



23rd March 2018

Dear Parents

F24 Club Driver Training on Saturday 14th April

We are intending to race our F24 electric car at two events at the Rockingham Motor Speedway next term – the first on Wednesday 2nd May and the second on Wednesday 11th July. We plan to take half of the pupils in the F24 Club to each event, enabling each pupil to have a strong input into running the team or driving the car. Details on which pupils are selected for which date will be provided next term.

In order to teach safe handling of the machines and driving techniques, we are running **test sessions at Town Close on Saturday 14th April (weather permitting)**. It would aid the project greatly if the children could attend although it cannot, of course, be compulsory. If your son or daughter is keen to be a driver, please be aware that this is likely to be the main session.

On that Saturday, we plan to run one group from **10.00am – 11.30am** and a second from **12.15pm – 1.45pm**. If your child can attend the test on the 14th April, I would be grateful if you could indicate which time suits you best by reply to mbuck@townclose.com at your earliest convenience.

It is possible that some of the children might not be ready for safe and competent driving at this level. If this is the case, they can still play a very full part in the team. The Rockingham races are 90 minutes and feature driver changeovers in pit stops which cannot be run by adults, plus there will be media and technical responsibilities.

Further details of the races will be provided nearer the time.

Yours sincerely

Matthew Buck