

As we come to the end of the Spring Term, I want to take a moment to celebrate what has been a fantastic few months across the secondary phase. Our pupils have had a term filled with engaging learning, enriching experiences, and exciting opportunities both inside and outside the classroom.



This final week has been no exception. At Barwell Lane, pupils have taken part in job interviews for roles across the site—experiencing the full process from reading job adverts and completing applications to stepping into interviews. Their communication skills have been incredible, and it has been brilliant to see their confidence shine through. Alongside this, pupils have taken part in a wide range of Easter-themed activities, from egg hunts and crafts to drama lessons and lots of cooking—there’s been something for everyone to enjoy and the site has been full of fun and creativity.

A huge highlight this week was seeing our Key Stage 3 football team compete in a local tournament. Not only did the team win all seven of their matches, but they also managed to go the entire event without conceding a single goal—an amazing achievement! Huge congratulations to all players involved. If you’d like to see the full results table, please do check our Facebook page.



At Middlefield Lane, we are incredibly proud to share that pupils have received their certificates for Basic Life Support—a full first aid qualification. Congratulations to Lillibeth, Taylor, Thomas and Harley for this brilliant achievement. The Duke of Edinburgh group have also completed their awareness training this week, demonstrating great focus and commitment throughout. And bringing a fashionable end to the term, our Sixth Form pupils took to the catwalk in the first ever Dorothy Goodman Fashion Show. It’s been wonderful to see their creativity, design thinking, and confidence take centre stage.

It’s been full speed right up until the very end, and our pupils have shown such resilience, positivity and enthusiasm throughout. I want to say a heartfelt thank you to all staff, families and pupils for making this term such a success.

Wishing you all a restful and joyful Easter break. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for the start of the Summer Term.

Jonathan



What a busy term – it has been lovely to see the passion that the students and staff have shown in preparing the LOROS elephant at the 6th Form for Stomp around Leicester – if you can please donate and support the school in achieving their goal of raising £1000. At the secondary site the pupils have been enjoying the new computing room that has been set up and it has been lovely to see them engaging in phonics and cooking.

Have a lovely Easter break – we return to school on Monday 28th April.

Kelly



6th Form LOROS fundraising

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/dorothygoodmanschool6thformcentre>

Dates for your Diary	14th - 25th April	15th - 17th April	28th April	5th May	8-9th May	26-30th May
	Easter Break	Holiday Club	Summer Term	Bank Holiday	DofE Bronze	Half Term
			School Reopens	School Closed	Expedition	School Closed

NEW

WEEK 1

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>MAIN Cheese & Tomato Pizza, with Herby Diced Potatoes & Baked Beans</p> <p>VEGETARIAN Tomato & Basil Pasta with Garlic Bread (V)</p> <p>DESSERT Marble Sponge Cake</p>	<p>MAIN - Brunch Lunch Sausage, Bacon, ½ Tomato, Omelette, Baked Beans & Hash Brown</p> <p>VEGETARIAN - Brunch Lunch Sausage, ½ Tomato, Omelette, Baked Beans & 2 Hash Browns</p> <p>DESSERT Pineapple Upside Down Cake</p>	<p>MAIN Chicken & Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots</p> <p>VEGETARIAN Quorn Fillet, Roast Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots (V)</p> <p>DESSERT Pancakes with Fruit</p>	<p>MAIN Chicken Korma with Rice & Naan Bread</p> <p>VEGETARIAN Vegan Tortilla Layer Pie with Vegetable Rice (V)</p> <p>DESSERT Treacle Tart</p>	<p>MAIN American Hot Dogs, Potato Wedges & Baked Beans</p> <p>VEGETARIAN American Quorn Hot Dogs with Potato Wedges & Baked Beans (V)</p> <p>DESSERT Cornflake Cake</p>

[Click here for Lunch Menu](#)

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SECONDARY SCHOOL LUNCHES

We have a no-debt procedure for our school meal service. If your child is not entitled to free school meals, they MUST be in credit if they wish to have a school dinner, you can pay via Arbor. Please keep us updated with any dietary requirements for your child. Information regarding eligibility for Free School Meals is available from your local authority.

w/c 28th April 2025
Week 1 menu (£2.55 per day)

Saturday 14th June 2025
11am - 2pm
Barwell Lane, LE10 1SS

CAN YOU HELP WITH OUR TOMBOLA?

DO YOU HAVE ANY NEW UNWANTED GIFTS YOU CAN DONATE TO OUR SUMMER FAYRE TOMBOLA?

- *SWEETS AND CHOCOLATES
- *TOILETRIES
- *TOYS
- *BOOKS
- *GAMES
- *GIFT SETS

We CANNOT accept alcohol for the tombola but would be grateful of any donations of wine for our 'Water or Wine' stall.

*NUT FREE ITEMS ONLY

Step 1

Visit myschoolfund.org to sign up for free and link to your child's school

Step 2

Register your credit/debit card to your account

Step 3

Spend at participating retailers

Step 4

Start receiving your eGift Cards!

MY SCHOOL FUND

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Sainsbury's

We regularly update your child's progress at school using the [Earwig](#) website.

Forever Savvy

Exploring Meaningful and Purposeful Community Life Choices

If you haven't already visited us. I'm excited to extend an invitation for you to tour Forever Savvy, where you can see first hand how our programs empower adults with learning disabilities through vocational training and enriching community projects. During your visit, you'll have the opportunity to explore our facilities, meet our team & experience our mission in action.

If you would like to schedule a visit please call 07710 092412 or email contactus@foreversavvy.co.uk

Thank you for considering this invitation. I look forward to the possibility of welcoming you to Forever Savvy and sharing more about our inspiring work.

Amanda Phelps

Please do not send any products containing nuts, into school.

Thank you for helping to keep our young people safe.

NHS Vaccination Clinic

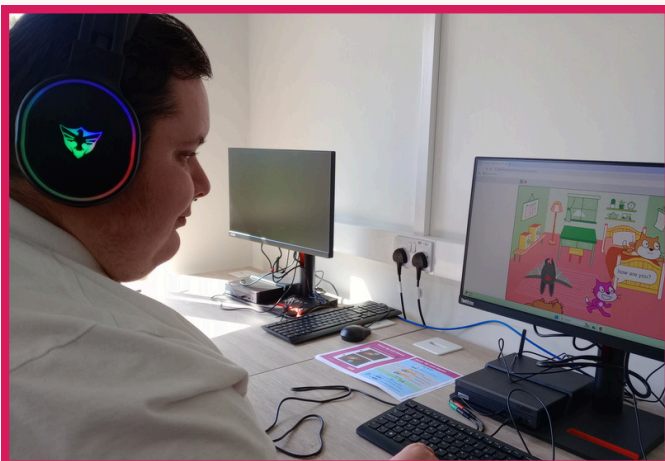
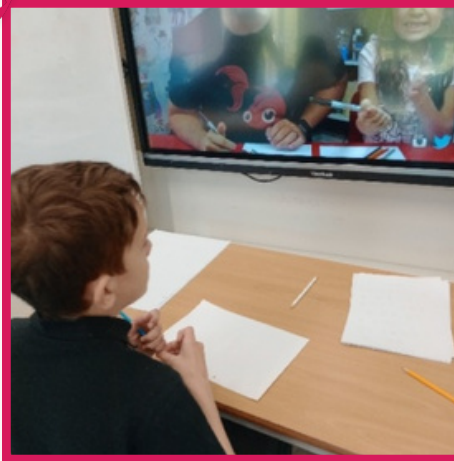
We have received confirmation from the NHS vaccination team that they are coming in on **Friday 2nd May** to administer the HPV to those that wish for their child to receive it. If you don't want your child vaccinated, please complete the form to ensure the team are aware of your wishes, this will avoid any unnecessary phone calls later on.

How to give your consent decision for the vaccination

- Record the school code: Dorothy Goodman School is **LE138156**
- Visit www.leicsandrutlandimms.co.uk or scan the QR code using your smartphone camera
- Select Human Papillomavirus (HPV) and enter the school code
- On the consent decision page please select whether you wish to provide or decline consent.
- You will receive a confirmation email when the form is submitted.

Secondary School

This week in pictures



Vocational 6TH FORM

THIS WEEK IN PICTURES



LEICESTERSHIRE FIRE and RESCUE SERVICE
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DYING FOR A SWIM

NEVER SWIM IN AN UNSUPERVISED AREA
Even on hot days, just below the surface, water can be icy cold, with fatal effects on strength and stamina.

Visual Arts Workshops

Spring Summer 2025

sense

Loughborough Hub – Radmoor Road, Loughborough, LE11 3BS

An accessible place to explore and experiment with visual arts.
Workshops are suitable for any age.
Visual Arts workshops are 1 hour 30 minutes unless stated.

- Tuesdays weekly 12.30pm
 - Visual Arts Workshop (1 hour)
- Tues 15th April 11am
 - Activist Banner/Badge Making

Booking is essential, please use the QR code

JOIN THE Super 1s

All disabilities welcome
Ages 8-25

CHALLENGE YOURSELF
BE MORE ACTIVE
IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS
MAKE NEW FRIENDS

Free inclusive cricket sessions!

WHEN:
Mondays
4.30pm - 5.30pm

WHERE:
Dorothy Goodman Secondary School, Barwell Lane, Hinckley LE10 1SS

CONTACT:
Ashleigh Passant
AshleighPassant@leicestershirecc.co.uk

www.lordstavemers.org/super1s

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Hinckley BID

EVENTS GUIDE

HINCKLEY TOWN CENTRE

YEAR OF FUN 2025

Childline 0800 11 11

healing together

Nurturing Young People Impacted by Domestic Abuse

I think it has given her the language to express how she is feeling and almost permission to discuss things.

Since starting the group he has had fewer anger outbursts. He has got so much better at opening up and expressing his feelings.

For more information or to Enrol

Email: childrens.support@hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk

National Domestic Violence Helpline 0808 2000 247

DISABILITY PLAY

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Limited numbers so BOOK NOW to secure your place.

<https://nbtplayscheme.classforkids.io/camp/80>

Scan the QR code above to book online.

INTRODUCTORY PRICE OFFER
£7.50 per child including 1 adult entry. Includes soft play, supervised activity games and a FREE cup of squash. (Extra adult entry charged at £1.75 each to be paid on arrival)

One Friday of each month, we are hosting sessions at Bermuda Adventure Soft Play World exclusively for children with disabilities and special needs.

All Fridays for 2025
11th April, 9th May, 13th June, 11th July, 12th September, 17th October, 14th November, 12th December
from 6:30pm - 8:00pm

Bermuda Adventure Soft Play World, St David's Way, Nuneaton CV10 7SD
For more information email: guy.blissett@nbleisuretrust.org

www.nbleisuretrust.org

Uniform swap shop

YOU DON'T NEED TO DONATE TO TAKE

Donate and/or collect clean, good condition, school uniform at your local swap shop venue during the Easter holidays.

PARTICIPATING VENUES INCLUDE:

- The Coop, Barlestone CV13 0EJ
- George Ward Centre, Barwell
- Desford Library, LE9 9JP
- Green Towers, Hinckley LE10 0DZ
- Market Bosworth Community Library
- The Coop, Markfield, LE67 9UU
- Ratby Library, LE6 0LN

Plus many more.

For more information contact: costoflivingssupport@hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk

Find out more

Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council

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The co-operative food

Young Adults with Disabilities

A group for young people with disabilities aged 17-25 to help them with advice, information, and guidance they need to improve their journey to adulthood.

The Trees
Deveron Way
Hinckley
LE10 0XD

Young Adults with Disabilities

There is limited parking at the Trees.
Refreshments will be provided.

Thursday 24 April 2025, 10am–12pm
Thursday 24 July 2025, 10am–12pm
Tuesday 23 December 2025, 10am–12pm

Young Adults with Learning Disabilities

You are welcome to join us at our SEND Parent Support Group Drop in

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US TO MEET WITH OTHER PARENTS TO GAIN AND SHARE ADVICE AROUND CARING FOR CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS
ENJOY A DRINK AND BISCUIT IN A SAFE ENVIRONMENT, WHILST TALKING ABOUT ALL OF THE JOYS AND CHALLENGES YOU FACE EACH DAY

2024/2025 DATES

16th Sept 24	8th Oct 24	10th Dec 24
8th Jan 25	11th Feb 25	11th Mar 25
8th April 25	13th May 25	11th June 25
8th July 25		

10.00AM - 11.30AM

Barwell Children & Family Wellbeing Centre
Barwell C of E Academy
High Street Barwell
LE9 8DS

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CALL TEXT OR EMAIL
AMY BOWEN FAMILY HELP SEND FAMILY SUPPORT WORKER - 07706 208989