



SJS/HBN

Friday, 05 June 2020

Dear parent/ carer

Firstly, we would like to thank all students and parents for their continued support and patience during what has been an exceptionally difficult set of circumstances for all parties involved to navigate. As a school we recognise the impact this has had on all students, but particularly upon those due to sit examinations and receive results this summer.

I am writing to you in order to update you on the arrangements for Year 11 students, specifically with regards to the events that usually mark the end of the students' time with us prior to their post-16 studies at The Boswells Sixth Form or other institutions.

In relation to the leavers assembly, due to the ongoing uncertainty regarding the reopening of school and the limitations imposed upon how many students can be in any given location at one time we will not be able to host a leavers assembly at school. We will prepare a leavers assembly that will be available for students to access online. Details of this will follow in due course.

As with the leavers assembly there is a lack of certainty about the viability of the Year 11 Prom being held. Whilst we have explored options regarding the event it appears unlikely that it will be able to go ahead in a timely manner given the restrictions relating to social distancing and as such we have cancelled the Prom scheduled for Tuesday 30th June 2020. Refunds will be issued to those that have already purchased at ticket for the prom. We are hoping to issue the refund within 10 working days. We appreciate that this is extremely disappointing for students and once venues have reopened and can cater for sufficient numbers we will of course revisit this as we feel it is important to mark the end of the cohort's collective time with us.

Once again thank you for your continued support.

Yours Sincerely

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Head of Year 11

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Head of Upper School