

LOOE COMMUNITY SCHOOL BULLETIN No: 28
Week Commencing Monday 4th April 2011

"I can work out how people are feeling through their words, body language, gestures and tone
and pay attention to them"

Seal Outcome 31

Hindu New Year/Ramayana (4th) Palm Sunday (17th) Good Friday (22nd) Easter Sunday (24th)
St George's Day (23rd) Pesach – Passover (Judaism 19th-26th)

Reminder that the saying of the week meets the legal collective worship requirements and should be noted & discussed.

Monday 4th April 2011

Miss Curtis, off site, minibus driving course – day 2

8:30-8:40am Staff Briefing
8:55-9:05am Mr Saddler and Teaching Assistants, weekly meeting, Library
10:05-12.25pm Senior Leadership meeting
2:10pm Miss Jenkins meeting with Mrs Bennett
3:10-5:00pm Art GCSE catch-up session
3:30pm Year 10 football match at home against Saltash.net, Mr Riley
5.15pm Governors Dismissal Committee re redundancies
6:00-8:00pm Full Governing Body meeting re Academy Status

Tuesday 5th April 2011

Miss Curtis, off site, minibus driving course day 3

Childcare exam (2 Year 11 students) at Cornwall College Saltash

8:30-8:40am Staff Briefing
8:45am Mrs Jones to meet with Ms Hermes, Behaviour Support Adviser re strategies for Year 7 student
8:50am KS3 Assembly – House Quiz final – KEV v PEN
KS4 Tutorials
9:15-11:00am Inclusion meeting, Mr Saddler, Mrs Gummow, Mrs Darlington, Mrs Johns, Mrs Spencer, Ms Bunyan, Learning Co-ordinators and outside agencies
12.00 Mr Saddler meeting parent -reintegration meeting
P3-P5 BTEC Exam Officer training, Exeter, Mrs Wheadon
2:15pm Raising achievement meeting, Mr Keveth, Mrs Palmer, Mr Gallihawk
4:00-7:00pm Year 10 Parents' Evening (subjects)

Wednesday 6th April 2011

Miss Curtis, off site, minibus driving test

Year 11 Art exam

8:30-8:40am Staff Briefing

8:50am	Whole School Assembly, Miss Jenkins, Main Hall
9:10am	Mr Saddler to meet Ms Burns, Specialist Social Worker re Year 10 Child in Care Personal Education Plan meeting
9:15am	Miss Jenkins meeting parent- reintegration meeting
10:00am	Miss Jenkins meeting parent – reintegration meeting
11:30am	Mr Crean, Mr Riley and Mrs Bennett taking students to Caradon Youth Games at Callington Community College
11:45am	Mr Saddler meeting with Miss Christensen re Dramatherapy
12:25pm	Mr Saddler to meet Ms Burton, Social Worker, re Year 10 Child in Care Personal Education Plan meeting
1:30pm	Miss Jenkins to meet with Miss Christensen re Dramatherapy
2.10pm	Senior Leadership meeting – bulletin
3:30-5:00pm	Senior Leadership meeting
3:10pm	Child in Care Review, Mr Saddler
3:15-4:15pm	French GCSE revision and exam practice, room 117

Thursday 7th April 2011

Loire Valley residential trip departs 3am, Miss Blanchard, Mr Chippett, Mrs Hallworth, Mr Pilling, Miss Mitchelmore and Mr Lancaster (volunteer)
Miss Goodwin off timetable all day, Year 11 GCSE/BTEC Dance rehearsals for exam

8:30-8:40am	Staff Briefing
8:50am	KS4 Assembly – House Quiz final – KEV v POL KS3 Tutorials
3:15-4:15pm	French GCSE revision and exam practice, room 118
3:30pm	Under 14's girls footballs final away at Callington Community College, Mr Crean and Miss Curtis
7:00-8:30pm	Dance Showcase 'Leavers 11'

Friday 8th April 2011

DecAid Charity Activity Day (see timetable below)

£1 charity contribution

Sport and PE wear to be worn

DecAid is a national appeal set up with three main aims. Firstly, to increase awareness, particularly among younger members of the UK population, of the work and involvement of the Armed Forces in Afghanistan. Secondly, to remember those brave men and women of our Armed forces who have lost their lives serving in Afghanistan. Thirdly, to raise over £350,000 for three service charities which work to help current and ex-servicemen and women, and their families, who have been affected by the war in Afghanistan

Year 11 Art exam

8:30-8:40am	Staff Briefing
8:50am	Whole School assembly – DecAid Charity Activity Day, Miss Jenkins, Mr Saddler Governor Major Lewis and Army personnel
12:25pm	Performing Arts update meeting, Mr Keveth and Miss Goodwin
P5	Normal lessons until 2.40pm

- 2:45pm **End of term whole school assembly DecAid, Miss Jenkins, Mr Saddler and community guests**
- 3:30pm End of term staff gathering in the Staff Room

Break up for Easter
INSET day for teachers and those contracted to attend on Tuesday 26th April
School re-opens to students on Wednesday 27th April



Bulletin Notices from Miss Jenkins

1. Thank you to those staff who attended the first formal TUPE consultation meeting last Monday re Academy Status. Governors will consider the business case for Academy Conversion and receive feedback on consultations to date at a special meeting on Monday 4th April. The second formal staff consultation meeting will be 3.30pm on Wednesday 27th April.
2. Thank you to parents and carers for attending the first public consultation meeting on Academy conversion on Thursday 31st March. There will be another evening after Easter. An area of the school website has been organised for Academy information. Frequently asked questions will be posted there.
3. Thank you to Mr Riley and staff for the Year 8 Parents' Evening on Thursday. Please make sure that any issues or concerns are followed up.
4. Thank you to staff for the excellent Discovery Days last week. Students' behaviour was really pleasing and the quality of work undertaken was exceptional.
5. Thank you to Miss Dixon for preparing and accompanying the students to the Spring Music Fantasia, Keay Theatre, St Austell on Friday evening. The students gave a superb performance at this community event. Well done!
6. Bon Voyage to staff and students who are going to the Loire Valley on Thursday.
7. Good luck to Miss Curtis in her minibus driving test on Wednesday.
8. I was very pleased at the reports from the Leaders of Year teams about the standard of uniform. There are a very few who have extenuating circumstances that should now be followed up.
9. I have excluded four students for poor behaviour in inclusion.
10. Duty teams please be vigilant and pass names to me of anyone smoking or associating with smokers. I will be looking closely at excluding students who are caught.
11. All staff are invited to join me at 3:30pm on Friday to toast another term's success.
12. I wish you all a happy and restful Easter holiday.

Bulletin Notices

On Friday April 8th, our end of term charity day is donated to DecAid. The school will be joined by Governor Pete Lewis and a team of army colleagues. Various fun but gruelling physical challenges will be taken up by each tutor group for one lesson, culminating in a final inter-house winner in the afternoon. Apart from the usual £1 mufti, students will be encouraged to seek a few sponsors themselves as a reward for meeting the challenges.

DecAid is a national, charity appeal that has been set up by a few Exeter University students to raise money for three service charities through the running of six high profile events during the summer of 2011. They hope to raise a minimum of £350,000 for our three chosen service charities that help current and ex-servicemen and women, and their families, who have been affected by the conflict in Afghanistan since it began in 2001.

October 2011 will mark ten years since the current conflict in Afghanistan began which is why they decided to set up DecAid. They all work for free and every penny donated will go straight to our charities. If you would like to get involved with DecAid, one of our events or perhaps create an event of your own then please get in touch on their website.

DecAid Charity Activity Day - Friday 8th April			
Each year group will participate in 3 main activities during their allotted lesson or hour time. Could all normal teaching staff please accompany their students promptly at the appropriate time to the school fire drill area, when Mr Saddler and the Army guests will take over the activities, but with normal teaching staff in supervisory roles throughout the allotted time.			
	8.50 – 9.05	Assembly/ DecAid Day brief instructions for the day	Mr Saddler and Army Guests
Lesson 1	9.10 – 10.00	Year 11 Tutor Groups	
Lesson 2	10.05 – 11.00	Year 10 Tutor Groups	Year 8 students early break at 10.40 ready to start their activity by 11.00. Teaching staff need to supervise Year 8 students in the dining room. During lesson time, until their allotted activity time at 11.00.
	11.05 – 11.25	Normal whole school break except earlier finish for Year 9	
During normal break and Lesson 3a	11.00-11.55	Year 8 Tutor Groups	Year 8 return to normal lessons for 3b (12.00-12.25) with normal teaching staff
Lesson 3b /4a	12.00 -12.50	Year 9 Tutor Groups	Year 9 normal 3b and 4a teachers please escort in allotted lesson times.

Lesson 4b /part of lunchtime	12.55 – 13.40	Year 7 Tutor Groups –a slightly later lunch than normal	Year 7 lesson 4 teachers escort Year 7 students for allotted time for activity until at least 13.25
	13.25 – 14.10	Lunch as normal except for slightly later Year 7's	
Lesson 5	15.10 15.35	Teaching group registration and tidy up followed by End of Term Assembly with guest presentations, inter house results etc	Main Hall for all staff and students

Dance Showcase 'Leavers 11' – Thursday 7th April 7pm

Tickets will be on sale from Student Services at breaktimes for the showcase by Year 11 BTEC and GCSE Dance students. All welcome – come and see their last dance! (Please note that the staging will be in place from Wednesday 6th April until after the show on Friday).

Advanced notice – Thursday 28th April P1 and P2

This will be the final rehearsal before the culmination of the BTEC and Primary school project on Monday 2nd May (Bank Holiday). Pupils from Duloe, Trenode, Polperro and Pelynt Primary schools will be here until breaktime in the Music room. We will need members of the school band (around 15 Year 7-10 student, not Year 11's). Details of names to follow. Miss Dixon

Instrumental/Singing Lessons – Payment

Those students having instrumental or singing lessons must to pay for next term by April 1st. If payment is not received you will not have any lessons after Easter.

Those students wishing to start lessons next term, please collect a letter as soon as possible from Student Services and bring it back to school before April 1st.

Week commencing 4 th April - detentions issued on:		
Monday 4th April	will be done on	Wednesday 6th April
Tuesday 5th April	will be done on	Thursday 7th April
Wednesday 6th April	will be done on	Thursday 28th April
Thursday 7th April	will be done on	Thursday 28th April
Friday 8th April	will be done on	Thursday 28th April

After School Detention Rota Week Commencing 4 th April		
Date	Teacher	TA
Monday 4 th April	Mrs Casson	Mrs White
Tuesday 5 th April	Year 10 Parents' Evening	
Wednesday 6 th April	Mrs Kyte	Mrs Canning
Thursday 7 th April	Mr Damerell	
Friday 8 th April	No detention	

After School Detention Rota Week Commencing 27 th April
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Date	Teacher	TA
Wednesday 27 th April	Staff meeting	
Thursday 28 th April	Miss Dixon	Mrs White

Please note that it is the responsibility of the member of staff to arrange cover for all duty rotas if they are absent from school.

Weekly Student Clubs and Student Meetings Diary

Day	Club	Time	Location
Monday	Table Tennis Club	Lunchtime	Main Hall
	Astro time for Year 11	Lunchtime	Astro
	Volleyball, Years 7, 8 and 9	Lunchtime	Sports Hall
	Ballet Club	Lunchtime	Dance Studio
	Peer Mentors Meeting	Lunchtime	Room 008
	Comedy Club, Years 8 and 9	Lunchtime	Drama Studio
	Resistant Materials extra session	3:30-5:30pm	DT3
	Running Club	3:30pm	PE
	Netball Club, Years 9 and 10	3:30pm	Sports Hall
	GCSE PE Revision Club with Mr Crean	3:30pm	PE
Girls' Rugby, Year 7, 8 and 9	3:30pm	PE	
Tuesday	Scaletrix Club, DT3	Lunchtime	DT3
	Rocket Science Club	Lunchtime	Lab 3
	KS3 Art Club, Art Room	Lunchtime	Art room
	'Bos Ober' (Homework) Club	Lunchtime	Room 005
	Table Tennis Club	Lunchtime	Main Hall
	Astro time for Year 10	Lunchtime	Astro
Badminton Club, Years 7, 8 and 9	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	
Wednesday	Lower School Drama Club for Years 7 & 8	Lunchtime	Drama Studio
	Table Tennis Club	Lunchtime	Main Hall
	Astro time for Year 9	Lunchtime	Astro
	Basketball Club (all Years)	Lunchtime	Sports Hall
	Duke of Edinburgh Group meeting	Lunchtime	PE
	Football Club, Years 7, 8 and 9	3:30pm	PE
	Netball, Years 7 and 8	3:30pm	Sports Hall
Rowing Club (all Years) all welcome	3:30pm	Main Hall	
Thursday	Table Tennis Club, Main Hall with Mr Riley	Lunchtime	Main Hall
	Astro time for Year 8	Lunchtime	Astro
	Badminton Club for Years 10 and 11	Lunchtime	Sports Hall
	'Bos Ober' (Homework) Club	Lunchtime	Room 005
	Hockey Club, all years welcome	3:30pm	PE
	Girls' Football Club	3:30pm	PE
	Football Club, Year 10 and 11	3:30pm	PE
Gifted & Talented PE group with Mr Mosley	3:30pm	PE	
Friday	'Bos Ober' (Homework) Club	Lunchtime	Room 005
	Year 9 Band	Lunchtime	Music Suite

Community Diary

Day	Activity	Time	Location
Monday	Zumba	5:45-6:45pm	Main Hall
	Karate	8:00-9:00pm	Main Hall
	Men's football training - Looe Town FC	7:00-8:00pm	Astro
	Looe Rowing Club Ergo's indoor rowing training	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Yoga	7:00-9:00pm	Dance Studio
	Keltique (choir)	7:00-9:00pm	Music Room
	Looe Youth Theatre	7:30-9:30pm	Drama Studio
Tuesday	Trampoline Club	3:30-4:30pm	Sports Hall
	Under 14's & 16's Girls football training – Looe Town FC	5:00-6:00pm	Sports Hall
	Under 16's football training – Looe Town FC	7:00-8:00pm	Astro
	Under 13's football training – Looe Town FC	6:00-7:30pm	Astro
	Looe Youth Theatre	7:00-9:00pm	Drama Studio
	Yoga	7:00-9:00pm	Dance Studio
	Looe Rowing Club Ergo's indoor rowing training	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Casual Badminton Club	7:00-8:00pm	Sports Hall
6-a-side football – turn up and play	8.00-10.00pm	Astro	
Wednesday	Under 9's football training – Looe FC	5:00-6:00pm	Astro
	Under 12's football training – Looe FC	6:00-7:00pm	Astro
	Under 11's football training – Looe FC	5:00-6:00pm	Sports Hall
	Looe Rowing Club Ergo's indoor rowing training	6:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Under 10's football training – Looe FC	7:00-8:00pm	Astro
	Looe Rowing Club fitness circuits	7:00-8:00pm	Main Hall
	Looe & Menheniot Cricket Club Training Nets	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
Thursday	Trampoline Club	3:30-5:00pm	Sports Hall
	Under 8's football training – Looe FC	5:00-6:00pm	Astro
	Under 14's football training – Looe FC	7:00-8:00pm	Astro
	Looe Rowing Club Ergo's indoor rowing training	6:30-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Weight Watchers	6:00-7:30pm	Small Hall
	Looe Valley Singers	7:00-9:00pm	Music Room
	Encore Dance Group	6:00-8:00pm	Dance Studio
	Looe & Menheniot Cricket Club Training Nets	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Table Tennis Club	7:00-9:00pm	Main Hall
Friday	Looe Rowing Club Ergo's indoor rowing training	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Roller disco	7:00-9:00pm	Sports Hall
	Karate	8:00-9:00pm	Main Hall
	Encore Dance Group	6:00-8:00pm	Dance Studio
Saturday	Mini Soccer School 5-8 years	10:00-11:00am	Astro
Sunday	Looe & Menheniot Cricket Club Junior Training	10:00-12:00pm	Sports Hall