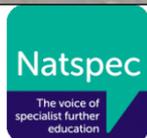




Newsletter

Welcome to a special edition of our newsletter. Not only are we celebrating Christmas, but we are thrilled to be celebrating Trinity's tenth year! We hope that you are able to join us at the Lindridge to mark this important milestone in the college's story. It has been a challenging journey at times, but Sally Evans and the team have consistently forged ahead to make improvements year on year, to reach a point whereby Trinity Specialist College has become a very well regarded and sought after education provider in the city. In addition to achieving a good Ofsted inspection in February 2019, the college has grown from 10 to 44 learners to date, with a staff team of 41 caring and highly skilled people.

The Lindridge



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We are looking for a parent trustee? Could this be you?

Learners and staff hold a Christmas jumper day for Save the Children



Ashley tells us about a night out at The Walkabout in Lichfield

Well done to learners who have gained qualifications!

We say goodbye to Julie and welcome her as trustee.



Half term break:
17th December 2021
Return on 5th January 2022



Parent Trustee position.

We would like to invite you to be part of the of the governance of the college, to ensure that the quality of the education we provide is maintained. We believe that your views as a parent or carer are very important. The trustees meet by zoom , three times per year. We do recognise that your time may be limited so trustees can be flexible. If you would like to know more, please contact either Sally Evans at sally@trinityspecialistcollege.co.uk, or Liz Garnham , Trustee at liz@trinityspecialistcollege.co.uk

Celebrating our learner's achievements this term....

Matthew Jenkins has successfully completed his SEN Teaching assistant diploma
 Ashley Brookes completed 8 modules of farming skills (City and Guilds) at Entry 3
 Heather Kennedy completed 10 modules of farming skills (City and Guilds) at Entry 3
 Leah Aldred completed 10 modules of farming skills (City and Guilds) at Entry 3
 Well done to you all for your commitment and hard work!

Independence Pathway: We have been very busy planting bulbs at Oakdene ready for the spring. Some learners and staff went to the Christmas Party in Lichfield. We have also made gingerbread houses and voted for our favourite and went on a trip to Inflataninja and had a fab time.



Starters and leavers

Welcome to Lisa Haynes, LSA , Kealey Potter, LSA and Hannah Nicholls, Outreach LSA. And a special thanks and goodbye to our friend Julie Pratt . Kate reflected all of our thoughts...
 "Julie brought so fun to the role of LSA - she always has a smile on her face, is willing to be involved and has a great rapport with both students and staff. She brought lots of ideas and team and was keen to see them implemented. She ensured she completed her role with the students at the heart of everything she did. We wish her all the luck in her new role as a member of the board of trustees"



Well done to all at Trinity and Trinity Respite Services for raising £89.20 for Save the Children.

TRINITY SPECIALIST COLLEGE
NIGHTCLUB EVENT on the 23.11.2021
A report by Ashley B.

On the 23rd of November 2021 Trinity Specialist College were invited to a Night Club by Shining Stars host Charlotte at Walkabout. We all used two college minibuses to navigate to Walkabout. We were all welcomed with a starter drink, I had Orange Juice and We all sat down at the tables where our names had been put by our Host Charlotte. Some of us had a starter before the main meal. We had garlic bread cheese and some vegetables.

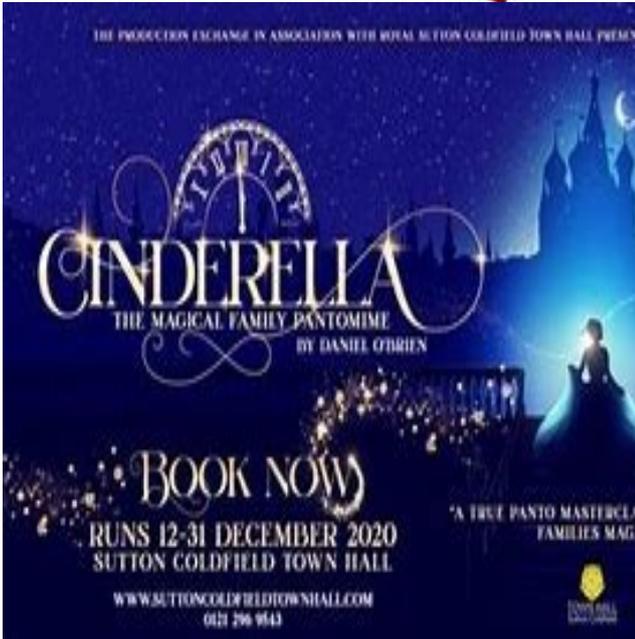


Before the main course, we played a game of Bingo and someone won chocolates as a prize. There was only a one line and a full house. We all had a main course with roasted turkey and potatoes. I had sprouts, carrots, peas and a Yorkshire Pudding. After the main course we saw a Santa helper who gave us all presents and had our pictures taken with him. I gave the Santa helper a fist bump and said thank you for my present. After that We all had dessert together. I had chocolate cake and ice cream.



After that the tables were put away and We all danced by each other. I offered to dance with several students, but we all danced solo apart from one student dancing with another. We did the Cha cha slide and the macarena and we were all singing along to some of the music. As the last song played Everyone collected their belongings and headed back to the College building in the two minibuses.





Sutton Town Hall will be offering one relaxed performance of our pantomime this year. This will be the 2PM Matinee performance on Tuesday 21st December.
www.suttoncoldfieldtownhall.com/cinderella/
Or phone: 0121 296 9543

Concessions available at these websites:

www.disabledpersons-railcard.co.uk £20 per year plus money saving options.
www.ceacard.co.uk Carer goes free at the cinema.
www.moneyadviceservice.org.uk Gives details of lots of organisations offering discounts.
www.birmingham.gov.uk Passport to Leisure 20% off at Leisure centres and attractions.
www.gov.uk/disabled-facilities-grants
www.turn2us.or.uk

www.moneysavingexpert.com
www.disabilityrights.org.uk
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Trinity Specialist College will be hosting a very special event this year.

Join us on the 17th December 2021 from 1p.m. to celebrate our learners achievements.

We are also holding our traditional Christmas Fayre, and finally we will be celebrating our ten year anniversary!



Hi parents and carers.
Please join our WhatsApp group. It's a great way to keep in touch and share ideas. The mobile phone App is easy to download and it's free!

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