



Hall Green School An Academy

May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Leavers Day Trip, Alton Towers, Friday 18 June and Leavers Prom, Thursday 1 July

As you are aware, due to Covid-19, we were unable to run our end of year celebrations for Year 11 last year. With the re-opening of outdoor venues, we are hoping to offer all Year 11 pupils the chance to attend a **Leavers Day Trip to Alton Towers** this year. We are also planning to offer a **Leavers Prom**. Please note: **attendance to both of these events will be dependent upon your son/daughter's behaviour and attitude to learning**

Leavers Day Trip: Alton Towers, Staffordshire on Friday 18 June costing **£16.20** (this cost has been heavily subsidised by school as we are aware that some families have occurred financial difficulties due to Covid 19 restrictions). **Please pay by Monday 24 May (sooner if the trip sells out)**. This trip will depart from school at **7.45 am** and return at approximately **19.30 pm**. This trip has **limited places** and will be issued on a **first come first served basis**.

Leavers Prom, at The Best Western, Westley Arms Hotel in Acocks Green on Thursday 1 July costing **£20.00**. **Please pay by Monday 21 June**. This event will take place, dependent upon the Government's decision to ease lockdown restrictions on 21 June 2021. **Further details for the Prom will be sent nearer the time**.

Payments will only be refundable should the trip or Prom be cancelled due to Covid-19 restrictions. The school will not make refunds for any other reason. Payments are to be made online, via ParentPay. In exceptional circumstances, ie if you do not have access to the internet, please ask for a barcode to pay at a local shop that offers PayPoint.

It is **essential** that all payment deadlines are adhered to; any students that have not paid by this date will not be permitted to participate in the events. Deadlines are set to ensure the school can make payments to the organising company in advance of the event taking place. **Payment also signifies parental permission for your child to attend the trip**. If your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium we may be able to help meet part of the cost of this trip. If financial help is required, please contact Mrs Dickerson via the usual school number.

During trips and visits members of the public often comment on the good behaviour of our pupils and how they are ambassadors for our school. It is important to reiterate that if your child fails to meet the school's Expectations for Learning, displays unacceptable behaviour (in or out of school) or shows a poor attitude towards staff, the privilege of attending may be revoked at any time at the Head teacher's discretion. If your child is removed for any of these reasons, no refund of any monies will be made and your child must attend school as usual on the day of the trip.

The trip to Alton Towers will require either a packed lunch or money to purchase food whilst on the trip. If your child is entitled to a free school meal and you wish a lunch to be provided, please order this with Miss T Smith. Pupils will **NOT** need to wear school uniform but should dress appropriately for the weather on that day, ie bring a waterproof coat or sun cream, a hat and plenty of water if it is hot and sunny. Pupils may wish to bring a small amount of money to purchase refreshments etc. **Pupils will be responsible for their own money**.

Yours sincerely,

Miss T Smith – Head of Lorien

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