# Family Update

24th March 2023



#### **Updates**

Hello families, we hope you've had a lovely week. We have had fun learning about each other's career aspirations during Careers Day. Children dressed up in outfits associated with their chosen career and had lessons focused on different fields of work. In Sleepover, children learned about First Aid (see photos below) and in school we had visitors from the Army Cadets and our Community Police Officer PCSO Tom, and worked at Beaudesert Farm, Dobbies garden centre, Sainsburys, Lichfield Foodbank and the Craft Barn. Students channelled their inner Bake Off stars to make cakes to sell in their Bake Sale, ran Pop-up shops and the coffee morning for our ex-pupils then cooked hot meals to sell in our café. Phew! A busy one!

TI students visited Catherine Care in Great Wyrley which is an inclusive provision for students after leaving school. They had a great time reuniting with some of our past pupils in their café, ball pool, spa rooms, music room and theatre. Click here to learn more: Welcome - Catherine Care

Thank you to all families who made contributions on Friday, we raised £560 for Comic Relief.

Our SOS Save Our Sleepover campaign continues to gather momentum as we have now featured on ITV, BBC Radio WM and had another feature in Lichfield Live. We also star on the news page of the new Shaw Education Trust website. Please ask your friends and family to sign our petition to support this invaluable provision for our vulnerable children and struggling families. Many thanks.

From your Leadership Team

#### Parents Recommend

If you have any recommendations for activities, places or groups that you think other parents and /or pupils would enjoy, please email it to:

emily.thompson@saxon.set.org

We will aim to include these in future newsletters to help share all your expert knowledge.

#### **Kev Dates**

**Tuesday 28th March** - Explorers Easter Egg-Stravaganza

Wednesday 29th March - SET Review Day

Thursday 30th March 12:30pm- Governors meeting

<u>Date</u> Change ...Friday 31st March - Investigators Easter Assembly

Friday 31st March - break up for Easter holidays

Monday 3rd — Tues 18th April Easter Holiday

Monday 17th April - Inset Day

Tuesday 18th April—Pupils return to school

**Monday 24th - Friday 28th April - Investigators** Learning Conference

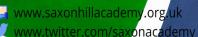
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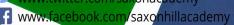
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## What we have been up to this week ...







### Sleepover Club Highlights























Our busy young people have been learning some basic First Aid this week.

They did very well with the bandaging!





#### Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Foodbank donations.

As you are aware, the cost-of-living crisis has meant increasing costs of fuel, bills and food. Lichfield Foodbank has seen a rise in the number of families needing extra support over the last few months. Our Sixth Form pupils work closely with the Food Bank and take part in activities to help sort and store donated food in the warehouse and would like your help to collect donations this term. We do appreciate that times are difficult, but if you can please have a sort through your cupboards to see if you have a spare tin of something, or would be willing to add an extra item or two to your weekly shop, we would be very grateful.

The pupils in Hub 3 have put together a letter to ask for your support, asking for tins, jars and packets of food that is needed to put together a food parcel.

#### A TYPICAL FOOD PARCEL INCLUDES:

Breakfast cereals Soup

Pasta Rice

Pasta sauce Tinned beans

Tinned meat Tinned vegetables

Tinned fruit Tea or coffee

Sugar Biscuits

Snacks

If you would like to donate, please bring it in to school by Tuesday 28 March.

Thank in advance.

Hub 3 pupils and the staff team.











# YOU ARE INVITED TO LIBERTY'S BITH BIRTHDAY BASH

## FRIDAY 31ST MARCH 2023

LICHFIELD SOCIAL CLUB, NETHERSTOWE, LICHFIELD WS13 6TS 7:00PM - 9:30PM £10 FAMILY TICKET

**MEMBERS TO BOOK VIA VCITA** 

WITH A HEADLINE PERFORMANCE FROM TOP ARTIST





Singing songs from artists such as...



ARCTIC

ABBA

and many more!

FOR FAMILY BOOKINGS, PLEASE BOOK VIA EVENTBRITE WWW.EVENTBRITE.CO.UK/E/LIBERTY-8TH-BIRTHDAY-PARTY-TICKETS-569814228697

# EVERYONE IS INVITED PARENTS / CARERS WELCOME!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE SPEAK TO MAGGI HUCKFIELD





