

#### Student Life



#### **NWSLC**



# There is more to student life than just going to classes ...



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## Student Experience Team

To make sure that you live student life to the full, our **Student Experience Team** create an exciting programme of activities to fit around your timetable.

You can choose from a range of trips, parties, activities, shows and volunteering opportunities that are put on throughout the academic year, to help you make the most of your time at college.

No college calendar would be complete without an End of Year Party, a highlight for many students as it's an opportunity to dress up and celebrate your success in style!





#### **Meet The Team**



Student Liaison & Enrichment Lead

Callum Marvin



Youth Worker
Carl Sanger



Football Coach
Joshua Taylor



Youth Worker Sarah Parmar



Basketball & Netball Coach
Lloyd Taylor



#### **The Student Centre**



A great place to hang out during breaks is the Student Centre, which can be found on the ground floor.

The Student Centre is a dedicated student area where you can relax with your friends, watch TV, play on the PS4, listen to music and play pool.

In-between studies there are plenty of opportunities to have fun and meet new friends along the way.

The Student Centre is open Monday to Friday, opening and closing times vary.



#### **Breakfast Club**



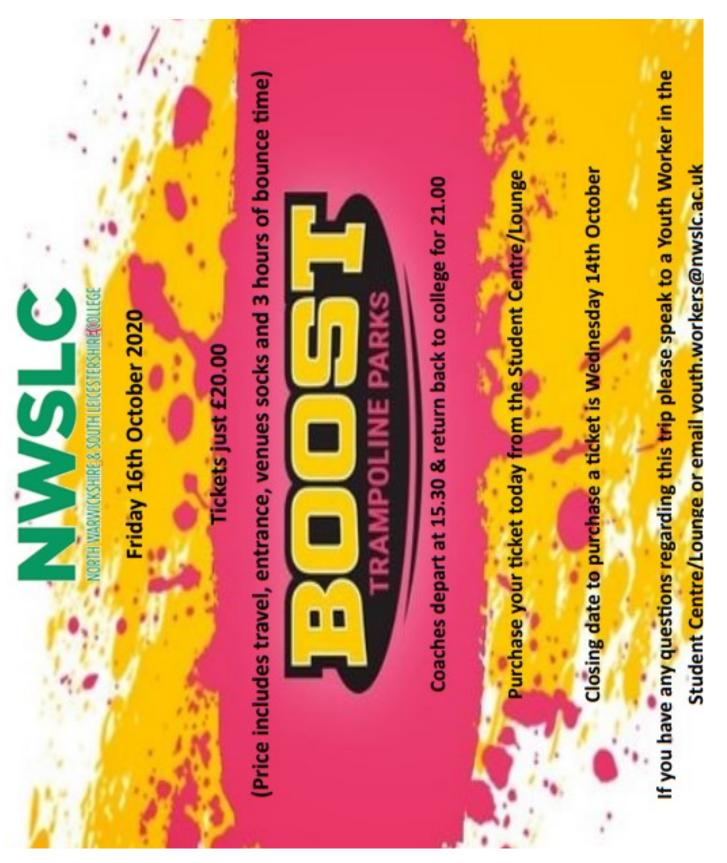
We offer a Breakfast Club facility in the Student Centre, Monday to Friday, 08.30-09.30, for all students who may struggle accessing breakfast at home.

Breakfast Club is open to all students and also provides an opportunity to talk to our Youth Worker team, should you need to chat to someone about any concerns you may be having at college.

At Breakfast Club, we are also able to support young parents and parents to be with Baby Packs.









## Big 4 Challenge









Are you a thrill seeker?

Do you like theme parks?

Why not challenge yourself to the Big 4 Challenge!!!

For just £80, you will have the opportunity to ride on some of the UK's best rollercoasters.

Please speak to a Youth Worker for more information



Date	Trip/Event	Venue	Cost	Time
W/c	NWSLC			30
7th	Fresher's	Moodle	FREE	Minute
September	Festival			Slot
Friday	Macmillan	Harrowbrook		
25th	Coffee	Campus	Fundraising	09.00-12.00
September	Morning			
Friday	Boost	Leicester		
16th	Trampoline	City	£20.00	16.00-21.00
October	Park	Centre		
W/c	Wear It	Harrowbrook		
19th	Pink	Campus	Fundraising	Times Vary
October	Week			
Wednesday	Alton			
28th	Towers	Staffordshire	£25.00	08.00-22.00
October	Scarefest			
W/c	Children In	Harrowbrook		
9th	Need	Campus	Fundraising	Times Vary
November	Week			
Monday 30th -		Harrowbrook		
Friday 11th	Festive Fun	Campus	FREE	Times Vary
December				
Friday	Ice			
4th	Skating	Nottingham	£15.00	17.00-22.30
December				



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Friday 11th December	Save The Children Christmas Jumper Day	Harrowbrook Campus	Fundraising	Times Vary
Wednesday	Matilda	Cambridge		
16th	The	Theatre	£30.00	09.00-20.00
December	Musical	London		
Thursday		Oadby & Wyggs		
17th	Christmas Party	Rugby Club	£10.00	19.30-00.00
December		Leicester		
Thursday	Mary Poppins	Prince Edward		
4th	The	Theatre	£30.00	09.00-20.00
February	Musical	London		
W/c	Comic	Harrowbrook		
8th	Relief	Campus	Fundraising	Times Vary
March	Week			
Saturday		NEC,		
20th	Comic Con	Birmingham	£25.00	09.00-17.00
March				
Wednesday	NWSLC Staff &	Nuneaton	£2.00	
24th	Student 5-a-side	Campus	Per	13.00-17.00
March	Football Tournament		Player	
Tuesday	NWSLC's Got	Harrowbrook		
30th	Talent Show	Campus	FREE	12.15-13.15
March	(Heats)			



Trip/Event	Venue	Cost	Time
Drayton Manor	Tamworth	£25.00	08.30-18.00
Harry Potter	Warner		
Studio	Brothers	£35.00	09.00-18.00
Tours	Studios		
NWSLC's Got			
Talent Show	Hinckley Campus	FREE	12.15-13.30
(Final )			
Skegness			
Day	Skegness	£30.00	07.00-20.00
Trip			
Cancer	Harrowbrook		
Research	Campus	Fundraising	13.00-16.00
Fun Run			
Body	NEC,		
Power	Birmingham	£25.00	08.30-18.00
Exhibition			
NWSLC			
Campus	Nuneaton Campus	FREE	13.00-16.00
Games			
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Date	Trip/Event	Venue	Cost	Time
Wednesday	NWSLC Campus	Aylestone		
26th	Cup	Park	FREE	12.00-17.00
May	(Heats)	FC		
Thursday	Frozen	Theatre Royal		
27th	The	Drury Lane	£60.00	09.00-20.00
May	Musical	London		
Wednesday				
2nd	Alton Towers	Staffordshire	£25.00	08.30-18.00
June				
Wednesday	NWSLC Campus			
9th	Cup	Nuneaton Campus	FREE	12.00-17.00
June	(Final)			
Friday				
11th	Thorpe Park	Staines, London	£30.00	07.00-20.00
June				
Friday 18th -	Blackpool			
Saturday 19th	Residential	Blackpool	£120.00	08.00-20.00
June				
Friday	End of	Oadby & Wyggs		
25th	Year Summer	Rugby Club	£10.00	18.30-00.00
June	Party	Leicester		



#### **Social Media**

Keep up to date with what's going on and what's on offer by checking out our Facebook, Instagram & Twitter pages!



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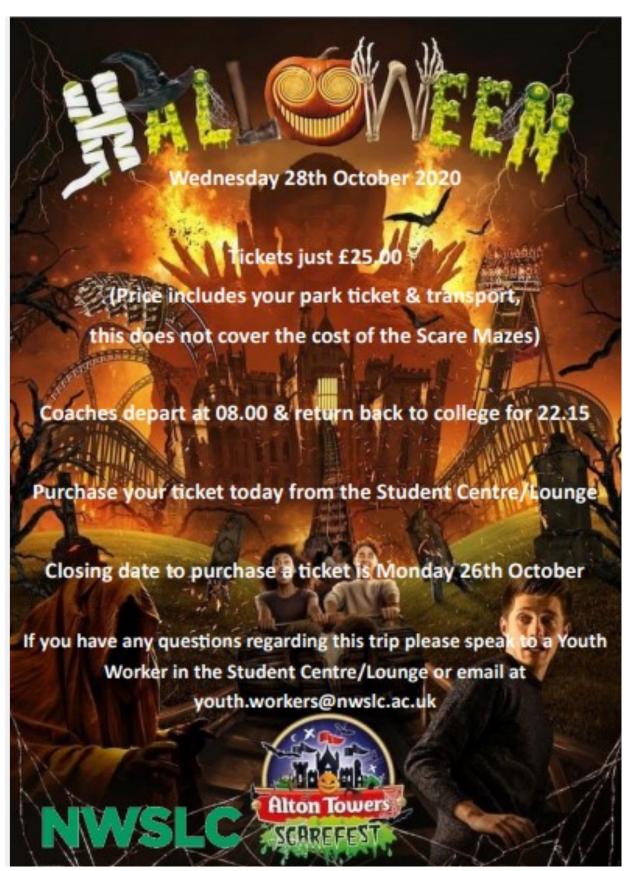


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#### **Enrichment**

The role of the College's Student Experience team is to make your stay at college a first-class experience.

All NWSLC students have access to a wide-ranging and fun filled Enrichment programme which is arranged around your timetables, so you can make the most of your time at college.

So, why not come along and have a go at something new?

We have offered a number of sessions in the past, including;



**Computer Gaming** 



**Drama** 



Cooking



**Driving Theory Class** 

College Newspaper



**Arts & Crafts** 



#### **NWSLC Active**



**NWSLC Active** offers students the opportunity to participate in a wide range of activities in a chilled or competitive atmosphere. The activities are available to everyone, with no experience required!







We run activities based on what **YOU** want.

Activities can include **Archery**, **Boxing**, **Female Only Fitness**, **Football**, **Rugby**, **Table Tennis** & **Zumba** 

If there is something new you want to try, let us know!







## The Gym



Opening w/c 7th September in the Sports Block at Nuneaton Campus

**Enquire about a Gym Induction NOW!** 

Speak to Sonja in the Sports Office for more information or email Sonja.goode@nwslc.ac.uk







### Sports Academy



NWSLC are now recruiting for the following teams within the Sports Academy:

Basketball
Cricket
Inclusive Football
Men's Football
Netball

All teams will compete in AoC League & Cup fixtures across the academic year

For more information email callum.marvin@nwslc.ac.uk



#### **Totum Student Discount Card**



To purchase your student discount card or for more information, simply visit www.TOTUM.com or speak to a Youth Worker in the GET IN TOUCH! Student Centre

0330 058 3000 info@nwslc.ac.uk



#### Sexual Health Service

NWSLC offers a confidential Sexual Health Service to all students at all campuses. Delivered by qualified Youth Workers, the sexual health service enables students to access guidance on different types of contraception available and how to access them.

The Sexual Health Service will run from the Student Centre, times vary each day.





#### Student Involvement

At NWSLC, the views of our students are hugely important. We want to know what you think about every aspect of the college to help improve the student experience.

During the first term you will elect your Student Union Executive & Course Representatives. These student representatives will put forward the views of students about what goes on both inside and outside of the classroom to college managers.

We will provide training and support for representatives, so even if you have not done anything like this before it is a great way of improving your confidence and developing skills like public speaking, team work and operating in meetings.

There are a number of Student Involvement groups that you can apply for during the first term of college, they are as follows: -

- Student Union Executive
- Course Representatives
- Student Feedback Groups







## Student Union Executive



The Student Union promotes the interests and welfare of students at the college during your course of study.

The Student Union is also involved in providing social, cultural, sporting & recreational activities as well as forums for discussions and debate for the personal development of its students.

The Student Union is run by students and represents the interests of the students of the college to the corporation, college management, local & national government and the other relevant authorities.

#### Aims:

- To advance the education of its members
- To promote the general welfare of students
- To organise and encourage recreational and social activities for students
- To support Equality & Diversity and promote it in the college
  - To actively oppose prejudice and discrimination between students in the college





## Student Union Executive

#### The Student Union Executive is at the heart of developing the Student Voice at NWSLC!!!

There are 7 posts within the executive committee which is made up of students voted in by students:

- President
- Vice President
  - Treasurer
  - Secretary
- Social Secretary
  - EDI Officer
- Charity & Fundraising Officer

#### Be the voice of the students, you can make a difference!

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Student Union Executive or would like more information regarding the roles within the SU, please contact a Youth Worker in the Student Centre or email <a href="mailto:youth.workers@nwslc.ac.uk">youth.workers@nwslc.ac.uk</a>





#### Course Representatives

Each tutor group from every curriculum area of the college will have the opportunity to nominate one or two representatives who are responsible for voicing the views of the group. The main roles of the Course Rep are: -

- To gather the views of your fellow students and raise these issues on behalf of your group at termly Faculty Forums and Student Parliament meetings
  - Improve the learning experience of NWSLC students
  - Work with staff to make the student experience better for everyone

Part of the Course Rep's role is to make themselves known to your tutor group. If you are not able to contact your rep through your tutor group you can speak to your Employability Coach or Youth Worker in the Student Centre.

#### Student Feedback

Throughout the year we want to know what you think of NWSLC.

We will certainly want to know what your experience is of induction and we will also want to look at your whole experience towards the end of the year. Please participate in the surveys, they help us to make changes and develop a college which really does put you first.



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#### **Student Governor**



#### What does a Student Member do?

As a member of the Corporation you will:

 Play an active role in ensuring the necessary business of the Corporation is carried out

effectively and efficiently

- Make sensible, disinterested and constructive contributions to debate
  - Make your knowledge and expertise available to the Corporation as opportunity arises, acting as a critical friend.

You should be able to commit to attend the following meetings:

- 5 Evening corporation meetings during the year
- 4 Evening student, learning & quality Committee meetings
  - The Corporation strategy day.

For more information or an application form please email callum.marvin@nwslc.ac.uk



#### Student Ambassador Team

As well as a number of Student Involvement groups to participate in, we are also looking to recruit learners for the Student Ambassador Programme.

The programme allows students to apply for a number of roles and gain experience, learn new skills, help fellow learners, uncover exciting opportunities and add value to your CV.

There are a two roles that you can apply for during the first term of college, they are as follows: -

- Student Leader
- Student Promoter





#### Student Leader

Student Leaders perform a vital role by volunteering their time to support college events. By becoming a Student Leader you will develop skills and gain experience that will not only look good on your UCAS form and CV, it will also impress employers.

Student Leaders are expected to act as role models by representing the college appropriately at events and by performing a number of activities and duties, which include: -

- College events
  - Open days
- Carry out visits to schools/colleges



- Attending careers fairs
- Represent the views of students in a range of decision making meetings

Student Leaders will receive compulsory training before undertaking duties.

All Student Leaders will receive a free meal voucher every time they volunteer.

If you are interested in becoming a Student Leader or would like more information regarding any of the roles within the programme please contact a Youth Worker in the Student Centre or email at youth.workers@nwslc.ac.uk



#### **Student Promoter**

We are looking for students who are interested in working alongside the Student Experience Team to help with promotion of a number of trips, events and parties throughout the academic year. You will need to be confident to talk to large groups of learners as well as be available to work throughout peak times of the college day e.g. break & lunch.

You will receive compulsory training before undertaking duties.

As well as developing teamwork, team-leading, presentation and public speaking skills, becoming part of the Student Promotion team will enable you to meet new people, make friends and have fun!!!

All Student Promoters will receive a free meal voucher every time they volunteer.

You may also be able to receive **FREE** tickets to particular trips, events or parties in the colleges calendar of events.









## Student Involvement & Volunteer Calendar

Date	Activity	Venue	Time
W/c 14th & 21st	Student Union	Harrowbrook	Varied
September	Nomination Week	Campus	
W/c 14th & 21st	Student Governor	Harrowbrook	Varied
September	Nomination Week	Campus	
W/c 14th & 21st	Student Ambassador	Harrowbrook	Varied
September	Sign Up Week	Campus	
W/c 21st, 28th	Course Representative	Harrowbrook	Varied
September & 5th	Sign Up	Campus	
October	Week		
W/c	Student Union	Harrowbrook	Varied
28th September	Campaign Week	Campus	
W/c 28th	Student	Harrowbrook	15 minute
September & 7th	Ambassador	Campus	interviews will be
October	Interviews		arranged
W/c 5th &	Student Union	Harrowbrook	Times Vary
12th October	Election Week	Campus	
Monday	Course Rep	Harrowbrook	13.00-16.00
12th October	Training Session	Campus	
Monday	Student Union	Harrowbrook	12.00-12.30
2nd November	Results	Campus	
Thursday	Student Ambassador	Nuneaton	13.00-16.00
5th November	Training Session	Campus	



Date	Session	Venue	Time
Friday	Student Union	Wigston	
6th	Executive Training	Campus	10.00-20.00
November	Session		
W/c	Student Union	Coventry, Leicester,	
30th	University	Warwick &	Varied
November	Visits	De Montfort Universities	
Monday	Student	Nuneaton	
7th	Parliament	Campus	12.30-15.30
December	Meeting		
W/c	Student	Harrowbrook	
25th	Voice	Campus	Varied
January	Week		
Thursday	Student	Hinckley	
11th	Parliament	Campus	12.30-15.30
February	Meeting		
Monday	Student	Harrowbrook	
<b>22nd</b>	Parliament	Campus	12.30-15.30
March	Meeting		
Thursday	Student	Nuneaton	
20th	Involvement	Campus	10.00-15.30
May	Conference		
Tuesday	Student Union	Glebegate	
8th	Executive & Course Reps Awards Evening	Restaurant, Nuneaton	19.00-22.00
June	Awdids Everiling	Campus	
Wednesday	Student Union	Wigston	
23rd	Executive	Campus	13.00-16.00
June	AGM		



## Chaplaincy

Our college is a diverse and lively community filled with people from varying backgrounds and worldviews. The role of the Chaplaincy team is to pastorally care for staff & students, providing a non-judgmental listening ear for people of all faiths and none. The team offer a confidential and support service. You don't have to be religious; they are here for everyone regardless of faith or belief.



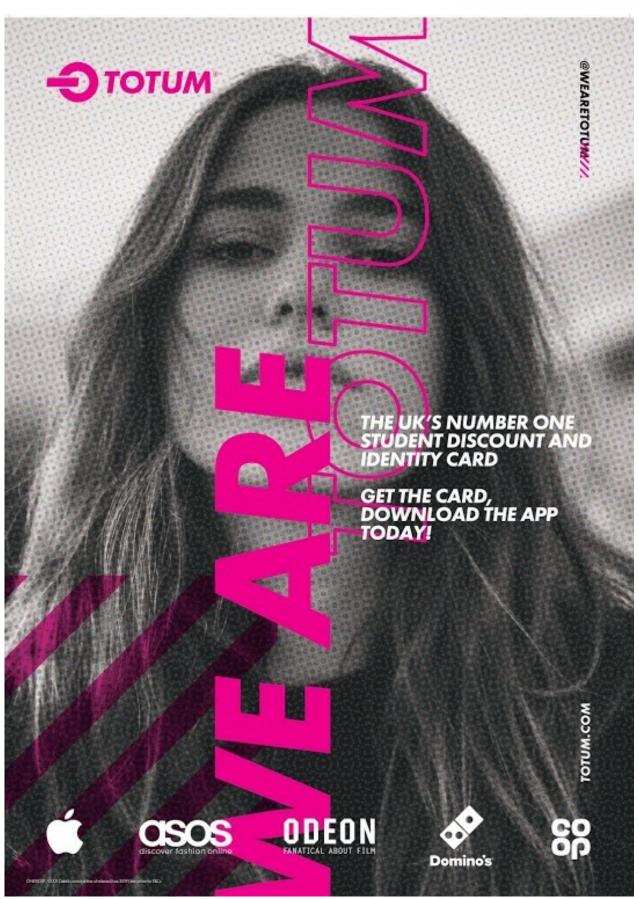
Throughout the year the team seek to recognise many of the major religious and cultural festivals. They often do this in

the main social areas and all activities are designed to be fun and open to everyone.

Throughout the week the team engage in many activities including enrichment activities, festivals, religious services, tutorials, pastoral care, charity work and responses to tragedy.

The team also set up prayer rooms on every campus which can be used by anyone. They are available as a quiet space for reflection and they are equipped with resources for prayer,









## What will the year have in store for you?