



MALVERN COLLEGE

Sent via ISAMS

4 November 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians

I hope that you are well and that those who were able, spent some good quality time with their children over Half Term.

You will know that an ISI Inspection team visited the College for an expected Regulatory Compliance Inspection in early October. Whilst we are not allowed to announce the result until the formal report is published, we will be pleased to share the outcome with parents as soon as we are able to do so. In the meantime, thank you for completing the questionnaire and for your continuing support.

As we return from the Half Term break, and whilst we will continue to monitor the situation carefully, we are hopeful that we will be able to continue to invite parents into the College to enjoy the various concerts, plays and sporting events that one might in a normal year. There will continue to be some appropriate Covid precautions remaining in place, and I would like to draw your attention to two forthcoming occasions where the whole school gathers together as a community, and for which we hope that parents would feel most welcome to join us.

Remembrance Sunday

On **Sunday 14 November**, at **10.45 am**, parents are invited to join the full school community, including The Downs Malvern, in the **Act of Remembrance**. This short but poignant outdoor service, held on the terrace surrounding the statue of St George, follows the Remembrance Service for pupils and staff, which begins at 9.45am and which all boarding pupils are expected to attend. Day pupils and day boarders are warmly encouraged to attend.

Following these events, parents and pupils are invited for refreshments in the Gryphon Room, and parents are then very welcome to take their son/daughter out for the rest of the day. Please keep the House informed of your plans in good time as boarding pupils will need to be signed out.

College Carol Service

On **Wednesday 8 December at 7.30 pm**, parents are invited to **College Carols**, which we are planning at this stage to be held in the College Chapel. Whilst we are unable to reserve seats, and space may be limited due to Covid precautions, please do let the House know if you plan to attend so that you can be included within the House allocation. It will be important that you arrive early and pick up your child/children from the House so that they can sit with you. This event will be live-streamed for those who would prefer to join this special event remotely.



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Following the service, Housems plan to host mulled wine and mince pies in their respective Houses. As above, please confirm directly with the House (**using the House email address**), by Sunday 5 December if you would like to attend.

Dates for the diary for future school events:

Drama: High School Musical - **25 and 26 November**

Music: Steinway Concert – **Monday 22 November**
Christmas Concert - **Sunday 5 December**

Spring Term: The Ledger – **Sunday 20 March 2022**

Summer Term: Speech Day and Prize Giving* – **Friday 1 July 2022**
Leavers' Ceremony and Ball – **Friday 1 July 2022**

** This event replaces the event previously known as Commem for parents.*

As you will have seen from the recent *Malvernian*, pupils and colleagues had a busy and purposeful start to the term; we look forward to another fulfilling second half!

Best wishes,

Keith Metcalfe
Headmaster