

Lucton's first fun pet show



The indifferent weather did not dampen enthusiasm for this new Friends' event. We had a wonderful time and our judges certainly had their work cut out. Ice cream and hot dogs were greatly appreciated and all classes were entered. Grace Ralph's dog, Lucky, was the overall show champion.



"Trolls"

This week, the Prep School hall was transformed into an enchanted wood as the set for the "Trolls". It was created in art and design and technology lessons across the Pre Prep and Prep School and masterminded by Miss Jay and Mr Evans. The fantastic set was matched by talented acting and beautiful singing to produce two magnificent performances of "Trolls". Congratulations to Mrs Rogers to whom we owe the success of this production and we wish her well with her very own production in the near future.



The Friends of Lucton School

Last Sunday's 'Fun' Pet Show was well attended and great fun. Thank you to all of the parents, pupils and of course, their pets, for making the event quite so successful. We had stick insects, fish, cats, rabbits, and a variety of little furry animals, but by far the greatest element of the show was the canine contingent. We had all shapes and sizes entering a wide ranging number of classes. It involved dodging the showers, but the retrieving, which took place out of doors, was very impressive and at times quite amusing as the dogs really seemed to enjoy taking the 'jumps'. In the activity hall, the agility class had one of the largest entries and finished with the two finalists competing against the clock. We are already looking forward to next year's show!

Later this term, we look forward to the Summer Fete and a Barn Dance. If you would like to become more involved in any Friends' activities, please contact, Sarah Handley-Edgar on her mobile: 07967362246, or by e-mail: sez@bromyard43.fsnet.co.uk and if you leave a message and contact number, Sarah will get back to you.

E-mail newsletter

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BARN DANCE

Friday 26th June, 7.00pm to 11.30pm

A 'Family' event for all ages, but all children will need a responsible adult with them. Bar and food bar available from 7.00pm, Music from 7.30pm.

Tickets: £10 adults and £2.50 for children/pupils.

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Year 6 cycling

Mr Kemp, very patiently, taught us how to be safe on our bicycles on the road. We have learnt how to turn into and out of junctions and the importance of looking around at other road users and the hazards they may present. We went down to Kingsland to use a junction at the edge of the village so that we could cycle on the flat instead of struggling up our steep junction at school. We were amazed at the number of cars which whizzed through the 30mph signs and didn't slow down at all! Thank you to Mr. Wilmett for transporting our bikes. By the time you read this, many of us will have passed the written and riding tests and be proud owners of certificates.

From the Boarding House

On Friday evening, the Russian pupils that have been staying with us for the past three weeks put on a small show for the boarders before they headed home on Saturday morning. They sang six songs in Russian and showed us a new technique using a comb and a piece of paper as a musical instrument! The evening ended in us all taking part in a game called streamers which we thoroughly enjoyed. On Saturday afternoon, Mrs Looms took a minibus full of boarders to Worcester for shopping and the cinema. Those that stayed behind studied hard for their exams and some even enjoyed a dip in the swimming pool. In the evening some went ten-pin bowling. The respective winners were Vladimir, Rees and Reza. On Sunday, many of the boarders enjoyed Lucton Schools' first Pet Show which was most entertaining and fascinating. Ayla managed to get runner up by entering the House goldfish. Many of us enjoyed the ice creams, despite the weather and we are now looking forward to the Barn Dance next month.



Equestrian team

It was early starts as the team set off for one day events at Stonar. On Saturday, Toby Hamer, Sophie Ball and Freddie Powell competed in the mini section and on Sunday, Eleanor Owens and Storm Fowler entered the junior section.

On Saturday, Toby had the best dressage, followed by Freddie and Sophie. Sophie and Toby went clear SJ and XC. Sunday was very wet and against a very large and strong field, Storm achieved a very commendable 7th place. The cross country course was very impressive, with multiple jumps, including water, a stone wall, logs and wooden fences.

Toby and Sophie also competed on the Sunday in the Ludlow Pony club ODE in the 2ft and 2ft 3 classes respectively - Toby won his class on Brickly and Sophie came 2nd on Pearl in hers.

Carding Mill Valley

Last Thursday, Years Reception, with Yrs 1 and 2, enjoyed a 'hands-on' visit to Carding Mill Valley, catching and examining pond, stream and woodland minibeasts.

Picture: Sue from the Education Centre helps Reception Class examine their catch!



Credit control

We are improving our financial procedures and reorganising our administration function and as part of the process we are now outsourcing our credit control. Prompt payment and co-operation in this matter helps keep the fees down.

SPORTS REPORT

DISTRICT ATHLETICS – After a thunder storm at the start, we achieved some fantastic results! Results include: Junior girls: Molly Argent 1st 200m, 2nd 100m, Iona Reid 2nd 800m, Emily Denson 2nd shot, Amy Hind 4th discus, and the relay team 3rd. Intermediate girls: Alex Athanasiou 3rd 100m and 200m, Chloe Evans 2nd High jump, Jodie Parker-Hill 1st shot, Naomi Owens 4th 1500m and 5th in the relay. Junior boys: Henry Llewellyn 1st 400m, Tom Looms 2nd javelin, Peter Gray 1st shot, and 3rd in the relay. Intermediate boys: Joe Griffiths 3rd 100m and 4th 200m; all in all a fabulous set of results.

U12 & U14 ROUNDERS – v St Richards. Our U12 girls made a slow start to the match and managed to score only one rounder in the first innings. They fielded better than they batted and restricted St Richards to scoring only four rounders, which we matched in our second innings, but we were left with too much to pull back. The U14 Girls made a much better start, but were beaten by a particularly good second innings from the opposition.

NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES

Wed Jun 3rd: ISA Senior Athletics at Alexander Stadium, 10.00am
U13 Cricket v Lady Hawkins (H), 4.00pm
Thu June 4th: U9 Cricket v Moffats (A), 2.00pm



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