Ref: KH/BC/Prom 2024

May 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

## Barr Beacon School www.barrbeaconschool.co.uk

## Year 11 Prom 2024

We are writing to inform you that your son/daughter has a fully paid place at the Barr Beacon School Prom on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July. Please find attached the ticket for this event.

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind those attending the prom that consumption of alcohol is not permitted, either before or during the event. Those suspected of consuming alcohol prior to the event will not be allowed entry and will be sent home.

It is hoped that no-one will spoil the evening by ignoring these rules and we would ask for your support in discussing this with your child.

A buffet and one free soft drink will be provided, please note that any further drinks must be paid for by the pupil.

A photographer will be present throughout the evening to take professional photographs of pupils in their attire and this can be done either as couples or friendship groups. The photographs will be developed, ready to bring home at the end of the evening. Should your son/daughter wish to purchase photographs on the evening, please ensure they bring money to do so. The cost is £5.00 per photograph.

If school transport has been booked, the coach will leave promptly at 6.00pm in order to arrive at the venue for 7.00pm. The returning coach will depart the venue at 11.15pm and will return to Barr Beacon School at approximately 12.00am. There is no extra cost for this transport. Please ensure the arrangements have been made for your son/daughter to make their way home following this. If you are collecting your child from the venue please do so by 11.10am.

I would respectfully remind parents that with 300 people attending the prom it is **impossible to accommodate any parents at the venue.** Do not be the parent who turns up only to be told to leave and then becomes upset, spoiling the prom event for the staff and pupils.

Attendance at the Prom is subject to:

- Their attendance and punctuality to school not being a concern.
- Not being suspended from school for any reason.
- Their behaviour in school not being a concern.
- Fulfilling their GCSE/BTEC course requirements i.e. homework, meeting deadlines, period 6 and so on.

The evening is a celebration of the hard work of staff and pupils. Attendance at the event, relies upon pupils adhering to the school's expectations. The Headteacher's decision with regard to attendance is final.

If you do have any further queries regarding the Prom, please do not hesitate to contact us via postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk.

Yours sincerely

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