## Ysgol Harri Tudur Henry Tudor School

Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow Dysgwyr Heddiw, Arweinwyr Yfory

May 2023

Dear Year 11 Learner, Parent and Guardian,

Year 11 Achievement Ceremony - Friday 7th July 2023

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Thank you for your responses to inform us of the type of Achievement Ceremony you would prefer to have for the summer of 2023. The majority of responses voted for Option 2; the format of which is repeated below.

A formal afternoon Achievement Ceremony in the Main Hall where each learner can invite one guest (in line with previous years due to capacity restrictions with the Main Hall) This has not been called the 'ROA' for a number of years but some of you may associate this term with this formal event.

Learners choose what they want to wear but casual to formal dress is expected.

A small number of staff will be in attendance due to the restrictions on numbers.

Tea, coffee and refreshments will be provided by the school immediately after the ceremony, in the gym.

Prizes will be presented for a number of categories, including sport and academic achievements, attendance and Headteacher awards.

The ceremony will start at 2pm on Friday 7th July. Reception doors will open at 1.40 pm for a prompt 2 pm start. We anticipate the ceremony will end around 3 30pm.

Tickets will be issued the week before the ceremony. More information will follow regarding this process but we anticipate that the guest tickets will be collected from Reception by learners on a published date. There will be a strict no admittance policy without bringing in the tickets on the day of the ceremony. Unfortunately due to the hall capacity, we need to limit the event to 1 guest ticket per learner.

We wish to keep costs down for families and do not want any learners or their families to feel under pressure to spend unnecessary amounts of money for this event. Nor do we want any learner to feel unable to attend due to financial

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pressures. Therefore, learners can choose between casual or smart or formal dress as they prefer.

As in previous years, attendance, behaviour and attainment criteria will apply to learner invites and we will have the right to refuse the allocation of tickets/right to admittance if there are concerns in any of these areas from this point on.

It is really important that our Year 11 learners continue to focus on exam preparation, so further correspondence regarding this event will be after exams have finished. Please ensure your child is on the Year 11 Google classroom as this will be our way of communicating with them after their exams.

We would like to wish our learners the very best of luck with their upcoming exams and we know that all their hard work and revision will soon pay off.

Kind regards,

Mrs F Kite

Miss K Thomas

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