

## LANCASTER ROYAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents / Carers of Upper Sixth students,

As your son's LRGS journey draws to a close, I'm writing to advise you of some key dates and information.

### Study Leave

The final full school day for the Upper Sixth is Friday, 17th May, after which official study leave will commence. Lessons will be as normal until break. At 12:00, there will be a buffet lunch for the students provided by the Old Lancastrians, followed by an official leavers' photo and a leavers' assembly in Christ Church. Pupils may leave the site at lunchtime unless other arrangements have been made with their teachers.

We are talking to the boys about 'leaving well' and hope that you can reiterate this message at home. Students are to be reminded that absolutely no alcohol is to be consumed during the school day.

Once study leave starts, students will only need to come into school for their exams. Refurbishment of Old School House is due to be completed at half-term, and as such we hope that the students will be able to make use of the new study facilities and café during this time.

All students have been given a leavers' form and details of joining the Old Lancastrian Club. It is great to see so many of them already wearing the OL tie! If your son hasn't yet returned his leavers' form to the development office, please can you remind him to do so as soon as possible.

### Leavers' Ball

The LRGS & LGGS Leavers' Ball is taking place on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June, at The Villa, Levens. The ball is organised by the students of both schools, but staff are invited by the students to attend the event. Security officers will be on duty throughout the evening. We would like to make it clear that should any student arrive drunk, they will not be admitted. I am hopeful that it will not be necessary, but if we have concerns about any student at the ball, we will contact parents / guardians immediately.

Students are expected to organise their own transport to get to the venue. The Ball will finish at 11:30 and a coach has been organised for the return journey at the end of the evening. The coach will leave the venue around 11:45 and will make one stop at Dalton Square. Please ensure that you are aware of and are happy with your son's arrangements for leaving the ball, for where he goes afterwards and for getting home, or with alternative sleeping arrangements he may have made. I am sure the students are well aware of the risks of accepting a lift from someone who may have been drinking alcohol during the evening but it would be worth you reinforcing this with your son before the evening.

## **Results**

A-level results will be released on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August. I shall be in touch later in the term to outline details for accessing these results and for confirming university places. In the meantime, your son should keep an eye on Track as all university business is done through UCAS Track. Please remind your son to keep his log-on details safe.

I'd like to take this opportunity to wish the year group the very best in their exams and their preparations for higher education, apprenticeships, gap years or jobs. I have very much enjoyed working with them over the last two years, and I look forward to hearing about where life takes them in the future. Please remember that we are still here to support them in terms of their exams or university and job applications, and they should keep in touch to access our help.

Yours faithfully,

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