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Church of England School
Head of School: Mrs N J Adamson MA NPQH

8th November 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

Safe Drive Stay Alive Event - Friday 23rd November 2018

We have been invited to attend a Safe Drive Stay Alive event which is organised by a partnership between representatives from all three emergency services, NHS, London Boroughs and Transport for London. It is aimed at Sixth Form students and will take place at the Winston Churchill Hall in Ruislip. I would like to take all students in Year 12 to the event as they are of an age when they will soon be learning to drive. There is no cost and transport to and from the Winston Churchill Hall is provided.

The aim of the event is “to reduce the disproportionate number of road casualties among young road users. The facts are shocking, on average one in five young people will crash their cars in the first year of driving and they are most likely to have people of their own age as passengers. The threat of young people being killed or seriously injured on the roads is unsurpassed; in fact no other cause comes close”.

The performance is quite hard hitting and intended to make students think about actions and consequences when driving or being a passenger. I am assuming, as it is a local event during the school day, that I have your permission to take your son/daughter. We will be meeting in the Hub at 9.00am and leaving shortly after. We plan to arrive back to school at 12.00pm in time for the start of period 4 lessons. No subject lessons will be taking place until period 4. If you have any objections to your son/daughter taking part in the event please let me know via e-mail by Friday 16th November so that I can finalise coach bookings.

Students should bring with them any required medication; asthma inhalers, epipens, etc. Mobile phones and any other items of value can be taken but students do so at their own risk.

All students who travel as part of a group represent Bishop Ramsey School, therefore the highest standards of behaviour and conduct are expected as a matter of course.



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There is also a screening of the presentation available for parents and I have attached a letter from 'Safe Drive Stay Alive' which contains the details for the parents meeting should you wish to attend this.

Thank you for your support in encouraging your son/daughter to attend the event, I think it will have a far reaching effect on them when they are on the roads in the future.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Jeffries', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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