

12 October 2018

Dear Parents,

I am writing to you from the Baltic States in which we have been flooded with enquires about studying A levels at Liverpool College. It is testament to the great reputation of your city and our Sixth Form that so many families from the far corners of the European Union wish to make the huge capital investment to attend the College.

UCAS & EPQ

Yesterday was the deadline for all our Oxbridge and Medical applications through the UCAS system. Our thanks to Mr Leeder and all the tutors who have aided our students to produce the best personal statements and their hard work in creating the reference which does play an integral part in the offer process.

We have already had some excellent offers from extremely prestigious Universities. One of our candidates has received an offer from Bath which stated that they would reduce it based upon a 'top' Extended Project Qualification result. The continued success of EPQ vindicates our rationale for making it compulsory for all.

For our current Year 12, their EPQ will be launched in January with completion date centred on the end of the summer term. Therefore it will become an integral part of the work programme for Year 12 after the Michaelmas Term.

Founders' Day

I was delighted to hear the fantastic reports from Founders' Day in which our Sixth Form played such a pivotal role.

From the Heads of School, Collectors and those in the choir and orchestra, I believe it was a superb sight as the largest number of College students in our 178 year History celebrated our creation.

The celebration will continue into the evening when our Old Lerpoolians will gather at a Black Tie dinner to share reminisces of the past and look to the future as our fabulous Head Boy and Head Girl deliver the Latin Oration.

As we approach half-term there are a number of events and opportunities for our Sixth Former students to attend.

On Tuesday, Dr McNamara has arranged for survivors of Hiroshima to meet with some of our Sixth Form and discuss the impact of living with the legacy of Nuclear Holocaust. Also on Tuesday a number of day pupils, Boarding Students, staff and Governors have been invited to celebrate Founders' Day and the re-establishment of our Boarding House. This is a delightful evening that highlights the international nature of our Sixth Form.

Sport

On the sports field our rugby players continue to embrace success.

The leadership of Adam M and the ingenuity of our senior coach Mr Heeley is one of key reasons why College ruby has become the 'force de jour'. In addition I must commend the Year II boys who have made a huge contribution. Ruari W, Nye T, Christopher F and Sebastian C - all of whom have made first team appearances. Our 2nd XV have not had many opportunities as other schools have failed to field and second team. This will not be the case for Saturday as Cheadle Hulme School will be there in force. Our practice on Tuesday showed great promise and we hope for 2nd and 1st XV glory this Saturday.

Last Saturday our 1st XV defeated Lymm High School which is regarded as a bastion of rugby in the region. Well done to the boys for this emphatic victory.

Attendance

Thank you for continuing to use the e-mail address assigned to your son or daughter's **House** to contact the House Administrator regarding reasons for lateness or absence on the first day and that you provide medical notes to cover extended periods of absence.

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Year 13 Parents' Evening: Wednesday 17th October

15.30 to 18.00 in Mossley Vale building

A reminder to please use the online booking system.

I return to the UK late Sunday evening and will be back in school on Monday. Unfortunately I have not been able to access my e-mails remotely due to complications in our IT systems. I will catch up on any correspondence as soon as I have access.

Have an enjoyable weekend.

Kind regards,

Stephen Brady
Head of Sixth Form