



Lady Lumley's School

# Newsletter

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Dear families,

How fitting that Mr Fairclough has been taking assembly all week on Lady Lumley's Enrichment offer. Thank you to the families who attended that Forest and Vale Friday on 6<sup>th</sup> October for our Duke of Edinburgh presentations and for the contributions to the community awards. The photos and report here and in the press are a great celebration of Lady Lumley's students and staff and the community which we serve.

The French and Art trip has returned from Paris and Ms Wilson was so impressed with our students - punctual, polite and great fun. Mr McGrath and Ms Ashworth thoroughly enjoyed Musée d'Orsay and the students sketching outside. Year 8 went closer to home - Scarborough for some Science and careers work and were complimented by the organisers for being curious and courteous. Mrs Hodsman has had a thumping football victory for the Year 9 and 10 girls and there have been a range of fixtures this week for our students to get involved in.

Lady Lumley's School breaks up for half term on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 3.00pm.

Clair Foden

## Goathland geography trip

During the week beginning 2nd October our Year 11 geography students enjoyed an unseasonably mild visit to Goathland to conduct their river study.

Equipped with ranging poles, tape measures, callipers and airflow balls they endeavoured to collect data on the channel and valley characteristics of the Murk Esk and its tributaries. Students fished out their wellies and waded into the waters, which were higher than usual due to our wet summer. Unfortunately for some, they still didn't manage to avoid getting wet, including Mrs Temple whose 18 year old wellies finally gave up the ghost! Students particularly enjoyed

measuring the velocity with airflow balls, although a couple managed to escape downstream. Another highlight was the beautiful walk down the cinder track from Goathland to Beck Hole, where we all managed to get our steps in before a relaxing coach ride home.



## News Report - Girls Football

On Tuesday Lady Lumley's U15s girl football team played against Queen Ethelburg's in the under 15 County Cup. We conceded from a free kick early in the game, but we managed to pull it back with half time ending in 2-1, as M Metcalf scored two. In the second half we played even stronger with B Southren scoring two and R Golder scoring one towards the end of the game. Everyone played well and never gave up. As a first time playing as a team, we all showed great teamwork and resilience to win the game. The girls will now go through to the quarter finals of the County Cup.

Written By B Southren



### Community Award

What a delight to see so many of Lady Lumley's School Year 11 collect their Duke of Edinburgh, Bronze awards with families and all the staff who supported them in their success. A fantastic group of young people, dressed to impress, receiving their awards from the Deputy Mayor, Ms Steadman who is also their Pastoral Officer at school - a real community effort. Mr Mann and his team of volunteers have supported these students, giving up evenings and weekends and are delighted with the number of pupils already progressing to the Silver award. These awards were followed by two very special Pickering Town Volunteer council awards:



Jessica Yeoman - Under 18 Volunteer of the Year  
Mark Hill - Life time service award



Thank you to Forest and Vale for hosting the community awards evening and for the recognition from the Town Council for two fabulous contributors to Lady Lumley's and the town of Pickering.

S. McGarth who attended on the night to collect her bronze award said. I really enjoyed it and thought it was a good way to show our achievements. Thank you to Pickering Town Council for putting the event on for us.



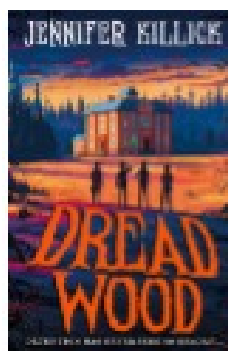




## October News from the Library



October is designated Black History month and the library display reflects that focus. You can read about a conversation that brought about this annual event at this [link](#) from The Guardian newspaper.



### Book buzz update

Students in Years 7 and 8 turned in their order forms for the Book Buzz programme that I mentioned last month and now we wait for that highly anticipated box of books to arrive! The overwhelming favourite of the books on offer was Dread Wood, a horror story by Jennifer Killick, but I'm happy to say that each of the 16 books on offer were appealing to some of our readers.

## English lessons in the library

Students in Years 7, 8 and 9 visit the library once every two weeks with their English teachers. Our intention is always to encourage independent reading for pleasure, so lessons are designed to promote reading beyond the classroom. We have spent time in the computer labs learning how to use our ePlatform, which hosts thousands of ebooks and audiobooks. Students can log on to the site at home and download the app on to phones – it's a great way to access books for free.

## Lady Lumley's School

Access your eLibrary anywhere, anytime, on multiple devices.

Start Browsing

or get the [ePlatform app](#)



### New to the library

Ms Wilson has donated some French magazines to our library. Students can find them on a magazine rack in the non-fiction section if they would like a fun way to practice their language skills.

## Health and wellbeing

Finally, we have been asked by North Yorkshire libraries to help promote their toolkit for health and wellbeing. There are a range of resources available through the library service – follow this link to find out more.

[Health and wellbeing through the library](#)

As always, get in touch if you have any questions or would like book recommendations!

Happy Reading, Ms Rueth



## Drama News

### Theatre Visit

Year 11 Drama students visited York Theatre Royal on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October to see Frantic Assembly's Metamorphosis. The production was visually striking and used a lot of physicality to convey the story and express the characters' emotions.

### Fear in the Forest

We are busy rehearsing for Dalby's Halloween event, Fear in the Forest. This year audiences will be finding out about the Demon of Dalby and experiencing the Hags from Castle Dracula. Watch out for the evil plague doctors! A poster for the event is attached.

### KS3 Drama Club

Drama Club will be back after half term. Tuesdays in Dr1 3.00pm - 4.00pm. Come along for games, improv and performance opportunities. All welcome.

## Maths Olympiad for Girls and the Senior Maths Challenge.

Since the start of the new school year, we have already had students take part in two UKMT maths challenges. First T Gospel in Year 12 sat the Maths Olympiad for Girls, a week later nine Year 12 students sat the Senior Maths Challenge

The Maths Olympiad for girls is a 2.5-hour problem solving exam comprised of 5 increasing difficult questions. The Senior Maths Challenge is open to all our mathematicians in Year 12 and 13 and is a 90-minute paper consisting of 25, increasingly difficult, multiple-choice questions. Students must be careful in their selection as wrong answers are awarded negative marks.

While we are still waiting on the Maths Olympiad for girls results, as these are hand marked, we have received the fantastic results from our Year 12s in the Senior Maths Challenge. As always, we were very impressed with how our students performed.

This year we are proud to share that H Monkman has done so well he has qualified for the British Maths Olympiad. This paper lasts 3½ hours, and consists of six questions each worth 10 marks, candidates are required to write full proofs to the questions. Only 100 students each year are invited to sit this paper, with students who do very well being selected to represent the UK in international Maths competitions.

Other special mention goes to W Fountain, T Gospel, and I Minguez-Sweeney who all achieved the silver award, and to N Brown, J Lawson, and W Mansell who achieved the Bronze Award.

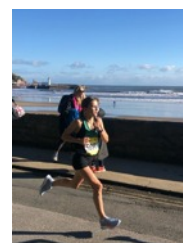
I look forward to bringing you news of T Gospel and H Monkman's success in their respective competitions in the near future.

The next challenge to take place is the Intermediate Maths Challenge, which is open to students in Years 9, 10 and 11. This challenge will take place in February so please let your maths teacher know if you would like to take part. Hazel Le Grande

## Sporting Success

Congratulation to I Brown (Year 8). Imogen ran the Scarborough McCain 5km on Sunday 15th October. She finished in 21:09 (narrowly missing out on a PB) with a great sprint finish. They were 1st U15 female and 2nd overall female. A huge congratulations from us all at Lady Lumley's.

Mrs Hodsman





### **Netball report**

On Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October the Year 8 girls had their first netball CUP match against Malton. There were many amazing passes from the whole team and some great defending from I Williams and M Stockhill. Unfortunately, they won't be progressing on to the next round, however they still won in sportsmanship. Well done to the whole team.

M Stockhill, I Williams, I Brown, B Wilford, P Norton, P Gibson, B Harper, A Chaplin.

Report written by A Chaplin

### **Primary Rugby Festival of Fun**

Congratulations to all our Sixth Form and Year 10 Sports Leaders who attended and led zones at our Taster Rugby Festival on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at Malton and Norton Rugby Club. Our Leaders delivered a high quality, high paced and interactive sessions for over 220 Year 5 and 6 pupils. All participants were able to enjoy and thrive at all activities across the afternoon. The feedback from primary pupils, teachers and rugby coaches was very positive with many pupils saying they would like to carry on playing rugby and become a Sports Leader.

Thank you to our Sports Leaders for being such brilliant role models for Lady Lumley's.

Mrs Twamley (School Games Organiser)



## **Gardening Club**

**Starts Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

**Meet in LS2 3pm**

**All welcome**

**Any questions see Mr Ahmed or Mrs Gibbs**





### Spotlight on Life

Year 7 continue to explore friendships, looking at why it's not always useful to compare yourself to others, and how social media can portray things as different to what they actually are!

Year 8 were fortunate enough to attend Scarborough Science and Engineering Week last Tuesday, where they had the opportunity to test their strength, their balance, make the loudest sound and even control robots! Feedback from employers was incredibly positive, with Ellie Dove from the NHS making a point of telling Mr Heeley just how impressed they had been by our students. The event was organised by NYBEP who were keen to interview our students for their feedback, as B. Pearson was (or so I'm told!) the 14,000th student to attend SSEW since it launched over ten years ago! This experience has helped students link their learning about careers in school to the wider world!



Years 9, 10 and 11 have spent two lessons now exploring the risks associated with vaping as teenagers. Given that some students are sharing vapes, the health risks are not simply limited to the contents of the vapes themselves. We watched this video from This Morning where a 12-year-old describes the effects on her health: [The 12-Year-Old Girl Whose Vaping Addiction Left Her Fighting For Her Life | This Morning - YouTube](#)

Years 7, 9-13 were all lucky enough to take part in the BBC Bitesize Roadshow where representatives from three local businesses (Flamingo Land, Quorn, BBC Radio York) were interviewed about their career pathway, the skills they had used and acquired along the way. Students listened attentively and asked questions which helped them find out more about what each person's job was like.

**And finally, Diversity Club will be up and running again after half term – Tuesday 7th November 3pm-4pm in LA5 with Mr Heeley and Mrs Gibbs. All are welcome to celebrate diversity in Lady Lumley's school!**

### Flu vaccinations

Just a reminder for all families to fill the e consent form if you wish for your child to have the upcoming flu vaccination.



## Lady Lumley's Sixth Form Open Evening

For Year 10 and 11 Students and Families

**"Being Our Best"**

**Wednesday 8th November 2023**

**6.00 pm to 7.30 pm**

For further information call 01751 472846  
or email [admin@ll.coastandvale.academy](mailto:admin@ll.coastandvale.academy)



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### Dates for your Diary

Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th October - Y11 PPE Week

Monday 23rd October - Y7 County Cup, LLS 3-5.30pm

Tuesday 24th October - District Cross Country, Malton School 1.15-4.30pm

Tuesday 24th October - Y6 Transition Event, LLS 4.30-5.30pm

Wednesday 25th October - Y12 Geography Fieldwork, Northallerton

Wednesday 25th October - Y11 Boys Rugby, Scarborough RFC 1-6pm

Thursday 26th October - Y7/8 Music Service Demo Session

Thursday 26th October - Y9 Netball and Y11 Netball, Caedmon College, Whitby 2.30-5pm

**Friday 27th October - School Closes for Half Term 3pm**

Monday 30th October - Y10-13 Drama Performance - Fear in the Forest, Dalby Forest

**Monday 6th November - Students Return to School**

Wednesday 8th November - Y8 Partnership Netball, Ryedale School 1.15-4.45pm

**Wednesday 8th November - Sixth Form Open Evening, LLS, 6-7.30pm**

Thursday 9th November - Cross Country, Caedmon College Whitby 12.30-4.15pm

Friday 10th November - Y9 Creative Writing Workshop (Jules Brown), LLS 1-3pm

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Forestry England

# Fear in the forest

Are you brave enough?

**Monday  
30 October**

**From 5:30pm**

£10 per adult and £6 per child, which includes a non-refundable booking fee.

Suitable for children 5+.

Discount for members.

**Buy your tickets online**

Join us for the spookiest thrills, creepy crafts and ghoulishly gruesome performances on our guided Halloween trail through the trees...

In association with Lady Lumley's School and University of Hull



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We are passionate about attracting trainees who are committed, energetic, and inspiring, who are our future school leaders and who will positively impact on the lives of children and young people in our schools.




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Applications are now open for September 2024. If you, or any one you know are thinking about training to teach, then visit [Coast and Vale Learning Trust - Teaching Alliance](https://coastandvale.academy) or email [itt@coastandvale.academy](mailto:itt@coastandvale.academy) for more details.



# COMING SOON



# RYEDALE JUNIOR NETBALL

**MONDAY NIGHTS**

**FIRST WEEK FREE!**

**TASTER WEEK**  
**MONDAY 23RD OCTOBER**

**AGES**  
SCHOOL YEARS 6, 7, 8 & 9

**LOCATION**  
EVERYONE ACTIVE  
@ LADY LUMLEYS SCHOOL  
6 - 7 pm

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