





NEWSLETTER 5<sup>th</sup> May 2023

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#### **Dates for your diary:**

6<sup>th</sup> May – Coronation Day

8<sup>th</sup> May – Bank Holiday

12<sup>th</sup> May – GCSE Exams begin

18<sup>th</sup> May – Year 10 Parents Evening

26<sup>th</sup> May – End of Term 5



Welcome to the latest edition of our newsletter! As always, we have been very busy at LMA since the last edition. I hope you enjoy reading about what we have been up to and also a few reminders too.

#### **Polish School Visit**

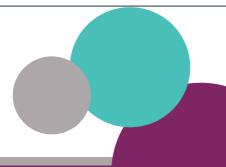
Last week we had a visit from teachers and pupils from a school in Poland and it was a real pleasure to meet them and it gave our Welcome Ambassadors their first job to to ensure that our visitors were made very welcome and that they had a great day at LMA. It was lovely to see the Polish pupils in our classes and enjoying a normal school day in England including mixing with our pupils at breaks and lunches.

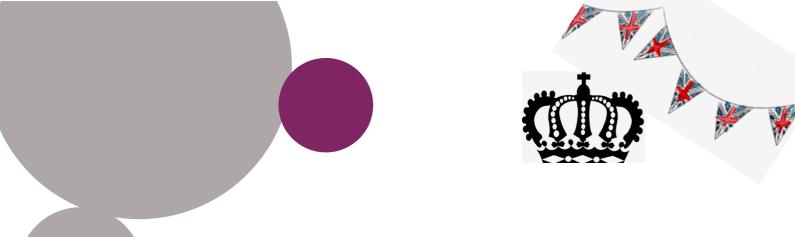
#### Coronation

We have another Bank Holiday on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III. Throughout this week here we have been enjoying themed food in our canteen and also learning about the Coronation in I Learn tutorial time. We are also leading into the celebratory weekend with a red/white and blue themed day today which has been great to see. The bunting is up here at LMA in preparation for a lovely weekend of national celebrations!

I hope you have a lovely (long) weekend!

Sandra Muir Headteacher

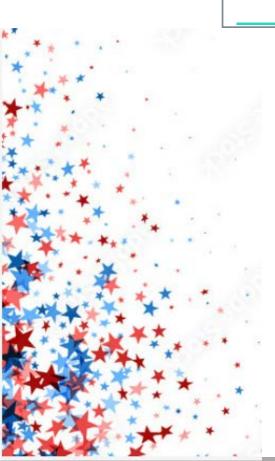




# Year 10 Parents Evening 18<sup>th</sup> May

Please use the link below to book your appointment:

SchoolCloud - Lawn Manor Academy





### This month in the Library...



#### THE KINGS CORONATION

In the month of May in the Library the theme is 'The King's Coronation' Full of all things Royal. We look forward to celebrating our new King and a great moment in History.

There are lots of books in the Library about
The Royals - past and present. Some are AR books
so you can complete some quizzes too.

**FREE themed bookmarks** 

So pop into the Library and have a look at the large display of books available to loan out.

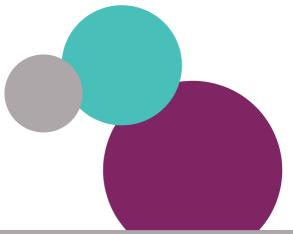
Don't forget.... Mondays = Yr 11 Heaven, Tuesdays = Film Club (all years), Wednesday = Quiz & Bingo (all years), Thursday = Chess & Board Games (all years). Plus open every Break and Lunch time - not Thursdays

Hope to see you all there.

Mrs Reynolds Library Officer









## Changes to The uniform policy

A reminder, Non-black trainers, boots above the ankle, daps, sandals or shoes without backs are not allowed; all heels should be no more than 3cm.

Ankle boots are allowed but must be worn under trousers. Shoes or trainers must be completely black, including any logos, toe caps, laces and soles. Shoes or trainers must have a leather style upper; canvas footwear is not permitted.

Acceptable shoes or trainers should be worn to and from Lawn Manor Academy







## Knowledge Organisers

Great News! All of the Lawn Manor Knowledge Organisers are now on the Lawn Manor Website for pupils of all years to take advantage of. A letter has gone out to all parents and carers about this – but here is a breakdown of what we use these for, in case you missed it! We use knowledge organisers in lessons to support with the most important facts and concepts in different subjects. ALL PUPILS can now use these independently from home on a phone, tablet or laptop. They are really useful for independent study to catch up on missed work, to support with homework and also to revise for assessments. This page can be found on the website in the parent and pupil section here: Subject Knowledge Organisers - Lawn Manor Academy

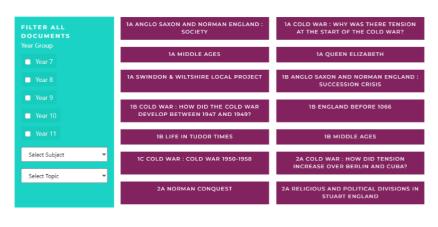
Don't forget that for year 10 and 11 – GCSE specific revision tasks, booklets and resources have been uploaded to our website under the parent or pupil section on the steps to success link here Faculties & Revision Archive - Lawn Manor Academy

Any questions – get in touch jdelap@lawnmanor.org

Mr. Delap.

#### **KNOWLEDGE ORGANISERS**

Find the information you require by selecting the required year group then subject. Alternatively, for all year groups simply select by subject and/or topic.





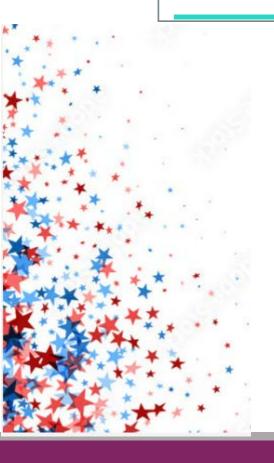


### **Polish School Visit**

On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April, 38 Polish pupils and 6 staff visited our school. They were from Lodz in Poland and were on an educational visit to the UK. Our newly appointed Welcome Ambassadors took them on a tour of the school, sat with them in classes so they could observe lessons, and then took them into PE, where they could play table tennis and dodgeball. Mr Smith who arranged the visit said,

"We also gave presentations on the history of Swindon and our own school, and then we learned about their town, Lodz, and what they do at their schools. After a music and dance recital they had lunch with our pupils, before moving on to London.

"Their organiser, Adam Kazimierczak, said a huge thank you for what he described as a great experience, and is inviting us to visit them in the future. "It was also an excellent experience for our pupils, meeting children with other backgrounds, learning about other cultures and ways of doing things, and getting on so well with the visitors. I'm very proud of how every pupil involved made them feel so welcome. They are a credit to our school."





## Support with the rising cost of living



Until 7<sup>th</sup> May, you can visit the Morrison's Café and 'ask for Henry'.

You will receive a free jacket potato with beans.



Swindon Borough Council have lots of additional support available.

You can find all the information using the link below:

Help if you're struggling with living costs | Swindon Borough Council

The rising cost of living may be worrying for some people. The services below are available to support your mental health. They won't judge you and are free, anonymous and always open:

- NHS. Get general advice and support
- Samaritans. Visit their website or call 116 123
- Shout. If you would prefer not to talk but want some mental health support, you can text SHOUT to 85258 for 24/7 confidential support if you are in crisis and need immediate help
- MIND. Visit their website for a list of crisis helplines or call 0300 123 3393





**Your CHALLENGE is:** to create something to celebrate the Kings Coronation. It can be a portrait of the King, the Palace, The Crown anything which relates to the celebration. You could even take some photography of the festivities or write a song or poem relevant to the Coronation!

30 house points up for Grabs for the best entries from each Year group.

Entries to Ms Young & Ms Mills

Deadline for Entry is 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023





## Coronation Celebration



Our staff took part in a fabulous baking competition to celebrate the Coronation. Mrs Jones took the baking crown with the winning entry!





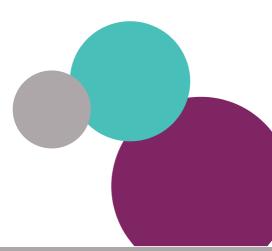




#### Why We Should Attend School

- Regular school attendance is an important part of giving children the best possible start in life.
- The aim should be to attend 100% of the time.
- Pupils who miss school frequently can fall behind with their work and do less well in exams.
- Good attendance also shows potential employers that a young person is reliable

* * .	Week	Fitzroy	Goddard	Pleydell	Winner of the
* .					week
*	21/04	89.6%	88.3%	88.4%	Fitzroy
***	28/04	89.4%	88.1%	88.3%	Pleydell
+ * * *	05/05	89.4%	88.1%	88.3%	EVEN

























#### "Friends of Lawn Manor" Your school needs you!

Want to make a difference in your child's education?

Volunteering with our PTA allows you to contribute your skills and knowledge for the benefit of your child, their school, and the community.

Support Us, Support your Child, and Support your Community

For more information, please contact Mr Langdown or Ms Young

rlangdown@lawnmanor.or g or cyoung@lawnmanor.org





#### Enrichment trips – Letter emailed home last week

Year7 and 8 - Wednesday 19th JULY

Year 9 and 10 - Thursday 20th July



£39 per pupil

Deposit £15 ASAP Instalment 1- £12 due June 3<sup>rd</sup> Instalment 2- £12 due July 3rd

- Travel by coach
- Leave at 8am
- Arrive back 6.45pm approx.
- 147 places
- Pay on Parent Pay or barcode
- First come first served

£41 per pupil

Deposit £15 ASAP Instalment 1- £15 due June 3<sup>rd</sup> Instalment 2- £11 due July 3rd







#### IN AID OF THE MAYOR'S CHARITIES



- BLACK KAT GH
   SHATABDI ROY
- ◆ MOMOTA ◆ BAUL ABDUL SHOHID ◆ DJ ANDY POSH
  - ◆ CULTURAL PROGRAMS IN ASSOCIATION WITH BANGALINA SWINDON
  - DANCE PERFORMANCES | FASHION SHOW | HENNA
- FACE PAINTING | CLOTHING & FOOD STALLS | FUN FAIR

## Sunday 14th May 2023

Doors open 12 midday till 7pm
Faringdon Rd Park (GWR Park) Swindon, SN1 5DJ

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION OF £2

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#### **Swindon Town Warm Hub**

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15/03/2023

Dear Resident.

I am writing to let you know about a new community hub that we have created at Swindon Town Football Club.

We have opened this hub to enable people to pop in for toast and a cuppa in the morning, we open 8:30 - 10, or if you would rather some lunch and a cuppa from 12 - 2.

Everything food and drink wise at the hub has been donated and is free, you can come along, have something and chat with our volunteers or you can just enjoy your food and drink on your own table, the choice is completely yours.

At the moment, we offer toast for breakfast, white or brown and assorted spreads, jams, peanut butter and marmalade. For lunch we have various pot noodles, pasta pots, naked noodle pots and cuppa soups. There are also biscuits and chocolate bars available. Once we get the hub established and we know the demand we will look to expand the foods offered.

We open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday unless there is a STFC home game in which case we will be shut that day.

I look forward to seeing you in the hub soon, Debs



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