



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM CENTRE

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Dear Pupil

Our end of year celebration, The Summer Ball, has been booked for **Thursday 5th July 2018** at Formby Hall, an itinerary of the evening will be sent out in January. The cost of the ticket will be £35.00. This should be paid no later than 30th March 2018. Payments can be made via Parent Pay or Cheque / Cash to Mrs Ashton in the Pastoral Office.

This is a celebration which all Year 11 pupils are invited to and has always proved to be an enjoyable and memorable event. I would like to remind you, however, that this invitation can be withdrawn from you under certain circumstances which are outlined below. We also operate a policy of 'three strikes' and the invitation will be withdrawn.

From Monday 11th December we expect students to meet our standards of behaviour, attendance, punctuality and uniform. Students whose behaviour is consistently disrupting the learning of the others will not be tolerated and will attract a range of sanctions including detentions, strikes and exclusion from lessons and/or school. Any such exclusions will be recorded on school records and included in reference requests to post 16 providers.

A formal exclusion will result in the immediate withdrawal of the Summer Ball invitation. If you are given a sanction such as a detention then you are expected to attend. If you do not, then you will be given a strike. Punctuality is another of their criteria and if a pupil records more than 12 lates during these **last two terms** then the Summer Ball invitation will also be withdrawn. It is therefore an opportunity for those with punctuality issues to improve if you wish to join us in July.

You will receive a strike if you fail to attend a detention, if you consistently lose reward points, if you are sent home for any reason and/or if you consistently fail to follow School rules such as out of bounds/off site/uniform.

In summary, the Summer Ball invitation will be withdrawn if a pupil receives **three** strikes, if attendance is **below 96%**, if you record 12 lates. You will be warned if you are at risk of having the invitation withdrawn but once it is withdrawn it will **not be reversed under any circumstances**.

Yours sincerely

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