

Lucton Bulletin

May 20th
2022



It was great to start the week off with a well-attended Orchestral Day, which finished with a thoroughly enjoyable performance.

The main focus of the week has been on the rather less enjoyable theme of exams for our older students, with everybody in Year 6 upwards involved in either internal or external exams next week. It will be a stressful time for many and please know that we are here to offer help and support. I wish all students the best of luck.

In the Prep School, it has been fantastic to hear so much positive feedback from our Year 5 students about last week's trip to Red Ridge. I also particularly enjoyed my time with the Prep School on Wednesday giving an assembly, where the children were as enthusiastic and attentive as ever when learning about tolerance (I only hope they remember what that means – feel free to test them!).

It will be a busy weekend with ABRSM Exams, a boarders' trip to Worcester, and some of our students competing in the Vale of Arrow dressage competition at the Equestrian Centre. I wish all involved the very best.

Mr Tyler
Headmaster

Updates & Reminders

SchoolMoney

An email will soon be sent to parents introducing our new online payment system 'SchoolMoney'. This will enable you to pay for Extras, trips and other items quickly and securely.

Prep School Reminders

Lots planned for Prep school next week, including Year 4 and 5's trip to the Roman Town at Wroxeter on Wednesday; Reception class 'Bring a bike' day on Thursday; and the Ballet Assembly on Friday, which parents are always welcome to attend.

Ice Creams

The Friends will be selling ice creams every Friday for £1 each. These will be available in Prep School and outside Memorial Hall.

Parents' Afternoon Tea

We would be delighted to welcome all parents to join us for Afternoon Tea from 4pm on Friday 27th May, hosted in the Queen Anne Dining Hall.

Half Term

Half Term commences at 5pm on Friday 27th May, with boarders able to return from 3pm on Sunday 5th June.

Boarding News

The weekend started with the standard Friday night trip to Morrisons with all of the boarders looking to resupply their dwindling stocks of food for the coming week. School Cottage joined the Croft pupils, meaning a busy 10 minutes or so for the Morrisons' tills.

Saturday morning saw both boarding houses bidding farewell to our guests from Thailand, with contact information being swapped and gifts exchanged. The Lucton boarders then headed into Hereford city centre, where the older students spent the afternoon shopping, whilst the younger boarders went to watch "Dr Strange" at the cinema. The evening gave the chance for lots of the students to enjoy the good weather, while later on Croft House settled down and thoroughly enjoyed tuning into the Eurovision Song Contest!

Sunday was a more relaxed day, with some students catching up on sleep, while others knuckled down with revision. School Cottage went to Morrisons Café in Leominster, where the staff were so impressed with their patience and manners, that they gave the students free drinks and bowls of chips. The evening finished with some house tidying and a wind down before the busy week ahead.

Tracey Webb-Rogers
Head of Boarding