Our Theme - “The Joy of the Gospel - Putting our Faith in to action”

The Fourth Sunday of Lent –
“...God sent his son into the world that we might be saved through him...”
(Jn 3: 14-21)

Dear Parents, Guardians, Care Givers, Grandparents and Students,

We remember in our prayers Mrs Maree Blanchard, wife of Mr Terry Blanchard (a much loved St Leo’s College Principal from 1990 to 2001). Maree passed away after a short illness. Her funeral was held at St Brigid’s, Marrickville last Thursday. A number of staff attended, as well as 4 senior students representing the College.

Terry expressed that his years here at the College as Principal was one of the “most treasured and rewarding stages in my life coming third to my wife and family.”

In our day to day relationships, both in school and at home it is true that we often seek to test the limits of the love and respect that is expressed. Our young people in particular often test the boundaries of their parents’ love and the boundaries of the staff who care for them. It is often a test to reassure themselves of this love and respect - will you still respect and love me, even if I do this? This Sunday’s readings portrayed the people of God as adolescents constantly testing out the limits of God’s love and respect. In a remarkable act, God’s own Son is sent into the world to die as a sign of the lengths to which God will go to assure humanity of the love that is ours for the taking, if we so wish.

These last two weeks have been very busy – to say the least. In fact I would have to go so far as to say that our young people have not been testing the limits (as per my reflection above) but have been very supportive and taking the lead in the many events that have taken place.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 11th March
(Week 7) Year 8 (and 7)
Parent Information Evening - 7pm
(TLOCC). Guest speaker on Cyber Safety.

11th, 12th and 13th March - Year 7 Camp

Tuesday 24th March
(Week 9) Year 10 Parent Information Evening - Guest presenter: Real Talk 7pm (TLOCC)

Wednesday 25th March
(Week 9) Year 9 Parent Information Evening – Guest Presenter: Your Choicez (Koblers) - 7pm
We recognised and celebrated the 2014 academic, cultural and sporting award winners at the 2014 College Award Ceremony. The assembly heard our College Dux, Ms Corinne Mack speak about the contributing factors to her obvious success – an ATAR of 99.2. Our special guests included: Mr Steve Russell, Mayor of Hornsby, Mr Matt Kean, State Member for Hornsby, Fr Robert Borg, Fr David Ranson and of course representatives from the Catholic Schools Office and the College Board. We were entertained by our College Symphonic and Jazz Bands – which were both absolutely brilliant.

Thank you to all those parents and grandparents who attended and supported the College in recognising the many great achievements we celebrated.

Last Friday we conducted our College Open Day. Chairs were set out for 500 people – an extra 100 chairs were needed. It was a great day where the students were very proud to show off their school and more importantly the positive relationships and their learning in a very wide range of areas. I received many positive comments about our students, particularly about their very positive attitude, their demeanour and the way they speak to others. A follow-up evening for any prospective parent unable to attend our Open Day – will be held Tuesday 17th March at 7pm in The Light of Christ Centre.

Last Tuesday evening we held our first Parents Information Group Evening for this year. It was very pleasing to have 75 parents in attendance at this meeting/workshop. I gave further feedback about the MMG Survey Results from last year; where we are up to with our Building program and what is in store for 2015. I then handed over to 6 recent “Year 13” students who were able to talk to small groups of parents about their life at St Leo’s, the ups and downs and what worked for them – particularly the role of their parents in their secondary education. It was a great evening and I am very interested to receive the evaluation forms from these parents who participated. These parents were still talking with these past students at 9.15pm. I am sure that the outcomes of their children will be strengthened as a result of this evening workshop.
Last week I (along with 12 Victorian Principals) spent four days in Melbourne at the Bastow Institute completing a 9 day course, via Auckland University, on facilitating Open To Learning Conversations. It centred around ways in which school leaders can make a positive difference to students’ well-being and achievement is through their leadership of learning within the school. This involves building trusting relationships, for example by dealing with difficulties in respectful ways. School leaders who use open-to-learning conversations with their staff deal constructively with conflict situations, give and receive negative feedback, identify and clarify issues, and develop positive future action to improve the outcomes of the students.

During the past two weeks I have seen many great examples of the College working in partnership with parents to improve the outcomes of our students. I have witnessed these individual groups working independently of each other to ensure that each group is operating at its maximum, thereby contributing even more to this most important partnership.

Last Thursday saw a “Clean Up Australia” mufti day, where the students were encouraged to wear green and the money raised from this day would go towards the $10,000 target that the students set for Project Compassion this term.

I have written of students and parents. Now what of the staff? Over these two weeks specifically, I have seen the English teachers develop a timetable that will assist students in English that have questions or difficulties in their studies. This timetable is of teachers availability and willingness to assist outside of formal lesson times. Many other KLAs do the same, but this is what I have witnessed in these two weeks. The before and after school training and selections that have taken place for various sport programs. The passionate and obvious time taken to enhance our Music students for their outstanding performances at the Opening College Mass, the 2014 Awards Ceremony as well as Open Day. The obvious pride in staff as they go about their “normal” teaching and organised excursions. I have not been on these excursions – but I am overwhelmed by the photos and stories I hear about the students’ learnings and exemplary behaviour, upon their return. Some of these photos (Year 10 French Market Day and Year 11 Studies of Religion) are included in this edition of the Pride.

I thank you for your support in your attendance at one of our many events over the past few weeks, for your support with our young people in many different areas and for your positive attitude which is certainly evident in our students.
As a further “partnership” evening – we have our CyberSafety evening this Wednesday evening commencing at 6.45pm for a 7pm start in The Light of Christ Centre. This evening is being facilitated by Leone Smith (“The Cyber Safety Lady). It will highlight and address aspects in the students’ use of the Internet, technology and social media. I hope to see many of you as possible as we all delve into this new and exciting world of technology. Parking is available in the College grounds and on the Basketball courts. Below is a testimonial from one of Leone’s recent presentations:

I recently attended your Cyber Safety seminar at Manly Village Public School. I just wanted to write to you to say thank you. I found the evening incredibly informative, practical and so valuable in terms of safeguarding and educating my children about staying safe in this fast moving and ever changing cyber world.

You delivered such an important and positive message with regard to the internet being an exciting and powerful tool when used in an educated and safe manner.

I was able to warn a friend about the dangers of Kik after your talk (I hadn’t even heard of it) and after researching all the Kik information on your website, my friend’s teenage daughter quite happily removed Kik and Ask.fm from her devices.

Thank you for passing on your passion and knowledge, your talk prompted me to chat with friends about how important it is that we are informed and able to keep our kids safe on-line and educated with regard to all things cyber!

I hope you are able to run many more seminars like this and that more and more parents and children learn how to enjoy the internet safely. Karen Wooldridge Parent

**An Invitation – ANZAC Day – The Light of Christ Centre**  
*Saturday 18 April, 2015 – 10.30am – 12.30pm (Free Admission)*

In a “Conversation Series” event to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the ANZAC tradition, Dame Marie Bashir will appear at the Light of Christ Centre, Waitara, in conversation with the well-known Australian journalist Ray Martin.

The values of the ANZAC tradition, its capacity for engendering a life-giving community identity, and the nature of sacrifice for the ideal of a better future are anticipated conversation points. How does the ANZAC legend speak to us today? How does it relate to young people or to those who may have recently arrived and now call Australia home? This community building conversation is very topical and should be well received.

RSVP: By 15 April at [www.trybooking.com/HAEW](http://www.trybooking.com/HAEW) or 9847 0448, 4332 9825.  
Be quick! These conversations fill very fast!!!
Breaking News
Congratulations to our intermediate girls touch football team who beat Mount St Benedict’s last Friday to make the it through to the grand final to be held this afternoon - Good luck girls.

Unfortunately our senior team lost to Barker 3-7 and did not make it through.

Mr AF Gleeson
Principal

“...Remember we are but travellers here...”
St Mary of the Cross Mackillop (1866)
Assistant Principal

Lent is an ancient word for springtime. It is a time for joy - the joy of a fresh start. As pointed out in Lectio Devina, “Too often Lent has been misunderstood as a time of grim repentance, but it is meant to be a time of joy, the joy of a fresh start, the joy that greening meadows and blossoming trees proclaim each spring”. In modern life, it is often easy to rush from one thing to the next without taking the time to stop, reflect and appreciate how lucky we are. I would encourage you during this season of Lent to make time for reflection and renewal.

Pope Francis has called us to consider carefully the importance of not just being faithful to the traditions of Lent, but also to make sure that Lent is a time where we put our faith into action. Project Compassion is a practical way for each member of the College community to do this. Project Compassion 2015 is focused on helping the world’s poorest people establish sustainable food, so that they can free themselves from the burden of food insecurity and develop new, improved income streams for a better future. Each week the College Prefects are collecting money to support Project Compassion. They have set an ambitious fundraising target of $10,000. I would encourage each family to support this very worthy cause so that we can provide assistance to those most in need.

Open Day
Open Day last Friday gave us the opportunity to showcase our wonderful students, staff, parents and facilities to prospective parents and students on a normal school day. All of our students were outstanding ambassadors for the College. We were able to showcase the College grounds – in particular The Light of Christ Centre, the new Science building and the almost complete A and B Block. It is exciting to know that we are getting close to the handover of A and B Block. This will then allow us to install the new lockers and begin work on Phase 3 of the Building Works Program.

2014 College Awards Ceremony
On Tuesday 24th February we were able to acknowledge and celebrate students achievements and efforts over 2014 in a range of areas. Attached in this edition of the Pride is the list of award winners – all of whom serve as role models.

Clean Up St Leo’s Day
In the past 25 years, Australians have devoted more than 27.2 million hours towards the environment through Clean Up Australia Day and collected over 288 650 tonnes of rubbish. The College again supported this very important event cleaning up our local school environment last Thursday. I would encourage all parents to use this as an opportunity to talk to your sons/daughter about the importance of caring for our environment.
Catholic Life and Mission

The theme of Lent continues to drive the liturgical aspects of the College. Along with Mass being celebrated in the Chapel on Tuesday mornings and Friday lunchtime, the onset of Lent has seen the introduction of the Rosary being prayed in the Chapel during recess on a Monday. This event has been a student initiative, arousing a strong response and has had a good level of student involvement.

The student response to Project Compassion, through donations during Tutor time, has been extremely generous. Students within the College are gaining a strong understanding of the impact that Caritas is having on communities in need and are also seeing that their contributions are making a real impact on the world around them.

In curriculum news, Year 11 students had the opportunity last week to deepen their understanding of how religion and faith have an impact on their wider world. Year 11 students attended an excursion that allowed them to experience and analyse the religious points of view of Sikhism, Islam and Judaism. Students travelled to the Sikh temple at Glenwood, the Emmanuel Synagogue and the Gallipoli Mosque in Auburn where they were able to interact with and learn from members of the participating religions. The intention of the excursion was to give students the chance to gain a deeper understanding of the content that they will be studying in the Studies of Religion Syllabus throughout the HSC.
On Monday evening the 2nd March, Mrs Coleman, Mrs James and myself attended the opening of the Art Express exhibition at The Armory, Sydney Olympic Park. Natasha George’s HSC work, *Platisphere* is one of the works on display. Over 9,900 students completed HSC Visual Arts in 2014 and to be nominated from this many candidates is a phenomenal achievement. The exhibition runs from the 6th March - 26th April.

*Platisphere* is a term used to refer to ecosystems that have evolved to live in plastic environments.

My body of work explores the continuing problem of harmful rubbish in the world’s waterways. There is an estimate of 46,000 pieces of plastic in every square mile of the

**Visual Arts Excursions**

**Art Express, Pop to Popism, Chuck Close**
Over the last couple of weeks Years 10, 11 and 12 have furthered their understanding of artistic practice by attending various Blockbuster art exhibitions at the Art Gallery of NSW and the Museum of Contemporary Art. Years 11 and 12 have been inspired by works from Art Express (some of the most outstanding HSC artworks from last year) and Pop into Popism (works from the likes of Warhol and Lichtenstein). Year 10 were lucky enough to view the exhibition of Chuck Close at the MCA. Chuck Close is known as a Photorealist artist, creating mind boggling realistic portraits in a variety of

Juliette Carson
Music News
Mid term and the music department is full of brilliant sounds and great performances. There have been exciting events in the past two weeks.

The Symphonic Band wowed the students and parents at the 2014 Award Ceremony. They performed Choreography by Robert Sheldon, a challenging and captivating wind ensemble piece. A great start to the year for the band, congratulations to the students for a fantastic performance.

Students from years 9 to 12 had the opportunity to participate in a barber shop quartet workshop last Friday. Mellow Diners Barbershop Quartet took the students through a workshop. They were taught tags in barbershop style followed by a performance by the group. They all had a great experience and enjoyed listening to professional musicians. The students are looking forward to going to the Barbershop Big Day Out on Friday May 1st.

It’s always exciting when you hear or see something new. Two year 8 music classes were treated to a demonstration by Bede Patterson (Year 8) on the bag pipes! As part of the Year 8 folk music and guitar topic, Bede showed his peers how the sound is produced and the various parts of the instrument. Look out for a possible collaboration between the bagpipes and the symphonic band!

Please remember that if you are interested in learning more about our ensembles or wanting to have private tuition lessons at the College, please visit the music department and pick up the relevant notes.

Around the Grounds

Open Basketball
The College Open boys & girls basketball teams headed up the coast last week to attend the Broken Bay Basketball Championships after such great preparation leading up to the event.

The girls performed outstandingly for a young opens team demonstrating some strong ‘D’ and great movement of the ball. This is a team to watch out for in the future.

The boys underwent some last minute reshuflles due to injuries plaguing our consistently strong boys team. Unfortunately the injuries did get the best of our boys team this year, however, they still managed to finish in the top 4.

Well done to both teams!
**Soccer Trials**
This Week our U13’s, U15’s and Open’s soccer trials took place. The turnout was phenomenal and all students had to really compete for their position on the squad.

The talent in year 7 and 8 is looking good and will provide our teams with more depth this year.

Thank you to everyone for trialling for the team. Training will commence as of next week for all teams.

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**BROKEN BAY REPRESENTATIVES**

**Rugby League Selection Trials**
Well done to Pat La Toracca and Billy Pollard who headed to MacKillop College this week to trial for the Broken Bay Rugby League Team. Pat was selected into the Open’s team as a front row forward and Billy unfortunately just missed out on being selected for the U/15’s. Billy played up an age group for this trial. He ran his lines well and had tight defence throughout the game. He should definitely be in the team next year so look out!
ST LEO’S COLLEGE SPORT PROGRAM

Representative Sport
In order to be part of the representative sport program there will be various trials scheduled throughout the year in many different sports prior to the competition. Students interested in representing the College in a particular sport will be required to attend the trial and should they be selected, there will be a mandatory training session at least once a week.

A student selected for a representative team will need to purchase the correct team wear available at the uniform shop unless advised otherwise. In most cases a jersey will be supplied, to be returned at the end of the season.

As part of the representative sport program students will participate predominately in the Broken Bay Secondary School Sport Association (BBSSSA). This is our pathway to higher representation for most sports. There will be a range of other tier 2 competitions which we will be involved in for certain sports.

Who can I speak to about a particular representative sport?
For your first point of contact please speak to the head coach of the sport. Should there be any concerns or for further information you can contact the Leader of Sport as a second point of contact.

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For sports not listed above please refer to the Leader of Sport for further information.
**Sport For Life Program**

As part of Year 7-10 students will engage in the Sport For Life Program (Internal Sport). Each cohort will have the opportunity of participating in a wide variety of sporting activities throughout the year on their allocated days.

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The aim of the sport for life program is to allow students to gain an appreciation for sport and physical activity regardless of their fitness levels or talents. The College endeavours to make it “sport for life”. Meaning that sport and physical activity form part of the daily lives of our students, it becomes a lifestyle and hopefully a routine that students can continue within their lives after school just like the way they brush their teeth each day.

To maximise participation and allow students to achieve our male and female students are separated during sport. For Years 8-10 there is an extension program called the Accelerated Sport Program (ASP) for students who compete at a higher level of sport and are passionate about sport & physical activity. This allows our sporting program to be more specialised and cater for the needs of our students just as in the classroom.

**Higher Representation in Sport**

Our pathway to higher representation is through BBSSSA and should you be selected into the BBSSSA team you have the opportunity to be up for selection at NSWCCC (NSW Combined Catholic Colleges), NSW All-Schools and then School Sport Australia. Some sports require you to register directly with NSWCCC.

All sporting events in NSWCCC and All-Schools require parents to register and approve their child online. For information on your chosen sport including closing dates, upcoming events, calendar of events and registration please visit the NSWCCC website on: [https://www.csss.nsw.edu.au/nswccc-home.aspx](https://www.csss.nsw.edu.au/nswccc-home.aspx)

To register your child for a particular sport for the first time you will need to be allocated a username and password. This can be done by clicking the login button. Following this you will need to click the links below and then follow the prompts:

- ‘What’s my password?’
- ‘I am a parent /guardian of a student’
- ‘Secondary school student’
- ‘I am having trouble logging in’
Where can I access Sport Information?
For all sport information students can check the sport notice board attached to ‘c’ block, access information via the College App, Website, The Pride Newsletter and the Daily Notices.

I cannot emphasis enough how important it is to download the College App. This will have all the important information you need to know about sport.

Eg.
- Training & Trials Schedule
- St Leo’s Representative Sport Calendar
- BBSSSA, NSWCCC & All Schools Calendar
- Sport For Life Program
- Wet Weather - Postponing of an event

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS

WEEK 7

March 9  NSWCCC Golf Selections (Tuncurry)

WEEK 8

March 16  NSW All Schools Cricket Girls (Bathurst)
          NSWCCC Southern Golf Selections (Macquarie Links)

March 17  NSW All Schools Cricket Girls (Bathurst)
          NSWCCC Baseball Selections (Kelso)

WEEK 9

March 23  NSWCCC Hockey Sel. (Newcastle)
          NSWCCC Southern Golf (Wet Weather)
          Closing Date CCC Open Basketball Champs

March 24  NSWCCC Hockey (Wet Weather)
          NSWCCC Baseball (Wet Weather)

March 25  Sydney Independent Rugby League Selections 15 & 18 yrs
          (Norford Park)
2014 Award Winners

Principal’s Gold Awards
Presented to students who have shown an exemplary level of commitment to achieving their own personal best. Students have received the highest possible personal profiles grades in all areas in all courses.

Year 7
Marion Bajar
Olivia Clay
Imogen Cull
Lucinda Grout
Kayece Hassarati
Pearlyn John Britto
Megan Mawby
Madeleine McMahon
Jenna-Rose Meyers
Chloe Moltzen
Megan Nitzsche
Georgia Peregrina
Hannah Stibilj
James Stibilj
Don Vila
Jaeden Vila

Year 8
Christine Baynie
Amy Cornale
Caleb Cull
Ashley Funk

(Year 8 continued)
Jacques Godbold
Courtney Hickman
Joshua McLeod
Vivien Nguyen
Kate O’Callaghan
Alex Papp
Maisie Punt
Shane Rodrigues
Joshua Staggs
Amy Supple

Year 9
Sarah Dever
Natalie El-Hage
Emerald Murray-Joseph
Reon Rebello
Gaudett Talens
Liam Tobin

Year 10
Maegan Chin
Jessica Funk
Mitchell Trott

Academic Excellence Awards
Presented to students who have achieved first place in a course or who have achieved a place in at least three courses.

Year 7
Marion Bajar
Justin Chou
Olivia Clay
Kayece Hassarati
Megan Mawby
Madeleine McMahon
Megan Nitzsche
Katy O’Leary
Georgia Peregrina
Peter Plant
Lily Rosen
Daniel Sheppard
Veronica Smith

(Year 7 continued)
Hannah Stibilj
James Stibilj
Don Vila

Year 8
Thomas Barrington-Molloy
Nathan Carey
Camille Chin
Gabrielle Cook
Amy Cornale
Caleb Cull
Ashley Funk
Charlotte Gamble
(Year 8 continued)
Jacques Godbold
Dominique Hassarati
Aiden Hose
Jessica Knight
Miranda Michalowski
Kate O'Callaghan
Alex Papp
Sophie Rawsthorne
Joshua Staggs
Amy Supple
Thomas Treloar
Chelsea Tullia

Year 9
Catriona Campbell
Amy Carswell
Sarah Chahine
Sarah Dever
Emily Freeman
Sophia Groundwater
Rohan Knight
Laura Moran
Jenny Nguyen
Reon Rebello
Jessica Richards
James Roworth
Andrew Samuel
Karla Schwalger
Isaak Smith
Adam Stibilj
Liam Tobin
Mark Tobin
Brittany Wells

Year 10
John Anderson
Maegan Chin
Ruby Ford

(Year 10 continued)
Jessica Funk
Timo Godbold
Brigitta Handayani
Daniel Hose
Samuel Irving
Melissa Kurushingal
Carmen-Mary Maatouk
Michellina Mahfoud
Liam Matthews
Wilson Murphy
Samantha O'Brien
Arthur Treloar
Ryan Tullia
Rebecca Wilson

Year 11
Natalie Barker
Sam Batchelor
Carolyne Blake
Paul Charteris
Phoebe Cook
Lucy Crothers
Lauren Fitzsimmons
Monica Gonzalez
Lor'ence Gosbee
Hannah Haldenby
Bianca Italiano
Grayson Kieran
Matthew Maishman
Luc Modde
Kieran Mooney
Conrad Nitzsche
Andrew Placko
Adair Sheppard
Callum Southgate
Jade Ti
Rebecca van de Werff
Nicholas Wood
Peter Zeaiter
Year 7 2014 Special Awards
Outstanding Contribution to Instrumental Program - Justin Chou
Outstanding Contribution to Vocal Ensemble - Megan Mawby
Sportswoman of the Year - Mia Hing
Sportsman of the Year - Billy Pollard
Contribution to Catholic Life and Mission of the College - Kate-Lyn Millar
Best All Rounder - Veronica Smith
Year 7 Outstanding Scholar - Georgia Peregrina

Year 8 2014 Special Awards
German Consulate Prize for Excellence in German - Aiden Hose
Outstanding Contribution to Instrumental Program - Jacques Godbold
Outstanding Contribution to Vocal Ensembles - Tamara Manktelow
Sportswoman of the Year - Tahlia Macri
Sportsman of the Year - Rowan Wood
Contribution to Catholic Life and Mission of the College - Thomas Fletcher
Best All Rounder - Camille Chin
Year 8 Outstanding Scholar - Joshua Staggs

Year 9 2014 Special Awards
German Consulate Prize for Excellence in German - Mason Francis
Outstanding contribution to Instrumental Program- Liam Black
Outstanding Contribution to Vocal Ensembles - Laura Moran
Sportsman of the Year - Keeley Bowen

Year 10 2014 Special Awards
German Consulate Prize for Excellence in German - Alexandra Hurden & Emma O'Brien
Outstanding Contribution to Instrumental Program - Wilson Murphy
Outstanding Contribution to Vocal Ensembles - Maegan Chin
Sportswoman of the Year - Paige Hilton-Butt
Sportsman of the Year - Alec Arnold
Bradfield Prize for Citizenship - Petrea Cantrall
Vanessa Anderson Award for Excellence in Sport - Liam Matthews
Contribution to Catholic Life and Mission of the College - Petrea Cantrall
Best All Rounder - Daniel Hose & Maegan Chin
Year 10 Outstanding Scholar - (Sydney University Academic Excellence Award)
Jessica Funk

Year 11 2014 Special Awards
Outstanding Contribution to Instrumental Program - Jillian Haertsch
Outstanding Contribution to Vocal Ensembles - Robert Barker
Sportswoman of the Year - Hannah Haldenby
Sportsman of the Year - Oliver Hing
Matt Kean Prize for Citizenship - Sam Batchelor
The Gellert Josef Bakos Memorial Encouragement Award - Sabrina Scrogie
Contribution to Catholic Life and Mission of the College - Andrew Placko
Best All Rounder - Monica Gonzalez
Year 11 Outstanding Scholar - Sam Batchelor
DID YOU KNOW?

According to the most recent figures available (2012), the average net cost of educating a student in a NSW Catholic school was $11,532 per year.

This is less than the cost of educating a student in a government school ($12,118) or in an independent, non-government school ($16,654).

Despite this efficiency, Catholic schools still rely on Federal & State Governments for more than 75% of our funding needs.

This is why funding support from Federal & State Governments must keep pace with rising education costs - *to maintain education quality and to ensure a Catholic education remains affordable for all families.*