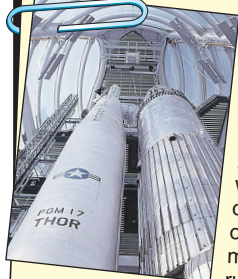


# camp in Turkey...

## VIP DAY AT NATIONAL SPACE CENTRE



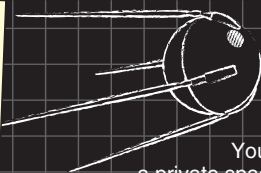
Winners will receive a special guided tour of the National Space Centre, Leicester, with leading scientists. As part of the day, winners will get the chance to take part in one of the Challenger missions. Participants run their mission in a

themed environment taking on roles (medical officers, Martian geologists, navigators etc) within a mission control and a space station. They will also get a unique opportunity to quiz Richard Garriott in a Q&A session

For information visit [www.spacecentre.co.uk](http://www.spacecentre.co.uk)



## AGES 12-15



Richard wants you to imagine what the future might hold for space enterprise. You need to imagine that you are running a private space venture and come up with your own master plan for your company or how you see the industry developing in the future. Tell us your ideas using between 500 and 1,000 words and any drawings or diagrams you think might help. You can consider things like the environment, food, tourism, exploration, medical research, fashion and even food.

You will need to describe:

- What your idea is and why it is important
- Who the customers might be
- How much it will cost and where you might get the money
- The risks involved

For more details and ideas log on to [www.richardinspace.com/metro](http://www.richardinspace.com/metro)

## YOUR PRIZE

**Six first prize winners** will get to go to Space Camp Turkey (July 26 - Aug 1, 2009) and have their prizes awarded at the International Astronautical Congress in Glasgow. They will also be invited to a VIP day at the National Space Centre with Richard Garriott and receive copies of George's Secret Key To The Universe and The Space Tourist's Handbook.

**Six second prize winners** will be invited to a VIP day at the National Space Centre and get copies of George's Secret Key To The Universe and The Space Tourist's Handbook.

## AGES 15-19

You will also need to tell us what you think the future of space enterprise might hold (see above)

## YOUR PRIZE

**12 winners** will be invited to a VIP day at the National Space Centre with Richard Garriott and get copies of George's Secret Key To The Universe and The Space Tourist's Handbook

## BOOKS: GEORGE'S SECRET KEY TO THE UNIVERSE



Written by Stephen Hawking, author of A Brief History Of Time, and his daughter Lucy, it uses the adventures of George to explain the

workings of the universe to readers of all ages  
**THE SPACE TOURIST'S HANDBOOK** This illustrated handbook gives you everything you need to know about training to be a space tourist (even if you can't afford to actually go there)

... and get to see an experiment they design actually performed on the International Space Station, meet an astronaut and lots, lots more!

## WHO IS RICHARD GARRIOTT?

Richard will be heading to the International Space Station in October - making him the first British-born private space explorer. He will also be the first second-generation astronaut - his father Owen was on the US space station, Skylab, and flew on the Space Shuttle.

Known in the gaming industry as 'Lord British', Richard was one of the early pioneers of computer gaming in the 1980s.

He took an interest in computers at school, taught himself programming and started making fantasy computer games to give to his friends. His nickname 'Lord British' came from older students at his school who thought he spoke with a British accent.



He developed the Ultima computer game series which went on to become the first massively multiplayer online role-playing game (MMORPG, a term coined by Richard). Known as one of the 'gods of gaming', he was inducted to the Academy of Interactive Arts and Sciences' Hall of Fame in 2006.

A Russian Soyuz rocket will take Richard to the International Space Station, where he will spend up to ten days in orbit.

As part of his mission training at Star City, he will learn spacecraft operation, survival and experimental techniques as well as undergoing medical testing to ensure he is ready for space. You can get a taste of his training if you win our competition.

## ASK RICHARD A QUESTION...

... and **WIN** a copy of **George's Secret Key To The Universe** signed by Lucy Hawking



We will be interviewing Richard Garriott in the run-up to his mission. If you have a question you would like to ask him, e-mail it to [cosm@ukmetro.co.uk](mailto:cosm@ukmetro.co.uk) with your name and address. The best questions will win a signed copy

## HOW TO ENTER

Once you are sure of what you need to do (go to [www.richardinspace.com/metro](http://www.richardinspace.com/metro) if you are unsure) get your drawings scanned or photographed - make sure we can see it all clearly - and put your written entries on to an e-mail and send it to: [cosm@ukmetro.co.uk](mailto:cosm@ukmetro.co.uk) or to [heather@venturethinking.com](mailto:heather@venturethinking.com)

Closing date for entries is June 20, 2008, and winners will be announced in August

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