



# WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending: 21 June 2019

## KEY MESSAGES

- Thank you to all parents for supporting your child in meeting our basic expectations with punctuality, uniform and equipment. It has had a noticeable positive impact.

## YEAR 7

The Year 7 girls competed in the ESSA Midlands final and put an exceptional effort into competing against Year 8s. They tried fantastically hard and placed 5th against some really hard competition. Well done to all of those who took part. Alongside this Edward Paling had a brilliant sailing performance over the weekend. He competed in the Topper Midlands Championship and received a final position of second in his class! We are very impressed. In the Arts we have also had Elly Adey taking part in the production of Joseph at the Derby Theatre, where she has demonstrated her singing talents. Year 7 have been given their reports this week and these have also gone onto insight. Please take the time to go through these so they can share with you their successes.

Head of Year 7: Miss L Hughes Achievement Coordinator: Miss I Ridley



## YEAR 8

Year 8 have continued to take part in the Teaching in Primaries focus over the last week and have really enjoyed the experience of communicating with younger students and taking a lead in a classroom. It has been an opportunity for them to practise their organisational skills and to see if they can plan and teach a whole lesson. Alongside this exciting opportunity, some of our students have taken part in the Waterstones trip this week. They spent the afternoon in the bookstore, chose a novel of their choice and even enjoyed a hot chocolate and some other treats. A lovely time was had by all.

Head of Year 8: Miss N Ward Achievement Coordinator: Miss B Marshall



## YEAR 9

One of our amazing Year 9 students is hosting a games night to raise money for his scout trip to Poland. Tim will be hosting the evening at LetsXcape Together, a new games cafe on Chain Lane in Newark on Friday 28 June from 7-10pm. Students and their families are encouraged to join him for an evening of gaming with over 200 board and strategy games to choose from. On the theme of trips, good luck to all students on the Geography trips to Skegness. Data collection is a vital part of the course and I'm sure all students will make the most of the opportunity. Mr Walters is also running a STEM trip to the Big Bang fair on Thursday 27 June and places are going very quickly. We only have a few letters left in the Year Office.

Head of Year 9: Mr D Mordue Achievement Coordinator: Miss J Smith



## YEAR 10

The Year 10s have had an excellent start to their assessments. They have been revising for their assessments during tutor set using their Knowledge Organisers and testing each other on their knowledge. The Year 10 Girls Football Team have won the 15th South Nottinghamshire Cup on Wednesday evening. They won the match against West Bridgford School, with the final score being 2-0. The year group are so proud of the girls and look forward to seeing them go on to win more trophies. Well done!

Head of Year 10: Miss V Salt Achievement Coordinator: Miss I Sheldon



## YEAR 11

On the eve of the Prom, I would like to take a moment to reflect on the last five years. It has been an incredible journey and I am immensely proud of the Year group and all that they have achieved. I would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank Miss Harper, Miss Salt, Miss Hall and the Year team for their incredible support and guidance. I would also like to say thank you for the unwavering support of all parents & carers during my time as Head of Year. Lastly, I would like to wish the all the pupils the very best for the future. Goodbye and Good Luck Year 11!

Head of Year 11: Mr D Lynas Achievement Coordinator: Miss A Hall



### Careers Update

#### For adults in the community:

Southfields Childcare are looking for a Nursery Assistant for the new Baby Room. Two days per week (Monday and Tuesday) 7.45 am - 6pm. 18 years+ Please call 01949 20123

#### For Year 11 and 13 leavers

British Sugar are recruiting a Chemical Engineering Apprentice. If you have five GCSEs at grade 5 or above including Maths and English and a Science this could be an opportunity for you. Please visit [www.britishsugar.com/careers](http://www.britishsugar.com/careers) to apply.

### Learning Lounge

The Learning Lounge took 14 students to Waterstones on Tuesday to celebrate their achievement of completing the reading relay. The reading relay was an extensive challenge which asked students to read a variety of fiction, non-fiction and complete several quizzes. The students were treated to a book of their choice and a hot chocolate.

