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Dear Parents/Carers,

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Victoria College is proud to announce the upcoming **Founders' Week**, taking place from **Monday 23 to Friday 27 September**, celebrating 172 years of excellence, tradition, and community. This annual event is a much-anticipated highlight of the school calendar, bringing together students and staff to participate in and support a series of exciting competitions, all in aid of the **Victoria College Foundation**.

What's Happening During Founders' Week?

Throughout the week, our students will compete in traditional house events, showcasing their skills, teamwork, and house pride. Key highlights include:

- **The Knight Shield Relay** – A test of endurance and team spirit.
- **The Cannon Race** – A thrilling challenge of speed and strength.
- **The Tug of War** – House teams battling for victory.
- **Dress Down Day and Cake Sale** - Students will also get the chance to participate in a fun-filled cake sale and dress-down day, helping raise even more funds for the Foundation.
- **The Founders' Walk** – An epic trek from La Frégate to Corbière Lighthouse and back, a true test of stamina and resilience.

But Founders' Week is more than just an exciting event - it's a chance for us to unite in support of the Victoria College Foundation's mission to provide bursaries for deserving students. By raising funds, we ensure that more young people can access the transformative education Victoria College offers.

How Can Parents, Students and Alumni Get Involved?

We invite parents, guardians, students and alumni to be a part of this incredible week and help us reach our fundraising goals! Here's how you can contribute:

1. **Sponsor a student** – Your sponsorship will directly support the bursary program, allowing talented students from all backgrounds to benefit from the opportunities at Victoria College.
2. **Help with the Cake Sale** – Parents can support by helping their sons bake delicious treats for the cake sale on Thursday.
3. **Spread the Word** – Encourage friends, family, and alumni to get involved by donating and sponsoring students. Every contribution makes a difference.

Our World of Opportunity

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With the support of our community, last year we raised over **£10,000**—this year, we're aiming to beat that and continue to provide vital support to our students. Whether through a donation or by supporting a student, your involvement will help us create lasting opportunities for the next generation of leaders.

For more information on how to sponsor a student or to make a donation, please click [here](#).

Let's make this Founders' Week one to remember, as we celebrate our rich history and come together to invest in our future.

Kind Regards

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