



1 February 2018

Dear Parent / Carer,

### YEAR ELEVEN PROM at CHESTER RACE COURSE 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018

We are now making the final arrangements for the Year 11 Prom taking place at Chester Race Course in the Pavilion Suite on **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018**. The cost will be £50.00 which will include coach travel to and from the venue, a three course meal, a disco and DJ, security and a glass of non-alcoholic punch on arrival. Professional photographers from [www.angelphotography.co.uk](http://www.angelphotography.co.uk) will be taking photos of the pupils in their chosen groups as they arrive at the venue and more formal studio photos will be taken later on in the evening – all photographs taken during the evening will be available for students to see and download the following day.

The party, comprising of almost 300 students and approximately 50 staff, will assemble on London Road at **5.30pm** for the coaches to leave for Chester Race Course no later than **6pm**. We expect to arrive back at school by approximately midnight.

To save any embarrassment for students they are reminded that this is a formal occasion and that they should dress appropriately. We have spoken to the year group and emphasised that the prom is a major undertaking and a considerable responsibility for staff involved. To ensure that all involved can enjoy the evening, school must insist that all students travel by coach and no students will be allowed to travel independently. If there is any evidence of alcohol having been consumed by students they will not be allowed to travel. Under no circumstances and at no time during the evening will the students be permitted to smoke or vape. Should any difficulties arise during the evening that cannot be resolved immediately; we will have no hesitation in contacting parents to ask them to collect their son/daughter from the venue. Information about the venue is available at [www.chester-races.co.uk/](http://www.chester-races.co.uk/)

If your son/daughter wishes to attend the prom please return the attached reply slip and payment of £50.00 in an envelope marked with the student's name, form and "Prom Payment" to the school finance office by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018. Alternatively you can pay online through [scopay.com](http://scopay.com). The finance department in school can also receive payments in installments if required.

**Important:** Whilst this only applies to a small minority of pupils, please note that acceptance of payment does not guarantee an invitation to the Prom. As you are aware the behaviour of all Year 11 pupils is being monitored carefully via a points system and any pupil at serious risk of not being allowed to attend will receive a letter before the Easter break.

We hope this letter provides all the information you need regarding the arrangements. Any queries please contact us at Upper School. We look forward to a successful and enjoyable evening.

Yours sincerely,

Mr T. Lambrianides  
Assistant Headteacher/Y11 Pastoral Manager

Mrs. T.Parry  
Y11 Pastoral Leader

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**Year 11 Prom 2018**

I enclose £50.00 as payment for year 11 Prom.  
Please make cheques payable to 'Bridgewater High School'

Name of student.....

Form.....

Signed.....

Date.....



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