

Ballakermeen High School



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Dear Parent, Carers and students

I wanted to contact you as we break up for the TT holiday to wish you all the very best. I'm sure that whilst some of you will be looking forward to the spectacle and atmosphere of the TT, some will find other things to enjoy or you may even be escaping the Island for the week. Whatever you are doing we hope that you enjoy yourselves.

The Hotel Bell Tent has been set up overnight for the past few days and the first visitors will be welcomed after school closes. We have been pleased with the professionalism of the organisers in completing the set-up whilst the students have been off site and the students who have kept away from the cordoned off area where the vacant tents are set up. By way of explanation, any profits made from this provision is directly invested into the students of Ballakermeen.

Once again, I would like to pass on our appreciation of the attitude shown by Year 11 and Year 13 students towards their exams. In most cases the bulk of these exams have now been completed and students will be able to look forward to a long summer and rewarding results days of the 24th August and 17th August respectively.

The final half term will host Duke of Edinburgh expeditions, a Year 6 Transition Day, Geography fieldwork and the Higher Education Fair amongst other activities. It will no doubt be busy but hugely rewarding for everyone involved.

Finally, may I once again wish you a safe TT period and I hope that you enjoy the lovely weather that is forecast. We look forward to seeing everyone again after the well-deserved break.

Yours sincerely

Graeme Corrin
Headteacher