



# Ken Greenwood

## Interim Assistant Principal

### *About Me!*

Ken Greenwood has a rich heritage in Christian Education, having worked for many years in CEN and CSA schools in Victoria and NSW. He was a member of the first cohort of students to be educated at Mt Evelyn Christian School, where his parents were founding Association members. Following his training at the University of Melbourne, Ken worked as a Science and Maths teacher at Donvale Christian School, then moved to NSW to take up the position of Head of Secondary at Penrith Christian Community School. Since then he has held three Principal positions - 4 years at Northside Christian College, Victoria, 11 years at Taree Christian College, NSW, and 4 years at Orange Christian School. Ken also worked for 6 years as the Victoria/Tasmania Executive Officer for CSA, providing support and networking opportunities for 21 Christian schools, including several in Tasmania.

Ken has a strong conviction that Christian Education should be accessible to all parents who desire it for their children. He has practical experience in helping Christian schools serve multi-cultural communities, indigenous communities, regional as well as suburban communities. He has been involved in accessing various forms of targeted funding to improve literacy outcomes, indigenous student outcomes, and accessibility of Christian education to low-income families. Ken has been instrumental in establishing a special campus for students with social/emotional needs in a regional area. In his most recent school, Ken provided stability through a time of structural and staff change, whilst guiding the school community through the challenges of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Ken and Gayle have two adult sons. In his spare time, Ken enjoys gardening, fishing and home improvements. Gayle enjoys creating mixed-media artistic works, usually around themes of redemption and restoration. Ken has a deep appreciation for the Bible teaching he received in his youth, and enjoys sharing scriptural truths at every opportunity. Now semi-retired, Ken has made himself available to support Christian schools for short periods of time where this would be helpful. He is looking forward to getting to know the community at Leighland Christian School.

Mr. Greenwood will play a pivotal role in bringing our vision to life. With his contribution, we will continue to build a school that fosters a sense of hope, community, and personalised education.