



12 May 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Platinum Jubilee Celebrations, RP6th Induction Dates, Year 11 Rewards Breakfast, Year 11 Reports

Welcome to my end of week update letter. This week has been 'drone week' as we captured photographs of the whole school student body as requested by the Academy Council. Some video footage will be released soon on our Instagram feed and some of the example images are attached with this letter.

Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

Next week, PE will take the lead as we see historical orienteering take place in lessons around the site. We have some really clever clues for students to crack, all for House points towards the Governors' Cup. In addition, our Year 7 heritage walks are due to take place around Lincoln. We believe that knowing where you come from allows you to determine where you are going, so I really hope that our youngsters enjoy the experience and learn plenty.

RP6th Induction Dates

Mr Griffiths will be communicating out imminently regarding our planned induction activities for entry into the Sixth Form but, for completeness, please save the dates below:

Wednesday 28 June 2023 – RP6th course taster sessions, along with induction tasks to be shared.

Thursday 29 June 2023 – RP6th enrichment and personal development visit to Chapel St Leonards.

Friday 30 June 2023 – RP6th & Lincoln University Conference involving a variety of sessions to support students in their transition to Key Stage 5.

We can't wait to welcome you all into our Sixth Form.

Year 11 Rewards Breakfast

110 students were rewarded with breakfast treats this morning prior to their full examination series for excellence in attending all available support and interventions. 15 students received Amazon vouchers too! Well done to all involved and good luck to all Year 11 (and Year 13 students) with their upcoming summer examinations.

Year 11 Reports

The Year 11 reports have been published today.

At the moment, it does rather feel like we can't catch a break. Rising food costs, rising interest rates, everyone is struggling in their own way and morale isn't particularly good right now. Smiles are a little less broad and folks appear deep in thought as they ponder their woes.

But we can always hope that the storm will pass. It usually does.

At times like this, I am reminded of a particularly poignant quote from the late American actor and Star Wars icon, Carrie Fisher, who said, "Hope is like the sun. If you only believe in it when you see it, you'll never make it through the night."

Let's spread a little hope over the weekend in our interactions with others.

Enjoy the weekend when it comes.

I will write again soon.

Yours faithfully



Mr D Hardy
Headmaster



"This is a calm, happy and caring school."



