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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Now the relative chaos of the first few days back has subsided, hopefully your daughter will have let you know about the up-coming St. Oswald's 'House Outing' that will take place from 4.15pm this coming Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

This year the Houses are running their "outings" earlier in the academic year, which gives us the chance to keep on welcoming and integrating the girls into the ways of St. Oswald's.

As such, we plan to visit "The Boathouse" in Ellesmere for canapés, a little fizz, then a meal, and then return to College for some surprise entertainment. Because it is a whole House event, the House funds will cover the cost so if you are collecting your daughter after the event, please come to St. Oswald's at 10pm. There may be some space for Day Girls to board in House that night if they see us in advance.

Obviously, we expect the girls to relax and enjoy themselves but they should be mindful that we are still under College rules and also 'showing the House off' so we trust that their usual high standards of behaviour will be maintained.

Can we also take this opportunity to say that we hope you have enjoyed a restful summer break and that we have really enjoyed welcoming the girls to the House. Subject tutors will be in touch at least twice this term but please do keep in contact with them and us at <a href="mailto:st.oswalds@ellesmere.com">st.oswalds@ellesmere.com</a> should you have any concerns or queries regarding your daughter's progress — or future House matters.

Kind regards,

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