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Dear Parents/Guardians,

In week 8, students of Years 9 and 10 will be participating in an Incursion titled “*Locker Room*”. It is an interactive incursion designed for boys to explore traditional notions of masculinity and the negative consequences and behaviours that may result. Boys are encouraged to courageously and honestly express themselves whilst challenging gender stereotypes, judgements and beliefs that limit human potential.

The outcomes of this incursion include:

- A greater understanding of how men and women are presented in society.
- Greater awareness of the impact of gender stereotypes on peer relationships.
- Greater awareness of self and the impact of the peer group and gender stereotypes on their individual behaviour.
- Increased appreciation of each other and the ability to build meaningful connections beyond their gendered stereotypes.
- Confidence in recognising and challenging gender stereotypes in society.

Dates:

Tuesday December 1 - Year 9

Group 1: 9-1 (ALL), 9-2 (ALL) & 9-3 (A-I) - periods 1 and 2

Group 2: 9-4 (ALL), 9-5 (ALL) & 9-3 (J-Z) - periods 3 and 4

Wednesday December 2 - Year 10

Group 1: 10-1 (ALL), 10-2 (ALL) & 10-3 (A-I) - periods 1 and 2

Group 2: 10-1 (ALL), 10-2 (ALL) & 10-3 (J-Z) - periods 3 and 4

Yours sincerely,

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Acting Assistant Principal

Brigid Taylor
Acting Principal