



6 February 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re. Year 13 Prom

Every year needing to send this letter takes me by surprise; it almost feels like yesterday that year 13 were being enrolled in the Sixth Form, and we are now discussing their prom. Their final day at school has not yet been confirmed; Mr Bedford makes this decision and will inform the students nearer the time, but it is likely to be around May half term.

The year 13 prom will be held on Wednesday 24 June 2026 at the Windmill Village Hotel on the A45 (CV5 9AL). Arrivals will be from 7pm with carriages at 11pm at the latest. We have selected the soonest possible date after the examinations finish in the hope that as many students as possible are able to attend. Please do encourage students to attend; this will be a lovely event and will mark the end of their Sixth Form experience.

The cost of the prom will be £62, this includes the cost of the venue, buffet food, a DJ and some extras (e.g. sweet trolley, decorations). The students have voted to have a smart 'black tie' dress code this year, although there is no pressure, and they should feel comfortable dressing however they want. We understand not everybody will be able to afford £62 in one payment, so we are giving students the opportunity to pay in one, two or three instalments. We will need a deposit of £10 by the end of February to secure a ticket; the next two payments of £26 each will be due by the end of March and May respectively. Any student in receipt of the 16-19 bursary can seek financial support to cover the cost of their ticket and a contribution to an outfit.

If your child wishes to attend the prom please ask them to do so on ParentPay as soon as possible.

If you have any questions please contact me on s.green@finhampark.co.uk.

Best wishes

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