

From the Principal...

It has been a poignant time for our Year 11 students during their final school day at Linton Village College. It was lovely to see the year group celebrate together with the usual Leavers' Day rituals and observe the relationships that have grown over their five years at the College.

Plans for enrichment week are in place. Students will benefit from a great programme of activities, home and away. Residential and day trips, work experience and team work forge such strong, memorable experiences and develop important life skills for our young people. I hope that they get a huge amount from the alternative curriculum that College staff have worked hard to arrange.

Summer uniform will be in place when we return to the usual timetable. This means that students do not need to wear their blazers and jumpers; they may wish to leave them at home on hot days. Please note that other tops/hoodies must not be worn as alternative layers. Please find a letter attached explaining requirements for smart tailored shorts that we are introducing as an optional item as part of the summer uniform.

There is a link below for purchasing tickets for the Summer Soirée. As detailed in the last newsletter, this year's event will include a matinee performance to enable more families to attend. Do also follow @LVCSport to see recent athletics successes particularly in Year 7.

I wish all families an enjoyable Bank Holiday and happy half term break.

Helena Marsh



Leavers' Day

Today staff said farewell to Year 11 students. After the rigours of their English exam this morning, students enjoyed refreshments in the hall. This was followed by a BBQ and inter tutor group tug of war. 110M were the winners assisted by a clear slope advantage. The staff would like to wish Year 11 every success in their forthcoming exams. *Mr Brechin*



Mindfulness at LVC

This week's assemblies have introduced students to the concept of mindfulness. At present this is very topical and we are offering students the opportunity to find out more about mindfulness through a six week course. After each assembly students signed up to express their interest, however we would also like to know if any parents/carers are interested or recommend their child to us as suitable for the course (please email shahla.matarazzo@lvc.org). Mrs Darvill and I are looking forward to setting mindfulness practice up at LVC. For more information please follow this [link](#).

Mrs Matarazzo



Friends of LVC meeting

Our next meeting is on Monday 4th June, 7pm at the Linton Crown. Please come along to support your school.
Nicola Tudge



Behaviour for learning changes

Please be aware that we are making some changes to our detention system at LVC after enrichment week. Please read the attached letter for more information.
Miss Gelder

Duke of Edinburgh

At the weekend, 46 students successfully completed their Duke of Edinburgh's Bronze Award training expedition in Essex. The Year 10 participants have been training and completing the skills, volunteering and physical sections of the Award since October of last year. The weather was rather warm, with students having to work hard to cope with the distance and the weight of their expedition rucksacks. Many kilometres later, and with some sore feet, all of the students qualified to the next stage of their assessed expedition in the Peak District. They should all be really proud of their efforts, teamwork and resilience. *Mr Clarke*



Dates for your Diary

28 May	May Half Term — LVC Closed
4 June	Enrichment and Work Experience Week
	Friends of LVC Meeting
12 June	Choir Trip Aldeburgh
13 June	African Drumming Workshop
14 June	Years 7-9 Give and Gain—Dalehead Foods
	Modern Foreign Languages Day

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Overdue	
10.05.18	Year 10 Geography Trip
11.05.18	Year 10 Black Jumpers
11.05.18	Years 7 and 8 Enrichment Week
Payment	
25.05.18	Year 11 Leavers' Ball and Yearbook
31.05.18	Final Bus Payment 2017-2018
04.06.18	Years 9-11 Women in Engineering
08.06.18	ABRSM Music Exams
11.06.18	Cooking Club
13.07.18	Year 10 Murcia Trip
17.09.18	Battlefields Trip

sQuid catering system

If you would like your child's spending capped at a daily amount please contact Mrs Fenn via email helen.fenn@lvc.org.

Tickets are on sale for the Summer Soirée on Thursday
21st June [here](#)



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