



LLS News

09/02/2024



Dear Families

This week we received the fantastic news that Ofsted has graded our Residential provision as outstanding in all areas. Please read on for more information and a link to the report. Huge congratulations to the residential team and everyone that supports them.

Thank you to everyone who attended our Transition Information Session this week, in person and online. If you attended online you will receive a copy of the information shared in the meeting via email.

Please watch this space after the half term break for information about this year's Summer Scheme.

Have a lovely half term break.



Events and dates to remember

February half term break

Monday 12th—Friday 16th February 2024

Inset Day—School closed for pupils
Monday 19th February

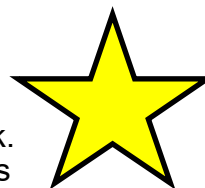
School reopens for pupils
Tuesday 20th February at 8.50am

Stars of the Week

Enda for having a wonderful hydrotherapy session this week. Enea has become more comfortable in the water and with his swim instructor- he is even blowing bubbles on his own! Well done, Enea!

Zephyr for doing some amazing proning this week. Zephyr was able to lift his head and engage with familiar adults and motivating objects for 40 minutes!

Amelia for having meaningful communication and responses to staff and children. Amelia was also able to recognise voices of everyone she knows well and she said their name when speaking to them. Well done!



Reminder

Please remember that the school, including our residential provision, is nut free.



LINDEN LODGE RESIDENTIAL RECOGNISED AS 'OUTSTANDING' BY OFSTED

HOW WELL CHILDREN AND YOUNG
PEOPLE ARE
HELPED AND PROTECTED:
OUTSTANDING

OVERALL EXPERIENCES AND
PROGRESS OF
CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE,
TAKING INTO
ACCOUNT:
OUTSTANDING

THE EFFECTIVENESS OF LEADERS AND
MANAGERS :
OUTSTANDING

MESSAGE FROM LISA FENAROLI, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR EDUCATION AT
WANDSWORTH

"I WANTED TO WRITE TO CONGRATULATE YOU AND YOUR STAFF ON
THE OUTSTANDING OFSTED REPORT PUBLISHED FOR LINDEN LODGE.

TO RECEIVE OUTSTANDING JUDGEMENTS IN ALL AREAS IS A
SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENT BUT WHAT IS MORE PLEASING IS THE
DETAIL INCLUDED WITHIN IT, ON THE SUPPORT AND CARE PROVIDED
TO CHILDREN BY A DEDICATED AND PASSIONATE STAFF TEAM.

IT ISN'T JUST INSPECTORS THAT TALK HIGHLY OF THE SCHOOL BUT
THE PUPILS THEMSELVES AND FOR THIS YOU SHOULD BE RIGHTLY
PROUD, AS AFTER ALL THAT IS WHY WE DO WHAT WE DO.

PLEASE PASS MY THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO NOT ONLY CONTRIBUTED
TO THIS OUTCOME, BUT FOR THE WORK THEY DO EACH AND EVERY
DAY TO SUPPORT CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES."

MESSAGE FROM JACQUELINE
VALIN
SOUTHFIELDS MAT CEO

THIS IS AN OUTSTANDING REPORT
AND I AM DELIGHTED FOR LL. THE
STAFF HAVE WORKED HARD TO
ACHIEVE THIS OUTCOME.

MESSAGE FROM SUSAN
HAYDAY, MAT TRUSTEE

"YOU AND THE STAFF MUST
BE SO DELIGHTED, WHAT A
WONDERFULLY POSITIVE
REPORT. TRULY
OUTSTANDING!
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL
CONCERNED"

MESSAGE FROM
JULIE READ, MAT
TRUSTEE

"WHAT A FANTASTIC
ACHIEVEMENT AND
RECOGNITION OF
ALL THAT YOU DO.
VERY PROUD THE
TEAM AND
COMMITMENT TO
ACHIEVE THIS.
CONGRATULATIONS"

MESSAGE FROM
SIÂN TYLER, MAT
TRUSTEE: "WHAT
AN AMAZING
REPORT AND A
REAL CREDIT TO
EVERYONE WHO
HAS CONTRIBUTED
TO THIS OUTCOME"

MESSAGE FROM KIERAN TRAVERS AND RUPERT MARKS
CO-CHAIRS OF GOVERNORS

"IT IS WONDERFUL TO READ SUCH A POSITIVE REPORT
AND IT IS TESTAMENT TO THE HARD WORK, DEDICATION
AND CARE BY RESIDENTIAL STAFF, MANAGERS AND
LEADERS. WELL DONE TO EVERYONE.

IT IS ESPECIALLY HELPFUL TO READ THE JUDGEMENT
WHERE CHILDREN'S VOICES ARE STRONG WITHIN THE
SCHOOL AND THEY ACHIEVE THEIR POTENTIAL AND
THAT COMMUNICATIONS WITH CHILDREN, FAMILIES AND
PARENTS ARE EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD.

THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR THE HARD WORK,
DEDICATION TO AND CARE OF CHILDREN AT RICHLEY
HOUSE."

MESSAGE FROM WANDA
GOLINSKA, HEADTEACHER
SOUTHFIELDS ACADEMY: "WHAT
AN ACHIEVEMENT.
NOT JUST ANY PROVISION, THE
BEST PROVISION THAT THESE
CHILDREN COULD ASK FOR."

MESSAGE FROM SOPHIE ALLEN, WANDSWORTH
EDUCATION SAFEGUARDING LEAD

"I HAVE ALSO HAD THE PLEASURE OF READING YOUR
NOVEMBER OFSTED REPORT THIS MORNING, THE
'HOW WELL CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE ARE
HELPED AND PROTECTED' SECTION IS FABULOUS -
CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL, VERY WELL
DESERVED"

Read the newly published report here: <https://files.ofsted.gov.uk/v1/file/50239022>

Learning at Linden

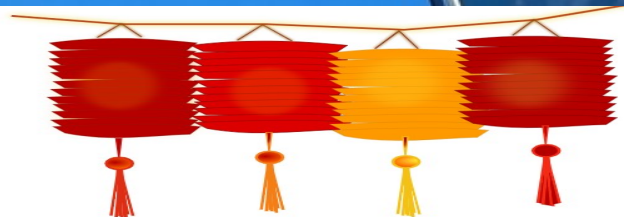
Primary

Harp class would like to say a big thank to one of our parents who went above and beyond in supporting our students to capture the spirit of Chinese New Year. We were able to celebrate with lots of traditional treats and goodies such as fortune cookies.

We enjoyed the beautiful decorations and traditional tactile, bright, red envelopes, called "lai see" in Cantonese. Harp class learnt that these special envelopes which traditionally contain money to symbolise good wishes and luck for the new year.



**2024
THE YEAR OF THE
DRAGON**



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Sports update by Ryan

For **Athletics** their first big event of this year it will be at the UK Athletics Indoor Championships on the 17th of February and the 18th of February also their last big event of this year is at the New York City Marathon on the 3rd of November and there will be many more big events in between the dates also all of their events calendar would most likely in December.

For **Boxing** they have just started this month's events they had their first event of this month 3 days ago and they will have many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing most likely in December.

For **Golf** they have started this month's events they started this month's events 5 days ago and there will be many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing in late December.

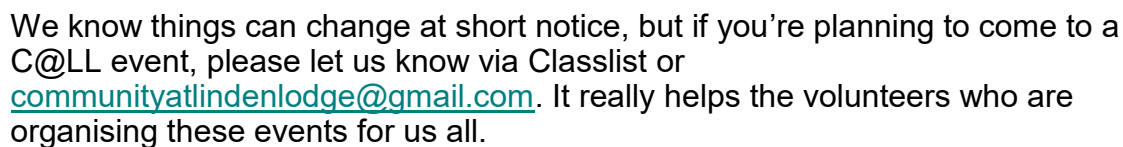
For **Tennis** they are preparing for this month's events starting 29th of February and they will have many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing in December.

For **Rugby League** they are in their second month of games/events and they will have many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing in December. For Rugby Union they are a bit into their second month of events and they will have many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing in December.

For **Cricket** they are a little bit into their second month of events and there will be many more events throughout the rest of this year finishing in December.

For **Formula 1** the 2024 F1 season is nearing to start it is 3 weeks until the F1 season begins 1 week before the season starts they will have pre-season testing also all the teams will reveal their car liveries on all the days before pre-season testing and the first race of the season will be at the Bahrain Grand Prix between the 29th of February to the 2nd of March and the season will end at the Abu Dhabi Grand Prix between the 6th of December to the 8th of December.

For **Football** the Premier League is entering its 24th week of the current season this weekend also there are lots of games coming up such as the Champions League round of 16 the next rounds of the FA Cup and the EFL Cup final also there will be lots of games in the other leagues around the world.



Not long until our virtual talk and Q& session with Irwin Mitchell. Parents/carers are the ultimate advocates for our children and the Annual Review is the key milestone for getting them what they really need. Join us virtually on Thursday 22nd Feb at 10am.

We currently have 12 attendees signed up for this training, so only a few spaces left. Do join us on Friday 8th March, 9.45am for this hands on session at Linden Lodge, buy your ticket on Classlist.



For pupils in Year 9

NHS
Hounslow and Richmond
Community Healthcare
NHS Trust

Walk in vaccination clinic

Missed your vaccinations at school?

Come down to your local vaccination clinic on **Friday 16 February**, between **10:00 and 14:00** at **St John's Therapy Centre, SW11 1SW!**

Get vaccinated with:

- 3-in-1 teenage booster
- MenACWY
- MMR

Search **HRCH Children's Immunisations** for more information.

