

October 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 11 Dinner Dance: Friday 6th July 2018

I am delighted to be able to inform you that this year's 'Dinner Dance' for Year 11 will be held at, The Port House in Port Solent on Friday 6th July 2018.

We are inviting students to **apply** for tickets now. They should do so by completing the slip below and returning it to College with a non-refundable **deposit for £25**.

The final full cost, to include a three course meal, entertainment, photo booth, sweet cart and raffle prizes, will be approximately £45. We will, of course, confirm this once arrangements and bookings are finalised.

You should be aware that certain criteria apply to student's being eligible to apply to participate in the event. These are that the student has:

- not been excluded from College **at any time** during Year 11
- attendance of **90% or above**; and
- has not been placed in the Student Inclusion Unit for **five days** or more during year 11.

For any Year 11 student who accumulates five lates, the parents will be invited to a meeting and any further late will result in an unauthorised absence which will affect the students overall attendance and potential to attend the 'Dinner Dance'.

Please note that, should your child be successful in applying for a ticket, but be subsequently excluded, then their payment would be returned to them and they would not be able to participate in the 'Dinner Dance'. This is obviously a major consideration when considering car hire, etc.

Please also note that an application does not guarantee a place: students and parents will be informed of the outcome of their application by 23rd March 2018. Only those students who have purchased tickets will be admitted to the Port House on the evening.

Should your child wish to apply for a ticket please complete the form below and forward it to College with a £25 non-refundable deposit. Please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of House at College should you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Bennett
Headteacher

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(Please return reply slip with deposit to secure box in dining hall)

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Student's Name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

I would like to purchase a ticket for my son/daughter to attend the 'Dinner Dance' on 6th July 2018.

I enclose a deposit of £25 (cheque/money) towards the ticket.

Signed: _____ Parent/Guardian