



## Letter from the Head 6/6/25

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a lively and productive first week back after the half-term break, and I'm pleased to say that our students have returned with real energy and focus.

Our Year 11 and Year 13 students have continued to approach their GCSE and A-Level exams with great maturity and determination. Their attitude and effort throughout have been outstanding, and I know they'll keep giving their best as we move into the final weeks of the exam season.

In the Sixth Form, students benefitted from two important sessions this week. Year 12 parents and students had an informative workshop focused on the UCAS process, providing valuable insight as they begin to consider their next steps beyond Park House. Additionally, we were pleased to welcome 'Oddballs' to deliver an engaging and important talk on testicular cancer awareness, an informative and impactful session.

For our younger students, the theme of futures and careers also featured strongly. Year 8 took part in an exciting 'Guess My Job' event, meeting visitors from a wide range of professions. It was a fantastic introduction to the world of work, sparking some thoughtful conversations and curious questions about life beyond school.

Despite the unpredictable weather putting a slight dampener on some sporting fixtures, the games that did go ahead resulted in a clean sweep of victories! The Year 7 and Year 8 boys both secured impressive wins against Trinity in the district league. The Year 8 boys also triumphed over Leighton Park, with Jack Rider continuing his exceptional form by scoring another 50 not out. The Year 8 girls also enjoyed a well-earned win against Leighton Park in their friendly fixture.

On Thursday, 26 of our Year 7 athletes represented the school at the District Athletics Competition. It was a brilliant day, and our students gave it their all. Special congratulations to:

Harry – 1st in the Javelin and 1000m

Sam – 2nd in 1000m

Tiago – 3rd in 75m

Boys Relay Team – 3rd place

Florence – 2nd in Javelin

Josh – 2nd in High Jump

Well done to everyone who took part – a superb team effort and great to see Park House students shining on the track and field.

Finally, a polite reminder: if you are collecting children at the end of the day, please be mindful of our neighbours and avoid parking on yellow lines or across driveways on Falklands Road. Your support with this is much appreciated.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Regards

James King

Headteacher