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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 11 Prom

As we head into the final months of our Year 11 cohort's time at King's School, we are excitedly making plans for ways to celebrate their journey here. As well as a yearbook being planned by a committee of students and customisable hoodies, we will be holding a Year 11 Prom on **Thursday 9th July**. We have hired the beautiful oak timbered Pangdean Barn for the event (Pangdean Farm, Brighton BN45 7FJ) and we are all looking forward to sending off our Year 11 in style!

The event will start at 7pm. Students will be given a welcome soft drink on arrival. Students will then enjoy a two-course, sit-down meal. After that, the tables will be cleared and there will be a professional DJ set. The event will finish at 11pm and suitable arrangements will need to be made by parents/carers for students to return home after the event. All students should have left the venue in parents/carers' cars or licensed taxis by 11:15pm. Students will not be permitted to drink alcohol at all during the event but will be able to purchase soft drinks from the bar.

The cost of a ticket to the event (including dinner, drink on arrival, DJ and venue hire) is £61 payable in 2 instalments. We can offer the event to our students in receipt of free school meals for a reduced price of £36.60; if further help is needed, please contact us via finance@kingsschoolhove.org.uk in confidence for further details as we do not want anyone to miss out. Should you wish for your child to attend this event, please pay the first instalment and complete the consent form on ParentPay by Friday 24th April. Please indicate on ParentPay if your child has any dietary requirements. Please also indicate on ParentPay if you are happy for your child's photo to be taken at the prom for use within the school community and to be shared with other Year 11 parents and carers.

Students engaging in poor behaviour, which is contrary to our ethos and values, may have their invitation retracted between now and July 9th. Should this happen, they will not be permitted entry to the Prom and monies already paid will be non-refundable; there will be no exceptions to this. Please note that any student found to be drinking alcohol, or under the influence of alcohol or illegal substances, or otherwise behaving inappropriately, will be asked to leave the event immediately and no refunds will be issued.

We are looking forward to celebrating the success of our special Year 11s on 9th July.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Price
Headteacher

