

Lady Lumley's School Newsletter 20th May 2022 Issue Number 16



### Dear Parent/Carer

All credit to Year 11 who have made an excellent start to the examination series. With Speaking Exams completed, coursework being finalised before sending off and the written exams in full swing Year 11 have their work cut out. Year 13 have also started their final examinations before employment, University or Apprenticeships. We wish them all the very best after 7 years hard studying. Lady Lumley's Examination Officer and her team of Invigilators are doing all they can to maintain the best conditions for these year groups. The teaching staff are working with the students to build them up so they are as prepared as they can be. Thank you to all parents/carers who are supporting and encouraging from home.

Mr Mann and Mr Rutherford have visited Buckingham Palace this week with successful Duke of Edinburgh students. An even greater achievement as this prestigious qualification was gained during the pandemic. We have also had students visiting Year 6 students with a play to ease any transition to secondary school nerves, with three Primary Schools bringing their Year 6 students to the same experience at Lady Lumley's next week. We also look forward to some of our students taking part in a String Workshop Day at Ampleforth College next week. The PE Department is fully engrossed in athletics, cricket, rounders and tennis with practices and fixtures a regular feature of the school week. The Year 9 Supporting Success Event was a great opportunity to prepare Year 9 for their End of Key Stage Exams and prepare the next generation of Duke of Edinburgh candidates. Thank you to the parents/carers who were able to support this, and those that will access the resources online.

We have one final week before half term to put all our efforts into learning and progress before there is a week to relax and to relax and revise for some of our community. Clair Foden

### Bronze DofE Year 10

The Bronze students will be meeting after school on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May in GO1 to plan their qualifying expedition, which takes place at the end of June. I have been incredibly impressed with the independence and motivation displayed by these students on their EdofE portfolios. Please let Mr Mann know ASAP if you need to hire any equipment.

### Silver DofE Year 11

The students have planned their qualifying expedition, which takes part at the end of June and therefore are ready for expedition. They should also let Mr Mann know if they need any equipment.

### Gold DofE Year 12

Year 12 students have been busy preparing for their Gold canoeing expedition during the 6<sup>th</sup> form's enrichment

programme. We have been canoeing, developed campcraft skills and have learnt the essentials of first aid. These students will also be taking a leadership role on the inaugural Year 8 residential in July and have lots of exciting activities planned! Canoeing will return after half-term.

### Gold DofE Year 13

Year 13 are looking forward to their Gold qualifying expedition in July after their A level examinations. They will head over to the Welsh-English border and complete a challenging 4 day canoeing expedition on



the mighty River Wye. Once complete, students will be able to finish the Gold Award and receive their Gold certificates at one of the Royal Palaces with a special guest of their choice! Well done to all involved, Mr Mann.





### Lady Lumley's at Buckingham Palace

This week Mr Mann and Mr Rutherford were invited to a garden party at Buckingham Palace in recognition of the school's success in supporting Duke of Edinburgh's Award students throughout the pandemic. Despite the challenges of the past few years, a staggering number of students have passed the incredibly prestigious Gold Award with us. The garden party was a delightful event set in the gardens of Buckingham Palace. Throughout the day guest speakers such as Ben Fogle spoke about their adventures and experiences of DofE. We were finally joined by HRH Earl of Wessex who congratulated the students on their success and spoke passionately about the value and challenge of DofE. We were very fortunate to meet a large group of Lady Lumley's alumni from all over the country, who met to receive their Awards and reminisce about their expeditions! These students completed their Gold Award with us during their time in 6<sup>th</sup> form as part of the enrichment programme. It was fantastic to hear of their successes and achievements since leaving Lady Lumley's School and reinforces the value of the 6<sup>th</sup> form support offered here at school.

One of the students we met there was ex-head boy, Sam Penny. This week he wrote to us with the following story about his DofE journey:

I'm Sam Penny, an ex-Head Boy and I was a student at Lady Lumley's for seven years from 2012-2019. I remember many fond things from my time here but one of the best was when I was fortunate enough to do Bronze, Silver and Gold DofE and it was truly an experience that will last with me for a lifetime. It expanded on my love for the outdoors by providing me a goal to achieve and friends to achieve it with. I was lucky enough to go to Buckingham Palace last Monday to celebrate completing the Gold Award where I represented my year group from Lady Lumley's but also my Scout Troop for which I am now an Assistant Section Leader. A role which has benefited enormously from my experience doing DofE as it has taught me how to work together as a team. How to pick yourself up, dust yourself down and carry on when things get tough but also how to have fun, canoeing down a river in the blistering summer heat. It is truly a special experience that is rarely matched in life and I believe that if you are even considering it for a second, you should absolutely sign up and go for it. At the end of the day, it's better to try and find out it's not for you than to be left wondering "what if?".











### **Maths Challenge News**

Just after the Easter Holidays 55 Year 7 and 8 students sat the hour-long Junior Maths Challenge online. Earlier this week we were able to share the results with them, with a very high proportion of the students being awarded Bronze, Silver, and Gold Certificates.

In Year 7 Charlie Collings was awarded the Gold Certificate in addition to Best in Year. In year 8 Sarah Lowther, Wilson Moisey Smith and Ruby Harland were all awarded a Gold Certificates with Sarah Lowther also awarded Best in School.

The bar was set high to qualify for the next round; Sarah Lowther qualified strongly and will sit the Junior Kangaroo Challenge on June 14<sup>th</sup>. I look forward to sharing news of her success with you before the summer holidays.

That wraps up the UKMT Maths Challenges for this academic year, but I hope to see even more students participating next year.

If you would like to try the types of questions involved in the Junior Maths Challenge, see below. (Answers at the end of the newsletter)

Year	Bronze Certificate	Silver Certificate	Gold Certificate
7	Euan Appleby Amelia Dobson Artie Dodds Imogen Stone Lucy Wood	Leo Bamfield Ezra Bateman Rhys Dodd George Dunce Earl Fleming Abigail Francis Nikita Grayson Charlotte Pool	Charlie Collings (Best in Year)
8	Elsie Haynes Lucy Aconley Callie Archer Phoebe Blacklock Alex Bradley Charlie Davis Isaac Goodfellow Noah Holt Hogg Izzy Horsfall Harry Jones Connor Morland Ciara Norton Lacey Shakerley	Billy Hunwicks Maisie Metcalf	Ruby Harland Wilson Moisey-Smith Sarah Lowther (Best in School)

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A 100 g

A 25

Kiwi fruit contain roughly two and a half times as much vitamin C as the same weight of oranges. What weight of kiwi fruit contains approximately the same amount of vitamin C as 1 kg of oranges?

D 39

C 250g

Today is T 2

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Today is Thursday.	What	day will it be in	100 days' time?		
A Tuesday	в	Wednesday	C Thursday	D	Friday
How many squares	of any	y size can be seen	n in the diagram?		

C 28

B 200 g

B 27

E 40

D 400 g

E 550 g

E Saturday





### Ampleforth College

On Friday the 6th of May the Year 12's visited Ampleforth College to attend chosen seminars that reflected what they wanted to do in university, where they wanted to go and what their interests were. This was a great opportunity for them to understand more about university life and a real eye opener for how close university actually is! The students were also able to talk one on one with some of the professors or university ambassadors who were present at the event. The visit was really useful as it helped many to decide on possible subjects, on universities and have any questions answered. For example, I spoke to Professor Rex from Cambridge University who solved many of my current problems such as what to write in my essay for the John Lock Award, which Oxford College to apply to and what to submit for my admissions test. One of my friends was able to speak to Stirling University which enabled her to explore the possibility of taking History, Philosophy and German at University something that she did not realise was possible beforehand. Overall, the trip to Ampleforth College allowed the Year 12's to learn more about how to apply to university, what university will be like and what to take as a subject choice. Meri Wore

### MFL and Art trip to Paris: October 16th-19th 2022

Thank you for your interest in this trip. I have had a huge amount of replies so as a result we have been very oversubscribed! All students in Year 10 and Year 11 who have handed in a reply slip are on the list to take part in the trip. Students currently in Year 9 will have first priority for October 2023 when they are in Year 11. Parents/carers of students who are going on the trip will have received notification through ParentPay about the first deposit of **£75** which is due on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June.** This is the absolute deadline, deposits can be paid before that date. Details regarding the itinerary will be shared after deposits have come in. Miss Wilson

### **Yorkshire Rugby Union Selection**

The school would like to congratulate **Rueben Jansen Van Rensberg** on his selection to the East Yorkshire Rugby Union Team at the beginning of the new season. **Ieuan Jones** and **Aiden Hann** also attended the U14, Yorkshire Rugby Union trials at Wetherby. Although both students were not selected this time, they should be proud of their achievements so far.

### **Area Athletics Trials**

A number of students attended the Area Athletics Trials on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> May at Malton School. Those finishing in 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> place will now qualify to represent the area on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June. Congratulations to the following students,

Isobel Francis Richardson 1<sup>st</sup> Place – High Jump Sofia McGrath 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – 1500m Rose Turnbull 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Shot Putt Brooke Southren 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – 800m Neisha Casper 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Triple Jump & 300m Josh Hornsby 1<sup>st</sup> Place – High Jump Nathan Anthoni 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Long Jump Yusuf Chowdury 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – 300m

### **Changes to the Pastoral Team**

As you will know Mrs Briston left the Pastoral Team last month. We now have Mrs Lisa Gill and Mrs Simpson working part-time within the Pastoral Team until the Summer break.

As we prepare for the new Academic Year, the current Pastoral Officers will start to work with their new Year Groups to give them time to get to know their students and for an efficient handover to take place. This will start after May half-term.

The Year Groups will be as follows:

Yr. 6 → Yr. 7 Mrs Allen

Yr. 7  $\rightarrow$  Yr. 8 Mrs Lisa Gill & Mrs Simpson

Yr. 8 → Yr. 9 Mrs Loosley

Yr. 9 → Yr. 10 Mrs Lyndsey Gill

Yr. 10  $\rightarrow$  Yr. 11 Mrs Gibbs





### **British Swimming Championship**

When we arrived at the British Swimming Championships event we were greeted by the event leaders and heads of Swim England and we were given our special official uniform and VIP passes.

We had a quick briefing on what our roles would be and how to do kit carrying, surprisingly harder than it looks. After we did some practice runs, the members

who were volunteering from the youth forum were asked to complete an interview, in my opinion it was the scariest part.

Then the competition started. There was a lot of races but luckily we didn't have many 50's. This was good because on the 50's we had to pretty much run from one side of the 50m pool to the other and change the kit boxes in less than 30 seconds.

My favourite race that we watched was definitely the 200 back stroke, as my biggest inspiration, Luke Greenbank, was in the final and won. I even got to carry his kit. The 200 freestyle final was one of the best swimming races that I have ever seen. It was like an Olympic final with all 87 lanes being taken up by Olympians, it was like a battle in the water.



At the end we managed to get signatures and photos from the competitors. I would definitely recommend volunteering for an event like the British championships in other sports or swimming as it is an amazing opportunity which has made me more determined to reach my goals. Eliza Hammond

### **The Youth Forum**

I applied to join the North East Regional Youth Forum back in December last year. There were hundreds of applicants who applied and only 5-8 were selected. In January I found out that I was one of those 5. Shortly after, we had our first meeting and unfortunately due to covid, we had to do this online. Normally it would be a 6 hour meeting in person where you can get to know everyone, but for our first meeting it was on teams for 2 hours. It was a very daunting experience but I loved it.

In the Youth Forum we help raise awareness for roles in the swimming world and run Younger Leader Sessions. We also go over matters which have come up, we help raise awareness of organisations and the Youth Forum.

I love being a part of the Youth Forum as its not just swimming, there are people from all aquatic disciplines which allows me to learn more and be more inclusive. Eliza Hammond





### **Nut Allergies**

Please can parent/carers and students be aware that we have several students with nut allergies in school. We would be grateful if you could refrain from sending students in with anything containing nuts. Many thanks.

### Attendance

Due to COVID-19 and several bugs circulating in the community, maintaining high levels of attendance has been a challenge for a number of students. Please support your son/daughter as much as possible over the next term and ensure they are attending school regularly. When your son/daughter is absent please inform school everyday by ringing 01751 472846 by email admin@ll.coastandvale.academy or by sending a notification on classcharts

Where possible make medical appointments out of school hours, if this is not possible please send a note in your son/daughter's planner along with a medical letter or appointment card which they can show to the office staff, and they can make a copy to add to the student's file.

### **Changes of Personal Details**

To ensure that you receive the most up to date information relating to school life and so that we can contact you effectively, please could we ask that you ensure you notify school when any of your family contact information changes, for example changes to phone numbers or address. Please email any changes to admin@ll.coastandvale.academy

### Vaccinations

The childhood immunisation team visits Lady Lumley's School throughout the year to deliver important vaccinations on behalf of the NHS to those students who have had parental consent. If you have any questions regarding any vaccinations please contact them on 01423 542360 or email childhood.immunisations@hdtf.nhs.uk or alternatively contact your local GP. If you wish to register your child for a vaccination please do so by following this <u>link</u> and use the school code **121671.** 

### **Useful Contact Information:**

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### Dates for your Diary

Monday 23rd May - Music String Workshop Day, Ampleforth College Wednesday 25th May - Y10 Drama Theatre Trip - Teechers Thursday 26th May - The Tempest Rehearsal, 3 - 4.45pm Friday 27th May - School Closes for Half Term Monday 6th June - Students Return to School W/c Monday 6th June - Y9 PPE (Pre Public Exam) Thursday 9th June - The Tempest Rehearsal, 3 - 4.45pm W/c Monday 13th June - Y8 Geography Fieldwork, Pickering Beck W/c Monday 13th June - Y7/10 PPE (Pre Public Exams) Thursday 16th June - The Tempest Rehearsal, 3 - 4.45pm

### Junior Maths Challenge Answers

1. D The weight of kiwi fruit which contains approximately the same amount of vitamin C as 1 kg of oranges is  $(1000 \div 2 \ 1 \ 2 \ ) g = (1000 \times 2 \ 5 \ ) g = 400 \ g$ .

2. E Note that  $100 \div 7 = 14$  remainder 2, so a period of 100 days is equal to 14 weeks and 2 days. Therefore, in 100 days' time it will be Saturday.

3. B Let the side length of the large square be 9. Then the possible sizes of squares are 9, 6, 3, 2 and 1. The numbers of each size are, respectively, 1, 4, 9, 4 and 9. So the total number of squares in the diagram is 1 + 4 + 9 + 4 + 9 = 27.





Adult Learning & Skills Service are delighted to announce the launch of their new and exciting learning centre; Atmosphere in Pickering

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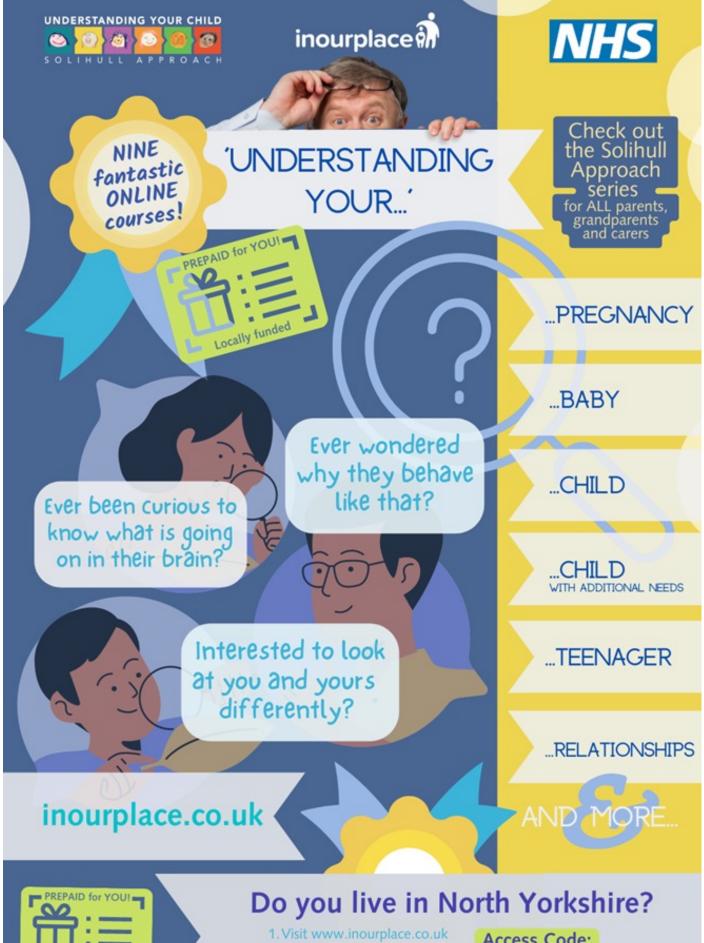


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