

This Week

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From the Principal:

All eyes were on our college chef, John Morrey, last Friday as East Midlands Today came to Sir Jonathan North to film following his win of the East Midlands Chef of the Year regional final. The clip was broadcast on Tuesday 19 May and showed students from Year 7 being served with their lunch in our new dining room plus interviews with Nancey Brakes, Millie Windram and Jasmine Stokes.

For the competition, John and his fellow contestants had to produce a main meal and dessert suitable for an 11 year old, costing not more than £1.60. John, who had wowed the judges with his spicy ravioli and summer berry dessert at the local and regional finals, unfortunately did not win the Chef of the Year title at the competition in Hampshire on Wednesday.

Alison Merrills

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

'Imagination is more important than knowledge.'

Albert Einstein

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Term dates for 2014-2015 are available on the College website:

www.sjncc.leicester.sch.uk

21-22 May	Year 9 Trip to Paris
22 May	College Closes for Half Term
1 June	College re-opens



ATTENDANCE STARS OF THE WEEK!

With 100% attendance and no late marks last week, our

Stars of the Week are:

Year 7:	Khadijah Harris-Al-Ajeeli 7.6
Year 8:	Aisha Sarang 8.1
Year 9:	Aliyah Rose 9.7
Year 10:	Lauren Brewin 10.4
Year 11:	Lauren Riley-White 11.2



TIP OF THE WEEK



Think carefully about the impression you want to make. Being late is a way of saying that your time is more important than your classmates' time, your teachers' time, your boss's time... is this the impression you really want to make?

Spotlight on Year 11

Just a reminder about how the **Exam Preparation time** works after the half-term break:

Year 11 students only need to come into College to:

- **Attend the lessons in any subjects where they still have an exam.**
- **Sit their exams. (Be on time!)**
- Students will need to **sign in at Reception** if they are attending lessons or go straight to the examination room where they will be registered. They will then need to **sign out at reception** when they leave.
- Please note that students must only go to the rooms allocated on the Exam Preparation Timetable, not to D15, the Learning Mentors (unless they have a previously arranged appointment) or to other lessons.
- Students who normally travel to college in vans will need to make alternative arrangements according to the Exam Preparation Timetable.
- Students are expected to follow the College Dress Code when in College for revision lessons and whilst taking exams.
- If you require any further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the Year Team Leader.

Kai Sheldrake, Assistant Principal

the CENTRE
LESBIAN GAY BI & TRANS

Visit by Leicester LGBT

On Tuesday, Dennis Bradley, Project Officer at the Leicester LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender) came into Sir Jonathan North Community College to deliver training to students at lunchtime and staff after school.

Sixty young people attended the training over lunchtime.

Here is a report from Aiysha Rowe 10.7:

'Dennis Bradley came into college to talk to students about LGBT awareness. The students answered all the questions Dennis put to them. He went into what LGBT and homophobia is. He told the girls that homophobia, transphobia and biphobia is wrong and talked about the impact of this on LGBT people.

Students were very interested and asked questions as well as answering them. Dennis told students the story of Alan Turing. Students listened well and took all the information on board.'

Dennis encouraged students to treat LGBT people as individuals. He said 'It is important to remember that sexuality is just a small part of a person; it does not define them!'

For more information visit www.leicesterlgbtcentre.org.

Jo Allen, Student and Family Support Team Leader

POETRY FOR PLEASURE

Last Wednesday, local performance poet Shruti Chauhan visited Sir Jonathan North Community College. She inspired a wide range of students to write poetry, including Miss Premchand's Year 7 English class. Our class was given the opportunity to write down their thoughts and feelings about a topic, before Shruti showed us how easily our words could be turned into poetry. We learnt how to be free when writing and that poetry has endless possibilities. Put simply, poetry has no limits.

Toga Ibrahim - 7.6

SCHOOL NURSES

The school nurses provide a confidential, all year round health service and help support the physical and emotional health and wellbeing of children, young people and families. The school nurse team for your area is Karen Salisbury, Jean Tratt, Louise Lester and Jane Cox. They are based at Westcotes Health Centre and can be contacted on **0116 2953126**.

The school nurse website: www.healthforkids.co.uk is available to you and contains lots of health information aimed for both children and parents. We have also just launched our fantastic new website: www.healthforteens.co.uk which is aimed specifically at teenagers.

Mrs Rock, Assistant Nurse



Readathon® 2015, Thank you!

Last term, 120 Year 7 students took part in the Readathon and raised £1,261.49 by reading books. This is the highest amount of money we have ever raised for Readathon.

Where the money goes:

The money raised is divided between three charities:

- CLIC Sargent, which provides support to children and young people with cancer;
- Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity which helps children and young people who are seriously ill;
- Readwell, a charity which provides new books and funding for storytellers in children's hospitals.

Thank you.

Miss Morris, English Team

YEAR 11 EXAM TIMETABLE WEEK BEGINNING 1 JUNE 2015

Students taking GCSE exams should go to the exam room promptly at 8.45 am for morning exams and at 1.45 pm for afternoon exams.

	<i>Exam start time A.M. (9.00)</i>	<i>Exam start time P.M. (2.00)</i>
MONDAY 1 JUNE	History B Unit 1A: Medicine	Food Technology
TUESDAY 2 JUNE	English Unit 1 Reading English Unit 2 Writing	
WEDNESDAY 3 JUNE	Computing German listening German reading	Geography: Key Geographical Themes
THURSDAY 4 JUNE	Maths Linear B Paper 1F Maths Linear B Paper 1H	
FRIDAY 5 JUNE	Business Studies: Unit 3 Music: Listening Test Gujarati: Writing Persian: Writing Portuguese: Writing Turkish: Writing	Biology Unit 1

If, for any reason, you will be late arriving for your exam, please phone the college to let the Exams Officer know that you are on your way. You must arrive at reception by 9.30 a.m. for morning exams and 2.30 p.m. for afternoon exams. If you arrive later than this, the awarding body may not accept your exam paper.

If your parent is bringing you, he or she should take possession of your mobile phone immediately and accompany you into reception to complete a short declaration.