

10 May 2021

Dear Parent or Carer,

RE: Year 11 2020/21 Prom - Friday 16 July 2021

Following my previous correspondence, we are cautiously proceeding with our plans to hold a Prom for students finishing Year 11 this academic year. This is, of course, dependent on restrictions allowing large social gatherings to take place by this date. I can confirm that, if we are able to proceed, the Prom will be held at the Beverley Race Course, Beverley, HU17 8QZ on Friday 16 July. Students should begin arriving from 6.45 pm onwards and all students need to be seated by 7.15 pm. The meal will be served at 7.30 pm followed by dancing until midnight.

The tickets will cost £30.00 and will include a buffet meal; students can purchase soft drinks from the bar. The preferred and most efficient method of payment is via Parent Pay. In exceptional cases we are able to accept payment by cash or cheque. If your child wishes to attend, could you please complete the reply slip and return it to the ACE reception no later than Friday 28 May. Further details will be sent to you closer to the event date.

Formal photographs will be taken by a professional photographer and available on the photographer's Facebook page after the event. Dress code is formal (cocktail dress or long evening dress; suit and tie or tuxedo), although **we strongly recommend that before making any purchases or book transport you are mindful that it the restrictions are not relaxed in time, we may have to postpone or cancel the event.**

We believe this will be an excellent event which everyone attending will enjoy. However, we hope that all students and parents will understand that there is a need for students attending to adhere to the following guidelines:

- Alcohol and cigarettes are not to be brought onto the premises – it is a non-smoking venue (this includes toilets and washrooms).
- Any student who appears to have had an alcoholic beverage before arriving at the venue will not be permitted to attend and parents will be contacted to collect them.
- Staff will be on duty throughout the evening for the safety of everyone.
- Any student who does not adhere to the behaviour code will be asked to leave and parents will be expected to make arrangements for their collection.

- Students are responsible for organising transport home at midnight.

We look forward to an excellent event on Friday 16 July, 2021. If you have any questions about the School Prom, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Burgess, Prom Organiser.

Yours faithfully



Mrs D Dalton
Deputy Headteacher

CONSENT FORM - Driffield School & Sixth Form Year 11 Prom: Friday 16 July 2021 6.45 pm – Midnight

NAME OF STUDENT: **DOB:**

Please tick as applicable:

- I give permission for my son or daughter to take part in Prom and all planned activities
- I intend to pay via Parent Pay
- I enclose full payment of £30.00 (non-refundable, please make cheques payable to Driffield School)

Please tell us below of any relevant special or medical needs your son or daughter has that staff should be aware of:

Dietary Requirements:

Emergency contact name, relationship and number (please print):

Contact 1 Name: **Relationship:**

Number:

Contact 2 Name: **Relationship:**

Number:

Signed parent or carer:

Date:

Please return to the ACE reception by Friday 28 May 2021