



“TO SEEK TRUTH AND PEACE”
KIMIHIA TE PONO ME TE RANGIMARIE

RONCALLI COLLEGE
NEWSLETTER



Reflection

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As Term 1 draws to a close, I think it is important to take stock of all that has transpired in a relatively short period of time. ERO was foremost in our mind this term as the team conducted a comprehensive school review. I have read their preliminary report and I am pleased to say that we will be receiving a 'healthy' report along with some sensible and welcome recommendations for improvement. The official report will be published early in Term 2 for your reading. In addition to our ERO visit we also had the following events: Year 13 retreat, swimming sports, athletic sports, Year 10 camp at Boyle River, Bishop Lyons, Year 9 orientation and barbecue, Peer Support, First XV entry into the Press Cup, staff special character day, school lip sync competition and various class trips (Geography, Science, Outdoor Education). There have also been many outstanding individual student achievements both on the sporting and cultural front. Alongside all this activity we have also been undergoing a

“The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra”

major I.T. upgrade which should improve the speed, quality and functionality of our network in the near future. We are grateful to the BOT for their commitment to improving I.T. at the school.

With many of these annual events now behind us, the primary focus of Term 2 will be academic. And to this end, we will endeavour to minimise class interruptions and ensure that tutorials are on offer for students requiring extra assistance.

During the holiday period, interim reports will be mailed out to all par-

ents/caregivers. These should give you a snapshot of student achievement at this point in time. In week 2 next term we have scheduled Year 10 conferencing and in week 3 we have scheduled Year 9 conferencing. As conferencing is our primary means of reporting student achievement, we urge all parents of Year 9 and 10 students to attend (please refer mail out coming soon).

I would like to thank the Roncalli community for all the support you have given the college during Term 1 and I look forward to more successes during Term 2.

Happy Easter.

***Until Next time,
Chris Comeau,
Principal***

WINTER SCHOOL UNIFORM

All students please remember that full winter uniform is required to be worn at the commencement of Term 2

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Special points to remember:

- 31 March - Full Cross Country
- 1 April - Lip Sync Competition
- Term 1 ends