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Dear Parent

Autumn Term - Principal's Roundup - 10

Another great week at here at Caister Academy, I wanted to highlight the following:

- A huge thank you to students who represented Caister Academy at the Remembrance Service at The Holy Trinity Church, Caister on Sunday 12 November.
- Well done to our Year 8 football team who played away to Flegg High Ormiston Academy on Monday.
- Senior Year students have been undertaking their art and photography mock examinations and have shown resilience and determination to create fantastic pieces. The work created will go towards 60% of their final grade.
- Over 80 students attended our multi-sports after school elective. Trampolining was a great success, with many Year 7 students mastering somersaults.
- This half term our focus is on the national anti-bullying agenda. Throughout the week students
 have had assemblies on this subject, and today each form group have worked on the new
 'it's not okay' posters to go up in the main corridor.
- On Tuesday 5 December, students will be taking part in the Rudolph Run to raise money for Nelsons Journey, a charity that supports bereaved children. If your child is interested in taking part, please follow this link for further information <u>Rudolph Run</u>.
- The Childrens Commissioner for England is encouraging children and parents to take part in <u>The Big Ambition Survey</u>. This survey will enable the Childrens Commissioner to hear your views about community and family life and use these to inform government policy.
- Our annual Christmas card competition has launched. For further information please see our Facebook page Caister Academy Facebook.
- Year 7, 8, 9, and 10 students have been briefed on how to support our Senior Year with their mock examinations over the next two weeks. We wish our Senior Year students all the best.
- We are extremely excited to have launched our Rewards Shop, please follow the link for a sneak peak Rewards Shop.
- A special well done to our best attending form groups so far:

First place – 7DMI (97.3%) Second place – 11NBA (96.4%) Third place – 11RWD (95.6%)

And to the form groups with the highest rewards this week:

First place – 7DMI Second place – 7NCU Third place – 7RHA

Reminders for next week and beyond:

- Monday 20 November Senior Year Mock Examinations commence.
- Tuesday 21 November Year 7 Netball fixture away to Lynn Grove Academy.
- Wednesday 22 November Shakespeare Performance at Caister Academy.



- Thursday 23 November Year 9 Parents Evening. Please find further information here.
- Monday 27 November:
 - Christmas food bank collection commences.
 - o Christmas tree erected by members of the Christmas Club.
- Tuesday 28 November Shakespeare Performance at Abbeyfield School.
- Thursday 30 November Class of 2023 Graduation Evening.
- Tuesday 5 December Rudolph Run.
- Wednesday 6 December Year 8 trip to the Natural History Museum.
- Thursday 7 December Key Stage 3 UV Dodgeball.
- Monday 11 December Creative Education Trust Joint Carol Service at The Minster, Great Yarmouth, from 7.00pm.
- Tuesday 12 December Christmas Show.
- Wednesday 13 December Christmas Show.
- Thursday 14 December:
 - o Christmas Lunch.
 - o Christmas Show.
 - o Young Carers Christmas Celebration.
- Friday 15 December (last day of term):
 - Celebration Assemblies all year groups.
 - Christmas Jumper Day.
 - o Attendance Rewards.
 - o Special Rewards Event.

Thank you for your continued support, I look forward to writing to you again next week.

Yours faithfully

Helen Seath Principal