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Dear Parent

Spring Term – Principal's Roundup - 12

We have had a great end of term week here at Caister Academy, and I wanted to highlight the following:

- Well done to Year 7 catering students who used the grills for the first time to make Croque Monsieur. All students worked extremely hard and assisted others where needed. Fantastic teamwork Year 7!
- Year 8 students had a fantastic time during their 'Bounce' rewards event yesterday morning. It was great to see students enjoying themselves, and there was an abundance of smiles and laughter. A massive thank you to all staff in the organisation of such a wonderful event.
- Year 9 students took part in an OCR Sport Science taster lesson with Mr McMillan, Teacher of Physical Education, as part of the options process. Students were also praised, by a number of teaching staff, for their hard work in engineering, English, PSHE, and catering lessons this week. Great work Year 9!
- Year 10 students received their mock examinations results. Mr Osben, Head of Year 10 and Senior Year, couldn't wait to share their successes with the school community. We are extremely proud of all Year 10 students for their maturity and hard work throughout the mock examination period.
- Senior Year mathematics students have moved into precision teaching groups in the final run up to examinations. All students have been given a range of additional revision resources that they can utilise over Easter to support them further with their studies.
- A huge well done to all students who received rewards in celebration assemblies today. It was fantastic to see so many parents and family members in attendance.
- A special well done to our best attending form groups so far:
 - First place – 11MMA (94.8%)
 - Second place – 7PCU (94.5%)
 - Third place – 7SBU (94.2%)
- And to the form groups with the highest rewards this week:
 - First place – 7KLO
 - Second place – 7VRO
 - Third place – 9RWD

Reminders for next week and beyond:

- Tuesday 22 April – Students return to school for Summer 1
- Tuesday 22 April – Singing Gala Rehearsal's
- Wednesday 23 April – Senior Year Singing Gala
- Thursday 24 April – Year 9 UEA Trip



- Thursday 24 April – Senior Year Raising Achievement Evening
- Monday 28 April – Ink Festival Trip
- Wednesday 30 April
 - Rehearsal Echoes of East Choir
 - Year 10 UEA Trip
- Thursday 1 May – Year 10 Raising Achievement Evening
- Friday 2 May – Year 7 Trip to Jimmy's Farm
- Thursday 8 May – Year 7 Parents Evening
- Wednesday 14 May – Harry Potter Trip
- Thursday 15 May – Normandy Trip 2025 - Parent Information Evening
- Friday 23 May – School closes for May half term

Principal's Learner of the Week

Congratulations to Maisie Coleman, Year 7, who won Principal's Learner of the Week. Maisie has made a fantastic effort collecting Caister Coins for her year group. Great work Maisie!

Thank you for your continued support, I wish you a happy and safe Easter and we look forward seeing your child/children on Tuesday 22 April.

Yours faithfully

Helen Seath
Principal