



# Update

## Loreto Convent School

January 2016



### Amazing Africa

Year 1 pupils have created these wonderful African tribal masks and Indian images as part of their Art lessons.



### Go green...

Pupils in Year 4 improved their movie making knowledge and skills last December. They all recorded themselves reciting 'The Night Before Christmas', then using green screen technology they placed themselves in different festive locations.



### Attendance matters

Well done to four of our Year 9 pupils for achieving 100% attendance so far this year.

### Ukulele Crazy!

The School has offered the opportunity for parents to purchase Ukuleles so pupils can learn an exciting new instrument.



### Construction Update



The external frame-work construction of the New Multi-Purpose Hall is now complete. The internal structure has now been painted meaning that work can begin on the brick work for the lower (classrooms) and middle floor (multi purpose hall).

### February Fundraising

We are asking parents to help support our fundraising efforts for the charity Actions4Schools by sending in any unwanted change with your child .



### Artistic works.

Year 4 pupils have created some lovely art work from the *Pop art* movement.

Pupils learnt about how it emerged in late 1950s with artists Eduardo Paolozzi and Richard Hamilton taking the lead in Britain.



### Literacy and language

The Year 4 class reader last term was 'The Butterfly Lion.' Pupils then engaged in several language based activities, including letter from Bertie to his father, after his first week at boarding school.

### Pupils experience Gym

Pupils in year's 6 and 7 have been creative within their Gymnastic lessons compiling their very own Gymnastic display using the apparatus.



Pupils in year 2 have been learning how to use the apparatus focussing on technique.

A reminder that Gym Club is on Mondays at 1pm.



## WHAT'S ON

5-12 February:  
PGL Ski Trip to Austria

19 February:  
In-Service-Day

3 March:  
World Book Day

14 March:  
Commonwealth Day

## TERM DATES

Last Day of Spring Term: Friday 18 March

First Day of Summer Term: Monday 4 April

Last Day of Summer Term: Friday 1st July, 12:30 pm

Coming in February's edition of the **Update**.

PGL Ski Trip, Badminton Success, Victorian Day and much, much more.

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## IN BRIEF

### Nursery Pupils go

#### SMART

Pupils have embraced the latest classroom technology using a SMART Table and Panel to enhance their learning.

Click here for the full article.



### Spring Lunch Menu

Our new lunch menu for the Spring term has had a successful start with pupil's and staff. Click here for the full article.



Click on the menu to enlarge

### Donations

In January, the school donated funds in support of four charities. Yum Yum Catering have also donated £100 towards the overall total.

£500 to Save the Children

£500 to Action 4 Schools

£500 to Pathway through Pain

£212 to Gibraltar Society for the Visually Impaired.



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