



Dear Families,

Three National Teaching Awards

I was absolutely thrilled to learn on Wednesday evening that Lancing Prep Worthing has been recognised with three prestigious Pearson National Teaching Awards: the certificate of achievement for Early Years Team of the Year and nominated for the Award for Making a Difference – Primary School of the Year and the Headteacher of the Year in a Primary Setting. This is a truly remarkable achievement, and I could not be prouder of our exceptional team, our wonderful pupils and all those who support us. These awards are a testament to the care, commitment and passion that make what we do here so special each day.

The Royal Academy

We are incredibly proud of our Head of Art, Ms Hannah Yate, whose exceptional talent has been recognised with the selection of one of her artworks for exhibition at the prestigious Royal Academy of Arts. This is a remarkable achievement, as the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition is one of the world's largest and most celebrated open-submission art exhibitions, showcasing thousands of works by both emerging and established artists. Judged by leading figures in the art world, inclusion is highly competitive and a true mark of artistic excellence. We are delighted to see her creativity and dedication celebrated on such a significant national stage, and her success is an inspiration to our whole school community.

Chamber Choir to Avon Manor

I am proud to share that our talented Chamber Choir performed at Avon Manor in Worthing, a specialist care home supporting residents living with dementia, today. This was a truly meaningful experience, as the pupils shared their music with an appreciative audience and brought joy to the residents through their performance. Singing in this setting offered a wonderful reminder of the power of music to connect people, evoke memories and lift spirits. Our pupils conducted themselves with maturity, empathy and confidence, and the visit was a rewarding and positive experience for everyone involved.

LPW

News

Year 1 Beach Trip – Go Out into the World and Do Good

Year 1 enjoyed a fantastic trip to Worthing beach and the Coastal Office on Monday. They embraced the opportunity to “go out into the world and do good” by taking part in a beach clean, showing great enthusiasm and care for their environment. After lunch, the children visited the Coastal Office, where they listened to the Beach Officer explain the importance of beach safety. They were particularly fascinated to see crabs and fish in the rehabilitation tank, all of which had recently been rescued from the shore.

Year 7 Geography Field Trip

Pupils in Year 7 enjoyed a day focused on their Geography studies on Tuesday. In the morning, Dr Bustin (Head of Geography and Director of Pedagogy, Lancing College) introduced to the pupils how to complete high quality fieldwork information. They were then taken out to Broadwater High Street and Broadwater Green to complete a Land Use Survey and Environmental Quality Survey. After enjoying their packed lunch and play time on the green, pupils used IT resources to access high quality Geography tools and started to write up projects which are a big part of the Geography journey. We are proud of their hard work and dedication on the day. Thank you to Dr Bustin, Ms Bridges and Mr Marshman for this day out.

Year 5 and 6 Lodge Hill

Years 5 and 6 had a fantastic time on their residential trip to Lodge Hill, an outdoor activity centre set in the heart of the South Downs, despite the changeable weather! During their stay, pupils took part in a wide range of exciting and challenging activities, including zip-lining, climbing, archery and abseiling, as well as team-building tasks such as crate stacking, low ropes and shelter building. They also explored the surrounding environment through nature walks, orienteering and even night hikes, developing confidence, resilience and teamwork along the way. The trip provided a wonderful opportunity for the children to step out of their comfort zones, build lasting friendships and create unforgettable memories together. A huge thank you to the children for being so brilliant and to Miss Townsend, Mr Marshman, Mr Grimshaw, Mrs Fudge and Miss Manley who had a great time – if a little tired on their return!

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The Symposium for Gifted Education: A Day of Inspiration and Insight at LPW

On Tuesday, we were delighted to welcome teachers from across the country to a conference entitled 'The Symposium for Gifted Education'. This was hosted by LPW but run by Academy Learning who organise high quality events for both pupils and teachers engaged in challenging able and gifted students. For the teachers conference, we were delighted to welcome teachers from across the UK to attend, and Mrs Casey from our staff also attended and enjoyed the day. We look forward to her sharing ideas about stretch and challenge to enhance and enrich our already excellent AGT provision.

Nugget

If you would like Nugget, our much-loved school guinea pig, to come and stay with you for a weekend or for part of the summer holidays, we would love to hear from you. Nugget is a firm favourite amongst pupils and staff alike, and enjoys a calm, caring home environment. This is a lovely opportunity for children to take on a small responsibility and enjoy some time with a very special member of our school community. Please do get in touch if you are interested. He arrives with everything he needs.

Dates for the Diary:

Monday 8 June

Year 4 Trip to Butser Farm

Tuesday 9 June

Whole School and Class Photographs – all pupils to wear full school uniform and to bring trainers if they have PE or a sports club

Junior Maths Olympiad and Junior Kangaroo

Thursday 11 June

Year 8 Big Fun Day Out

Year 6 MFL Taster Session at Lancing College – collection is from LPW at 4.45pm

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Friday 12 June

9.15-10.30am EYFS and Pre-Prep Sports Day

2-4pm Prep Sports Day

Families are welcome to bring a picnic. Refreshments and snacks also will be available.

Sunday 14 June

1-6pm Newsies Rehearsal at Lancing College

Monday 15 June

Full day Newsies Rehearsal at Lancing College. Parents to drop off there at 8.30am.

6.30pm Newsies performance, Lancing College Theatre

Tuesday 16 June

8.00-9.10am Drop in Book Look for Reception to Year 8 Parents in classrooms

9.10-9.40am Year 6 to Key Stage 3 Parent Transition Meeting in the Hall

6.30pm Newsies performance, Lancing College Theatre

Wednesday 17 June

6.30pm Newsies performance, Lancing College Theatre

Thursday 18 June

10.30am – 1pm Move Up Morning

Friday 19 June

Non-uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the Summer Fair

Friends and Families of LPW School Discos:

Nursery, Pre-School and Reception 3 - 3.30pm

Years 1 & 2 from 3.30 - 4pm

Years 3, 4 & 5 from 4 - 5pm

Years 6, 7 & 8 from 5 - 6pm

No clubs running on this day other than Homework Room

Saturday 20 June

2-5pm Friends and Families of LPW Summer Fair

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Congratulations to:

Freddie S who was awarded the Most Improved Player award this season at Worthing Minors, where he plays as a left winger.

Cameron B and Leah B who took part in a water polo tournament on Saturday. Cameron played with an Under-12 team in the Under-13 competition, and his team finished in third place. Leah competed in the Under-11 tournament and had an excellent day, winning all her matches except for one draw.

Francesca G who has been awarded the Commendation for the South West area in The Anthea Bell Prize for Young Translators language competition. She translated the beginning of The Declaration of the Rights of Woman and of the Female Citizen (1791) by Olympe de Gouges which is a foundational feminist document. Written in response to the 1789 Declaration of the Rights of Man, it demanded that women be granted the same political, social and legal rights as men.

Rupert W who played in his first golf competition for the Sussex Junior Development Tour on Sunday at Worthing Golf Club. He played in the U11s (so was the youngest in his group!) and placed 5th out of 13 players.

Lottie J who performed brilliantly at the All-England Regional Dance Finals and has secured a place in the Musical Theatre Performance Team.

William J (and the best of luck) as he is auditioning for his place in the Guildford Spectrum Ice Show.

Zara H who did brilliantly following 4 weekends of competition in London. She had six 1st places and one 2nd place over 10 dances. She was awarded a trophy for highest mark for a Contemporary Duet.

I wish you a happy weekend.

Best wishes,



Francesca Milling



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<https://bit.ly/LPW-NOTICES-05-06-26>

Headteacher Awards (22 May-4 June):

<https://bit.ly/LPW-HEADTEACHER-AWARDS-05-06-26>

Music Timetables w/c 8 June:

<https://bit.ly/LPW-MUSIC-TIMETABLES-08-06-2026>

Lunch Menu w/c 8 June:

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