

Newsletter

Friday, 6th December 2019 www.loretocrumlin.ie







Loreto Swimming Gala



The National Loreto swimming gala 2019 was held on Tuesday, 3rd December in the National Aquatic Centre. Thirteen students headed out to Deanstown to compete against over 300 students from Loreto schools all across Ireland.

Our girls took part in the 25m sprint races. There was great succes across the board with girls who came in 1st. 2nd and 3rd places. Each girl that took part represented the school

with great pride. Loreto College,

Crumlin Road had two overall winners out of 60 racers. 5th yr Laura Rooney Saunders won the over 16's best overall result. Then Faith Hurley from 2nd yr won 3rd place for best overall results for the under 16's section. Well done to all who

> We're already looking

took part.





forward to next year's event. Thanks to Ms. Doyle, Mr. Quinn and Ms. Dillon fro accompanying the students out to this brilliant event.



Some of What's on Next Week

Wednesday II th December	2 nd Year Resilience Academy
	O' Holy Night – An Evening of Music and Song @7.30pm

Loreto Junior Inter-Schools Debates



We had two teams taking part in the Inter-Loreto Junior Debating Competition in Loreto Foxrock on Tuesday, 3rd December. Our debaters were all second years: Erin Crowe, Aisha Hassan, Molly Lynch and Laura Kane. All four girls debated fantastically on topics such as "This House Believes Technology Makes Children's Lives Better", "This

Children's Lives Better", "This House Believes it is Better to be a Teacher Than a Student" and the controversial "This House Would Ban Christmas."

All four speakers did their school

proud and finished in the top half of the tab. A huge thank you also to the eleven supporters who traveled with the teams, and the Transition Year Debating Mentors who came as well. Well done everyone! *Thanks to Ms. R. Murphy for her work with the girls.*

Career Ready TY Trip to London



Justine Brotarlo & Catherine Cadawas
On Thursday, 5th of December the TY
Career Ready students went on a day
trip to London. We met up at the school
at 4:30am and got taxis to the airport.
When we got to the airport we got hot
chocolate and ate a very healthy
breakfast in Burger King.

Then we arrived at London and got the Underground tube to The Dominion Theatre on Oxford Street. There, we had a motivational speech by Action Jackson and two Career Ready alumni.

After that we went to a company called BP (British Petroleum: gas company). At BP we met up with students from the Southend High School for boys and ate a free delicious lunch. The workers explained what BP do and we played a game with the other school explaining how trading works.

We left BP and went to the airport early to do a bit of shopping and ate a delightful dinner at Nando's (for free). Later on we went to our gate and surprisingly met Nick Mirallegro who plays Finn Nelson in *My Mad Fat Diary* and got a picture with him. Eventually we boarded our flight and arrived in Dublin at 23:00. We had the best and longest day ever. *Thanks to Ms. Kelleher and Ms.Nolan for accompanying the students and to Ms. Kelleher for her longstanding commitment to the programme.*