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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this finds you well.

We have enjoyed a hugely successful summer term and as we draw closer to the last few weeks I would like to share some key information with you.

Year 11 Exam Results Day

Our wonderful Year 11 students will be celebrating their well-deserved results on **Thursday 21 August**. School will be open from 9.00am for students to collect their results. Any student that will not be able to collect their results themselves must put in writing to either myself, or Dr Frank, who they give us permission to share their results with; without written permission we will be unable to give any results out.

St. Michael's 60th anniversary celebrations

Students will be taking part in our special 60th anniversary celebrations on Wednesday 16th July 2025. All students in Years 7 – 10 will be involved in our special event throughout the afternoon, and there will be opportunities for students to take part in a range of activities. Students may wish to bring in a small amount of money with them on this day to buy cakes or other refreshments.

End of Term Arrangements

As you are aware, the final day of term is **Friday 18 July 2025**. Following morning lessons, the Academy **will close for students at 12.45pm** and school buses will be available for those students who travel by school bus. Please note that hot food will be available to students at break-time and there will be a slight change to the timings of morning lessons to enable this to happen.

New Pastoral arrangements for 2025-26

We are extremely fortunate to have a very strong team of pastoral leaders here at St. Michael's. Our team of PLMs and Assistant PLMs ensure that all our students are well looked after and make strong academic progress. As we look at starting a new academic year in September, we have appointed Mrs. Brunger as an APLM to further strengthen this team. Next academic year, the pastoral teams will be as follows:

Year 11:	Mrs C. Shaw (PLM) and Mr N Butt (APLM)
Year 10:	Mr D. Price (PLM) and Miss R Matthews (APLM)
Year 9:	Miss B. Gordon (PLM) and Mr J. Hope (APLM)
Year 8:	Mr A. Robson (PLM) and Miss L. Dunning (APLM)
Year 7:	Mr J. Tate (PLM) and Mrs E. Brunger (APLM)



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Pre-Loved uniform shop

Our pre-loved shop is always very popular so we will once again be running it this summer. The pre-loved shop is wholly down to the kindness and generosity of parents donating quality uniform items to school. On **Tuesday 22 July from 10am until 1.00pm** our pre-loved uniform shop will be open, so if there is something you have not managed to source you might be able to find it here. I must stress that these are donated and therefore we only have a limited selection of items in various sizes. If this event may be of interest to you, please drop in to school on this day.

Finally, as we come to the end of this academic year, we say goodbye to some of our valued team. Mr. Aleman (MFL), Mrs. Bellwood (School Librarian), Mrs. Elsherif (FSW) and Miss. Hoggarth (DT) and we wish them all the very best of luck in their new adventures. Mr Raper, our current Head of PE, is sadly, also leaving this summer; after serving over 12 years here at St. Michael's. I am sure you will all join me in wishing him the well in his new job.

The Academy re-opens for all students on **Wednesday 3 September 2025**.

I wish you all a very happy and relaxing holiday. Thank you as always for your partnership and commitment, without your support, we could not help our young people to flourish as they do.

Yours sincerely,



Clare Humble
Headteacher