Dear Parent/Caregiver

This year, the Year 10 Presentation Evening will take place at the Woodvale Baptist Church in Woodvale. The date is Tuesday 12 December. The last day reward at Yanchep National Park will run on Thursday 14 December.

We would like all Year 10 students to have the opportunity to attend and celebrate their final year at Kinross College at these events. These events are not part of the educational curriculum but are rewards and celebrations and as such, students attending must have complied with Kinross College Standards and Expectations and Student Code of Conduct.

At the start of Week 3 Term 4 (Monday 23 October) all Year 10 students will have a clean slate for qualification to attend both the Presentation Evening and the Yanchep Reward Day. All previous negative entries in SEQTA prior to this date will be overlooked for these two events. The criteria period will continue until the date these activities are completed.

For a student to be eligible to attend these two activities they need to adhere to school Student Code of Conduct. This includes:

- No suspensions
- No more than four negative behaviour entries on SEQTA. (Five negative entries will result in not receiving an invitation).
- No more than four negative uniform entries. (Five negative entries will result in not receiving an invitation). Students must consistently be in full school uniform or they will receive a negative entry.

Students will be issued with an invitation to attend the Presentation Evening and/or the Yanchep reward day at the start of Week 8 (27 November). If the number of negative breaches exceeds the above criteria after this date the student’s invitation will be withdrawn.

All students and parents have been made aware of the Standards and Expectations regularly throughout their entire time at Kinross College. The support shown for this has been pleasing. One area creating disharmony is that of uniform non-compliance. Virtually all of our Year 10 students have a Kinross College uniform however, some students choose not to wear it on a regular basis. This was evident on the excursion to Mindarie SC in Term 2 when 137 students attended in full school uniform.

The Year 10 Dinner Dance was not viable due to low number of students being eligible against the above criteria. Meetings with students were held regularly during Term 3 to encourage students to comply with the Standards and Expectations. Students eligible were provided with alternatives to the Dinner Dance and there was a lack of enthusiasm and commitment for these options. We are providing one last opportunity for
eligible students. This option is a 5 Star Limousine Coach evening. A note has been sent home with the details, costs and a commitment to attend return form. A decision will be made by Friday 27 October if this will proceed depending on the uptake.

These decisions have been discussed and implemented through the school Executive and Senior Leadership Team.

Yours sincerely

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