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Accelerated Reader 100 Club Prize Draw

Accelerated Reader

This year we have added an extra challenge to our Accelerated Readers in Years 7 and 8. They have all been given a Passport to Reading where they are encouraged to "visit" different genres of books and get their passport stamped.
Two students so far have completed the challenge, Chloe Edwards F2 Ajc and
Carley Chiles L1 Ahm. Both girls have received certificates, lapel badges and a book.

Mrs Rooke

Congratulations to all the Students who achieved 100% on their Accelerated Reader quizzes

The Winners are:

W/C 30 January 2015: **Sam White & James Hunt**

W/C 13 February 2015: **Lily Birchenough & Alicia Jackson**

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Chef Club

Wednesdays at 3.50pm

All Students Welcome and don't forget to bring a tin to take your cooking home in!

World of Heroes Comic Club

Fridays 3.15pm-4.00pm in F07

World Book Day

World Book Day is an annual event that celebrates a love of reading and literature. All students at Landau Forte Academy Amington are entitled to a free book from a specially chosen range. These special edition books, normally costing £1.00, are available for free in exchange for the voucher in the envelope with the letter sent home with your child. A copy of te letter can be found on our website.

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KS4

KS4 Science

ActiveLearn access link:

https://www.pearsonactivelearn.com/

Y11 Maths Revision

There is Maths Revision on Thursdays 4.00pm and 5.30pm

Y11 ICT Catch-Up

Staff are available every Wednesday at the end of the Academy day in C04

Year 11

Year 11 students by now should have made an application to 6th Form, College or an Apprenticeship in preparation for their transition from the Academy. If careers guidance or support is needed, appointments are available with Mrs Rudd (IAG Adviser) - please contact her at the Academy.

Dates of interest for February and March

Open Events

EQuality Training - Offer training courses in Health, Social Care, Hair and Beauty. Open Afternoon 25 February 1.30pm-3.30pm. Located on Albert Road in Tamworth. Contact details 01827 312400 or www.Equality-training.co.uk

Torc Centre, Tamworth	Open Evening Monday 2 March 6pm-8pm
Rodbaston College	Open Evening Monday 2 March 6pm-8pm
Tamworth College	Open Evening Wednesday 4 March 6pm-8pm
Lichfield College	Open Evening Thursday 5 March 6pm-8pm
Burton College	Open Evening Monday 16 March 5pm-8pm

Safeguarding

OOVOO

It has been brought to our attention that many students are using oovoo, a video chat site, to contact each other. Unfortunately many students have been contacted by undesirable characters who have then sent them indecent images. This has been reported to the police and there is an ongoing investigation into this. We are encouraging all students to deactivate their oovoo accounts or at the very least change their security settings to ensure that strangers cannot contact them. The following link leads to a 'how to guide' to change your child's security settings.

http://www3.oovoo.com/oovoohelp/en/Content/privacy.htm

If you are concerned that your child has received inappropriate messages via the oovoo app please report this to the police immediately.

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Reminder!

Swipe Cards & Locker Keys

Please make sure that your child brings their Swipe Card and Locker Key into the Academy every day.

If they have lost them a new one can be purchased from Reception:

Swipe Cards	£3.50
Locker Keys	£2.50

Please be reminded that Aerosol Sprays are not allowed in the Academy as they can trigger Asthma attacks. Please use roll-on deodorant after PE and Dance etc.

Sports Bulletin

Monday 26 January - Friday 6 February 2015

TSSA Boys Rugby Tournament

A Team won 1 and lost 2

B Team won 2 and lost 1 and are through to Semi-Finals

Badminton

Congratulations to both of the KS3 girls and boys teams who made it through to the Staffordshire County Finals

Basketball

Y8 v QEMs lost 46-10 MoM - Callum Barrett

Y11 v QEMs lost 26-24 MoM - Toby Barnes

Futsal v QEMs

Y7 won 11-2 MoM - Harrison Davies

Dates for your Diary

Monday 9 March	**Term 4 Begins**
Monday 9 March	Drama & Dance GCSE begins IGCSE Speaking & Listening begins Y9 Parental Consultation fortnight
Monday 30 March	Y8 Trial Exams begin Y11 Parental Consultation fortnight
Friday 3 April—Friday 10 April	**Academy Closed - Easter Break**
Monday 13 April	**Academy Open**
Monday 20 April	Y10 Trial Exams begin
Thursday 23 April	Parents' Forum
Thursday 30 April	UKMT Maths Challenge (Junior)

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Bring It On

The Musical

Performing Arts finished the term of with 'Bring It On: The Musical'.

During the past 2 terms we have been running a musical club on Wednesday afternoons which in Term 3 expanded to Tuesday and Thursdays afternoons. The cast worked very hard giving up not only their afternoons but also Friday evenings and 2 Saturdays to extra rehearsals. They never complained and are without doubt one of the best cast we have had

The show was performed to primary schools Wednesday afternoon followed by performances Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evening. We would like to thank everyone who took the time to come and see our performances. It is makes such a difference to perform what you have worked on to an audience. The cast really enjoyed the way you responded to their performances. We are hoping you will be back for future shows.

After the holiday we are back with our usual clubs

Tuesday: Drama for All
BTEC Music Crew
GCSE Dance Revision
Wednesday: Young Singers
Tech Crew
Thursday: Dance Club
GCSE Drama Revision

Presented by LFAA Performing Arts