



# Lady Lumley's School Newsletter

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Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Over half-term I updated the school website with some further information about the intended impact on students' learning of moving to a three period day. As promised in the last newsletter, the list below shows the way the day will probably be organised from September. The biggest changes (apart from the length and number of lessons!) are the absence of a morning registration period and the moving of tutor time/assembly to last thing in the afternoon.

8:50	8:55	Students and tutors to classrooms
8:55	9:00	Registration a.m. (in Period 1)
9:00	10:40	Period 1
10:40	10:55	Break
10:55	12:35	Period 2
12:35	1:35	Lunch
1:35	3:15	Period 3
3:15	3:35	Assembly and tutor time

There are good reasons for these changes, but space means the explanations will have to wait until next week. Sorry to leave you on a cliff-hanger. Richard Bramley

## Student Celebrations

Congratulations to **Garvan O'Connor** (pictured) who has gained a place in the England U18 Fly Fishing Team for 2014 (presently in Year 11 doing his GCSEs). He caught 7 fish for 16lb 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz.

**Caitlin Frith** (member of the junior team) and **Sophie Hunt** (member of the mixed team) from Scarborough Gymnastics Academy both took part in the British National Championships at Stoke last weekend. Congratulations to Caitlin and Sophie as both teams won!



*Garvan competing against Tom Adamson*

## Year 8 and 9 tutor groups for 2013/14

As you will be aware from previous newsletters we are creating an extra tutor group and teaching group in Years 8 and 9 next year. We will be starting the process of allocating students to their new groups next week. I will be talking to Year 7 and Year 8 in assembly about the process and will be asking students to identify a small number of people they would ideally like to be with in a tutor group. Some students may be worried about the change, but the long term benefits of small groups far outweigh the short term worries. Kathy Robson

## Year 9 Cricketers Defeat Ryedale

On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June the Year 9 cricketers took on Ryedale School in a cricket match, with the Lady Lumley's players producing a performance to be remembered.

The toss was won by Brad Thompson and he chose to bat first. The team batted well with notable performances coming from Jonnie Bayes (29), Brad Thompson (27) and Joe Dunnett (28) which helped the team to post an impressive score of 151 runs for Ryedale to chase.

In the field the boys continued with their impressive display. Wickets fell regularly with Ryedale players being bowled, caught and run out. All bowlers were effective with Ryan Taylor, Jonnie Bayes, Kieran Boyes and Joe Dunnett all taking wickets, however, Tom Snowdon's figures were particularly impressive as he took two wickets for just five runs against him, reducing Ryedale to an all-out score of 81 runs.

Well done to all the boys for such an impressive performance.

**Team: Brad Thompson (C), Ryan Taylor, Kieran Boyes, Jonnie Bayes, Joe Dunnett, Jordan Allanby, Tom Snowdon, Sam Jacklin-Leng, Keaton Watson, Josh Greaves and Will Russell.**

Andy Park

### Parents' Forum

Thank you to parents/carers who attended the Parents' Forum on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May. The minutes of the meeting are now available on the school website.

### Year 10 Exams - Change to the calendar

The Year 10 exams will be from Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June – Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June.

Brian Davis

### The Festival of Ecology (free event) Friday 14th and Saturday 15th June Scarborough Spa

Local organisations and community groups will be running displays and activities about the wonders of the natural world, with a particular focus on local wildlife and habitats. Participating organisations include the Scarborough Sea Life Sanctuary, Scarborough Museums Trust, Yorkshire Wildlife Trust, the University of Hull Scarborough Campus, the Hawk and Owl Trust, the RSPB and many more! Come and join them to have a go at owl pellet dissection, mini-beast hunts, rockpool safaris, seaweed pressing, quizzes and craft activities!

The event is coordinated by the Yorkshire Naturalists' Union as part of the national Festival of Ecology to celebrate the British Ecological Society's centenary.

We hope to see you there!  
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### The Fab Beatles

One of Europe's top Beatles tribute bands is coming to Pickering on **Saturday 22nd June** at the **Kirk Theatre, Pickering.**

Tickets are available from the Tourist Information Centre and also on the door on the night. £13.50. The concert starts at 7.30pm and all proceeds will be for Ryedale Special Families charity.



### Sports Leaders

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June six Lady Lumley's Sports Leaders organised a mini-tennis event for Year 3 & 4 students from Pickering Junior School and Rosedale Abbey. The players took part in a round-robin event playing 10 matches in total. The team positions were as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> – Pickering Juniors

2<sup>nd</sup> – Rosedale Abbey

The top two boys and girls from Pickering Junior School go through to the Ryedale and Whitby School Sport Partnership final held at Lady Lumley's School on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June.

**Sports Leaders involved: MaCauley Gibson, Toby Gonella, Isobel Haythorne, Olivia Webster, Harry Skaife and Luke Pearson-Smith**  
Andy Park



### Scarborough Area Music Centre OPEN MORNING Saturday 15 June 2013:

10:00 – 12:00

At Scarborough Sixth Form College, Sandybed Lane,

Scarborough, YO12 5LF



**If you play an instrument and don't belong to SAMC – please come along and find out more about us!**

Music Centre is a great experience – you will meet new people and develop your playing - check out our website for more details - [www.scarboroughareamusiccentre.co.uk](http://www.scarboroughareamusiccentre.co.uk) then come and see all the ensembles in action!

Our Music Centre bus runs from Malton to Scarborough via Pickering, so transport is easy – to use it on the 15<sup>th</sup>, please ring Centre Manager - Nigel Blenkiron, Tel: 01723 354042 to book your seat.

**Coffee and refreshments available - See you there!**

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Monday 10th June GCSE and GCE exams continue

House Matches begin  
Yr 10 Geography CA fieldwork

**Tuesday 11th June**  
Yr 10 Tutor Review Day  
Yr 10 Geography CA write up

**Wednesday 12th June**  
Yr 6 Induction Day  
Yr 10 Creative & Media trip, Sinnington

**Thursday 13th June**  
Yr 6 Induction Day  
Yr 8 girls physics trip, University of York  
Yr 7 & 8 Rounders Tournament, Graham School 3pm  
Yr 10-12 student and parent meeting - Austrian visitors, 6.30pm

**Saturday 15th June**  
County Athletics Championships, York