



**Awards for All Evening - Thursday 24 September 2015**

“The guest speaker from MITIE – Neil Plant was really motivating and gave a great speech about using your outside interests and hobbies to inform your CV and get you noticed. Students all looked very smart and the Parents and Carers were clearly proud to accept their Exceptional and Outstanding Awards.”

**- Mrs Sutton,  
Divisional Director for Landau**



**Grace Norris**

“It is always such a pleasure to see the proud look on the faces of our award winners. This year again saw us award not just our brightest stars in English but also those students who consistently show the want to improve, who listen to feedback and approach every session with absolute determination.”

**- Mrs Walmsley,  
Director of Learning**



**Saffron  
Farley**

The Awards for All evening took place on Thursday 24 September and it was an event celebrating the achievements of Landau Forte students from last year and this year. One student per Year Group was nominated by Tutors in all subject areas for achievements, including an Exceptional Award for one student per subject. During the interval of the evening, Daniel Robins entertained the audience by playing a number of pieces on his Tenor Horn.

Guest speaker Neil Plant from MITIE was present, and he delivered a motivating speech about young people who work for MITIE, including people on apprenticeships.

After all of the awards had been given out, visitors, parents and carers were asked to join the staff and students for tea and cake in the Restaurant.

“Thank you for a nice evening, it is lovely to see the Children being rewarded for their hard work.”

**- Mrs Farley, Parent**



**Daniel Robins**

## Overseas Visits

### Paris

A sightseeing visit to Paris which is aimed at Years 7, 8 and 9 has been launched for July 2016. The visit includes a three nights stay at a 3\* hotel with breakfast and an evening meal, a sightseeing tour of Paris by boat, a visit to the Arc de Triomphe, entry to Disneyland Park and Studios and a visit to a Chocolate Factory. The dates for the trip are 4 - 7 July 2016.

### Italy

This visit is aimed at students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10. The students will spend two nights at a Bed and Breakfast hotel in Sorrento. During this time they will visit a Pizza cooking school and visit Mount Vesuvius and Pompeii. The students will also stay for two nights in Rome in a Bed and Breakfast Hotel. They will tour the Coliseum and visit Pantheon. The dates for the trip are 4 - 8 July 2016.

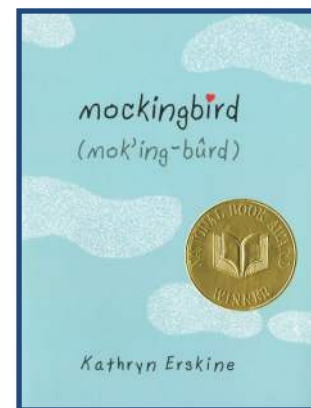


## LRC Information

### Book of the Month (September) - 'Mockingbird'

The Book of the Month is chosen by the Student Librarians who get a first chance to read the book before it is introduced to the shelves.

The Book of the Month for September was 'Mockingbird' by Kathryn Erskine. It tells the story of Caitlin, a ten year old girl with Asperger's Syndrome affected by the 2007 Virginia Tech shootings. It is described as 'a sensitively written story of the human heart's ability to repair itself'.



## Young Letter Writer Competition

The Royal Mail are holding a 'Young Letter Writer' competition with a chance to win £1,000 in vouchers and £1,000 cash for the Academy. The task is for your child to write a letter to an employer applying for their dream job and detailing why they would be good at it. Entry forms are available from the LRC and the closing date for the competition is Friday 20 November. This competition is only for students aged 11-14, please encourage your child to enter.



## PE Information

### Student Achievements

#### Ethan Billinge - Swimming

Ethan has swam very well at the City of Derby Club Championships. He finished 7th overall in the whole club for 200m IM (he won the 13 year age category). He has also been provisionally selected to represent Derbyshire at the National Inter County event at Ponds Forge, Sheffield on the 18th October.

He has achieved Club Champion for:  
100m Freestyle, 200m Freestyle, 100m Backstroke, 200m Backstroke, 100m Butterfly and 200m Butterfly

Silver medal for: 100m Breast Stroke

Bronze Medal for: 200m Breast Stroke

Well done Ethan!



Ethan Billinge

### Boys Football - September

#### Y7 v Rawlett 4-5 (lost)

#### National Cup: Y7 v West Park 0-0, Landau won on Penalties

Goal Scorers: Matt Osier, Jake Lear, Daniel Stokes, Jack Hanratty  
Man of the Match: Louie Barrett

#### Y8 v King Edwards VI 1-2 (lost)

Goal Scorers: Jae Stacey  
Man of the Match: Louie Grant

#### Y9 v Rawlett 3-2 (won)

Goal Scorers: Tom Armitage 2, Ryan Thorpe 1  
Man of the Match: Tom Armitage

#### Y10 v Rawlett 5-3 (won)

Goal scorers: Chandler Pegg, Davy Watts x2, Ryan Moore  
Man of the Match: Matt Taylor

### TSSA Cross Country

A massive congratulations and thank you to all those who took part in the first round of the Tamworth Schools cross country event during Monday 21 September - Friday 25 September.

A further congratulations to the following students who managed to finish in the Top 10.

**Y7:** Jessica Barber 1<sup>st</sup>, Sam Smith 2<sup>nd</sup>, Anais Barrett 7<sup>th</sup>, Emilia Gregory 9<sup>th</sup>

**Y8/9:** Chloe Wileman 5<sup>th</sup>, Lauren Lees 7<sup>th</sup>, Jess Arnold-McDermott 8<sup>th</sup>, Camron Drew 6<sup>th</sup>, Kiah Ford 9<sup>th</sup>

**Y10/11:** Lucy Watkins 2<sup>nd</sup>, Holly Ross 3<sup>rd</sup>, Megan Ellison 5<sup>th</sup>, Georgia Barlow 7<sup>th</sup>, Pola Stasule 8<sup>th</sup>, Ellie Bruton 9<sup>th</sup>, Davy Watts 3<sup>rd</sup>, Rhys Francis 8<sup>th</sup>, Jared Marsh 9<sup>th</sup>, Liam Brown 5<sup>th</sup>, Dan Lockwood 4<sup>th</sup>, Daniel Walsh 13<sup>th</sup>, Jack Coppin 6<sup>th</sup>

### PE Announcements

#### Netball

Netball Club has started for students this month with a different year being taught each day at 3.45pm. If your child wishes to attend, the days for each year are as follows:


Monday: Year 10 & Year 11  
Tuesday: Year 8  
Wednesday: Year 8  
Thursday: Year 9 & Year 10  
Friday: Year 7

#### Boys Enrichment Clubs

Tuesday – Football for all Year groups (lead by Mr Dovey, Mr Lacey, Mr Sims, Mr McDermott and Mr Price)

Wednesday – Basketball for all Year groups (lead by Mr Dovey and Mr Lacey)

Thursday - Rugby for all Year groups (Lead by Mr Dovey and Mr Harper)

 We're Steggles for

## Science Bulletin – 'what's coming up in Science'

**NEW!**

**Homework set on activelearn for all year 10s and 11**

<b>Core Y11</b>	<b>Next Friday you have your multiple choice exams! Use the notes given to you from a fortnight ago to help you to revise. Any year 11s who did not get green, see you on Wednesday ☺</b>
<b>Add Y11</b>	<b>Additional Science will start a POWER scheme – Keep your eyes peeled!</b>
<b>Y10</b>	<b>You are welcome to revision sessions every Wednesday week A</b>

Ongoing	Further Ahead	KS3
<b>Reminder Activelearn</b> Y10 and Y11 please use this for your revision/extended learning. If you don't have a username ASK!  <b>Reminder Revision Sessions:</b> Science revision for core on Wednesday week A  <b>Science Catch up on Wednesday week B</b>	<b>Y11 – Core Coursework coming up on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> September</b>  <b>Y11 Tracking 1 – Assessment week starts 2<sup>nd</sup> November, be prepared for tests!</b>	<b>Don't forget to complete your extended learning booklet!</b>

### Jaguar Land Rover Apprenticeship

The Jaguar Land Rover Apprenticeship recruitment is open from Monday 5 October 2015 - Thursday 31 December 2015. Students can book themselves a place on an open day from the Jaguar Land Rover website now.

### Performing Arts

#### 'The Wedding Singer'

This Year, the Academy has chosen 'The Wedding Singer' as the Academy production. Rehearsals are now underway.

### Important Calendar dates

Friday 16 October - Monday 2 November - Academy Break  
Wednesday 4 November - Year 10 Information Evening  
Friday 6 November - Year 9 Tracking Reports sent home  
Monday 9 November - Year 9 Consultations (3 weeks)  
Wednesday 11 November - Evening of Remembrance  
Friday 20 November - Year 8 Tracking Reports sent home  
Monday 23 November - Year 8 Consultations (3 weeks)  
Wednesday 25 November - Year 8 Consultation Afternoon  
Friday 4 December - Year 11 Tracking Reports sent home  
Monday 7 December - Year 11 Consultations (3 weeks)  
Thursday 10 December - Christmas Lunch  
Wednesday 16 December - Christmas Fair  
Friday 18 December - Term 2 ends