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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and your children had a restful half term, it is wonderful to have Year 7 back in school!

Thank you to all those parents who attended the Whitemoor Lakes Information Evening, the event itself feels very close now and I know how excited the students are. The team are really looking forward to it and it should be a fabulous weekend with lots of opportunity for Year 7 to grow both as individuals and together as a group.

During the course of this week and into next, Year 7 students have been with their College families, for College Assemblies. This has been to celebrate our Colleges and the ethos they all stand for, relaunching our College Attendance Challenge for next week, as well as providing the opportunity to look ahead to some key Charity and Community events. One event in particular stands out: Race for Life on Friday 21 March. This is always a fantastic afternoon where we challenge students to walk or run laps of the entire playing fields. I am looking forward to seeing how Year 7 throw themselves into that event. All of our students are encouraged to take part in order to fully raise awareness and funds for Cancer Research. You can get further information about the charity from JustGiving's Race for Life 2025 page.

Year 7 have also come back to school to a new opportunity. Applications are now open for the role of Transition Leaders. Year 7 may well remember seeing some North Leamington Students come to visit them in their primary schools to field any questions they had about life at North Leamington School. Now is the time that Year 7 themselves can be those very leaders. Transition leaders and the friendly faces of the school, and it is a big responsibility to take on. Students should check their email for the link from Mrs McBride for everything they need to make an application to be part of this dynamic team.

Next week sees the Annual World Book Day which will be recognised through a number of activities coordinated by the English Department and supplemented by a tutor time session.

Elsewhere in tutor time, this term Year 7 will be looking at essential life skills such as resilience, and looking at future careers. Students will be furthering their Digital Literacy skills with their tutors and there will also be an upcoming assembly from Mrs McBride on neurodivergence.

There is lots to look forward to for Year 7 this half term and I am also looking forward to it very much.

Yours sincerely

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