

Students Performing and Excelling in 'Out of School' Activities



Eric S racing at Three Sisters Race Circuit for MBKC June Cup

Congratulations Eric on a super performance, great top placing through the Heats and a 2nd placing in the final. Great driving, Well done!





Royston T races motorbikes with a selection of motocross and enduro. He's been racing since 9 years of age and is now competitive racing a 125cc, Nationally. He's enjoyed racing locally and championship races with many wins. He hopes to be racing the world rounds in the future.

Oliver M in year 10 has loved basketball for the past 4-5 years, keeping staff members of Lakeland's on their toes with his continuous bouncing of his basketball. However, he has now put his skills to good use and has joined the team "Wrexham Warriors" Training every Monday Oliver has gained confidence and improved his skills alongside his teammates.







Harry P represented North Shropshire Pony Club show jumping at Solihull Equestrian Centre. Jumping each class without any faults the team was placed 3rd out of 20 teams and have qualified for the Regional Championships in August. Well done and good luck Harry!!



Library news



The clouds didn't stop us from enjoying a lovely reading picnic as part of our week-long Readathon celebration!

Some of our Year 7 & 8 students have set themselves very ambitious reading targets so we're trying to give them as many opportunities to read as possible. It was lovely to enjoy some quiet time outdoors, reading and eating together.





...and that's a wrap! What an amazing Readathon we had last week! Over the course of the week Mrs Gordon issued 188 books to Year 7 & 8 students and it's been amazing to see so many hitting their reading targets. We're really proud of all they've achieved! If you've collected sponsorship money as part of the Readathon challenge, now's the time to bring it in.

Any donations will be very gratefully received and all money will be used to buy exciting new books for our students. Thank you for all your support!





Thank you to everyone who took part in our Book Swap event today! We swapped over 70 books and it was great to see students going away with stacks of lovely new books to read.





<u>Year 7 English Trip to Stratford-upon-Avon</u>







The Hay-on Wye trip is going well, the students got to listen to author Anthony Horowitz and author and poet Ashley Hickson-Lovence. Miss Phillips said both were wonderfully engaging.



Well done to Anton 10N, Poppy 10W Sophie 10W, Jack 10W and Owen W 10B. The students took part in the Viva Voce Spoken Language competition against Year 10 students from Ellesmere College and the Corbet school. They performed either a poetry recital or dramatic students performed reading. All excellently and did a fantastic job at memorising their piece. A special mention to Anton who won second prize for his dramatic reading from Treasure Island.

Also well done to Jack who was chosen to be a student judging on the judging panel for the poetry recital. It was commented by the organisers of the competition that he was a confident and thorough judge and offered to give feedback to the students in the category he judged.















Modern Foreign Languages



Y8

In French, year 8 have been writing about how they use technology in their lives.















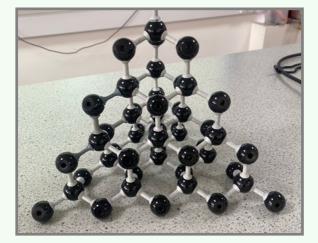


Science



Some year 9s successfully built "**diamond**", a giant covalent structure. Miss Mansfield said, "In the 20 years I have been teaching, no one has ever succeeded!











Jonah and Tom of 9W have been having guitar lessons for over a year at Lakelands and are now confident guitarists on their journey towards the rock n roll hall of fame! Next time you see these two, it could even be on the cover of Rolling Stone magazine!



Thank you to everyone who came to our Summer festival . It was a resounding success and we can't wait for next year! We have lots to share but for now, here are some photobooth snaps (P.S, big thanks to Miss Dodd and Mr Evans for building the "Lakestagram" frame!)"



Here are our wonderful year 10 students outside The Making of Harry Potter Experience at The Warner Bros Studio after having enjoyed an incredible, magical journey to London as part of the Creative Arts trip!

And in other news

A group of year 7's helped run the refreshment stall at the primary school sports day. They had a great time and were able to practice the money skills they have been learning this term.











Invite all your friends and family to donate the blue shopping tokens to support

Clay and 3D work at Lakelands Art Departments.

Look out for the local collection points in Ellesmere Tesco's.

The dates run from 1st July to the end of September 2024



A big 'Thank you' to Tesco for hosting us today. We raised **£140.94**, which is a brilliant amount of money, especially considering none of us carry cash anymore! All to be donated to The Oswestry Foodbank.

The pupils were outstanding and a credit to Lakelands Academy. Shout out to Mrs Butler for being our first aider and knowing every single customer in Tesco!



UNIFORM REMINDER

A reminder of the uniform code is in your child's diary.

Thank you in advance for your co-operation and for helping us to support the strong values of Lakelands Academy.

CORRECT



Single small stud in each ear is permissible but no other piercings are allowed Top button/ tie fastened Tie tucked in Shirt tucked in Black sensible (flat) shoes or plain black trainers No boots or Converse trainers Black knee length pleated skirt / smart tailored trousers INCORRECT Tie not Top button

 Ite not tucked in
 Iop button undone

 Shirt untucked
 Shirt untucked

 Leggings / skinny trousers
 Jogging bottoms

 Logo / Coloured trainers
 Iop button undone

LAKELANDS PRE-LOVED CLOTHES SHOP

To make pre-loved school clothing available to our school community we have set up a school shop. All items available will be free of charge.

How it works!

- Families kindly donate any old, unused or unwanted school uniform they no longer require. If you would like to donate any school uniform please drop it in at reception. Please make sure all uniform has been cleaned and washed prior to donating and any name tags removed.
- Uniform can be ordered using the Microsoft Form below and can also be found on our school website. Please copy the link and paste into your browser.
 - You will receive an email confirmation when your order is ready to be collected.
- Orders can be collected from reception by the Parent or the pupil. We ask that orders are collected as soon as possible and will only be held for 5 days.
- If the item is not in stock you will be added to a waiting list and contacted as soon as it becomes available.

Link to form - https://forms.office.com/r/Z19NqNvuRg

ITEMS AVAILABLE These will all be free of charge Lakelands Black Sweatshirt Lakelands PE Polo & PE Rugby Top Lakelands PE Fleece Navy Skort

REPORTING AN ABSENCE

If we are expecting your child to be in school and they are unable to attend, please telephone, <u>not email.</u>

If your child is absent for more than one day, please note that we require you to phone **every morning**, not just on the first day of absence.

These are safeguarding requirements.

To report an absence please ring 01691 622543

Reminder

Pupils must arrive at school on time in the mornings and be on site ready for the 8.55am bell.



SAVE THE DATE...!!! Open day Wednesday 18th Sept Year 6 taster day Friday 4th October

Autumn term 2024—2025 2ndSept—20th December

- 2nd Sept and 3rd Sept—PD days
- 28th Oct—1st November—half term
- 4th November _ PD day
- 23rd December—3rd January—Christmas holidays
- 6th January—PD day



Summer Holiday Fun and Food in Shropshire Book Now!

Over the Summer holidays, HAF eligible children and young people aged 4 (reception class) to 16, are invited to attend free clubs.

All eligible will be given a unique code and booking information direct from school.

"Safe, enjoyable, fun and great to have somewhere for children to be." Parent.

Many holiday clubs have paid spaces available for those not eligible for HAF.

Web: www.shropshire.gov.uk/haf Email: HAF.programme@shropshire.gov.uk



Is your child eligible for free school meals?

If your circumstances have recently changed, you may find that your child is now entitled to free school meals.

When in school, children who receive free school meals are

entitled to a daily spend of $\pounds 2.70$ on a meal deal in the school canteen.

Did you know that children who receive free school meals are also entitled to a number of other benefits including discounted music tuition and support with the cost of revision guides?

If you are not currently in receipt of free school meals and would like to check your elegibility, please apply online at:

Apply for free school meals | Shropshire Council



PARENTS / CARERS , PLEASE REMEMBER TO CHECK SHOW MY HOMEWORK. YOU WILL BE ABLE TO SEE WHAT HOMEWORK HAS BEEN SET AND IN SOME CASES IF THE HOMEWORK HAS BEEN HANDED IN.

Keep up to date with all thing Lakelands !

Attention All Parents!



Have you downloaded the new EREF parent App?

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