

LANCING PREP WORTHING

Weekly Briefing

10 December 2021

The Week Ahead ...

Wednesday 5 January 2022

Term begins
14.00-15.30 Years 5-8 Hockey Coaching @
Lancing College

Friday 7 January

Year 4 Portals to the Past Day, Gym

LPWA Notices

Thank you

A big thank you for supporting the LPWA this term. We made a profit of around £600 from the Fireworks Display and raised just over £1,000 from our Christmas Celebrations this year.

Spring term

We hope to hold our usual events of Quiz Night for adults, the Children's Parties and a Uniform Sale.

Our Spring term meeting will be held in the School Hall on Wednesday 12th January from 7.30pm. Please come along to hear our plans for the rest of the year. We are always looking for new ideas to raise money. All funds raised go towards trips, events and equipment purchase for the children to enjoy.

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REMINDER

There are no LPW or external clubs on the first week of the spring term. Homework Room however will run as normal.

WORD OF THE WEEK

Sermocination (noun)

To pose a question and then immediately answer it yourself.



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Year 2 pick up a Penguin!

The children produced fabulous penguin hanging decorations, fashioned from pine cones and felt fabric, complete with googly eyes.

They had a lot of fun making them and the results were amazing.



They also learnt about Christingles which they held very carefully!



Christmas decorating Part One!

Our little Reception helpers decorated the tree in their classroom with great enthusiasm. Just look at how happy they were with the result!



Christmas decorating Part Two!

The Nursery & Pre-School children lost no time in donning their wellies to go out into their garden and adorning the christmas tree growing there with masses of brightly coloured tinsel.



Nativities

The EYFS children in the Nursery, Pre-School and Reception produced their traditional nativity, as did the Key Stage 1 pupils in Years 1 and 2. These pictures will also be appearing in the photo features in The Argus (Thursday 16 December) and in the Worthing Herald (date to be confirmed) and we were able to record them for parents. Links to the films will be emailed out early next week to parents in the relevant year groups!



Year 3 go back to the Stone Age

Portals from the Past brought the Stone Age experience to LPW and Year 3 became 'hunter gatherers' for the day, learning lots about the lives of early Man. It was a fitting way to underpin the knowledge they have gained during their topic work this term.



Panto Time

Dick Whittington and his Cat came to LPW and the EYFS children enjoyed their audience participation (oh no they didn't, oh yes they did!), with the older children in Year 2 coming along to lend a hand in the proceedings.



Father Christmas comes to LPW

Christmas is firmly in the air at LPW and we welcomed a very special visitor to school, who came armed with festive goodies, courtesy of our Parents' Association, the Lancing Prep at Worthing Association.



Saint Nicolas - Santa à la français

Pupils from Years 4 to 8 have been learning about Saint Nicolas and the celebrations associated with him in the north-east of France. Tasting the 'pain d'épices' (a sort of gingerbread) was a particular highlight. Our French Advent calendar included a recipe for homemade pain d'épices and we are looking forward to seeing how the bakes turn out!



LPWA Christmas Raffle and Draw

Father Christmas wasn't the only one dishing out goodies, as Mrs Beeby and Mrs Milling carried out the draw for the LPWA fundraising Christmas Raffle.



Year 2

The children have been practising their balancing skills on the large gym apparatus, showing impressive core control whilst having fun trying out the different pieces of equipment.



Year 5 & 6 House Netball

The teams showed great sportsmanship in a lovely afternoon of netball and a closely fought competition saw Normans take the win overall on goals scored!



Year 3 & 4 House Hockey

We had a great afternoon of matches and Celts just pipped Norman's to the win by one point!

House Treat

Congratulations to Normans. As the House achieving the most house points this term, the children were very excited to be treated to a trip to the Dome Cinema for a private screening of Elf! See next page for scores



Christmas Art

There has been much industrious work on a Christmas theme with lots of jolly snowmen and brightly decorated Christmas trees to admire. The children have clearly enjoyed preparing for the Christmas season.



Christmas Hats galore!

The LPW pupils love dressing up and a forest of hats on Christmas Hat Day certainly brightened the dull winter's afternoon.



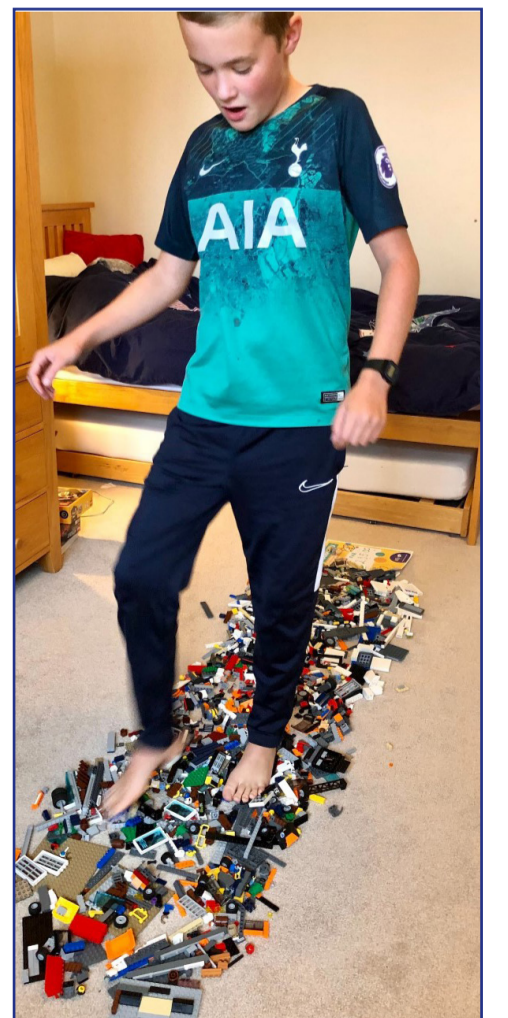
Well done, Sophia!

Sophia B has recently competed over two weekends at the south east regional championships. She came first in her DMT category followed by a second place in a very tough trampoline category. Next year her sights will be set on the British Championship qualifiers in April and will be putting in a lot of hard work before then! Her family, and LPW, are as always very proud of her.



Well done, Harry!

Many parents will recall with a shudder the unwelcome experience of treading on Lego with bare feet but Harry C made a point of doing so to raise money for Children in Need. With two friends, the three boys walked on Lego for an hour and raised a commendable £472.





Pre-Prep Head Teacher Awards to week beginning 29 11 21



Nursery & Pre-School

Edie W	for showing confidence when independently exploring the nursery
Emily S-Y	for her amazing singing and for trying new fruit and vegetables
Hollie B	for beginning to be independent in self-care
Jay E	for his excellent focus and participation during our Cosmic Yoga session
Teo C	for super effort with his pencil grip and writing his name
Yara L	for beginning to be independent in self-care

Reception

Andre M	for super reading
Aniket D	for increased confidence at carpet time
Benjamin K	for his amazing constructions
Harlan T	for singing the alphabet song to the class all by himself!
Rupert W	for his fantastic caravan drawing and writing
Toby C	for fabulous singing in Music
William J	for his super constructions

Year 1

Jacob S-Y	for a superb drawing of a Teddy Bear
Jasper S	for being a resilient ruler with his maths counting up to 20
Julian H	for perseverance with writing
Miles C	for his fantastic independent story and pictures
Oscar E	for perseverance with home learning
Primrose G	for her amazing writing using emotive writing
Roman B-C	for being a resilient ruler and not giving up in his Maths work
Tilly W	for her super Maths work
Trixie G	for her amazing writing using emotive writing

Year 2

Chloe B	for her excellent explanation of her 'Great Fire of London Day'.
Fatima C	for being very focused on her grammar work
Harry A	for his enthusiasm for learning
Max C	for referring to history as 'periods of time'
Rosie E	for neater presentation of her work
Zoya G H	for using drama, to help her group with their Great Fire of London writing



Prep Head Teacher Awards to week commencing 06 12 21



Year 3

Cameron B	for absolutely exemplary behaviour and effort with his learning
Daniel B	for crafting an excellent representation of a home in Algeria that is designed for a hot climate for a Geography project
Eileen C	for excellent research and beautiful presentation of information about the climate of India
Elliott S	for maturely showing thoughtfulness and care to Pre-Prep children when moving about the school building
Ethan S) for maturity, honesty and sportsmanship when playing a competitive game in class, and for capitalising on time given to him to voluntarily complete extra maths work
Oscar W) for crafting an excellent snowy cold climate landscape out of marshmallows and cocktail sticks at home for a Geography project



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Year 4

Olivia H	for a superb story independently written using lovely description
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Year 5

Freddie B	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the whole term
Jonathan C	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the whole term
Misha M	for her persistence when practising her guitar which has helped her make superb progress

Year 6

Bertie F	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the whole term
Devon S	for being a Relating Red Fox, showing real empathy and kindness in supporting a teammate
Harry C) for being a Resilient Ruler, persevering with his poetry) writing and being adventurous in his vocab choices, and for) becoming a Numeracy Ninja Grandmaster with three perfect) scores in a row
Oliver E	for becoming a Numeracy Ninja Grandmaster with 3 perfect scores in a row
Orson W	for becoming a Numeracy Ninja Grandmaster with 3 perfect scores in a row
Regan C	for becoming a Numeracy Ninja Grandmaster with 3 perfect scores in a row
Sebastian K	for becoming a Numeracy Ninja Grandmaster with 3 perfect scores in a row
Unaysah K	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of her group on Duolingo across the whole term

Year 7

Florence D	for her outstanding attitude to learning in her French exams preparation
Imogen W) for her resilience when performing and excellence in playing) the clarinet, and for her outstanding attitude to learning in) her French exams preparation) for showing kindness by supporting others with their Maths) learning, and for or being the most persistent and for) winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the) whole term
Janani R	for her outstanding attitude to learning in her French exams preparation
John H	for his outstanding attitude to learning in his French exams preparation
Martha M	for her outstanding attitude to learning in her French exams preparation
Oliver S	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the whole term
William S	for his outstanding attitude to learning in his French exams preparation

Year 8

Amelie K-M	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of her group on Duolingo across the whole term
Anna B	for her open-minded, adventurous attitude and enthusiasm in all things musical
Joseph C	for being the most persistent and for winning the most XPs of his group on Duolingo across the whole term
Monty T	for an outstanding piece of geography homework based on Sierra Leone
Sophia B	an outstanding piece of geography homework based on Sierra Leone
Thomas S	an outstanding piece of geography homework based on Sierra Leone

House Points

The total for the Autumn Terms are in.

Normans 3,759 **Britons** 3,705 **Celts** 3,555 **Saxons** 3,248