July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are planning on taking LSA students on a visit to The Wimbledon Tennis Championships in July 2024. This trip will give your child the opportunity to experience this historic and prestigious grand slam tennis tournament as well as taking in some of the sights of our Capital City, London. The trip is open to all students in current Y7-Y9, however places are limited and are given on a first come first serve basis, students behaviour record will be taken into consideration before the deposit is accepted. The arrangements for this visit are as follows:

The proposed dates for the trip are 2 days within the following dates; Monday 8th July 2024 – Friday 12th July 2024. The exact dates will be confirmed upon ticket allocation.

The cost for the visit is £350 and will include:

* Court number **1** tickets (guaranteed play all day) and a ground pass for the day.
* Travel in a luxury coach
* Morning coach tour round London on day 2
* One night bed and breakfast in London
* A visit to Covent Garden including lunch
* A tour t-shirt

[*not included – spending money, Lunch and Dinner on day one and dinner on day two*]

A non-refundable deposit of £55 (including admin fee of £5) will secure your son or daughter a place. Payments are as follows:

* £50 deposit by 21st July 2023
* £60 by the end of September 2023
* £60 by the end of October 2023
* £60 by the end of November 2024
* £60 by the end of January 2024
* £60 by the end of February 2024

Cancellation charges will apply as follows:

* £100 in total up to December 2023
* £175 in total up to March 2024

Students’ behaviour and conduct throughout the school year will be taken into consideration and may result in them being removed from the visit with the possibility of no refund given. The final decision on this will be at the discretion of the head teacher.

If you wish your son/daughter to participate this visit 2024, please complete the permission slip and return to Miss Gibbons. Email confirmation will not be accepted without the signed paper copy of the reply slip.

Yours sincerely,



**Miss L. Gibbons .**

Visit Leader

**To Miss Gibbons**

I wish for my child to participate in the visit to Wimbledon Tennis Championships in July 2024, dates subject to ticket allocation and confirm that I will pay the deposit £50 before 21st July 2023, once I have received confirmation on my child’s place on the visit.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please note once your child has secured a place on the visit all payments will be made via the school ParentPay system. LSA High school will not expect cheque or cash payments. You will receive confirmation of the secure place and instructions on how to pay the deposit.

*For this visit to take place we require your support with a voluntary contribution to cover the costs. The Local Authority funding does not include an allowance to cover the cost of such visits. We are always grateful for your contributions to your child’s education and hope you feel these visits worthy of continued support, and which ensure events like this can take place, enhancing your child’s learning. If voluntary contributions are insufficient and do not cover the cost of the visit, then it may be cancelled. However, no pupil will be excluded because cost of voluntary contribution cannot be met. For details of financial support that may be available, please contact me as soon as possible.*