



Night on the cold side of the street

WHEN the boarders at Wesley College feel cold at night, additional blankets can be found to stop them shivering.

But for the homeless on Perth streets these options are not

readily available.

In an attempt to walk a mile in the shoes of others, Wesley College boarders will be taking to the streets as part of the Wesley Sleepout.

They will be sleep-

ing under the stars outside the WACA on July 24 while raising money for Uniting Care West.

House leader Michael Edwards said up to 200 people will take part including the boarders, staff and student leaders.

He added that being part of an elite boarding school "we don't often give a thought to people who don't share our good fortunes.

"By being part of an initiative that gives us an insight into the lives of the homeless is

something that will not only awaken our community, but also the broader community."

A doorknock appeal has been planned. Donations to www.unitingcarewest.org.au.



In shoes of others... Wesley College students Keelan Merlo, Seamus Grainger, Casey York and Michael Edwards. Picture: Marcelo Palacios www.communitypix.com.au