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Dear Parent/Carer

As you are aware, Year 11 students are coming towards the end of sitting their GCSE and Vocational qualifications at Ormiston Maritime Academy. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all the hard work and support you have provided over the years and I look forward to sharing their success in the summer with you on results day.

It is easy at this time for students and parents to look past the last exam and start to make plans for the summer. So with this in mind I would like to highlight some key dates for you and to remind parents/carers that students must attend all school days until their leaving date.

Hospitality and Catering Catch up day

Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th June - This is the final opportunity to complete their work for the Hospitality and Catering exam.

Tuesday 18th July - Year 11 Celebration Assembly and Fancy Dress

It is a Maritime tradition to allow Year 11 students the opportunity to attend their leavers' assembly in fancy dress. This is an excellent opportunity for all students to celebrate their achievements over the last 5 years and take many photographs as memories of the day.

The event will start at 2pm and will end at 3.30 pm, during which time Year 11 students will be provided with lunch as part of the celebrations. I would like to ask that you remind your child that any costume that is inappropriate will not be allowed and students will be refused entry into the academy. Should you be unsure about what is deemed appropriate please feel free to contact the academy.

At 2 pm students must sign in at the main reception where they will be met by a member of the academy's senior leadership team.

Thursday the 29th June – Ormiston Maritime Academy Prom night: Oaklands Hall Hotel

On the 29th June students should aim to arrive between 6:45pm and 7:15pm and this is a ticket only event. It is a well-attended event so I ask that should you wish to join us in celebrating please be patient as both access to the Oaklands venue and parking can take some time. Can I also remind you that the method of transport to the venue is at your own discretion and should you have any questions regarding this please contact the Oaklands direct. The academy takes no liability for delays or complications in transport.

The planned finish time of the Prom is midnight. Please ensure that suitable plans are made for your child to be picked up safely at this time.



Thursday 24th August – Results collection day

Exam results will be available for collection on the 24th August between 10:00am and 11:00am. We do hope that all students join us to celebrate their success. However should your child not be able to attend, it will not be possible to give out their results to anyone else. This includes over the phone, email or by post unless we have a signed declaration from the student (not parent) submitted to the Academy. Should a declaration be provided, the individual collecting the results must bring with them photographic identification. Finally, any results not collected will only be posted home if, in addition to the declaration, a stamped addressed envelope is provided.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate in contacting me.

Thank you for all your support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "C Robson".

Mrs C Robson
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