



### COLLEGE NEWSLETTER – 14TH JUNE 2019

#### DEAR PARENTS & CARERS,

This week has seen most of our students in Years 11 and 13 complete their final examinations of the summer season. As we get older, memories of our own examinations become ever more distant – and we can forget just how challenging they can be. Results stay with students for the rest of their lives, opening doors to higher education and employment. How well students do over this short four-week period can shape their future.

Working in a school reminds us daily of the pressure students taking exams are under. Some of our GCSE students have taken upwards of 20 examinations since mid-May. Some of our A Level students – due to clashes – have had to sit three examinations back to back in the same day. But all of them have faced a Herculean task and responded with no small amount of commitment, hard work and tenacity. We are extraordinarily proud of them all, and hope that the results days in August bring them the marks that they deserve. And we look forward to celebrating the conclusion of this chapter of their educational lives at our upcoming proms. For Year 11 students, prom will be held at the King Power Stadium on the 24th June; for our Year 13s, we'll be saying goodbye at the Leicester Tigers' Stadium on the 28th June. Well done to all of you.

While examinations are almost over, there's no time for rest at the College, as we head into our final few weeks before the summer break. There's much to which we can look forward: induction for our new cohorts of students in Years 7 and 12; the College's commemoration service; Sports Day; the Friends of Lutterworth College Colour Run; and reward trips for our students to celebrate their good behaviour and attitude to learning this year.

Enjoy the weekend.

Stewart Shovlin
Assistant Headteacher

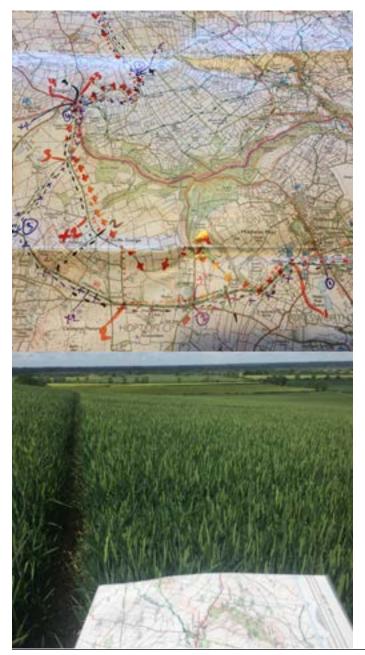
## THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD

**WELL DONE** 

A big well done to all students who have recently completed their assessed expeditions. Participants at Bronze level completed their two day assessed expedition in Warwickshire this weekend, enduring a very rainy Saturday. Participants at silver level competed their three day expedition in the Peak District during half term, also coping with some typical British weather. The award is highly-valued due to the challenge it provides, so students should be rightfully proud of their achievements.

Participants at Gold level will participate in their four day assessed expedition in Snowdonia in July. Good luck to all those involved.

If current year 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 students are interested in participating in the award from September 2019, please contact Mr Bailey at <u>c.bailey@lutterworthcollege.com</u>



#### **NOTICE**

FROM HUMANITIES

Due to the wet weather this week we unfortunately had to cancel the first Year 8 Geography trip to The Peak District on Wednesday 12th June. This trip has now been rearranged for Tuesday 7th July. The other half of Year 8 are doing the Geography Peak District trip on Monday 17th and this will be going ahead as planned as the weather does look better and no weather warnings have been issued. We look forward to seeing those Year 8 students for their Geography trip on their allocated day for either Monday 17th June or Tuesday 7th July at 7:20am in the bus lanes for a 7:30 prompt departure. Please ensure your child come suitable prepared for poor weather for the Peak District Trip in case wet weather is still experienced.

## LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY ATHLETICS

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Year 8 and Year 9 students Jack Stretton and Alex Keeble who competed in the County Athletics at Saffron Lane on Saturday 8 June.

Both boys raced in a competitive 1500m race against other Leicestershire athletes, with Jack taking the win in 4:30 and Alex taking third place. Superb effort from both.



#### **Y6 INDUCTION DAYS**

Year 6 children will be joining us on Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th July.

Students will take part in a number of activities over the two days based in the classroom and subject areas as well as a sports afternoon.

The two days will be closed with a presentation for parents on life at Lutterworth College. Uniform and resources will be available to purchase on the evening.

#### **COLLEGE LIBRARY**

HERE TO HELP STUDENTS WITH THEIR LEARNING!

Did you know the College has a well-resourced library to support your child with their learning? The library is open from 8:40am to 3:10pm Monday to Friday during term time. Students in Year 7 and 8 have English lessons in the library and borrow books to read as part of their participation in the Accelerated Reader program the College supports. During lesson times the library also provides a quiet independent study area for our Sixth Form students with access to computers and printing facilities as well as reference books/materials. At break and lunchtimes it is open to all students to use the facilities for completing classwork and homework, to sit and read and to meet with their friends. Our experienced librarians Rita Johnston and Liz Barker are here to help students to utilise the library.

#### LIBRARY SHOP

There's never an excuse to arrive at a lesson without the correct equipment. Students being well-equipped with what they need for their lessons means that they arrive ready to learn and can focus on their work from the minute they enter the classroom. The College library offers a well-stocked shop offering everything your child could need for their lessons. Broken pen or pen run out? Need a new calculator? Need revision cards to prepare notes for an exam?

The Library also sells an extensive range of study and revision guides for students studying GCSE and A Level courses offered at the College; the guides on offer have been recommended by your child's teachers. These guides are often available at a lower cost than you would be able to purchase them elsewhere and we generally have all items in stock so students can buy them when they need them.

The library is cashless, with students able to purchase items using money you or they have loaded onto their ID card through Parent Pay.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

17TH JUNE
Parental Engagement Evening

24TH JUNE Year 11 Prom (King Power Stadium)

28TH JUNE Year 13 Prom (Leicester Tigers)

> MONDAY 1ST JULY The Big Sing

WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY
The Summer Festival

4TH JULY Sports Day

5TH JULY Drop Down Day

6TH JULY (SATURDAY AM)
Sixth Form Open Morning

6TH (SATURDAY PM) JULY FOLC Colour Run

11TH JULY College Commemoration Service

12TH JULY Last day of the academic year – 1.30pm finish

#### **NEXT WEEK'S 'THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK'**

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. Proverbs 15:1

#### THE BIG SING

**MONDAY 1ST JULY** 

A free singing event for the local communities around Lutterworth College – staff, students, parents and all others are welcome to attend an evening of uplifting singing, led by our music teacher Simon Lubkowski. You'll be provided with all you need to listen and learn the chosen song beforehand, but will also be taken through the whole process on the night itself! There will be a final performance at the end of the evening and we encourage you all to bring a friend or two or three!

The main aim of 'The Big Sing' is to enjoy communal singing in a large group but we also hope to showcase some of our talented students during the evening as well, so please join us for a fun-filled event, that will also be great for your mental health (so the studies say!).

Book your place here: <a href="http://bit.ly/2KpHj7U">http://bit.ly/2KpHj7U</a>



#### THE SUMMER FESTIVAL

WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY

A musical celebration of the wonderful and varied talents of students from Lutterworth College's Music Department. Featuring an outdoor acoustic/karaoke stage as well as the main indoor stage, this event will be a great way to mark the end of a successful year for the College.

There will be refreshments available from 5:45pm, with the Outdoor Stage entertainment starting from 6pm and the Main Stage going live from 7:00pm. The event is due to finish by around 9:00pm.

Adults £5 | Students/Concessions FREE

Get your tickets here: <a href="http://bit.ly/2XmPpBF">http://bit.ly/2XmPpBF</a>





REGISTRATION & PICNIC AT 12:30PM FUN WARM UP AT 1.30PM . RUN AT 2:00PM

> EARLY BIRD TICKETS: E10 CHILD, E15 ADULT, E25 FAMILY TO REGISTER, VISIT WWW.ENTRYCENTRAL/LCR2019 PLACES LIMITED - SO HURRY AND BOOK YOUR PLACE!

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#### THE ULTIMATE TEST IS HERE.



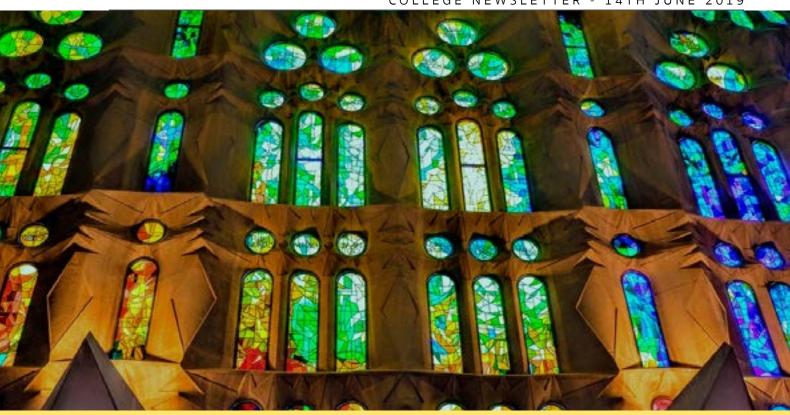
## THINK YOU'VE GOT WHAT IT TAKES TO BE A GRAMMAR POLICE INSPECTOR?

NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE OR QUALIFICATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

TO APPLY, GO TO THE ENGLISH FACULTY BLOG

**ENGLISHATLC.COM** 

AND CLICK ON THE LINK TO THE ULTIMATE EXAM.



## Novus Cantores Choir Summer Concerts

# Brass and Voices

Featuring LE8 Brass Ensemble Music to include:

Handel: The King Shall Rejoice

Lauridsen: O Magnum Mysterium

Mozart: Ave Verum Corpus

22ND JUNE: ST MARY'S CHURCH, LUTTERWORTH 7:30PM 29TH JUNE: ST PETERS CHURCH, CLAYBROOKE PARVA 7:30PM

Tickets: £9 including refreshments

Under 16's free

Available from Max Electrical or call 01455 552080



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