



The HENRY BEAUFORT School

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Dear Year 11 student

Leavers' Ball 2018

As you are aware, we have booked The Botley Park Hotel & Spa for our Leavers' Ball on **Friday 6th July 2018**, from 19:00 until 23:00. Most of you have been students here for five years. This will be the chance for you all to get together and have a great time!

There will be soft drinks and photos on arrival, a three course meal followed by a disco. In order to make the Leavers' Ball extra special this year the Leavers' Committee are fundraising to provide extra entertainment on the night. We are hoping to have our own 'Beaustock' for part of the evening to allow students to play and sing. This will be organised by the students themselves. Remember you are responsible for organising your own transport to and from Botley Park.

Photos will be available from a Photo booth throughout the evening; all prints are included in the ticket price. There will also be a photographer; students will receive all photos free of charge.

The cost per ticket is £35.00. A non-refundable deposit of £15 will be due by Thursday 8th March 2018 with the remaining £20.00 to be paid by Friday 20th April.

You must meet the following criteria in order to be eligible to attend:

- Have collected a total of 700 stamps by 29th March 2018
- Have at least 94% attendance rate between 8th September 2017 – 25th May 2018
- All in class assessments need to be completed
- No exclusions or truancy since January 4th 2018
- No patterns of lateness (this includes tutor times and lessons)
- A completed Leavers' Ball Passport
- Attendance at all required exams. *In accordance with the Hampshire County Council code of conduct the school will issue a Penalty Notice of £60 to each parent for unauthorised absence during formal exams or assessments. This may be more, depending on the exam and any special arrangements.*

There may be exceptional circumstances that have affected either attendance or stamp totals; these should be discussed with Mrs Taggart to set appropriate targets across the first half of the summer term. If you are keen to attend the Leavers' Ball you should meet with her as soon as possible, if you feel that there is an issue with attendance.

Dress code and more detailed timings will also be sent home in a separate letter nearer the time.

Students have asked to have Leavers' Hoodies this year and so we will also be making these an option for students to purchase. The anticipated cost is between £16.50 and £20 dependent on the design. You will decide (by consensus) the design of the hoodie. If you wish to purchase a hoodie then please also complete the slip below and pay the deposit of £10 by the 5th March 2018

Payments may be made online, which is our preferred method of payment. Alternatively, payment may be made by cheque made payable to 'The Henry Beaufort School'.

If you have difficulty making this payment please contact the finance team for further details.

Please see below the Leavers' Ball timeline:

- £15 Deposit due by – **8th March 2018.**
- £20.00 remainder by – **20th April 2018.**
- Final GCSE exam - **Thursday 21st June 2018**
- Ticket issued on completion of passport. Please hand your passport into reception when it is completed.
- Leavers' Day - **6th July and collection of ticket.**
- Leavers' Ball – **6th July 2018.**

Yours sincerely



Mrs Taggart

Head of Year 11

Year 11 Leavers' Ball

Please return to the Finance Office by Thursday 8th March

£15 non-refundable deposit for The Leavers' Ball

Student Name _____ Tutor Group _____

Paid by: Online Cheque

£10 non – refundable deposit for a Leavers' Hoodie

Student Name _____ Tutor Group _____

Paid by: Online Cheque