

HOH Overview

By Mrs Wood

I cannot believe how fast these first two terms have passed! We have settled in our new Year 7s, and welcomed new tutors and Mr Downham to our house.

Our first House competition was a success, winning first place for European Day of Languages. Our performance at the House Singing Competition, which many of you came to support, was very impressive!

As always we'd like to thank you for your continued support and contributions to Lumley life.

As January comes around we will be focussing on our House Charity Day where we will be fundraising for the RSPCA. A letter will follow with further details and arrangements for the day (31st January).

All that's left to say is Happy Christmas and New Year to all our parents and students.

GM Overview

By Mr Downham

We have now reached the end of Term 2, one third of the way through our school year already. Some say, time flies when you're having FUN!

I have been pleasantly surprised with the ethos and commitment shown from the all the students, since joining this Lumley family. It has been fantastic to witness the pride and camaraderie when competing and representing Lumley House, during this year's EDL and House Singing competitions.

As we look forward to the coming term, we have plenty more opportunities for you to get involved. Term 3 will feature our House Debating competition as well as our House Charity Day, this year with a new charity to support, the RSPCA. For those students attending this year's Ski trip to Austria, I bet you are already looking forward to the February half term.

Enjoy your Christmas breaks and I wish you a Happy New Year!



Champion House Standings

House	Points
Bussell	97
Lumley	115
Foster	118
Dyson	87
Foale	77
Holmes	92
Fiennes	105
Horowitz	94

NEW HOUSE CHARITY - RSPCA

We have decided after two years of dedicated support for the Rainbow Centre to turn our House Charity to support the four-legged kind! This year we will be supporting the local Folkestone and Dover RSPCA centres that care for animals in need and fight against animal cruelty. This charity work purely from public donations and as a keen animal lover I hope we can provide them with many years of support.



Tutor Group Award

B4 (Year 10) have had an amazing term and completed the year with the highest attendance (97.1%). A big congratulations to all the students for making the extra effort to secure this accomplishment. Thank you to Miss Horsford and Mr Miller for your hard work too!

Tilly's Termly Review (Year 8)

My names Tilly and I have taken part in House Singing, where we sang '7 years' by Lucas Graham. We also sang 'I want to be like you' from The Jungle Book. It was really fun and everyone performed really well.

I am really enjoying History with Miss Baynes; she makes the lesson really fun. I am also very happy because I became a House Captain. Maya Rattigan (my best friend) and I are both looking forward to our Christmas holidays and the end of term activities at school.

House Competitions – Results & Key Students



We have worked hard as a House to compete in the recent House Singing competition and the students did really well (picture above). The students rehearsed for almost 10 weeks to perfect two performances. Well done to Sadie Milner and Ellie-Jane Senior who gave up their own time to choreograph a contemporary dance piece to '7 Years.'

We performed well in the Inter-House Hockey competition with Year 7 finishing 1st and securing us maximum Champion House points. Players of the match were; Jake Jones and Laurel Fry. EDL also secured us 16 Champion House points as we transformed our House into Bosnia & Herzegovina for the celebrations. Thank you to all students who have contributed so far this year!

Attendance so far!

Group	% Attend
B1	95.8
B2	95
B3	93.3
B4	95.8
B5	95
Totals	95



Mrs Wood & Mr Dawson

Head of House

Guidance Manager

