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Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Feel Good Friday

Every Friday we hold a Feel Good Friday event for our staff. This is an opportunity for us to come together at the end of a busy week to celebrate a few of the many great things that happen in our school. As we close out the first half term of this academic year, I would like to share just a few of the highlights with you.

Our annual open evening was a wonderful success. Central to this were the 150+ students who were involved as tour guides, stewards or helpers in the different subject areas. In a number of cases, staff were confidently able to step back and let our young people lead. Your children were an absolute credit to this school, demonstrating maturity, enthusiasm and respect.

We have had over 60 school fixtures since the start of the year across football, rugby, netball and cross-country. Hundreds of students have represented the school and the results achieved have been excellent. I have been particularly impressed by the conduct shown by our students who have shown an outstanding level of sportsmanship. Earlier in the half term, we were able to provide free sports kit (worth approximately £5,000) to 90 girls provided by Oner Active.

Earlier this month our debating team won the Kenilworth MAT great debate competition. This competition took place over two separate days. What stood out was that our debaters were the only ones trained by sixth form students, not teachers.

To round off this half term, we had our annual Vocab Grab led by Dreadlock Alien. I have just come out of the period 6 performances and was blown away by the quality of what our Year 7 students produced. To stand in front of almost 300 people and perform with such confidence was amazing.

It would be easy to share so much more, but for now I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support, and to wish you and your family a wonderful holiday.

Yours faithfully

Mr D Bedford
Headteacher