

24th June 2021

Dear Year 13 Students, Parents and Carers

Further to Mr Herbert's letter on 18th June after the government's announcement on the delay to lifting Covid restrictions fully, I am writing to update you about the new arrangements for both the Sixth Form Leavers' Ball at the Sailing Academy and a new time and date for our Leavers' assembly.

I am pleased to say that The Sailing Academy have been very accommodating and we have been able to secure the alternative **Friday 23rd July** date for the Sixth Form Ball. Arrival for drinks and photos is scheduled for 6.00pm, dinner will be served at 7.00pm followed by speeches and then music until 11.30pm. If you have already purchased tickets for the event your ticket and menu choices have been carried over. If you would still like to come then do contact Mrs Cockings on 01305 830560, she would be delighted to hear from you.

We are looking forward to everyone having a good time safely. To help ensure this, we would encourage everyone attending to conduct their own lateral flow test before the event and please make sure you have made arrangements in advance to be picked up at the end of the evening. Should anyone be "the worse for wear" at the event, a taxi will be called to take them home at their expense.

Our Leavers' Assembly is now scheduled for **1.30pm on Wednesday 21st July**. Whether students have tickets for the ball on Friday or not they are encouraged to come along and say goodbye properly at this time; Year 13s and 14s will be joined by Year 12s in the hall. Year 13s are invited to arrive between 1.15pm and 1.30pm and enter the hall using the West side doors opposite the Astro Turf. Please bring your lanyards one last time!

Results Day is on **Tuesday 10th August**. Results will be allocated in the Avenue of the Hub from 8.30am. The Sixth Form team will be available to offer advice on anything, from UCAS to potential Year 14s, between 8.30am and 2.00pm on Tuesday 10th and from 9.00am - 12.00pm on Wednesday 11th August. We will of course be contactable by email at other times also, for less urgent enquiries.

I am looking forward to seeing you all again

Yours Sincerely

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