

# The Longfield Legends

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# Goodbye to Year 11 & 13!

At the end of the last module, we celebrated the time of our year 11 and 13 students as they went off to half-term. They have been working so hard through their exams, and we are so proud of each and everyone of them as they begin the next stage of their lives. With only a few exams to go, we implore them to keep up the hard work and we all continue to wish them every success.





# Sports Day

The annual Longfield Academy Sports Day is scheduled for 28 June. Students are encouraged to sign up for events and to help their college to victory! Can Matisse cling to the trophy for a second consecutive Further vear? information about the day to follow.



# Year 9 Student John Haddikin - Boxing Champ

Year 9 student John Haddikin recently competed international boxing competition in Portugal, having won the same competition last vear. competition provided John with a great opportunity to gain more experience boxing against skilled competitors from all over the world. John had to overcome some very tough opposition in this year's contest, and in his best fight he enjoyed a convincing win over a very skillful boxer from Denmark, to clinch the title. John's incredible success shows just what can be achieved through sheer hard work, perseverance and discipline. Bringing the gold medal home two years consecutively has made his boxing coach, his family, friends and the academy exceptionally proud of him. Well done, John!



### Fishing Trip

Before half term, a small group of our students went to Hadlow for their second of four fishing days. This short course is run by the charity Fishing For Schools and this is the second year running we have been lucky enough to secure a place. Despite the very wet the students caught some impressive fish!



# Young Carers Bus Pass -**Message from Mrs Peters**

KCC have now made their bus live. pass applications registered young carers can apply to KCC for their bus pass which will be endorsed to help them get to and from school. Young Carers contacting families will registered with them on how to apply shortly.

If you think someone you know may be a young carer and is not registered, please contact Mrs Peters at the academy to discuss a potential referral to this service.

## **Upcoming events**

- 3/6/24 Start of module 6
- 19/6/24 Year 11 Chromebook hand-in deadline (all year 11 loan devices must be returned by this date at the latest).
- 26/6/24 Year 9 Chromebook hand-in day
- 27/6/24 Year 11 Prom
- 28/6/24 Academy Sports Day
- 4/7/24 Year 13 Prom
- 4/7/24 Taster day for new year 7 intake
- 5/7/24 Academy Sports Day (Reserve)
- 11-12/7/24 Academy production of Beauty and the Beast.
- 15-19/7/24 Enrichment week years 7-9 / work experience for years 10 and 12.
- 19/7/24 End of module 6

View the academy term dates on our website

# **Academy Notice**

#### Return of loan chromebooks

Students in year 11 and 13 have received a letter with the latest date they are to return their loaned chromebook and charger. We kindly ask for the support of parents/carers to ensure that this deadline is not missed.

Year 9 have been sent information regarding replacement of their devices for the next academic year (devices to be issued out in September 2024).

## **Important Contacts**

#### **General Enquiries**

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#### **Safeguarding Team**

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#### **Attendance**

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#### **Other Contacts**

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