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COLLEGE NEWSLETTER – 29TH MARCH 2019

DEAR PARENTS & CARERS,

Welcome to the school's weekly newsletter.

Another week – another show! Following the amazing success of High School Musical our Year 13 BTEC Dance students will be performing Alice in Wonderland on 10TH & 11th May – you can book tickets direct from the school website – they are going fast! This week the cast have been showcasing parts of their performance in assemblies and we are really looking forward to their full performance.

Next week, the 2nd set of Pre Public Examinations start for Year 11 & Year 13 in what is the critical run-up to the summer exam series. Once complete, the school encourages all Year 11 & 13 students to complete Easter 100 – 100 hours of planned revision over the Easter holidays. This equates to approximately 25% of each day as a minimum; this may sound excessive to some but it is what students in other centres are being asked to do (and more) as an absolute minimum. We understand the need for students to have a real break over Easter but also recognise that examinations start within two weeks of returning after the break.

On Wednesday evening next week we have our seventh Parental Engagement Evening of the year and on Thursday we also have our Apprenticeship Expo. We encourage all parents & students interested in apprenticeships to come along and meet local companies and learn about the schemes they offer. The event runs from 6-8pm and is being held in the main school hall and the gym.

Friday night wraps up a busy week with the Friend of Lutterworth College Quiz Night – unfortunately this one is all sold out now but we're positive another fundraiser will not be far away!

Finally, before we depart for Easter a reminder that Enrichment day is on the last day of term. The trip lists are displayed on the main hall windows. If students do not have a place, they will be in school and taking part in departmental activities in school. If they do not wish to keep their place on a trip, then parents need to follow the instruction in the allocation email to notify the school.

All the best Nick Summers Headteacher



OUR NEW CATERERS

ASPENS SEND PARENTS & CARERS A MESSAGE GREAT TASTING FOOD THAT YOUR CHILDREN WILL LOVE

Aspens is the company chosen by your school to provide the meal service to our students. We specialise in providing catering to schools and colleges across the country.

The food children eat at school plays an important role in their wellbeing, and eating a well-balanced diet will not only maintain and improve their health, but will also set them on the right track for later life. We understand this and that's why we are passionate about serving fresh, high quality and locally sourced food that is cooked in our kitchen.

Responsible catering

At Aspens - we take our responsibility of catering for today's children and young adults seriously. All of our dishes are prepared everyday using quality, fresh and seasonal ingredients that are responsibly sourced.

As well as ensuring the food on the plate is healthy, we want our customers to understand the importance of eating the right foods and help them with their food and nutrition journey. Don't think that your child can't enjoy our great food if they have a special diet - they are an important part of our catering service. We can provide food if they have an intolerance, an allergy, or require an alternative choice due to religious beliefs.

Legislation requires caterers to provide allergen information on food sold that is served 'unpackaged'. Aspens already cater for lots of children with allergies and we regularly check the information from suppliers to see if there have been any ingredient changes. It is still important that our customers talk to us so we can work together and continue to provide meals that are safe for them to eat.

Free school meals

Did you know that your child might be entitled to free school meals? For more information and details on how to claim, visit www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals

Great value for money

We have a range of meal deals on offer every day to help save money. Whether they want a hot meal or something to just grab and go, there will be an offer available. We also run a range guest offers and special theme days to create a buzz in the dining room.

The Aspens App

This is ideal for parents and students to check out what's on offer for lunch with just a couple of presses on your smartphone. It's simple enough – just search for the app at the App Store, install, add the unique PIN relating to your particular school and you will be able to view the current menu. Ask a member of the team or at the school

office for your number.

Get in touch

Aspens are experts in school catering and have years of experience when it comes to school food. If you have any questions about our service, or any special dietary requirements - please get in touch. You can contact us

APPRENTICESHIP EXPO

4TH APRIL 2019



Not sure that University is right for you?

Want to learn more about local apprenticeship opportunities?

Does earning money and learning new skills sound good to you?

On Thursday 4th April 2019 we will be hosting our very own Apprenticeship Expo in the Sports Hall at Lutterworth College between 6 pm and 8 pm.

This is a great opportunity for you and your parents to come along, meet local companies, and talk to them about the schemes they have to offer.







SCHOOL DAY TIME CHANGES

FOR THE EXAMINATION PERIOD

Parents should be aware that timings for the day will change from Monday 29th April through to Friday 14th June inclusive to accommodate the Year 12 internal exams straight after Easter followed by the external GCSE and A Level exams. This will mean that morning break will remain unchanged from 11.00 – 11.20am and lunch will move earlier to be from 12.20 – 1.05pm.

YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE

MONDAY 10TH JUNE TO FRIDAY 14TH JUNE 2019

Year 10 Work Experience dates this year are Monday 10th June to Friday 14th June 2019. This process will begin on the 8th April when we receive the first placements from LEBC. The school Work Experience co-ordinator is Alison Cant and she can be currently contacted at a.cant@ sirfrankwhittlestudioschool.com if parents have any questions about student placements.

LUTTERWORTH SHARE & CARE GROUP

BAKING GINGERBREAD AT LUTTERWORTH COLLEGE



On 12th March the gardening team from the Lutterworth Share and Care Group (LSCG) had the opportunity to bake gingerbread at Lutterworth College. LSCG is a social group for people living with dementia and the gardening team meets fortnightly to work on an allotment in Leire. The group have been able to use the College workshop in D11 to make bird and hedgehog boxes over the winter period and kicked off the new season with an Easter baking session. All the members were very impressed by the facilities in T5 and with the expert guidance of Helen, the technician, made some delicious Easter shaped gingerbread biscuits. The group have been made to feel very welcome by staff and students and are looking forward to opportunities to work in partnership with the College in the future. For more information about LSCG go to lutterworthshareandcare.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

1ST-12TH APRIL

Pre Public Examinations (2nd set) – Year 11 & Year 13

3RD APRIL

Parental Engagement Evening 7/9 (3.30-6.30pm)

4TH APRIL

Apprenticeship Fair (6-8pm) – see above notices

5TH APRIL

FOLC Easter Quiz (evening) - SOLD OUT!!!

12TH APRIL

Enrichment Day – All students excluding Year 11 & Year 13

13TH- 28TH APRIL Easter Holidaus

29TH APRIL – 8TH MAY

Pre-Public Examinations – Year 10 & Year 12

6TH MAY Bank Holiday

10TH & 11TH MAY Alice in Wonderland performance

13TH MAY – 28TH JUNE GCSE & A level examination period

27TH MAY – 31ST MAY Half Term

10TH – 14TH JUNE Year 10 Work Experience

24TH JUNE

Year 11 Prom (King Power Stadium)

28TH JUNE

Year 13 Prom (Leicester Tigers)

3RD JULY

College Commemoration Service

4TH JULY Sports Day

6TH JULY (SATURDAY AM)
Sixth Form open morning

6TH JULY (SATURDAY PM) FOLC Colour Run

12TH JULY

last day of the academic year

NEXT WEEK'S 'THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK'

'NOTHING WORTH HAVING WAS EVER ACHIEVED WITHOUT EFFORT" THEODORE ROOSEVELT

"we're all mad here"





LUTTERWORTH COLLEGE | TICKETS 7:30PM | OTH AND | ITHMAY | ADULTS -E7

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED BY VISITING THE LUTTERWORTH COLLEGE HOMEPAGE AND FOLLOWING THE LINK TO THE ONLINE BOOKING SYSTEM.