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5 May 2023

Dear families

Coronation of King Charles III

The celebrations we had planned for the King's coronation today have, unfortunately, had to be postponed to next week, as the field was very wet and slippery. We look forward to holding our celebrations next week.



However, earlier in the week, as part of the celebrations held by Alfreton Nursery, our school band visited to provide musical entertainment. Our pupils were great ambassadors on the day and were incredibly generous and patient with the little ones, even letting some of the children have a play on the musical instruments. It was a lovely event, and we were delighted to be a part of it. Thank you to our pupils and Mr Caker for their time and enthusiasm.

Dance Show

Our annual Dance Showcase took place last night, where we celebrated the success and hard work our students have displayed throughout this academic year.

Over 50 students from Years 7-11 performed in a variety of different acts. Dress rehearsals took place in the afternoon to get rid of any last-minute nerves and their performances on the evening were amazing.

Awards were presented at the end of the show, celebrating the success of our students. Thank you to all family and friends who joined us for this wonderful event.

Thank you to Miss Gregory for working with our students and organising the showcase; thanks also to other members of staff who supported.

Well done to all students who took part.



Year 8 Parents Evenings

A reminder that our online Parents Evening for Year 8 takes place on Wednesday 10 May between 3.45pm-5.15pm. To book your appointments with staff please visit our online booking system via <https://davidnieper.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/>

Early Finish for staff training – Tuesday 16 May, 2pm

Please be reminded that on Tuesday 16 May, the academy will close at **2pm to all pupils** due to staff training. Early buses, including the Wessington bus, have been arranged. If you would prefer your child to remain at the academy until the usual finish time a supervised area will be provided. Please email info@davidnieper.academy if your child will remain in the academy.

A small number of Year 10 & 11 pupils have a GCSE exam on this afternoon and a separate letter will be sent to these pupils outlining the arrangements.

NHS Immunisation Team

A reminder that the NHS Immunisation Team will visit the academy in the summer to deliver the HPV (Human Papillomavirus Vaccine) to Year 8 and 9 pupils. **Consent forms that were completed last year for current Year 9's will be used for their second dose this year therefore parents of Year 9 pupils do not need to complete these again.**

Dear Parents/Carers of Year 8 pupils,

We will attend school during the summer term to vaccinate Year 8 students with the HPV vaccine. Please visit <https://www.derbyshireandcityimms.co.uk/Forms/HPV> to complete the consent form. The option to consent or decline the vaccination is at the end of the questionnaire so please complete this even if you do not want your child to have the vaccination.

School name: David Nieper Academy

School code: DD142405

Date in school: 22 June 2023

For more information about the vaccination please visit our website:

<https://www.derbyshirefamilyhealthservice.nhs.uk/our-services/5-10-years/school-age-immunisations>

If you wish to discuss or would like any support to complete the form, please contact the School Age Immunisation Team.

Repton: 01283 707178

Clay Cross: 01246 252953

DCHST.immunisationteam@nhs.net



Dates for the diary

Monday 8 May

Wednesday 10 May

Tuesday 16 May

Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June

Monday 5 June

Monday 3 July

Tuesday 4 to Friday 7 July

Bank Holiday for the Coronation of King Charles III

Year 8 Parents Evening, 3.45-5.15pm (online)

Early finish for all pupils, 2pm depart

Half-term holidays

All pupils return to a Week A timetable

INSET day

Enterprise Week

If we can help or support in any way, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us. Please email info@davidnieper.academy and a member of staff will be in touch.

Enjoy the long Bank Holiday weekend.

Yours faithfully

Dr K Hobbs
Headteacher