



LUTTERWORTH COLLEGE
ENABLING EVERY YOUNG PERSON TO LEARN, FLOURISH AND SUCCEED



COLLEGE NEWSLETTER – 5TH APRIL 2019

DEAR PARENTS & CARERS,

Welcome to our school's weekly newsletter.

Unfortunately, I must start this week's newsletter by mentioning school uniform again and particularly school blazers. At the College we have a wonderful school uniform which is rich in our 1880 heritage; which every student should be proud to wear. However, we have seen a growing trend over the last few weeks where students are arriving at school wearing something in place of their school blazer. Our rule here is simple and clear – blazers are a compulsory part of our school uniform and **nothing should be worn in place of a school blazer**. If students are cold, they can wear a coat over the top of their blazer; if they are hot then they can take off their blazer with the permission of the classroom teacher or at socialisation times. What is not allowed though is wearing an item of clothing **instead** of their school blazer at any time during the school day from arrival through the school gates to departure. If students are non-compliant, they will be issued with a C2 and their non-compliance will be shared with pastoral and senior staff. We obviously want to avoid any such consequence and ask parents for their support in ensuring that students leave home correctly attired for school.

On a positive note, we are looking forward to tonight's Friends Of Lutterworth College Easter quiz! We are extremely grateful to FOLC for organising and I'm positive that the funds raised will go to providing some essential equipment to enhance the student experience here at school. Unfortunately, we are certainly not immune to the underfunding of schools that coupled with our unique context means that any such income is very welcome.

All the best

Nick Summers
Headteacher
[@LCHeadteacher](#)

BRECK'S LAST GAME

PUBLIC LAUNCH WED 3RD APRIL

Following our school's showing in January of Breck's Last Game to parents and students we wanted to let parents know that there has been a public launch of Breck's Last Game, the short film aimed at protecting children from online grooming which asks the question: Do you know who your online friends really are? The film went live on the social media channels of Northamptonshire, Leicestershire, Surrey and Essex police forces simultaneously. This was followed by a five-day digital media campaign to raise awareness of the risks of online grooming and child exploitation, along with footage of Breck's Last Game being delivered in schools, plus testimonials from parents, teachers and students.

APPRENTICESHIP EXPO

4TH APRIL 2019

Last night's Apprenticeship Expo organised by Lutterworth College and JJS Manufacturing was a huge success with hundreds of students and their parents taking advantage of the opportunity to speak to over 30 businesses and providers - all in one place - about their fantastic Apprenticeship schemes.

Enlightening talks by Amazing Apprenticeships were very well received and students left feeling much more informed about career options and opportunities available to them. A big thank you to all who attended.

Alison Cant



JJS Manufacturing, Lutterworth College and The Sir Frank Whittle Studio School are proud to present:

**Earn & Learn
The Apprenticeship Expo!**

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.



AN AFTERNOON LUNCH....

FOR THOSE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA



Twelve of our students from Lutterworth college have been involved in a project within our community working with people living with dementia.

Before we were able to plan this project, we had to find out what dementia was, what people living with dementia can eat and what are suitable recipes. We then researched and costed recipes such as tomato soup, focaccia bread, smoothies, lemon drizzle cake and fruit tarts. We moved on and then pitched our idea and budget to finance to see if it was feasible.

Bingo we have the money - all systems go! We are now off to Morrison's to buy the ingredients.

Now the pressure is on - we have just 4 weeks to practice and perfect our chosen recipes in the school cooking rooms.

Plenty of practice made near perfection, as people say "practice makes perfect".



Then, the big day arrived. We had two hours to prepare the food for the people living with dementia. The pressure was on. T5 was like a scene from master chef! We were busy making our dish to the best possible standard. We beat the clock and had our food ready to transport to the Methodist Church.

We set up the dining room at the Methodist Church and met and seated our guests. The food was served and consumed to a point where there was not a crumb or drop left. Many of the guests (many of whom were ex teachers), gave the food and service an A*.

We had created an excellent atmosphere within the room, where everybody socialised with each other and had some great conversations with each other.

A huge well done to all students involved.

Mr Bailey



CHARITY CAKE SALE

A MESSAGE FROM THE STUDENTS INVOLVED

On the 7th and 8th of March 2019, the Library Team held a cake sale in the library. We raised £107.50 through selling cakes, brownies, rocky roads, biscuits and much more. People donated their confectionaries and we were able to help two major charities out as a result. We donated to AgeUk and Leicestershire & Rutland Air Ambulances. Fortunately, the

attendance of the cake sale was helped by the Book Swap Shop, a yearly tradition that we hold and was being held simultaneously with the sale on the 7th. Our profit has improved since our last cake sale, where we raised £83.30 in total. We hope to raise more next time!

Best Wishes

Izzy, Sid, Cameron, Matthew (pictured below)



MATH CHALLENGE

CELEBRATING INTERMEDIATE MATHEMATICAL CHALLENGE SUCCESS!

Over 250 000 students from more than 3000 schools and colleges across the UK participated in the Intermediate Mathematical Challenge on 7 February, a competition run by the UK Mathematics Trust which aims to stimulate mathematical thinking and enhance problem solving skills. Students from Years 9,10 and 11 had 60 minutes to answer 25 varied multiple-choice mathematical problems. This week, high scorers have been awarded certificates to recognise their success in mathematics. Seven students achieved Silver and thirteen were awarded Bronze. Well done to all students who took part and congratulations to certificate winners.

Here's a sample question for parents from this year's Intermediate Mathematical challenge:

There are 120,000 red squirrels living in Scotland. This represents 75% of their total UK population. How many more red squirrels live in Scotland than live in the remainder of the UK?

A) 30 000 B) 40 000 C) 60 000 D) 80 000 E) 90 000

Answer at the bottom of Page 5:

Years 7 and 8 are currently busy preparing for the Junior Math's Challenge on Tuesday 30 April 2019.

BARONESS BYFORD VISITS

SPEAKS TO SIXTH FORM

Last week we were pleased to welcome Baroness Byford to the College to speak with our Sixth Formers. Baroness Byford explained her journey and career so far as well as explaining the work of the House of Lords. She then took part in a Q&A session with students.



Baroness Byford is a Canon of Leicester Cathedral, President of LEAF and Leicestershire Clubs for Young People and an Associate Member of Royal Agricultural Societies. She is also a patron of several rural organisations: Women Food and Farming Union, National Farm Attractions Network, and the Institute of the Agricultural Secretaries and Administrators.

ON BEHALF OF THE LUTTERWORTH ACADEMIES TRUST

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH USBORNE BOOKS AT SCHOOL

As part of a nationwide initiative we have been offered the chance to increase our school reading resources through a partnership between local businesses and other community organisations and Usborne Books at Home and School, a division of Usborne Publishing, a highly respected children & young people's publisher.

We are inviting donations from businesses to buy some books for our school to increase our library stock. We are aiming to collect as much money as possible by 31 May 2019 in donations for the school and Usborne will then generously provide an additional 60% worth of free books on top of this. All businesses supporting us will receive acknowledgement in the next available school's newsletter to parents and a donor's poster to proudly display at their work place.

The local co-ordinator of this scheme for Usborne is Paula

Dew, who is an Independent Usborne Schools Organiser and is duly authorised by me to promote this scheme with Lutterworth College being the beneficiary of all books purchased. The Usborne books that we are looking to purchase will predominantly and primarily include titles to enhance, support and promote our students' wellbeing which we feel is vital in helping them during their current exam period. We will then use any additional funds to provide a wider variety of texts to encourage a love of reading and improve literacy standards.

If parents are able to support this scheme by promoting at their places of work information on how to make a donation can be obtained by emailing e.cullen@lutterworthcollege.com. We will then mention all business donors in a June edition of all newsletters and our termly magazine, Sapere Aude, emailed out to all parents.

Here's the list of Carnegie medal nominated/winning Usborne books:

Winner 2018:
Where the World Ends

Nominations for 2019:
The House With Chicken Legs - now shortlisted
Are We All Lemmings and Snowflakes (YA)
Looking After Your Mental Health
Kick
Orphan Monster Spy (YA)
The Wild Folk
The Unpredictability of Being Human

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.

NEXT WEEK'S 'THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK'

"FOR GOD DID NOT SEND HIS SON INTO THE WORLD TO CONDEMN THE WORLD, BUT TO SAVE THE WORLD THROUGH HIM" - JOHN 3:17

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 LEBEC. 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 LIBRARY

OPENING HOURS

From Monday April 1st library opening hours have changed in 14 libraries across the county. Following the installation of smart library technology, customers over the age of 16 will be able to access the library by scanning their card at the door to get access when staff are not present. Children under 16 will still be able to access the library during smart hours as long as they are accompanied by a parent or guardian over the age of 18 who has a smart library card. There will be a mixture of staffed and smart hours, so it's important for anyone wishing to use the library during smart hours to contact their library for an induction to the new system.

The new hours for Lutterworth library are:
Lutterworth

	SMART	STAFFED	SMART
Monday	8am-10am	10am - 1pm	1pm - 7pm
Tuesday	8am - 2pm	2pm - 5pm	5pm - 7pm
Wednesday	8am - 1pm		1pm- 7pm
Thursday	8am-10am	10am - 1pm	1pm - 7pm
Friday	8am - 2pm	2pm - 5pm	5pm - 7pm
Saturday	8am-10am	10am - 2pm	2pm - 6pm
Sunday	CLOSED		

Regards

Kerry Collings on behalf of Lutterworth Library
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MATH CHALLENGE ANSWER:

It's D: 80 000
If 75% = 120 000, 25% = 40 000, therefore there are 40 000 squirrels living in the remainder of the UK, a difference of 80 000. So 80 000 more red squirrels live in Scotland than live in the remainder of the UK.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1ST-12TH APRIL
Pre Public Examinations (2nd set) – Year 11 & Year 13
- 5TH APRIL
FOLC Easter Quiz (evening) – SOLD OUT!!!
- 12TH APRIL
Enrichment Day – All students excluding Year 11 & Year 13
- 13TH- 28TH APRIL
Easter Holidays
- 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

"we're all mad here"



LUTTERWORTH COLLEGE
7:30PM 10TH AND 11TH MAY

TICKETS
ADULTS £7
CONCESSIONS £5

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

Year 13 Leavers' Ball

28th June 2019 at Tigers Stadium Leicester
7-7.30 pm to 11.30 pm

Menu

STARTER

Sharing Starter Platter

Stuffed Potato Skins, Breaded Mushrooms & Mozzarella Sticks. Accompanied by a selection of dips

MAIN

Char Grilled Cajun Chicken Breast

Served with Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables

Or

Roasted Vegetable Wellington

Served with Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables

DESSERT

Classic Eton Mess

Tickets cost £34 – payment through ParentPay

Please inform Mrs Mills – Q Zone of your choice of menu by Friday 5th April

Year 11 Prom 2019

Save the Date

Details below:
Date, Time, and Venue

Monday 24th ★
June

19:00 ★



Details to follow soon.....

