



THE BUGLE

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Congratulations!

Well done to Amaury Salomon who has achieved an Academic Exhibition at Lancing College, and to Ash Buller who has earned himself a place at Hurstpierpoint College through his performance in the scholarship exams. Hurst very kindly allowed Eric Swinn-Ward to take the scholarship papers there, although he already has a place at Christ's Hospital - Eric is to be congratulated on an excellent set of marks in these scholarship papers.
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Staff News

Next week Mrs Sykens returns from maternity leave and will resume her role as Form Tutor in Transition as well as her other duties in school. For the coming week she and Mr Human will work together with Transition to assist with as full a handover as possible.
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The Week Ahead

May

Monday 20th

School Exams for Years 5-6 begin
Nursery and Reception Trip to Washbrooks Farm

Tuesday 21st

10am-12noon Rottingdean Schools' Athletics for Years 3-6
3.45pm Pre-Prep Drama Club Show

Wednesday 22nd

7.30am May Birthday Breakfast
Cricket: 1st XI v Windlesham (H)
Colts XI & U9 Pairs v Windlesham (A)
Rounders: U11/10 & U9/8 v Burgess Hill (H)

Thursday 23rd

Science Trip to Drusillas for Years 3 & 4
Music Recording - choir and music groups at Under the Bridge, Brighton

Friday 24th

3.30pm Half Term begins for Pre-Prep
5.30pm Half Term begins for Prep

Le Marché Français à St Aubyns

On Wednesday 15th May Year 3 went to the French market at St Aubyns. The French classroom was turned into a small French fruit market. This term children have learnt the fruits in their French lesson and have been practising useful sentences such as "Bonjour, vous désirez?" and "C'est combien?". Year 3 also had the opportunity to pay in euros and to dress up as a French person! What a fun lesson, c'était très amusant!

Here is some of the French vocabulary Year 3 have been learning, can you guess what the words mean?

- une poire
- une framboise
- une fraise
- un citron
- une pomme
- un ananas
- un pamplemousse
- c'est combien
- vous désirez??

Bon appétit!

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Rockinghorse Appeal Fundraising

As a result of the sponsored walk at the start of this term and thanks to the generosity of so many families, we were delighted to send a donation off to the Rockinghorse Appeal this week for the sum of £787.05. Thank you to everyone who contributed! This means that over the year the school has been able to raise a total of £1829.05 for Rockinghorse. This is a great achievement.



Lost Property

If anyone finds either of the following items, we would be very grateful if you could pop them in to the office or reunite them with their owners:

Eric Swinn-Ward - clearly named cricket trousers

Dan Reid - black school shoe, size 7

Thank you!

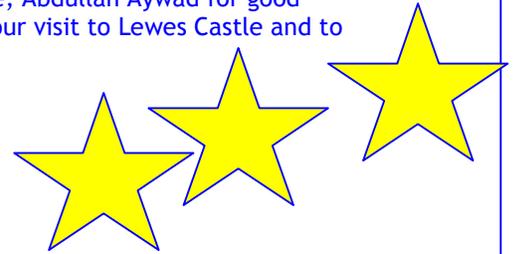
Pre-Prep Superstars

Congratulations to the following pupils who have been awarded Superstar Certificates:

Luke Bailham-Trussler for super tidying up, Charlotte Hitchings for being very kind to her friends, Millie Edwards for always sharing well with her friends, Lily Stonehill for being such a special member of Year 1, Othman Alkandri for fantastic handwriting progress, Tatiana Rochester for a lovely mod rock castle, Abdullah Aywad for good progress in his independent reading, Aishani Saha for her written account of our visit to Lewes Castle and to Daniel Stirrup for his work on his Maths time tables and in Maths lessons.

Good behaviour stickers were given to Jack Pearson, Raphael Phag-Udom, Thady White, Lily Stonehill, Hassan Majid, Shouq Aywad, Isabelle de Silva Timmins and Julia Wilson.

Very well done to all of you!



Are you looking for something for your child to do this May half-term! 10% sibling discount given!

smARTies presents 'The ultimate West-End Experience'

at **Brighton and Hove High school (Junior school site)**

Wednesday 29th, Thursday 30th and Friday 31st May 10am-4pm

With parent and friend showcase on the last day of the course!

Cost £95

delivered by **Craig Nicholls** and **Lucy Harris** from the award winning musical **Mamma Mia!**

Your child will work with some of the cast of Mamma Mia learning songs and dance routines from the SHOW!!! The three day course costs just £95. There are just 12 places for each age group as children will work in small age/ability classes and will rotate between each specialist this guarantees personal, individual attention from the teachers to impact on the 'Ultimate Experience'- progress and enjoyment of this unique experience.

The course is for 5-13 year olds.

(Booking forms in the day lobby - please don't delay if you wish your child to attend!)

Any questions/enquiries then please don't hesitate to get in touch!

The Emperor's New Clothes!

Pre-Prep Drama Club Show

Tuesday 21st May in the
Drama Studio

ALL WELCOME!



The show will last about 30 minutes. Tea will be served in the library afterwards.

Cast - please stay fit and healthy! There is a dress rehearsal for all involved on Monday 20th May at 2pm.

Sports News

1st XI v Lancing College Prep

I had the privilege of looking after the 1st XI last Wednesday as they played against Lancing College Prep School. St Aubyns won the toss and elected to field first. Eric opened the bowling and he and Tom tried to unsettle the Lancing openers. They were immediately rewarded with an early wicket as the Lancing opener succumbed to the onslaught in the third over through a well bowled ball by Eric. However, their number 2 and 3 batsmen sucked up the pressure and slowly began to build up their innings. During that time we did not help ourselves by giving away too many wides and a few no balls totalling 27 runs in all.

Despite that the boys were on target four more times as they managed to dismiss 5 batsmen in total and at the end of the 20 Overs, Lancing had scored a total of 111 runs.

After the break we started our own innings and the target was to suck up as much pressure as we could whilst punishing the odd bad ball as we had a target of 6 runs per over to win the match. However, Lancing had other ideas as they bowled clinically throughout putting the ball in the right place each time and therefore forcing us to defend every ball. We then lost Dylan very early on paving the way for Eric who came on at number 3 and immediately made an impact as he went for the offensive. That set the tone of the match and the runs started creeping in slowly but surely. However, soon afterwards we lost our opener Ed through a run out. Dan then came on and made an impact and his combined efforts with Eric gave us an extra 46 runs to finish our innings at 82 runs leaving us short by 29 runs. However, despite the loss, I have to applaud our boys for playing in the right spirit and for all the efforts they put into the match.

Mention goes to Dan for playing a very good supportive role. He came to the crease with fire and helped unsettle the opposition bowlers. Man of the match goes to Eric for leading from the front. He was uncompromising both with his bat and ball and managed a good 53 not out which comprised seven 4s and a 6 amongst the singles.

Well done, 1st XI. SN

Colts XI v Lancing Prep

The Colts played away at Lancing Prep on Wednesday afternoon. Lancing chose to bat first and their opening pair established a very commanding start with more than 50 runs in the first six overs. The Lancing coach retired these batsmen and our bowlers did well to restrict the remaining batsman so that Lancing ended on 114 for 7. Theo Salomon took two wickets and was bowling very promising away swing, while Oscar Frost, Tom Awdry and Luca Brooks-Edwards took one each; we also took two run outs. Our opening pair of Luca Brooks-Edwards and Theo Salomon got us off to a steady start with 10 and 11 runs respectively, but we suffered a dramatic collapse to 56 all out. This included five run outs which we brought upon ourselves with indecisive calling and running. We had the capacity to get much closer than this to the Lancing total, and the result did not fairly reflect the boys' efforts. Man of the match was Theo Salomon. SH

U9 v Lancing Prep

The Under 9 team bounced back from last week's defeat and claimed a well-deserved victory against Lancing College Prep School. The boys bowled, batted and fielded well as a team and they must be applauded for a job well done. Mention goes to Freddie who was also voted man of the match for his batting. He scored 19 not out whilst Aidan who excelled in both his bowling and batting kept the team in as he scored 17 runs going out only once and taking 2 wickets for just 7 runs. Will also did well with one wicket for 7 runs to his credit. The total scores were Lancing College Prep school 220 runs, but St Aubyns 233 runs. Well done, Under 9s. SN

U11/12 Rounders v Lancing Prep

On Wednesday the girls played at Lancing Prep. We won the toss and chose to field first. In the first innings our fielding wasn't as good as it could have been but this made us even more determined to improve our throwing and catching. We got a few players out at 1st post due to good team work between Lalita and Lulu. There were some big hitters but thanks to Rebecca and Wendy's long throws we stopped some rounders at 4th post. While batting we were fortunate with a good few hits and this allowed us to score some ½ rounders. At the end of the first innings the score was Lancing 13 - St Aubyns 2½. Unfortunately 4 of our players were stumped out at 1st post. After the first innings we woke up and went back to fielding, with Lulu stumping 3 players out at 2nd post and catching one ball brilliantly! This kept our enthusiasm going. We all worked together well with India doing well in backstop and Wendy retrieving ball in the field. Lancing's batting was good. We went to bat again with some strong hits from India and Pippa. The final score was St Aubyns 5 - Lancing 25½. Although we lost, this was a good a match and the fielding in the second innings was so much better; well done, girls! NL

Sports News continued

U9/10/11 Rounders v Lancing Prep

The girls took on Lancing Prep at home and played well against a much older opposition. We went in to field first and there were some good performances from Iona and Kamalika who both caught a few players out. Although our batting improved throughout the game, the opposition was much stronger in this area, which affected the final result. A special mention to Shahad and Teddie for their performance in the game. The opposition nominated Kamalika as player of the match - very well deserved. A brave effort from the whole team against a very strong side; well done. Final score St Aubyns 2.5 - Lancing Prep 11.5

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