



# LANSDOWNE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Dear parents and carers,

What an exciting week it has been! Today we held our elections for Head Boy and Head Girl, and I would like to give special recognition to all nine candidates who stood for election. Each candidate delivered an impressive campaign video in Assembly, demonstrating a clear understanding of both the significance of these leadership roles and the democratic process itself. Their maturity and commitment were evident throughout. Following elections our Head Girl, Head Boy, Deputy Head Girl and Deputy Head Boy have been elected. Congratulations to them! I have invited them to introduce themselves to you in next week's newsletter.

This week has also been Anti-Bullying Week, and I am pleased to announce we had winners of our Power for Good awards — four students who have shown the most acts of kindness towards others. Well done to all four students for embodying the values we hold dear at Lansdowne. The weather forecast for the weekend isn't looking particularly promising, but I hope you all manage to enjoy your time together nevertheless.

Best wishes,  
Mr Downing

## Class of the Week in KS3

Congratulations!

**8JD**

## Class of the Week in KS4/5

Congratulations!

**10IG**

### Remembrance Day

This week, we celebrated Remembrance Day by making poppies and decorations for a Remembrance Day display. The students made their own poppies to wear for our minute of silence and everyone contributed decorations such as soldier's medals and poppy reefs.

—Ms Mannion



### Dates for your Diary:

- 17th November — All students to enter and leave via Pupil Entrance on Argyll Close
- 17th November — *Breakfast Club* starts at 8.15am
- 19th November — KS4/5 Parents/Carers Open Evening from 4.00-6.30pm for Students in Years 10-14
- 10th December — Enterprise Café in West Dulwich from 11am-2pm. Cash only. All welcome!
- 11th December — Christmas Jumper Day
- 12th December — Winter Fair from 2-3.30pm
- 17th December — Christmas Lunch
- 19th December — Last day of Term. We finish at 3.30pm.



**Next Friday's  
Assembly Class**

**10IG**

on 21st November  
at 9.35am

## London Eye Trip

The Year 8 pupils travelled all the way up to the London Eye as part of their Geography studies. Up there, we observed the aerial view of the city; the pupils recognised many places such as the Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament, the Buckingham Palace, and the BT Tower.

We also discussed the features of a city as well as the human to physical features' ratio. It was a great field trip!

—Ms Gkotsi



## Lansdowne School's *Breakfast Club*

Our "new" *Breakfast Club* will start on Monday, 17th November and begin at 8.15am. Students attending *Breakfast Club* will need to use the Pupil Entrance at Argyll Close. *Breakfast Club* will be free of charge! Students can attend weekly or on a day by day basis. Students not attending *Breakfast Club* will need to be supervised until 8:45am.

*Breakfast Club* will provide food, social activities, and a safe space for students to prepare for the school day. A variety of food will now be available for students to choose from daily including bagels, cereal, porridge and fruit. There will be a selection of games for students to play in the Cafe area including Uno and Connect 4. We look forward to welcoming students on Monday!

— Ms Line

## Lansdowne Students at Fulham FC Tournament

On Monday our Lansdowne students took part in the Fulham FC Tournament. Our young players were full of excitement and enthusiasm as they stepped onto the pitch. This time, we decided to enter a higher level of competition to see how the children would respond to greater challenges — not only in terms of football skills, but also behaviour, teamwork, and how they supported one another in moments of difficulty. We could not be prouder of how they performed. They gave their very best throughout the tournament, showing determination, resilience, and wonderful team spirit. The most beautiful part of the day was seeing how they encouraged and supported each other — true teamwork in action. The photos from the day capture these special moments perfectly. Well done to all our players — you were amazing! We're already looking forward to the next one!

— Mr Costa



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