Dear Parents, Carers, Students and Friends of the College,

As we prepare for the Stations of the Cross here at Clancy, I realise that our scriptural theme this year casts a new light on our understandings of the Stations of the Cross. “Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me” (Matthew 25:31-45). We have challenged ourselves to ‘Go make a difference.’ When I look at the Stations of the Cross and the giant story it tells, there is one person this year who stands out significantly. It is Veronica.

Veronica is a bystander. She is one person in the crowd, she is not the significant player in this story, nor does she headline any particular act. Veronica is one of many people standing and watching a great injustice being done.

Yet Veronica makes a decision and through an act of kindness, challenges the behaviour of every other member of the crowd gathered. She makes this decision alone. She steps out into the path where Jesus is walking, she brings a towel with her and she wipes his face. Veronica is not a super hero who swoops in and picks him up from the ground and takes him away. She does not save his life. Her act might be seen by some as trivial, but I would say today her act was incredibly brave and enormously significant.

It was a large act, it was a very brave and courageous act. It could have cost her a beating or possibly death. She took an action that was significantly opposed to the general feeling of the time or the mob that was there. It was right, and it was kind. It may have lifted the spirits of Jesus as he went. It may have reminded Him that people essentially can be very good. It may have reminded Him that people can be very brave and that extraordinary things can happen in adverse times.

For me, it reminds all of us that even though the act might be small and it may not change the events or path of a significant something, however, it can make a difference. Veronica’s story made enough difference for it to remain in the account of the Stations of the Cross. It is perhaps the only beacon of light there was on a very dark day. It is a symbol of hope and it inspires all of us to realise that each one of us has the capacity, even in a small way, to make a very big difference.

Each one of us here at Clancy is a ray of light. Even as we endeavour to combine as a community to create a great light, we should remember that a single light, can make a very big difference in a dark place. Only light can drive out darkness, only acts of hope can drive out despair. We can choose to be bearers of hope to those around us or bearers of despair.

To those living in Syria, to those in detention centres, to children who live their lives in the grip of poverty and violence, may we look to be the bearers of hope, may we look for even small opportunities to make a difference while they live very dark days.

Congratulations
Congratulations to all the five MISA Teams who have made Grand Finals this term:

- Boys’ Senior Basketball coached by Mr Bolonia
- Boys’ Junior Softball coached by Mrs Khoury
- Girls’ Junior softball coached by Miss Portors
- Boys’ Junior Volleyball coached by Mr Krupa

We are so proud of every MISA representative player this season. Win or lose you were there. Well done!

Iris Nastasi
Principal
**From the Assistant Principal**

**Swimming Carnival**

On Friday 7 March, the College had its Annual Swimming Carnival. Three things I observed on the day highlighted the tremendous atmosphere and community spirit this College exhibits. Throughout the day the enthusiasm and team spirit, that students in each house demonstrated through the cheers, rally cries and support of team mates as they swam was the best I have ever seen in my time at the College. One example of this school spirit was demonstrated by a young man in Year 11. He was not a strong swimmer but went in every race he was eligible in order to gain points for his team. He demonstrated the ‘have a go’ attitude many of our students show at these days. During one of these races his competitors finished well ahead of him. They then waited for the young man to finish and applauded him for his efforts. They demonstrated a quality we hope all our students will exhibit of supporting and encouraging one another. To all students congratulations on your efforts in making the Swimming Carnival such a successful day.

**Parent/Teacher Night**

This year the College is moving to a web based electronic booking system for parent teacher nights. In the coming weeks you will receive a letter in the mail outlining the process. You will be required to register on a listed website using a unique access key that will be contained in the letter you receive. This code links your son(s)/daughter(s) profile to your registration. The Parent Advisory Board has trialed the new process to ensure its smooth operation. Once you have registered, if you have a son/daughter in Stage 6 (Year 11 and 12) you will be able to make appointments for the Parent Teacher Night on 5 May. If you have any queries surrounding this process please do not hesitate to contact the IT department at the College. Throughout the year as parent/teacher nights approach you will be informed when bookings can be made.

**School Caps**

Just a reminder to parents that students can wear the College caps to protect themselves from the sun. The College strongly supports the purchase and wearing of these caps at recess, lunch and during sport. A number of girls are now wearing them which is to be commended. Could you please encourage your son/daughter to wear the cap while outdoors at school.

**Craig Mooney**

**Assistant Principal**

**From the Religious Education Department**

Last Monday Year 11 had their Reflection Day at Mittagong. The day marked the beginning of the final stages of their faith development throughout their junior years. They participated in other Reflection Days looking at their character and building their faith, but Monday’s reflection was the beginning of their exploration of our College charism that had been introduced by our College Patron Cardinal Clancy: The Spirituality of the Heart. Students discussed various issues and concepts with being a senior at the College as well as looking towards their future. This will all culminate with their Senior Retreat in Term 4 later this year and conclude with their last Reflection Day next year.

The season of Lent also marks a very important event run by Caritas and supported by the Church. Project Compassion was launched two weeks ago with the same format being followed as the previous years. Each Pastoral Class has been given a money box to collect donations every morning. Caritas, every week during Lent, release a story about a particular person with whom they support and has benefitted from their donations. Each year group has been assigned a particular story to support and every week has an initiative to help raise not only funds but awareness of their story. Year 10 started off week one by organising ‘Shrove Thursday’ raising just under $300. Last week Year 12 launched their Footloose Dance Party which will take place on Friday 28 March, with all proceeds going to their nominated story. Year 8 launched a number of Lolly Guessing Competitions supporting Archie from the Philippines. In the next coming weeks, the other year groups will also launch their initiatives.

Tuesday morning Mass continues to be celebrated in the Chapel every Tuesday morning at 8.00am. Next week 25 March, 10 John Paul II will lead us in the ministry and the following week, 1 April, Mass will be led by 10 Luther King. All families are welcome to join us.

**Melinda Melham**

**Religious Education Coordinator**

**Weekly Academic Awards**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th><strong>English</strong></th>
<th><strong>Weekly Academic Awards</strong></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Year 12</strong></td>
<td>Dijana Battistini Van-Anh Ho</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Chunya Pakdee Jesse Inzitari</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Mathematics</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Year 8</strong></td>
<td>Roy Dela Cruz</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Year 10</strong></td>
<td>Nadia Acitelli</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Year 12</strong></td>
<td>Anthony Pasquale Carissa Dunn</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Van Anh Ho</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**David Timillero**

**Curriculum Coordinator**

**Year 11 Reflection Day**

On Monday 10 March, Year 11 attended a Reflection Day at Mittagong. The day consisted of numerous activities that helped us reflect on our values, think about the ways in which we should make our decisions and also think about what we want to achieve or hope to have in the future such as success in studies, strong relationships and unconditional happiness. It was a truly relaxing and empowering experience as we were given time to not only strengthen our relationship with God, but also escape stress as well as learn how to handle it during our senior years. The teachers were immensely encouraging and reinforced their support for us especially during this busy time of our lives. The experience also taught us that balance between studies, sport and the things that matter most to us are extremely necessary. Overall, the Year 11 Retreat was a truly helpful experience and we were all able to take something away from it.

**Giselle Sagredo and Anthony Dimanche**

**Year 11 Leaders**
Year 11 Mt Kiera Senior Science and Biology Excursion
Clancy Year 11 Senior Science and Biology students accompanied by their teachers Mr Hocking and Miss Portors travelled to Mt Kiera Rainforest on Monday 17 March to conduct a field study on two different ecosystems. The students investigated the distribution and abundance of stationary species within the rainforest, measured a range of biotic and abiotic factors and examined the unique relationships that exist between plant species. Students were able to observe first hand how humans have impacted on the ecosystems, which allowed them to identify conservation measures and the importance of caring of our environment. The excursion allowed students to ‘interact with nature’ and discover the unique relationships and interactions between plants and animals including a wasp living inside fig fruit and the ever present rainforest leech that occasionally got a little too close for comfort.

Sarah Portors
Assistant Science Coordinator

Year 12 Chemistry and Physics excursion to ANSTO

On Tuesday 11 March, the Year 12 Chemistry and Physics classes attended an excursion to the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation (ANSTO). Along with Mrs Naraj and Mrs Mamo, the students were able to see the laboratories and reactors in which radioisotopes are produced. Such equipment included the new research reactor OPAL. We were able to learn of the various experiments undertaken at the site as well as the high demand for Australia’s leading laboratories which are more advanced than others of their kind. We were also taught about the many uses for the radioisotopes harnessed at ANSTO; both in the industry and medical practices within Australia and internationally.

We would like to thank Mrs Naraj and Mrs Mamo for allowing us to see ANSTO and the reactors first hand, after having learned about the radioisotopes they produce.

Sarah Ashcroft
Year 12 Chemistry Student

Year 11 Geography Excursion

On Thursday 13 March, Year 11 Geography students attended a field study to Minnamurra Rainforest. Upon arrival we had some recess and then we were joined by Warren, who accompanied us for the day. We first took part in a skills experiment and then a small presentation, before we were able to explore the various trees and animals that made the rainforest their home. We were also able to experience the adventure of seeing a waterfall, by climbing many steep hills. The day ended with a trip to McDonalds and a late arrival to school. The excursion to Minnamurra was a great experience for Year 11 students and we are all looking forward to our next field study.

Louise Debono, Olivia Tropea and Natasha Galatti
Year 11 Students

Year 12 Twilight Study

In Weeks 7, 8 and 9 of this Term, Year 12 students have been given the opportunity to participate in after school Twilight Study Sessions. These sessions occur from Monday to Friday (excluding Tuesday) from 3.00pm-6.00pm in the College Library. This is an amazing opportunity for the students to get help from their teachers and to collaborate with other students in order to prepare for upcoming exams. It was been widely supported by many Year 12 students. The College Library has been filled with the quiet buzz of study and the whispers of collaborative learning and peer teaching.

We would like to thank all the teachers for tending to the needs of Year 12 students and for volunteering their own time to help us. In particular we would like to thank Mrs Nastasi, the College Leadership Team, Mr Aitken and the Year 12 Pastoral teachers for making it possible for us to have this time to partake in such an important initiative. This is one of the many reasons that Clancy Catholic College is a great school.

Michael Boateng Benson & Sarah Ashcroft
Year 12 Students
On Thursday March 6, Michael Benson and I attended the 2014 Pentecostal Consultation at the Sydney CEO. This event was open to the senior leaders of the Catholic schools within the Sydney Archdiocese. Professor Craven, the Vice-Chancellor of ACU and Bishop Comensoli spoke to us about the issues of religious freedom, drawing upon its prevalence to youth and suggested to us how we could make a difference. Following this, we were split into groups to answer questions centred upon religious freedom. We were given the opportunity to voice our opinions on contemporary issues relevant to our faith that were then recorded. The answers to these questions will be collated by Bishop Comensoli to be produced into a document that will be released at Pentecost and made available to the Catholic community.

We would like to thank Mrs Kihi for attending this evening with us and for allowing us to reflect further upon the issues facing Catholics and their faith.

Sarah Ashcroft and Michael Benson
Leaders of Catholic Life

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal - Clancy Knitting and Crochet Drive

105,237 people in Australia are homeless. 18,000 are under the age of twelve. 29,000 are in NSW alone.

The reality is homelessness is a prominent issue in our contemporary society. It occurs more than we realise. As a Catholic community, Clancy College has decided to embrace the College theme, ‘Go and Make a Difference’ by participating in the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal by running a Knitting and Crochet Drive. The purpose of this drive is to involve all students, staff and families to contribute by knitting or crocheting a 16cm X 16cm square. These squares will then be made into blankets, which will be donated to the St Vincent de Paul. The drive will begin in Week 8 and will continue through until 20 June where the College will hold a Winter Stay Out.

To assist student involvement, Knitting and Crocheting Teaching Sessions will be held at the College from Week 8 up until the end of Term One. These will occur during lunchtime. The details of the sessions are:

- Week 8b: Wednesday and Friday
- Week 9a: Thursday
- Week 10b: Thursday
- Week 11b: Thursday

A limited number of knitting needles and crochet hooks will be provided. Students are encouraged to bring their own knitting needles (4mm) or crochet hook (4mm).

All students are welcome to the teaching sessions. Parents, grandparents, neighbours and friends are also welcome to be involved by knitting or crocheting a square at home, which can be donated to the College at the teaching sessions via your son or daughter. To assist families in the creation of your square, the following guidelines have been provided:

- Knit or crochet a 16cm X 16cm square.
- Use 4mm knitting needles or a 4mm crochet hook.
- Use 8mm ply wool. Any colour EXCEPT BLACK.
- Donations of needles and wool will be appreciated.

This winter, we are challenging you to make a positive difference, to step out of your comfort zone and to donate a little of yourself for the benefit of the less fortunate. We thank you in advance for your support and look forward to seeing what you can create!

Michael Musumeci and Carissa Dunn
College Captains

Project Compassion Fundraising - Pancake Breakfast

Caritas Australia is a worldwide organisation that continuously assists in bringing justice and fairness to those who struggle and aren’t as fortunate as we are. To raise money for this foundation, Year 10 students agreed to put on a pancake breakfast that ran on Thursday 6 March. Our aim as a year group was to raise money and awareness for an 18 year old girl name Maristely and her family who live in the slums of Brazil. Our objective was to improve their living conditions and their access to basic facilities. This event started at 7.45 in the morning and each pancake was sold for $1. Our pancake breakfast was a success as we raised $251 that will be donated to Caritas Australia in order to support Maristely.

Angela Caccamo and Renato Marando
Year 10 students
Mass of Thanksgiving
For His Eminence,
Cardinal George Pell AC

In appreciation for his service as the eighth Archbishop of Sydney,

St Mary’s Cathedral
Sydney

Thursday 27 March, 2014
Doors open from 6:45pm,
Mass to commence at
7:30pm
On Wednesday 12 March, Year 7 attended their Annual Camp at Yarramundi. When we arrived, we moved straight to the hall where we were split up into our activity groups in which we spent most of our time over the course of the Camp.

Our activities started at 8.00am every morning although we needed to wake up at 6.00am for Breakfast. Breakfast was the most important meal of the day as it gave us energy for the many thrilling activities that followed.

My favourite activity was the Giant Swing because I enjoyed being suspended 20 metres above the ground, then being released and swung back and forth with wind gushing past my face. Even more exciting, was the Man Challenge, where you had to release the rope and not hold on to it while you're being swung. Mr Nuske completed this challenge and entertained us with his facial expressions and vocal harmonies.

The night activities were also very exciting with Camp Yarramundi hosting a number of fun events. After a very long day we all tried to be asleep by 10.30pm but our adrenaline stopped us. On the second night we had our disco. Most people dressed in “black and white theme”, looking quite sharp (especially me). Fun was had by all, especially on the dance floor as we all channelled our inner Michael Jackson, but for some it was more like Mick Jagger. By the end of the disco, exhaustion set in and we all slept like babies.

On our final day, our funny entertaining group leaders guided us through the challenges by encouraging to use both teamwork and strategies.

On behalf of Year 7 students, I would like to thank YMCA staff at Camp Yarramundi for making our time a memorable one. I would also like to thank all the Clancy staff that attended the Year 7 Camp, especially Miss Volpato who organised this exciting Camp for us.

Thank you teachers for taking time out of your family life to help us create these wonderful memories.

By Samuel Foti
Year 7 Student
Round 5:  Clancy vs William Carey Christian School

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SPORT</th>
<th>AGE GROUP</th>
<th>RESULT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Volleyball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9</td>
<td>Lost 1 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9</td>
<td>Drew 2 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Softball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9</td>
<td>Lost 0 - 10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9</td>
<td>Won 2 - 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tennis</td>
<td>Open Girls</td>
<td>Won 21 - 11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cricket</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12</td>
<td>Lost 43 - 75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basketball</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12</td>
<td>Won 30 - 16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 10-12</td>
<td>Lost 14 - 18</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Oz Tag</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12</td>
<td>Won 9 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 10-12</td>
<td>Won 7 - 1</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Semi Finals**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SPORT</th>
<th>AGE GROUP</th>
<th>RESULT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Volleyball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9 vs William Carey</td>
<td>Won 3 - 1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9 vs Thomas Hassall</td>
<td>Lost 3 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Softball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9 vs William Carey</td>
<td>Won 5 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9 vs Thomas Hassall</td>
<td>Won 10 - 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tennis</td>
<td>Open Girls vs All Saints</td>
<td>Lost 10 - 22</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cricket</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12 vs All Saints</td>
<td>Won 120 - 96</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basketball</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12 vs Good Samaritan</td>
<td>Won 28 - 21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 10-12 vs All Saints</td>
<td>Won 22 - 16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Oz Tag</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12 vs William Carey</td>
<td>Drew 6 - 6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 10-12 vs Freeman</td>
<td>Lost 1 - 4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Coming up:**

**Grand Finals**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SPORT</th>
<th>AGE GROUP</th>
<th>VENUE</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Volleyball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9 vs Thomas Hassall</td>
<td>Thomas Hassall</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9 vs William Carey (3 vs 4)</td>
<td>William Carey</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Softball</td>
<td>Boys Year 8-9 vs Thomas Hassall</td>
<td>Jacqui Osmond</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 8-9 vs Freeman</td>
<td>Jacqui Osmond</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tennis</td>
<td>Open Girls vs William Carey (3 vs 4)</td>
<td>Lurnea</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Cricket</td>
<td>Bye</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basketball</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12 vs All Saints</td>
<td>Whitlam Centre</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Bye</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Oz Tag</td>
<td>Boys Year 10-12 vs Good Samaritan (week 10)</td>
<td>Paciullo Park</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Girls Year 10-12 vs Good Samaritan</td>
<td>Paciullo Park</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

‘Wests’ Representative
Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to represent ‘Wests’ in the Soccer trial against ‘Easts’ on Monday 28 April.

Boys: Joshua Rose
Girls: Amelia Reyes, Alyssa Marco, Kirstie Brookes, Nadia Kolakovic, Bianca Kolakovic

We wish the students the best of luck!
College Swimming Carnival
On Friday 7 March, the College travelled to Prairiewood Leisure Centre for the 8th Annual Swimming Carnival. The weather was outstanding and the students and their House Spirit supremely matched it. All students who attended the day showed tremendous character and participated in the swimming and the war cries. Congratulations to the House Leaders for their cooperation and guidance of the students. Thank you to all the staff who assisted on the day and to the parents who kindly showed up to show their support.

Final House Placing’s were as follows:
Luther King 368 points
John Paul II 348 points
Teresa 339 points
Chisholm 254 points
Ozanam 252 points
MacKillop 238 points

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>AGE</th>
<th>FEMALES</th>
<th>MALES</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>12s</td>
<td>Hannah Kane and Emily Kane</td>
<td>Lachlan Wotton</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13s</td>
<td>Sabrina Pusateri</td>
<td>Phoenix Giandomenico</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14s</td>
<td>Gemma Reindl</td>
<td>Edward Hamaty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15s</td>
<td>Emilie Kelly</td>
<td>Michael Cuschieri</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16s</td>
<td>Giselle Sagredo</td>
<td>Kristian Trajkovski</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Opens</td>
<td>Shannon Pestana</td>
<td>Marco Giandomenico</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Individual Age Champions were

Congratulations to the Luther King House on their victory and to the individual age champions.

Michael Bell
Sport Coordinator

We ask the question again.....HAVE YOU GOT TALENT?
We think that you do! Last year there was an overwhelming response to the auditions. What was more impressive was the support for contestants as they gave it their all in the hope of representing their school in the regional heats. Clancy 11 sang their way through the heat and into the regional heats where they impressed the judges with their rendition of “This is love”.

Now, it’s time to get that backing track, tune that guitar, learn the lyrics and perform like you have never done so before. Keep an ear out for the audition dates in Term 2. You will need to register before the end of Term. More details will be given soon.

Remember, new talent is discovered very minute in some part of the world. Why not here at Clancy?

Clancy Art Prize 2014
This Friday 21 March, the annual Clancy Art Prize takes place at the Australian Catholic College Art Gallery in Strathfield. Every year artist from around the Diocese exhibit their work in a celebration of the talents of our students in our schools. Each year the standard of work climbs to a new level with many people from the public attending the exhibition.

The exhibition runs from 21 March to 5 April 2014.

Calling All Musicians
Do you play an instrument, sing or maybe even already play in a band? Come along and join our ranks in the music department and let your talents be shared with our school community. See Mr Alvear, Mrs Guild or Mr Harvey for details.

Did you know that we have some students who have recorded in professional studios, and even are on the verge of releasing a single? Stay tuned for more information.

John Alvear
CAPA Coordinator
ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLIES
2014 FIJI

When  22 - 29 November 2014
How much  $2280 including flights
Book by  30th May 2014

EXCLUSIVELY FOR SYDNEY CEO

MAKE MEANINGFUL MEMORIES NOT REGRETS

DRUG, ALCOHOL & TOBACCO FREE

www.inroadsschoolies.com
schoolies@inroads.net • 1800 819 156

HARVEST INROADS
What are you doing this school holidays?

Sitting at home? Games on Facebook? Hanging at the shops?

Forget that!! Join us at...

Y Factor

Hosted by Catholic Youth Services,
Y Factor is about fun, faith, food and friendship!

Who: Students in years 7-12 (separate programs for 7-9 & 10-12)

When: Wed 23 - Fri 25 April 2014

Where: Benedict XVI Retreat Centre, Grose Vale (drop-off & pick-up from Homebush)

How: A registration form must be completed and returned by Monday 7 April.
Total cost is $145 (covers accommodation, food, transport & activities). Discounts for multiple siblings available.
Email: events@catholicyouthservices.org or call 9764 4357 to grab a form or for more info.

Catholic Youth Services is the agency for young people in the Archdiocese of Sydney.
Y Factor is run by Catholic Youth Services in conjunction with the Archdiocesan NET mission team.

www.facebook.com/catholicyouthservices
**Dates to Remember**

- **Thursday 27 March**
  - Year 8 Visual Arts Excursion
  - Year 11 Ancient History

- **Friday 28 March**
  - Year 11 Legal Studies Excursion
  - Monday 31 March
  - Staff Development Day

- **Tuesday 1 April to Friday 11 April**
  - HSC Assessment Block

- **Wednesday 2 April**
  - Year 10 PDHPE Excursion
  - Year 11 Photography Excursion

- **Thursday 3 April**
  - Year 11 D & T Excursion

- **Friday 4 April**
  - Extension 1 English Excursion

---

**From the Finance Department**

A friendly reminder to all families that school fees for Term 1 are now due. Payment may be made by Bpay, cheque, cash, Eftpos or credit card. If you have not received your account, please contact the college.

Any queries regarding fees or payments please contact the College Office. All conversations are strictly confidential.

Thank you for your continued support of Clancy Catholic College.

Gary Williams
Business Manager

---

**MONDAY LUNCH PROGRAM FOR YEAR 7 STUDENTS**

All Year 7 students welcome, every Monday Term 1, Demountable 9

- Relaxation
- Food/snacks
- Friendship
- Games/art activities