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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

APRIL	
W/B Mon 4th April	Week One
7 th April Thursday	Year 8 Parents Evening
W/B Mon 11th April	Week Two
11 th -15 th April Monday-Friday	Year 10 Work Experience Week
15 th April Friday	College Closes (normal time) Easter Break & 2 Bank Holidays
21 st April – 24 th April Thursday to Sunday	“Search for the Light” Retreat at the Briars
MAY	
W/B Mon 2nd May	Week One
4 th May Wednesday	College Re-opens
5 th May Thursday	Year 7 Parents Evening
W/B Mon 9th May	Week Two
9 th -11 th May Monday - Wednesday	GCSE Yr10 Geography Field Trip
13 th May Friday	Year 11 Leavers’ Mass & start of study leave

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I share some of the thoughts and reflections written by members of our College family since half-term following the death of Thomas Oakes-Green, his sister Eleanor who attended St Winefride's Catholic School in Shepshed and their mother Claudia.

"... how you always came down to the bus stop half-dressed not a care in the world."

"you never ever had a bad word to say about anyone..."

"... I remember everything about you ... your curly hair ... your bag swinging ...with your dog ... when you were at Crich."

"happiness, bubbly laughter and good natured teasing is what I remember ... fun with so much laughing ... and smiles."

"I will miss you, you were always a good friend and you were always happy."

"I'll never forget your smile, how nice you were."

"... the constant smile on your face."

"you were a funny fantastic friend, miss you always."

"your smile always cheered me up! Your laugh always made me happy."

"I feel honoured to have known you ... you are one of the kindest, most loving, honourable people I have ever had the pleasure of knowing!"

"I didn't know you ... I wish I could have had the chance to know you better!"

"... a glowing heart, a light of the world, always happy, never sad, always joking around."

"... a polite, well-mannered and interesting young boy."

Thomas is sorely missed at De Lisle. He leaves many fond and happy memories which will in time bring comfort as the sense of loss is eased with the passage of time.

Mr C Davies
Head Teacher

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Journeying Through Lent to Easter Together!

We are offering you the opportunity to reflect on Bishop Malcolm's Pastoral Letter for Lent which was read at all masses in the Diocese on the first Sunday of Lent. You can also access our Ash Wednesday Liturgy "Turn Back Around" and other reflective material for Lent on the College VLE.

Year 11, 12 and 13 students are invited to an Easter Retreat at the Briars between Thursday 21st and Sunday 24th April called "Search for the Light" – details can be found at the back of the newsletter. (Every

Wednesday Lunch we are offering a soup and bread fast for £1 cash – proceeds will go to CAFOD.

*Mr T Dugan
College Chaplain*

Pastoral Letter as follows:

On Ash Wednesday, we began our annual Lenten pilgrimage. With the imposition of ashes on our foreheads, we are reminded that we are dust, and to dust we shall return, and invited to listen attentively to Our Lord's call at the beginning of His ministry in Galilee to 'Turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel.' By our prayer, fasting and almsgiving during these forty days, we search for what is truly Christian in our lives and thereby renew our faith.

We became Christians when we were baptised, and so if we are to renew our faith in God this Lent, we must reflect on the baptismal promises, when we – or our parents and godparents on our behalf – promised to reject sin and professed the faith of the Church in God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

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Each of us, as today's First Reading from the Book of Genesis reminds us, was created by God; by breathing His life into us, He made us in His own image and likeness, radiant with His glory, beautiful in His eyes. However, in the image that Genesis gives us, pride led Adam and Eve to believe that they were equal to God. By disobeying Him and eating of the tree of life, original sin came into the world, and our original beauty was tarnished, but never destroyed. As St Paul tells us in the Second Reading, from his Letter to the Romans, 'Sin entered the world through one man, and through sin death, and thus death has spread through the whole human race because everyone has sinned.' If that was the end of the story, there would be no hope for any of us, because we are all sinners, we all make mistakes. However, we believe that God so loved the

world that He sent His Son Jesus to live among us as our Saviour; in St Paul's words, 'As by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by one man's obedience many will be made righteous.'

This is the great mystery which we celebrate during Lent and Easter – the new life that Jesus won for us in His Life, Death and Resurrection; by doing penance for our sins, we thank God for the gift of that new life which we received in Baptism and which we celebrate when we come to Mass. By practising in our daily lives the faith that we profess each Sunday at Mass, we become holy in God's eyes and reveal His love for all of us by giving a good example to those whom we meet.

Most of us received the Sacrament of Baptism in the first weeks of our lives.

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However, the Lord freely calls people to the waters of Baptism who have come to believe in Him later in life. Today, in St Barnabas' Cathedral, people from throughout our Diocese who have come to faith in Jesus Christ will present themselves during the Rite of Election. This Rite is so called because they have been 'elected' or 'chosen' by God to share in the gifts which He has given us. On the Third, Fourth and Fifth Sundays of Lent, they will receive the 'Scrutinies', by which they will be strengthened in their faith by Christ, and will be presented with the Profession of Faith and the Lord's Prayer. They will go on to be baptised, confirmed and receive Holy Communion for the first time during the Easter Vigil. We will accompany them with our prayers during this Lent as we prepare to welcome them into the Catholic Church at Easter, when we celebrate

Christ's Resurrection, His triumph over the sin and death which came into the world because of Adam's pride.

However, this afternoon's celebration in the Cathedral will be truly historic, because in addition to those who will be joining us as Catholics in our Diocese, we shall also welcome into our Catholic community groups of clergymen and parishioners from three Anglican parishes, who will join the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham. They will be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church during the Holy Week and Easter ceremonies, and, God willing, the clergymen who have accompanied them on their journey into our Catholic family will be ordained to the priesthood after Easter. Our Holy Father Pope Benedict has asked us to welcome warmly our brothers and sisters from the

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Church of England who have asked to become Catholics; he sees the establishment of the Ordinariate as a prophetic gesture that can contribute to the ultimate goal of our relationships with non-Catholic Christians – full unity as one body, one spirit in Christ. I know that we will welcome all who wish to join us this Easter, whether into the Ordinariate or into our parishes, with open hearts.

Although it is a penitential season, Lent is not a time to be miserable, but to be joyful in the Lord who calls us closer to Himself by inviting us to turn away from everything that keeps us from Him and to be faithful to the Gospel. By reflecting on our baptismal promises, and by our prayer, fasting and almsgiving, I hope and pray that all of us, this Lent, will join our brothers and sisters who will be baptised at Easter in deepening our faith and living it more fully

in our daily lives. I wish you all every blessing for a happy and holy Lent and Easter.

*Malcolm McMahon OP
Bishop of Nottingham
(12th/13th March 2011)*

Parent Interview Day

Many thanks to all parents/carers who gave up their time to attend our first ever Parent Interview Day, with particular thanks to those of you who took time off work to be able to join us during the day. Both parents and staff have commented that the whole experience was far more relaxed than our usual Parents Evenings and they really appreciated the extra time to be able to discuss the progress of students in greater depth. We certainly feel that we now have even more valuable information to ensure that each student has the best possible learning experience we can provide.

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If any parents/carers have any feedback on the day they would like to share with us, please feel free to contact me at the college or by email at: elizabeth.sumpter@delisle.leics.sch.uk

Mrs E Sumpter
Assistant Headteacher

Yr 9 Options Form Deadline

Year 9 students can hand in their Option Forms between **Monday 4th and Friday 8th April**. All forms **MUST** be in by Friday 8th April. Undersubscribed subjects are unlikely to run so please ensure that you put down a second choice for each subject you choose, as a backup. We won't automatically give you your second choice without discussing it with you first and giving you the opportunity to talk to your parents about other options. We will always endeavour to give students their first choice whenever possible but there are likely to be some

students who may not get all of their first choices. Please note, not all subject combinations will be possible – students can only choose from the columns provided in the options booklet.

Personal Adviser Interviews (Year 9 to 13)

If you would like to speak to Shobie Culverwell (Connexions PA) to discuss your career ideas/course choices or if you have any other issues that may be affecting you at school, then please fill in one of the orange Referral sheets in the Careers/Connexions Room. **Please note, if you are given a slip with the date and time of your interview on and you have decided you no longer need one; please let me know so that your time can be used by another student.**

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Apprenticeship Vacancies

Are you interested in doing an apprenticeship after Year 11/12/13? If so, have you registered on the National Apprenticeship Vacancy Matching Service (NAVMS) – www.apprenticeships.org.uk You can also check for apprenticeship vacancies by looking in the Jobs Section on the Connexions website www.connexions-leics.org See Mrs Hitch if you need any help with this.

Yr 12/13 Thinking Of Not Going To University?

Have a look at: www.notgoingtouni.co.uk It is full of useful information for students considering the pros and cons of not going to university. It also includes vacancies for apprenticeships, management

trainee programmes and other alternative paths to a degree. You should also visit the websites mentioned under the heading 'Apprenticeship Vacancies' above.

Your Future As A Design Engineer Could Start Here

(sponsored degree studies or specialist in-house training)!

APPLIES TO YEAR 13 FOR POSITIONS STARTING IN SEPTEMBER 2011

APPLIES TO YEAR 12 FOR POSITIONS STARTING IN 2012

If you are:

- taking 3 A Levels (these MUST include Maths and Physics)
- expect to achieve A to C grades
- are considering NOT going to University (possibly for financial reasons)

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Then this could be the opportunity you have been looking for!

Triumph Motorcycles in Hinckley have 5 vacancies for **Junior Design Engineers**. During the first 12 months of the paid appointment, the Junior Design Engineer will receive extensive training including computer aided design (CAD), engineering drawing practices and also a comprehensive appreciation of the many manufacturing and commercial department roles within Triumph. They will also receive one to one mentoring from their experienced Design Engineers, as they will be fully integrated into their existing design teams.

After the first 12 months the Junior Design Engineer has the option of undertaking a part time or full time Mechanical or Automotive Engineering degree financially supported by

Triumph to allow progression to a fully qualified Design Engineer role.

Alternatively they may be able to choose to carry on in-house with further specialised CAD training to become a fully-fledged CAD Designer. This will depend on their academic abilities and ambitions.

There is also an opportunity for a member of their Design team to hold a presentation at De Lisle. The presentation would involve an introduction to Triumph to potential applicants, as well as an overview of what a career in engineering means. The public perception of engineering as a career does not always reflect the reality of the exciting and diverse roles that are available. With this in mind, they would be keen not just to limit this to people who are already interested in

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engineering, but would like to encourage **all Maths & Physics A-Level students** to attend.

Triumph's primary objective is to find applicants for an intake in September 2011 from the current Year 13. However, the presentation will also be valuable and relevant to Year 12 students, who are making higher education and career choices now. Triumph will also be looking to open applications to Year 12 students in readiness for the 2012 intake.

Applications open for Year 13 on 21st March. You will need to fill in an online application form (and you may be able to upload a CV).

So, if you like the sound of gaining a degree without any of the debt (and being paid whilst you are working) then don't put it off – apply today!
Go to:

www.triumph.co.uk/careers
to find out more.

IMPORTANT: Please let me know urgently if you are interested in attending a talk so that I can arrange this as soon as possible.

Feedback

If any of our students attend an event/course/workshop that I have advertised I would be grateful if they would give me some feedback about their experience (positive or negative).

Mrs Julie Hitch
Careers Coordinator
Email: julie.brown@delisle.leics.sch.uk
Tel: 01509 268739 Ext 245

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Changes at Home

All families go through difficult times in one way or another from time to time. This can have an unforeseen effect on children, which may manifest itself at college in a change of behaviour, mood or attitude to work. Although it may be difficult, it is important that you let the college know the reason why your child may be in distress.

New Contact Numbers

It is also imperative that you inform the college of any new contact numbers or addresses. In the event of your child suffering an accident or not feeling well we may need to contact you urgently.

May I also remind you that if your child is ill or not attending college we also need to be informed.

Miss M Camilleri

Pastoral Support Assistant

Facebook

As many of our students use Facebook, I would like to bring a recent incident to your attention. The college was informed by the police that a man has been contacting some De Lisle girls on their Facebook accounts and offering them bribes for meetings/sex/drugs alcohol/cigarettes. I'm sure you will agree that this is potentially extremely dangerous and I would urge you to monitor this by speaking to your son/daughter regarding this matter.

All students have been reminded about the potential dangers resulting from the inappropriate use of Facebook and if you can reinforce this at home, then we can continue to work together to ensure that our young people are protected.

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Thank you for your support with this.

Mrs K Chambers
Year Progress Leader - Yr 8

Enrichment Week

July 11th – 14th 2011

Plans are being finalised for Enrichment Week in July. Traditionally we have held an activity week. We will be running a similar type of week this year but it has been structured slightly differently. The first three days will be centred on 'Learn a skill', 'Places of interest', 'Get Creative' or 'Get Active'. Within these areas there will be a choice of activity the students can do, some are free of charge, some carry a minimal cost and others we will have to charge for. Some are off site but we have a lot on site as well. On the Thursday we will have a 'Go Wild' day; theme parks, waterparks, paintball etc, which will be on offer that day. The emphasis for the

week is still learning but in different settings, and giving the students the opportunity to take part in activities they may not otherwise get the chance to do. Friday morning the college will be open as normal, it will close at 12:35 and the buses will be called early.

As this week is still a compulsory week we do expect all students to take part in the options given. Costs have been structured to hopefully accommodate everyone. However, if there is something your child would like to take part in but financially it isn't possible, please do contact the college as we may be able to offer some assistance.

The booklet will be sent home with the students by the end of March and as always the places will be filled on a first come first served basis. Payments and choices are to be put into an envelope with the child's name and form clearly

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marked on the front and brought in to the FRONT OFFICE.

Holiday absences during this week will continue to be unauthorised.

Mrs Jane Tyler
EVC

Parentmail

I would like to urge all parents if they **are not** already signed up for Parentmail, please fill out the form at the back of the newsletter. Parents **who are** on Parentmail, but have changed their email address and have not informed us, please fill in the form quoting change of email address and send it to Reprographics with your son/daughter. Parentmail is a great way of receiving information instantly, so please sign up today.

Mrs L Hardy
Learning Resources
Manager

G C S E

Business Studies Revision Guides

Revision Guides are now available from Mrs Roberts at £2.75. These retail at £4.99 in the shops. They are suitable for Year 10 who sit an external exam in May, and also for the Year 11 Final Exam.

Mrs E Roberts

Skiing Italy February Half Term



Once again I am pleased to be able to report that both staff and students had a most enjoyable and memorable experience.

Apart from the very early start, the journey there was luxurious; a mere 12 hours of travelling, compared to our usual 26 hours on a coach!

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Arriving at the resort we were greeted with the most perfect views – mountain slopes covered in lots of white stuff! The hotel was superb with all of us accommodated in mini-apartments.

The first day's skiing was absolutely idyllic: bright blue skies, sunshine and a soft covering of fresh snow which had fallen overnight. Heaven! All through the week, we were lucky enough to have good weather (as ordered, of course), although one day was bitterly cold at -12! It was a real pleasure to witness the excitement of all students in the stories they told at the end of each day, and also to see the progress they all made in their confidence and skiing ability. The instructors themselves spoke very highly of our students' attitude, determination and skill, and many of them were rewarded with medals after the slalom race on the last day.

As always, I am really grateful for the support of the staff who accompany me, for giving up their precious holiday time, but I know they agree with me, that we wouldn't do it if it wasn't for the fact that our students are so great!

Mrs E Sumpter

Trip Leader

UNIFORM

Just a few reminders about uniform:

GENERAL

- The length of girls' skirts should be no shorter than mid-thigh.
- 'Skinny' type boys' trousers are not appropriate.

SIXTH FORM

- Girls' leggings should be worn with a top which is mid-thigh.
- Track suit bottoms are not appropriate for general college wear.

Mrs E Sumpter

Assistant Headteacher

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Namibia

Camping out in freezing temperatures is just one of the challenges facing De Lisle students taking part in the second visit to Grootberg Primary School in Namibia this summer.

Grootberg Primary lies in the north of Namibia and provides education for 300 students between the ages of 6 and 13. The majority of students are boarders either due to the distance they have to travel to the school; sometimes over 60 kilometres, or because they are orphans. The school is located about 1½ hours from the nearest tarmac road in a small settlement of subsistence farmers.

De Lisle's involvement with Grootberg Primary School started two years ago through an organisation called Schools World Wide. On this visit De Lisle students worked on the

school's play facilities and decorated the residential dormitories. Everybody returned with an amazing sense of achievement and a much better understanding of the challenges facing the young people trying to access education in developing countries. The amazing welcome the group received helped build a relationship that will see eighteen De Lisle students return to Grootberg this summer.

Planned projects for this trip include the construction of an outside playground and a vegetable garden as well as buying mattresses, sports equipment and bibles. At the moment the group are busy raising money to fund these projects. Fund raising activities have included a pamper evening, the Christmas fayre, cake sales, an own clothes day and activities in our parishes. Several of our primary schools have adopted our

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Namibia school as their charity for Lent and the students involved in the visit are in the process of delivering Acts of Worship in the these schools. Planned fund raising events include a Bush Tucker Trial, a car boot sale and a super market bag pack. Individual students have been successful in applying for grants from various organisations.

The team is still looking for ways of securing additional funding. If you have any bright ideas, or if you wish to make a donation, please let us know.

If you would like to see images of the amazing work done by our students in Namibia check out the college website.

Mrs M Greenoff
Trip Organiser

East Midlands Center Parcs Badminton Championships 28 February 2011

Leicestershire were well represented at Nottingham University along with schools from Lincolnshire, Derbyshire, Nottinghamshire and Northamptonshire. The spacious hall was full of youngsters eager to show off their skills and a good number of teachers and coaches looking on nervously.

In the Key Stage 4 Girls category the De Lisle team comprised of Amelia Coltman, Sophie Connors, Abie Frobisher, Virginia Morandi and Megan Sell. The first match was against William Farr from Lincolnshire and they were swiftly despatched with a 5-0 victory which was completed with the minimum of fuss. The second match was against Nottingham High

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school who proved to be much stiffer opposition. The match was still won comfortably enough 4-1 with a single loss 15-21.

The third match was against highly fancied Trent from Derbyshire. In their ranks they had the best singles player on view, and she duly won her singles match 21-10 with athleticism, strength and accuracy beyond her opponent. However, this proved to be a false dawn for the Trent side as the De Lisle side rallied and went on to win all the other games very easily to record a second 4-1 win.

And so to the last match against a previously unbeaten Northampton High School – this was to be the decider for the Gold medals. With the glory of a day at Center Parcs beckoning for the Regional winners the De Lisle girls really upped their game. There was to be no messing about in this match and you could see renewed

determination in the girls' eyes. The end result was that the strong Northampton side were duly humbled by a resounding 5-0 victory.

Congratulations to the Key Stage 4 girl winners – De Lisle who now go through to the National Finals on April 3rd 2011.

Player of the day – Sophie Connors for winning all 8 of her matches.

Key Stage 3 girls – Humphrey Perkins came 3rd.

Key Stage 3 boys – Kibworth High school came 2nd.

Key Stage 4 boys – Guthlaxton came 2nd.

Well done to all the Leicestershire teams!



Mr J Sleath

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De Lisle 'Stags' Cross Country

The season finally ended with the County Relays event at Longfield in early March. Well done to all the teams:- Year 7 Girls, and Year 9 Boys coming 2nd, the Year 7 Boys & Year 8 Boys teams in 3rd, and the Year 9 Girls in 5th. Congratulations to Ollie Spencer for his 20th place in this year's National Championships, and good wishes for him, Joe Wales and Joe Tambini who are to represent Leicestershire in the English Schools Champ's later this month.

Many thanks to all the students and parents for their support over the year. Hopefully some of you will get involved in this summer's athletics.

Mr I Sawyer

Hockey



Under 15 Girls

Wed 26 Jan – Played away at Whitwick against Dixie Grammar. It was a really well contested game with either side able to pass the ball around and get into good attacking positions. Unfortunately we were unable to convert our attack into a goal. They managed one good shot on goal, so we lost eventually 1-0.

Thurs 17th Feb – County Tournament at St Margaret's Pastures. Again our girls closed down well and passed the ball impressively. Yet again however we were unable to convert good possession into goals.

V L'boro High School lost 3-0

V Leicester Grammar lost 2-0

V Dixie Grammar drew 0-0

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Under 14 Girls

Thurs 3rd March – v Ivanhoe away. This team was made up of Year 8 and 9. They were slow to start, but then showed more awareness in their positioning and passing, with some excellent periods of play. Ivanhoe managed a couple of early goals before our girls settled. It finished 4-4, but if we had been able to take more of our shooting opportunities it could have been an easy victory.

Sportshall Athletics

Wed 9th March at Burleigh. We had 4 teams, Year 7 boys and girls, and Year 8 boys and girls, and they all worked hard with some excellent results.

Final positions:

Year 7 boys – 4th

Year 7 girls – 5th

Year 8 girls – 2nd

Year 8 boys – 5th

Sports Leaders

The Year 10 sports leaders successfully ran 2 Primary School Competitions earlier this year. The first was on Thursday 10th February. This was a Bisi Badminton Festival for years 3 & 4. Sacred Heart, St Mary's and St Winefride's came with 4 boys and 4 girls each. The leaders were fantastic in their encouragement and leadership within the various activities. The festival was won by the pupils from St Mary's.

The second event was a Talent Identification Evening for Year 6. Again this was for pupils from Sacred Heart, St Mary's and St Winefride's. They had to perform core skills to show balance, accuracy, speed and endurance. Each school had pupils in the top 10 to go forward to a Charnwood Final Assessment at Burleigh on March 31st. Again everything went smoothly, which was down to the

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efficiency of those who ran activities.

Thank you to all those Sports Leaders who gave up time after school to help run these events.

*Mrs J Summers
Sports Co-ordinator*

Online Reporting Acceptable Use Policy

Many parents have now received a letter inviting them to sign up to SIMS Learning Gateway (SLG) Online Reporting and the majority have now been given an account. For those that have not yet signed up or are not familiar with SLG, the following paragraphs will explain what it is and how to sign up.

The college's pupil information management system collects and stores details about your child which staff in college use to monitor aspects of, for

example, attendance, progress and behaviour. From September 2010 we have been able to give you an online view of some of this information taken directly from our management information system (MIS). This would involve you using a computer connected to the internet to log into a view of your child's attendance, progress and behaviour record. If you have more than one child at college you will be able to see their records using the same login and likewise you may be able to see your children's details if they are at another Leicestershire secondary school.

The On-Line Reporting system will not replace Parents' Evenings but will replace our paper based monitoring and college reports. These will still be available on request. The College is hoping to begin this process of becoming

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paperless in the next academic year, starting with the current Year 7. The online system will give you instant access to some of the data we hold. The attendance data will be updated on a daily basis, whilst the assessment data will be updated termly and the behaviour data will be updated when necessary.

If you would like an account to be created then

1. Please read the Acceptable Use Policy at the back of the newsletter
2. Sign the agreement form completing the details as requested also at the back of the newsletter.

Each parent is entitled to a separate account. If you wish to have a separate account then each parent needs to sign the form, otherwise only one account will be created. Once we receive the form back from you we will contact you by email with your username and issue

your password via the post. To access the system, go to the school website, click on the information tab and scroll down to SIMS Learning Gateway. There will be a link for additional instructions if you need further help.

For current SLG users: by the end of March, the format for reports and monitoring will be available in a PDF file which is more readable and user friendly.

If there are any problems, please do not hesitate to contact me.

*Miss K Radley
SLG Co-ordinator*

For Better

or For Worse

In a busy hospital emergency room, an elderly gentleman was waiting to have stitches removed from his hand. He said, 'I'm in a hurry, nurse. I have an appointment in an

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hour.' As the line of patients ahead of him moved slowly, he kept looking anxiously at his watch. Knowing he'd never make his appointment, the nurse led him to an examination room, checked his vital signs and evaluated the condition of his wound. Seeing it was well healed, she consulted with one of the doctors and got clearance to remove his sutures and re-dress his wound. She asked, 'Are you hurrying to another doctor's appointment?' He said, 'No, I'm on my way to have breakfast with my wife at the nursing home.' She asked about his wife's health and learned she was a victim of Alzheimer's disease. 'Will she be upset if you're late?' The old man told her she hadn't recognised him in five years. Surprised, the nurse asked, 'And you still go to see her every morning, although she doesn't know who you are?' The old man smiled, patted her hand and replied, 'Oh, yes. She doesn't know

who I am, but I still know who she is!' Sometimes you may forget about Jesus, but He never forgets you. Sometimes you may not even recognise that He is there, but He never leaves you. Sometimes you may think He doesn't care, but He never stops loving you with an inconceivable, unconditional love. Don't miss out on knowing Jesus that way.

Taken from "Word 4 U2 day"
available free at
www.ucb.co.uk

Mr A Bostock

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Netball Fixtures and Results

AGAINST	HOME/AWAY	DATE	AGE GROUP	Result
Humphrey Perkins	Away	Tues 14 th Sept	U12, U13, 14	U12 Lost 8 - 4 U13 Won 10 - 1 U14 Won 10 - 0
Hind Leys	Away	Weds 22 nd Sept	U16	Rearranged
Shepshed	Away	Tues 28 th Sept	U12, U13, U14	Won
LHS	Away	29 th Sept	U14 A + B, U16, U18 A + B	Lost
LHS	Away	Mon 4 th Oct	U12 A + B, U13, U15	U12 Lost
Ashby & Burleigh	Home	Weds 6 th Oct	ALL	U19 won against Ashby 22 - 5 U16 drew against Ashby 3 - 3 U16 lost against Burleigh 12 - 6 U15 won against Ashby 26 - 4
Leics School girls League	Away @ LHS	Tues 12 th Oct	U12 Mini Tournament	De Lisle 8 - 2 Convent De Lisle 2 - 2 LHS B Lost against LHS A
Woodbrooke Vale	Home	Thurs 7 th Oct	U12, U13, U14	U12 won 16 - 3 U13 won 17 - 3 U14 won 16 - 3
Melton	Away @ Burleigh	Weds 13 th Oct	U19	Cancelled needs to be rearranged
County Tournament	Away @ Leics Grammar	Weds 13 th Oct	U16	Won against Ashby 10 - 4 Guthlaxton 7 - 2 Lost in quarter finals against Loughborough High School
Rawlins	Away	Weds 27 th Oct	U16 & U19	Win

County Tournament	Away @ Leics Grammar	10 th Nov	U19	Won against Beauchamp 11 - 7 Ratcliffe 7 - 4 Did not get through to quarter finals
County Tournament	Away @ Leics Grammar	24 th Nov	U14	Won against Uppingham 10 - 3 Humphreys 6 - 4 Mount Grace 7 - 2 Bushloe 4 - 3 Won against Kibworth in quarter finals 13 - 11 Lost in semi finals against Loughborough High School
Coalville	Away	Thurs 13 th Jan	U15 & U19	Rearranged
County Tournament	Away @ Leics Grammar	9 th Feb	U15	Won against Ashby 11 - 1
LHS	Away	Tues 1 st March	ALL	Lost all Year 9 won
Humphrey Perkins	Home	Tues 1 st March	U12, U13, U14	Rearranged
Harry Carlton & Welbeck	Away @ Welbeck	Weds 2 nd March	ALL	Harry Carlton won Welbeck lost
County Tournament	Away @ Leics Grammar	Sat 5 th March	U13	
Convent	Home	Mon 7 th March	ALL	
Shepshed	Home	Tues 15 th March	U12, U13, U14	
Woodbrooke Vale	Away	Tues 29 th March	U12, U13, U14	

23rd March

Netball County Presentation for Winners and Runners up 7-9pm

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Sims Learning Gateway (SLG) Online Reporting to parents is provided for use of employees and parents/carers of Leicestershire school pupils and the pupils themselves. Access by any other party is strictly prohibited. Schools hold information on all pupils following the principles of the Data Protection Act 1998. The Act states that data held can only be used for specific purposes and therefore all data will be recorded, processed, transferred and made available according to strict guidelines.

Whilst every effort is made to ensure that the systems are working correctly, Leicestershire LA will not be responsible for any damages or loss incurred as a result of system faults, malfunctions or routine maintenance. These damages include loss of data as a result of delay, non-deliveries, miss-deliveries or service interruptions caused by the system or elements of the system, or user errors or omissions. Use of any information obtained via the SLG system is deemed to be at the user's risk. By using SLG you signify that you are an employee, parent/carer or pupil within Leicestershire and that you have been authorised to use the system by the Leicestershire Local Authority.

You agree:-

- To only access sites authorised for you to do so.
Never attempt to access files or programs which you have not been granted access to. Attempting to bypass security barriers is a breach of the Computer Misuse Act (1990) and such attempts will be considered as hack attacks and as such, liable to prosecution.
- Not to reveal your password to anyone.
When choosing a password, choose a word or phrase that you can easily remember, but not something which can be used to identify you, such as your name or address. If you believe that someone else may have discovered your password, then change it immediately and inform the Data Manager at your child's school.
- To report any security concerns immediately to the Data Manager at your child's school.
- If you are identified as a security risk to the school's ICT facilities you will be denied future access to the system.
- To observe security guidelines at all times
Follow the requirements of the Data Protection Act 1998 and Computer Misuse Act (1990)

You agree not to:-

- Attempt to access the service using another person's login details.
- Introduce or attempt to introduce any form of malicious software into the network.
- Change or attempt to change or remove software.
- Carry out unauthorised configuration changes.
- Deliberately delete files.

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If you share an email address both parents need to sign it for 2 accounts.

Name of Parent (s)	1. 2.
Name of child(ren)	
Registration Group(s)	
<i>For security purposes</i>	
Home Address	
Emergency contact telephone number.	1. 2.
E-mail address.	1. 2.
I/We agree to using the On-Line reporting system in accordance with the College's Acceptable Use Policy and with the Data Protection Act (1998) & Computer Misuse Act (1990) and will not reveal my login details to other persons.	
Signed	
Print name	
Date	

Please return to Miss K Radley
De Lisle Catholic Science College
Thorpe Hill
Loughborough
LE11 4SQ

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LATINO CHARITY EVENING



Loughborough Group
For People
With Disabilities
Reg Charity no: 518375
www.lbtgroup.org

Saturday 16th of April :: De Lisle School Hall :: Doors open 7.30pm :: Admission £10

You've seen it on Strictly
Now come and try it
Yourself!

Beginners Salsa Class 8pm

Salsa Demonstration from 9pm

Hot Food

Cuban Cocktails

Themed Fundraising Fun and Games

Dancing and Licensed Bar until 11.30pm

Your support will help raise money for the Loughborough
Disabilities Group to go to Lourdes this summer



Beverages are not included in the price of admission.

We politely request that tickets are not purchased for anyone under the age of 16.

Please consult the dance teachers prior to class if you are pregnant or suffer from any of the
Following: Recent injuries, back problems, long term illness, problems effecting the inner ear.

For Further Information and Tickets

email: bec_offler@msn.com - Subject 'Salsa' or call 07595 847917 or 07940 342541

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Search for the Light Retreat 2011



Thursday 21st April- Sunday 24th April 2011

Cost: £80 Year 11 and above.
PRICE HELD FROM LAST YEAR !!

Arrival- 4.30pm on Thursday, Depart- 2pm Sunday
Search for the Light Retreat is an amazing opportunity to
explore the meaning of Easter in a brand new way.
It's a great chance to meet new people and to celebrate together.

FOR MORE INFO, AND TO BOOK, VISIT:
www.ndcys.com or Tel: 01773 852044



**Leicestershire
County Council**

Incredible Years Course For parents of Children aged 4/13 years

Who is it for?

This **FREE** course will run for 10-12 weeks during term time and each session will be approximately 2 1/2 hours.

It is for mums, dads, grandparents or carers of children aged between 4 and 13 years and who would like to learn how to manage their child's behaviour. This will help to create a happier home and support your child's education allowing them to get the most from school.

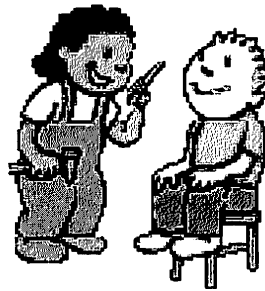
What do the sessions involve?

All of the sessions are run by trained course leaders in a range of community venues and usually have between 10 and 14 parents or carers – all experiencing similar issues to you.

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The sessions are a way to:

- **Help you as a parent/carer**
- **Talk about what it means to be a parent**
- **Discuss ways to improve your relationship with your child**



We also aim to support you and help you feel more confident in dealing with your child's behaviour, through group discussion and looking at video clips of real life parent-child interactions, we consider strategies to deal with common behaviour problems in children such as swearing, fighting and refusing to do what they are told.

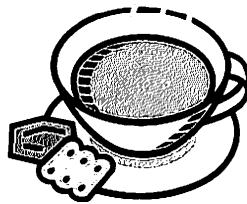
Not everyone likes the idea of attending a course and having to talk in front of other people or about other people knowing their problems. We would like to reassure you that this course is very informal and we try to make sure that you never feel pressured to talk when you don't want to. Don't forget we are not here to lecture you but to encourage you to participate!

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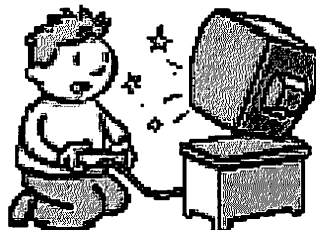
What happens now?

We would then like to meet you before the course starts to find out a bit about you and your child, and to give you the opportunity to meet us in person and ask any questions or concerns you may have.

This meeting can take place in your home at a time that is convenient for you and will be very informal.



The course is free of charge and refreshments are provided every week and don't forget if you need Help with childcare or transport please speak a course leader who will be happy to arrange this for you all free of charge!



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For more information please contact:

Course Leaders

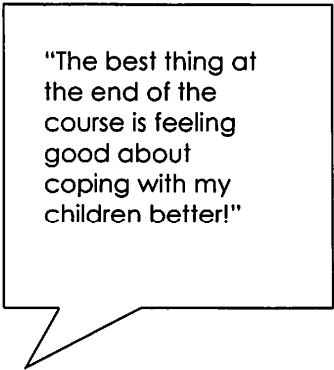
Nicola Edwards 0794 3614385
Lynsey Hall 0794 3614240

Referral Co-ordinator

Gareth Moore 0794 3613915



"My child is a lot calmer and so am I!"

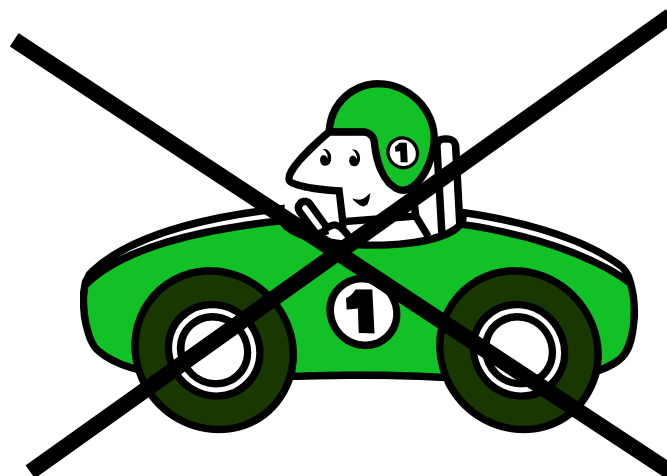


"The best thing at the end of the course is feeling good about coping with my children better!"





Students should only be dropped off and picked up from the top lay-by at the end of the college driveway



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PARENTMAIL

ParentMail™ is a simple and modern way to keep parents informed. The service provides schools with a way of communicating with parents instantly allowing both to benefit from fast and reliable communications.

This service is free and is registered with the Data Protection Registrar. It guarantees to keep all information strictly private. There is a confidential service with no advertising associated with the scheme.

Please complete the form below and return to the Reprographics Department.

Name(s) of Parent/Carer _____

Child's name _____ Registration group _____

Child's name _____ Registration group _____

Child's name _____ Registration group _____

Please tick

Please register me with De Lisle's email service

I am unable to take part in the scheme and would like letters sent home with my son/daughter.

Email address(s) _____

Email address(s) (please print) _____

Signed _____ Date _____



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PLANNED GIVING

STANDING ORDER MANDATE

PLEASE COMPLETE

BANK NAME	
BRANCH ADDRESS	
SORT CODE	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NAME	

PLEASE MAKE PAYMENTS FOR THE CREDIT OF THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT

NAME	DE LISLE CATHOLIC SCIENCE COLLEGE
BANK	BARCLAYS
BRANCH	2 BISHOP MEADOW ROAD LOUGHBOROUGH
SORT CODE	20-52-69
ACCOUNT NUMBER	90654469

PLEASE PAY THE SUM OF	PER MONTH
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COMMENCING (DATE)	
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UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

SIGNED

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NAME		
CHILD'S NAME		FORM



PARENTS IF THE BUS FAILS TO TURN UP!!



Please discuss with your children what their plan will be if the bus fails to turn up or if they fail to catch the bus for any reason

If it is late they should wait for 20 minutes after the bus was due to arrive at the pick-up point. If the bus fails to turn up after this time, options include travelling to school using public transport, travelling to school with a responsible adult e.g. parent or friend's parent or ringing the Passenger Transport Helpline on (0116 3058777) who will investigate and may arrange alternative transport. Please inform the school of the reasons for late arrival.

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