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STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to Eve McMahon who has been named as the Afloat.ie Irish Sailor of the Year for 2021.

"These awards represent all that is praiseworthy, innovative and groundbreaking in the Irish sailing scene. The national awards have recognised over 500 monthly award winners in the pages of Ireland's sailing magazine Afloat. These awards have been made to both amateur and professional sailors."





🦙 STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to our 5th Year student Seán Connaughton who won the Leinster U19 Indoor 1,500m event last weekend.

This is yet another fantastic achievement for Seán who last November came first in the Leinster U18 Cross Country Championships.

We wish Seán the best of luck with his Cross Country running in the future and look forward to hearing about his achievements.





IAMTA

Senior Problem-Solving Table Quiz - March 3rd

Teams of three: Two 6th Year students and one from 5th or 6th Year. Time: 7.15 - 9.15pm

Junior Problem-Solving Table Quiz - March 10th

Teams of four: Two 4th Year students and two from 2nd or 3rd Year. Time: 7.15 - 9.15pm (siblings/friends from other schools needed here)



Irish Applied Maths Teachers' Association

Both IAMTA Quizzes will be held in the school, further information is on the noticeboards. To enter: give your name to your teacher or contact Oliver Murphy omurphy@instituteofeducation.ie



HI STUDENTS,



Yes! you've made it to the last week of term, well done! 4th and 5th years make sure to take a well-deserved rest and 6th years - best of luck in your exams and enjoy your own midterm after they are completed. Sometimes students report that they are too busy to take a break or that they feel guilty if they do- a surefire sign that they really need one. Rest is an essential part of optimising not only your health, but your exam performance too. Our top tip for eliminating guilt is to set yourself a goal of taking a break; therefore when you do, you replace any guilt with a sense of achievement.

5TH YEARS



Save the date! 5th years interested in studying in the UK should not miss our weekly webinar - which is especially for them - on Wednesday 2nd March. Successful applicants start the process months in advance and with deadlines early in 6th year, now is the time to get informed.

WEBINAR



Thank you to all of you who attended our mouth-watering webinar on culinary arts and hotel management last Wednesday. This week we'll be looking at Computer Science and developments in technology. As always, 4pm and you'll find the link (as well links to previous webinars) on Moodle.

MEDICINE EVENT

"So you want to become a Doctor?" UCD School of Medicine and St Vincent's Healthcare Group would like to invite you to attend their virtual event titled 'So you want to be a doctor?' which will take place from 14 – 18 February 2022. This virtual event is open to 4th, 5th and 6th year students interested in studying Medicine at UCD. Register online.

SUPPORT

Finally, don't forget that the Guidance counsellors are here to support you with any challenges you may face in the new term and to run through plans for next year. There are students that we have not seen yet and you are very welcome to make appointments to see us; we look forward to working with you. We wish you a very happy midterm break, don't forget to have fun!

† LUNCH CLUBS

Thanks to everyone who joined our new club and enjoyed a refreshing stroll around St. Stephens Green on their lunch break. We hope to see you all again next week!

MASTERCLASS



This Thursday, Feb 17th, we have a Maths Masterclass with Stephanie Mulligan. It is for **6**th years, and will cover *Applications of Differentiation*. Live online at 6pm.