradition and this year celebrated 125 years of education to the Hawkesbury area.

We presently have 61 students, under the care of four enthusiastic and experienced class teachers (including a librarian), who are assisted by one part-time specialist teacher of reading recovery providing additional programs for selected students.

By sending your child to Cattai Public School you can be assured that you have chosen a wonderful school with excellent teaching and learning programs supported by the most dynamic, professional and caring teachers. Our students participate in the local Hawkesbury Community of Schools programs such as Creative Arts, Sport, Gifted and Talented Literature (Debating and Public Speaking) as well as the Small Schools Gala Days. We offer several kindergarten transition days for all pre-kindergarten students and their families to ensure transition to "big school" is smooth and comfortable.

At Cattai Public School we offer students a broad range of educational opportunities in a safe, caring and picturesque environment. For example each classroom has an interactive whiteboard with two dedicated classrooms having a connected classroom for networking programs for students and staff.

Strong academic programs, highly dedicated staff and excellent facilities offer your child the very best opportunities for success. We pride ourselves on strong academic National Assessment results in Literature and Mathematics, as well as exemplary class and playground behaviour.

Our welcoming and friendly school community is based on strong cooperative relationships between staff, students and parents. Our parental community is the backbone of the school. Parents are keen to be involved in areas as varied as school fundraising, monthly cake days and half term lunches to working bees and school celebrations. Our P & C meet on the first Monday of each month.

We welcome enquiries and are proud to show you around our wonderful school which is dedicated to ensuring quality education in a caring environment.

Best Wishes
Todd Miladinovic
Principal