# **Lucton Bulletin**

March 4th 2022





It has been such an action-packed week that not even the miserable weather has managed to dampen our spirits.

The first highlight was the House Pancake Races. It was lovely to have the whole school together for a typically Lucton affair – not only did students have to race with pancakes, but the older ones had to flip the pancakes 3 times while running, jump over hurdles, and throw a basketball into a hoop. You can't say we don't challenge our students at Lucton!

The Prep School also enjoyed a trip to Techniquest in Cardiff on Wednesday, while students (and staff) of all ages got dressed up for World Book Day on Thursday. We had all manner of wizards and warriors walking around, as well as the whole Winnie the Pooh crew, Tintin, Asterix, the BFG, Mary Poppins (looking suspiciously like Mrs Niblett), and Isaac even came in very bravely as 'The Boy in the Dress'.

As ever, there's lots more to look forward to next week, especially with many students involved in the Hereford Festival.

# Updates & Reminders

Year 11 & 12 Assembly

Catch 22 will be visiting Lucton on Thursday 10th March to deliver an assembly to our Year 11 & 12 students on behalf of the National Citizen Service.

For those who may be unfamiliar with the programme, the National Citizen Service offers an opportunity for young people aged 15-17 to further themselves through a series of phases that include adventure training, workshops on life skills including public speaking and enterprise, as well as taking part in a "social action project"; delivering a worthwhile impact to the local community.

If you would like any more information about this, please click <u>here</u>

#### Luctonian

We a delighted to announce that we have now received copies of the 2021 Luctonian.

Copies have been distributed to students via form tutors so please ensure that you check their school bags tonight! A digital copy will also be made available to view on our website.

#### The Hereford Festival

Best of luck to all students performing in the Hereford Festival next week. Full details of the schedule and arrangements were sent out last month.

### **Boarding News**

Friday night provided the senior boarders with their weekly chance to purchase supplies from Morrisons, a trip that was well received by the Croft boarders! Meanwhile, residents of the Cottage began their journey into the Hunger Games trilogy with hot chocolate and marshmallows.

Saturday welcomed the first trip back after half-term, with the boarders visiting the historic city of Stratford Upon-Avon. Whilst the seniors had the opportunity to explore the various shops and eateries, those from School Cottage visited the MAD (Mechanical Art and Design) Museum. This interactive museum was an opportunity to explore how creativity was used to turn machinery into expressions of ingenuity.

Sunday was a more relaxed day on site with the boarders making the most of the good weather and the variety of pitches available at Lucton. The evening saw a return to the normal school routine with prep completed and houses organised. A fun and relaxing first weekend back at school.

Mr Goodchild Houseparent

### Mr Tyler Headmaster