

New Sixth Form for a day



On Wednesday, Year 11 students sampled life in the Sixth Form. Complete with sample lessons and scholarship examinations, the day also

included some relaxation time in the Sixth Form common room. Without exception, they really were a smart looking group!

Parents' Evenings in full swing



This term, the teaching staff throughout the school, appear to have a Parents' Evening nearly every week. The photograph above was taken at last week's Year 8 evening. This Friday it is the turn of Year 11 and the Sixth Form.

Sunday Service

The Chaplain will hold a family service next Sunday, 7th February, in the Memorial Hall at 6.30pm. All boarders should return in time to attend the service, at which everyone is welcome, staff, day pupils, parents and friends.

The Friends of Lucton School

The Race Night on Saturday 6th February is only one week away now. We look forward to seeing some new faces at this fun event. The funds raised from the Race Night will go towards the Friends' contribution to the new 'Pupils' Garden' project, which is being funded equally by The Friends, The Old Luctonians Association and the School.

You may sponsor one of the six races and buy various horses in each race. Please contact the school offices for more information or just to book your tickets.

At the same time, why not ask at the office for more information on The 100 Club. It offers a very real opportunity to win a cash prize every month, whilst raising funds for the Friends.

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 with your contact details and Sarah will get back to you.

Message from Matron

Would all asthma sufferers please ensure that Matron holds a spare inhaler for them at school. Also, there is a renewed outbreak of the winter sickness bug. Would parents please ensure that children do not return to school until they are fully recovered.

The Friends of Lucton School present:

RACE NIGHT

7.30pm on Saturday 6th February, 2010.
in the Memorial Hall at Lucton School
Tickets £3.50 each to include buffet!

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From the Boarding House

Year 8 Parents' Evening took place on Friday, therefore, it was a quiet night in for the boarders. The usual Morrisons trip took place on Saturday morning prior to Go Karting at Weobley. 30 boarders and two Gaps went with Mr. Howard and Dr. Murtagh. Despite the staff being the only people able to drive, they truly put on a dismal performance. Miki could have given Lewis Hamilton a run for his money as he posted the fastest time of the day! Honourable mentions should go to Rachael Murtagh for a stupendous crash through the barrier, Yusuf and Liam who, despite being only 11 years old, managed to beat our Gap Sarah and Michael Mak for not being able to drive in a straight line! Back at the house, the junior boarders, Tom and Mrs. Howard cooked some cakes to welcome the troops home. Tom also cooked an outstanding chicken curry which was devoured by the juniors before he even had chance to taste it! On Saturday night, Mitch and Sarah organised a pool tournament which Mr. Howard allowed Abdul to win. This week we hope to start the house darts, pool and table tennis leagues. It wasn't until Saturday night that we realised quite how competitive some of the boarders are, so the events should be entertaining.

Could we please remind all parents/guardians that we urgently require half term arrangements, whether pupils are catching flights or staying with guardians.



More information on the Clay Pigeon Shoot

As promised, further details for the clay shoot which takes place at Oakerwood Leisure on Sunday 28th February at 11.30am. Come individually or in teams of three. Some shooting experience required. Hot dogs, beef burgers, etc., will be on sale during the day.

Tickets for Senior/Mid Disco

Tickets must be obtained beforehand from Mrs Bufton in the school office at a cost of £2. The senior school disco will take place on Thursday, 11th February between 7pm and 10pm. Year 6 pupils may attend but will need to be collected at 9pm. As reported last week, the colour theme this year is gold and silver.

SPORTS REPORT

U12 & U13 NETBALL – v Wigmore. U12: Well done girls! the whole team played very well together with Georgina Ewell getting player of the match but no-one in this team played badly! The final score was 3-1 to Lucton. U13: This was a good game with Rebecca McLauchlan and Rachael Murtagh playing exceptionally well in defence. Unfortunately, they out shot us with the final score 7-2.

CROSS COUNTRY – The Director of Sport decreed that there would be no snow on Wednesday ... and it was so! Sadly, Minster College called late on Tuesday to cancel the football fixture for the Under 15s. This pleased the boys greatly as it meant that a majority were then able to participate in the cross country event at Wrekin College. Sadly, we were met by two very strong schools in Wrekin and Shrewsbury and we finished 3rd, Ed Hopkins was the highest placed runner (despite missing the start and being 300m behind straight away because he hadn't done his shoes up!). Jenny Smith and Molly Argent were placed well in the girls event, with Jenny finishing 18th.

U11 FOOTBALL – v St Richards. On Monday, our U11 footballers played 6-a-side training matches against St. Richards and won three out of four matches. Scorers included Tommy Williams, George Bouston, Jack Musto and Liam Evetts and all of our players showed great promise for the first matches of the season. There was some lovely passing football played by both teams and I look forward to this coming term.

NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES

Mon 1 Feb	4.00pm U15 County Hockey Tournament at HLC
Wed 3 Feb	2.00pm U18 Football v Wrekin (A)
	2.30pm U12 Netball v Minster (A)
	2.30pm U13 Netball v Minster (A)



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