

# **Newsletter** 8 May 2025

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Congratulations to David and Ibrahim for winning golden tickets to prom!

### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Monday 12 May**

Year 8 vaccinations, Year 10 work experience and Year 11 examinations continue

#### Wednesday 21 May

Year 10 mock results breakfast

#### **Thursday 22 May**

Year 10 Progress Evening - School Cloud

#### Friday 23 May

School closes at 15:20 for half term

#### **Monday 2 June**

School re-opens to all pupils, week A timetable

#### Friday 6 June

09:30-11:00 coffee morning

#### 🌞 AMAZING START TO OUR ACTION-PACKED HALF TERM! 🌟

What an incredible burst of energy and enthusiasm we've seen from ALL our wonderful pupils so far this half term! Despite being shorter than usual, our school community has been buzzing with activity and achievement!

#### Community Creativity Unleashed!

Our partnership with Escape to Make is in full swing, bringing exciting hands-on projects that are sparking imagination and innovation throughout our school. Stay tuned for the amazing creations our talented pupils are developing!

#### 🗹 Spectacular Science Kickoff! 🗹

We launched into the term with mind-blowing science workshops that had pupils experimenting, discovering, and thinking like real scientists. The engagement and curiosity on display was truly inspiring!

#### 📝 Year 10 Stars Shine in Mock Exams! 📝

A huge well done to our Year 10 pupils who approached their first mock examination series with exceptional preparation and commitment. The maturity and focus they demonstrated sets an excellent foundation for their future success.

#### Year 11s Racing Toward the Finish Line!

Our Year 11 pupils have been absolutely phenomenal in their dedication to GCSE preparation. With examinations now underway this week, we couldn't be prouder of their determination and hard work. You've got this, Year 11!

Remember to check our website for upcoming events and ways to support our amazing pupils as they continue to excel.

Together, we're making every moment count in this action-packed half term!



next week! We look forward to visiting you on your placements.



#### **Year 11 Exams**

Year 11 pupils have now started their summer exams. A full copy of the examination timetable can be found on our dedicated Year 11 website page via the link below. <a href="https://lancasterhigh.lancs.sch.uk/students/year-11-revision-and-exams">https://lancasterhigh.lancs.sch.uk/students/year-11-revision-and-exams</a>

#### **Year 11 Revision**

Support with final maths and English revision plans and resources can be found via the link above. In addition, there are details of in school revision sessions that we strongly recommend pupils attend. Should you have any questions regarding the exams please do not hesitate to contact Mr Auger via the school office.

#### **Year 10 Mock examinations**

We are pleased to be able to report that Year 10 pupils applied themselves exceptionally well to their first set of mock examinations. We will be holding a mock examination results breakfast event on Wednesday 21 May. Copies of the mock examination results card will sent to parents / carers just after pupils have received them.

#### **Key Stage 3 End of Year Examinations**

Pupils in Key Stage 3 will be sitting their end of year examinations in all subjects from Monday 9 – Friday 20 June. Pupils will be given specific guidance on what and how to prepare for these exams from their class teachers. In the final grade card for this year, parents/ carers will receive an overall percentage for each exam and an indication as to whether the pupil is working at, below or above the expected end of year standard.

#### **Privacy Notices**

The Bay Learning Trust have updated parent and pupil data privacy notices. These can be found on the policies page of our website: <a href="https://lancasterhigh.lancs.sch.uk/our-school/policies-and-reports">https://lancasterhigh.lancs.sch.uk/our-school/policies-and-reports</a>

#### House Success- Week 1 & 2 Summer Term



**Points** 



Extra-Curricular Attendance

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Central's Care Code





Scan this code to share any bullying or safety concerns that you have.

# **Industrial Cadets Project**

Since January, 8 pupils have been working towards an Industrial Cadets Bronze Project and certification, of which HRH King Charles is the patron of the award, delivered through the Engineering Development Trust (EDT). Over a 16-week period, two teams of Year 8 and Year 9 pupils took on the 'Our Green Garden' challenge — a sustainability-focused design brief to reimagine an outdoor school space into an accessible, and community-focused haven. The project aimed to develop key skills in teamwork, research, communication, and project management. Pupils completed a conceptual design for a garden on school grounds. This work included a model, report, PowerPoint and presentation.

On 1 May, 5 Year 8 pupils and 3 Year 9 pupils took part in the Industrial Cadet's regional celebration event held at the University of Cumbria. Both teams presented their industrial cadet project to a panel of assessors. This was a fantastic opportunity for both teams to present their 'Green Garden' concepts and gain valuable feedback on their project. Both teams demonstrated our school values tremendously, showing commitment to teamwork. Displaying creativity in their models and presentations, focusing on community and how their garden could benefit our school community. The assessors judged the work based on teamwork and how well the brief had been interpreted.

We are delighted to share that our Year 8 team won the 'Project of the Year' award and became Bronze Industrial Cadets!

Congratulations to Ewan, Evangel, Beatie, Katie and Sophie. Extended congratulations go to Charlotte, Aimee and Carys for becoming Industrial Cadets, achieving the bronze award and thank you to Miss Dickson for organising the event and supporting the pupils through this













# **Pupil Success**



## Year 7 Success

Congratulations to Thea P who has performed as 'Charlie' in a Grand Theatre production of 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' this week. We are really proud of you Thea and we hope you have enjoyed every minute.

Dougie K, Max W, Chazer D, Charlie W, Abas N and Harmann J have made an excellent start in the new Samba Club. Well done for showing fantastic commitment to the club.

Well done to Mason E, Isabelle S and Olivia P for achieving the highest XP on Sparx this week.

Congratulations to Ruari C who ran the 1500 meters yesterday in 5 minutes 51 seconds. An incredible time!

### Year 8 Success

Well done to Evangel A for a very positive start in her keyboard lessons.

Mikey S has made great progress in his peripatetic lesson this week - well done!

Beatie B has worked well on technique in her peripatetic lesson, Ms Ramsey is really pleased with your progress.

Kayden S and Liam G for showing kindness to a member of staff at lunchtime last week.

Well done to Evangel S-A, Ella B and Isabella F-G for achieving the highest XP on Sparx this week.

#### Year 9 Success

Well done to Carys P for your fantastic time in the 1500m, which you ran in your PE lesson.

Aimee O has worked well on her intonation and technique work in her violin lesson – well done!

Gideon L has made great progress in his scales work on the violin – he's working really well towards his violin exam.

Abdullah A, Scott O, Aleena S and Joshua J for settling in well to their new maths class – it is lovely to have you as additions to 9X1.

Well done to Lily D, Penny R and Gideon L for achieving the highest XP on Sparx this week.

#### Year 10 Success

Well done to Rosy H for your fantastic time in the 800m, which you ran in your PE lesson.

Well done to Marwan A, Ayushman S and Samuel F for achieving the highest XP on Sparx this week.

Toby C, Tom C, Taylor R, Ayushmaan S and Quaneisha Y have made a great start to studying Macbeth, showing a clear understanding of the play and its language.

#### Year 11 Success

Well done to Leon B, Maggie A, Flora Y and Eden O for completing a wide range of English practice tasks at home. You will be very well-prepared for the exams!

Brooke R, Riley S, Connor K and Jas W have been impressing in English Literature with their superb knowledge of key quotes and textual details!

Well done to Emmanuel A, Callum M, Caitlin S, Harry W and Ollie W for great work on key reading questions in English Language intervention this week: you have perfected your answering technique!

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