



The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Friday 13th July 2018

Summer Term

NEXT DINNER MENU is **Week 4** [Click Here](#)

Change of menu Monday

Pizza Day will be replaced by Spaghetti Bolognese or Vegetarian Spaghetti Bolognese

Thursday

Beef Burrito and Quorn Burrito will be replaced by Pizza Day

Diary Dates

14.07.18 PTA Inflatable Day
16.07.18 Year 6 Production
17.07.18 Celebration Assembly
18.07.18 EYFS Assembly 9:00am Hall
Leavers Service Cathedral 6:30pm
20.07.18 Year 6 Assembly 9:00am Hall
Blessing Assembly 2:40pm Hall
(limited spaces contact school office)
Last Day of Summer Term
04.09.18 Non Pupil Day
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06.09.18 Autumn Term 1 begins
27.09.18 Harvest Festival Cathedral 2pm
30.09.18 - 03.10.19 Year 5 Residential trip Kingwood
19.10.18 Non Pupil Day
22.10.18 - 26.10.18 Half Term
29.10.18 Autumn Term 2 begins
01.12.18 Christmas Market Cathedral
18.12.18 Carol Service Cathedral 6:30pm
19.12.18 Last day of Term
20.12.18 - 02.01.19 Christmas Holiday
03.01.19 Spring Term 1 begins
15.02.19 Non Pupil Day
18.02.19 - 22.02.19 Half Term
25.02.19 Spring Term 2 begins
05.04.19 Last day of Term
08.04.19 - 22.04.19 Easter Holiday
23.04.19 Summer Term 1 begins
06.05.19 Bank Holiday
13.05.19 - 16.05.16 KS2 SATs Week
27.05.18 - 31.05.18 Half Term
03.06.19 Non Pupil Day
03.06.19 - 07.06.19 Year 6 Residential trip to IOW
04.06.19 Summer Term 2 begins
24.07.19 Last Day of Term

Dear Parents

This week saw the publication of National Key Stage 2 results. Our Year 6 pupils received their results verbally when we were sent them and their reports went out today. All the other reports will be sent out on Monday when they have been collated.

We are very pleased with how well the children have done. It was suggested to us back in March that these results could not be achieved.

The best way of showing the impact of our actions is to provide the data. The national data is verified usually in October when we receive a further breakdown of statistics. However success should be celebrated and I want to thank the teachers, support staff and all the parents and members of the community who have supported us throughout this process; Well done to our school!

I hope to see everyone at "Inflatable Day" tomorrow.

Best wishes

Linda Wiskin

KS2: Percentage reaching the expected standard:	2018 <i>The Cathedral School</i>	2018 National Average for all schools	KS1 % Subject	School 2016	School 2017	School 2018	Essex Not yet known	National Provi- sional 2018
Reading test	82	75	Reading	77.8	73.3	79.5		75.5
Writing Teacher Assessment	91.1	78	Maths	75.6	71.1	79.5		76.1
Maths test	82.2	76	Writing	71.1	46.7	75.0		70.0
GPS test	93	78						

Early Years Percentage of good learning development	School 2015	School 2016	School 2017	School 2018	Essex Not known	National Provi- sional 2018
GLD	56.8	81	80	81.8		71.4

Phonics Year 1 percentage	School 2015	School 2016	School 2017	School 2018	Essex Not known	National Provi- sional 2018
Phonics test	79.5	81	86.4	82.2		82.7

PTA News



We are looking forward to seeing many of you at Inflatables Day tomorrow. The gates will open at 11.30am, with the Inflatables available until 2.30pm. If you have any cakes for our cake stall these can be dropped off at school in the morning, or when you arrive for the event. Many thanks in advance for all those parents who have offered to help on the various stalls.

Inflatables Day is the final PTA event of the school year. The PTA AGM will be held at school in September, on the same evening as 'Meet The Teacher'. If you are interested in getting involved with the PTA next year please do come along. To join the committee you will simply need to fill out a nomination form and have your nomination seconded by another parent at the school. You can either join the committee as a general member or stand for election to one of the nominated roles (Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary and Treasurer).

I will not be standing for election as Chair for the next academic year, so if you want to nominate yourself, or encourage anyone else to do so, please give this some thought over the summer holidays! It is important that we get new members joining the PTA each year, to keep the fundraising events and ideas fresh and exciting for both children and parents. I would be happy to talk to anyone who is interested in standing to explain what the role of Chair has encompassed during the past year and answer any questions. You can contact me via pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk

Many thanks for all of your support during this year, Nina Egan, Chair, PTA

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ECO School Team Needs Help

If anyone is interested in helping alongside our school ECO team we would be very grateful! We will be meeting every Friday lunchtime between 12.30 and 1.15.

The main task will be looking after our school garden areas, including the reflective garden and pots in the driveway. As part of our ECO and Healthy Schools work we will also be looking to grow our own produce which will then be used for school dinners.

Alternatively, if you wish to donate any plants that would also be much appreciated. Please contact Mrs Morecroft if you are able to help with anything at all. Many thanks.

SCHOOL CLUBS

All-staff run clubs have now finished. Agency clubs also finished unless arranged otherwise with the coach. Dodgeball and Rugby Tots will continue next week.

ShoeShare

The Cathedral School are hosting a ShoeShare collection throughout next week in partnership with Unicef and Clarks.

Unicef and Clarks have worked in partnership since 2008 to help keep children safe. In that time, Clarks have contributed to transforming children's lives through ShoeShare, gathering old or unwanted shoes at collection points in more than 500 Clarks stores across the UK. To date, the partnership has raised an incredible £1 million.

All you need to do is gather your old and unwanted shoes from around the house, and bring them into school with £1. Please post the shoes into the red bin outside Class 5 and give the £1 to the Class Teacher.

We will then deliver all of the shoes we have collected to our nearest Clarks store. The more shoes you bring in, the more money we can raise for Unicef, helping children around the world to be able to go to school.

A few things to remember:

- Please make sure that the shoes are in relatively good condition, so no holes or broken soles!
- Please pair your shoes with a rubber band to make it easier to sort and pack shoes.

For every tonne of shoes collected, a donation is made to Unicef which goes towards education programmes around the world.

To find out more about the partnership, please follow the below link to watch a short video: [Click here](#)

Many thanks

Miss O'Toole, Mrs Grover and The School Council





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Community News

TENNIS

To celebrate the start of Wimbledon, the Community Sport and Wellbeing Team at Chelmsford City Council have teamed up with Tennis for Free, a national Charity supported by the Lawn Tennis Association and Writtle Tennis Academy coach Andy Wilshaw to deliver a programme of free tennis coaching session for young people and their families.

Children can attend on their own or take part with their parents – there are no age limits.

Sessions will start on Saturday July 7th and run until Sunday 30th September and will take place:

Saturdays at Admirals Park Rainsford Road CM1 2PN from 2.30pm to 4pm

Sundays at Oaklands Park, Moulsham Street CM2 9AQ from 10am to 11.30am

Chelmsford Cats Protection's Annual

Family Fun Day



Children's Activities

Tour the Cattery

Goodies for sale

Yummy Food & Drinks

Children's Entertainer

Tombola & Raffle

Saturday 11th August 2018

11am until 3pm



Chelmsford Cats Protection
Deadmans Lane, Galleywood, CM2 8LZ



Imagination and Creation Workshop
Using natural and everyday objects in an engaging, stimulating and creative way to inspire storytelling.

Thursday 26th July at 2-4pm - Gosfield
Monday 20th August at 2-4pm - Colchester
Wednesday 22nd August at 1:30-3:30pm - Sudbury

Early bird price!
£7.50 before 15th July Standard price £10.00

Go to www.josiedom.co.uk to book your place!

ACADEMY ARTS THEATRE SCHOOL PRESENT:

The GOLDEN TICKET to WONDERLAND

14th-15th July, 2018
Chelmsford County High School
Broomfield Rd, CM1 1RW

Adults: £15.00 Kids: £10.50
Saturday at 7pm & Sunday at 1pm & 5pm

To book tickets on-line go to:
www.academyarts.co.uk

WWW.ACADEMYARTS.CO.UK

Trolls
FOR AGES 4-7YRS

SUMMER SCHOOL
30th July-3rd Aug
Broomfield Methodist Church,
124 Main Rd, Broomfield, Chelmsford, CM1 7AG

★ TROLLS ★ AGE 4-7ys
9.00am-11.00am - £65 per week or £15 per day

★ GREATEST SHOWMAN ★ Age 8-18yrs
11.30am-3.30pm - £120 per week or £27.50 per day
(Students paying for the full week receive a free Summer School T-shirt)

THE GREATEST SHOWMAN
For Ages 8-18yrs

WWW.ACADEMYARTS.CO.UK

DISCOVER Summer of Science

Every FRIDAY during the summer holidays
27 July - 31 August

Chelmsford City Museum
Sandford Mill Road
Chelmsford
CM2 6NY

booking essential at:
www.chelmsford.gov.uk/museumevents

Sandford Mill