



# The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Friday 20th July 2018

## Summer Term

NEXT DINNER MENU is Week 1 [Click Here](#)

### Diary Dates

04.09.18 Non Pupil Day  
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06.09.18 Autumn Term 1 begins  
**18.09.18 or 19.09.18 PTA AGM tbc**  
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

Secondary School	Pupil No
The Boswells School	14
St John Payne High School	11
Moulsham High School	8
Chelmsford County High School for Girls	4
King Edwards Grammar School	2
Great Baddow High School	1
Great Notley High School	1
Anglo European	1
St Mary's Colchester	1
Christ's Hospital	1
Wymondham College	1

Dear All

We have come to the end of term in a week including: the Year 6 production,

"Schools Gotta Dance", the school council visit to the Mayor's Parlour, The Leaver's Service and today's Year 6 Award ceremony and Blessing Service.

Thank you to all the staff who have led, arranged, organised, and supported these events. We are confident that a fine set of young people have moved onto the next stage of their lives to day and we wish them and those parents who have also come to the end of their children's journey with us our very best wishes.



Cathedral School's "Schools Gotta Dance" Team

On behalf of the staff and myself, thank you for the generous words and gifts.

On our return in September, Miss Cavaleri will be Mrs Giles and Miss O'Toole will be Mrs Barratt; we wish them great joy this summer.

A special farewell to children moving away/travelling/changing school this summer, you will be missed : Linus, Rocha, Henry, Rose, Anya and Neve

I wish I could provide further outcomes from the Ofsted report in March. The Governors are in school for their part of the Action Plan on Monday, but the current feedback we have is positive; that we have responded and dealt with each identified issue, and our results are proof of impact.

I am committed to providing detailed information when I have an official verified response, whether from the Local Authority or an HMI. In the meantime I wish everyone a safe and restful summer break.

Please see the table which schools our Year 6 pupils are going to in September

Best wishes



School Council visits the Mayor at the

## Design a 'water' poster

If anyone would like to design a poster encouraging children to drink water then the winner will have their poster laminated and placed in every classroom!

You might need to research the importance of drinking water to add some catchy facts.

The poster needs to be on plain white A4 paper, brightly coloured, catchy, bold and simple. Posters need to be given to Mrs Morecroft on Friday 7th September with your name and class clearly written on the back.

## Chelmsford Bubble Rush

Gloria Bermudez is taking part in the Chelmsford Bubble Rush on 05/08/2018 to raise money for Little Havens Children's Hospice and she would really appreciate your support. Gloria is going to be raising money in memory of Maya Krishnan-Bermudez.

It's easy to donate online with a debit or credit card - just visit my JustGiving page -

<http://www.justgiving.com/owner-email/pleasesponsor/Gloria-Bermudez>

JustGiving sends your donation straight to Little Havens Children's Hospice and automatically reclaims Gift Aid if you are a UK taxpayer, so your donation is worth even more.



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## PTA News

Thank you very much to everyone who came to Inflatables Day last weekend, to those who donated toys and cakes for the stalls, to all who helped run the stalls (many of whom did far longer than their 30 minute stint!) and to everyone who helped to set-up and/or tidy up afterwards. We hope you all had a great time - the children certainly seemed to enjoy themselves!

Thanks to all of your efforts and generosity, we finished the year with a fantastic fundraising total, and will be able to help the school purchase 4 interactive TVs for the classrooms. Hopefully once we return in September we can work to add to that total!

The PTA AGM will follow the Meet The Teacher evening in September. Please consider over the holidays if you would like to join the PTA committee next year, in either a nominated role or as a general member. We look forward to seeing you at the AGM.

## Summer Safety

### Stay safe in the sun

- Stay out of the sun during the hottest parts of the day, particularly 11am – 3pm.
- If you have to go out when it is hot, make sure you apply sunscreen, wear a sun hat and move into the shade where possible.
- Drink plenty of water/cold drinks, but avoid drinks containing caffeine.
- Spraying water onto your skin or placing a damp cloth on the back of your neck will help you keep cool.
- In hot weather, keep an eye on people who are elderly, ill or very young. Make sure they are able to keep cool.

### Home Security

- Always lock your windows and doors. In 1 in 10 burglaries, access is gained to property through an open window or door.
- Keep valuables out of site e.g: Smart phones, mobile devices, home entertainment systems, jewellery, car keys.
- Always lock garden gates, garages and sheds.
- Do not leave keys outside the property (e.g: under a mat or in a plant pot). Wherever possible leave keys with a trusted person to allow access.
- Store away tools or ladders so they so they can't be used to aid burglars.
- Use outdoor lighting and CCTV to deter burglars.
- Do not post on social media while you are away on holiday.

### Camp fires

- Camp fires must be started/supervised by a responsible adult.
- Only light a camp fire in specially designated areas/sites.
- Choose a clear area away from trees and bushes.
- Ensure there are no overhanging branches.
- Use a fire ring if provided. If not, make one with stones/rocks. This will help contain the ash.
- Keep gathered fire wood away from the area.

### Water safety

Don't swim in rivers, lakes or quarries – it can be extremely dangerous. Every year in the UK young people are seriously injured or die as a result of swimming in open waters.

#### Hidden dangers

- There may be hidden currents.
- It will be very cold.
- It can be difficult to get out (steep slimy banks).
- There may be hidden rubbish, e.g shopping trolleys, broken glass.
- It is very difficult to estimate depth.
- The water may be polluted and make you ill.
- There are no lifeguards.

### At the beach

- Read and take in the safety information signs. If you are going to swim, pay special attention to the information about coloured flags.
- The tides can be dangerous, so check this before setting up on the beach or going into the sea. Check with the lifeguard on patrol if you're unsure.
- Only use inflatables on a beach that's patrolled by lifeguards. Make sure children's inflatables are secured with a guide line and held by a responsible adult.
- Take extra care around slippery rocks, cliff tops, harbour walls, piers and rock pools.
- Do not jump from a height into the sea. There may be jagged rocks or similar matter just below the surface.
- Do not build sand tunnels to climb through. They can easily collapse on people and suffocate them.
- Don't forget about sun protection. Ensure children and young people have access to high factor sun cream, sunglasses, a t-shirt and hat, a beach umbrella and a cool drink.





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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.

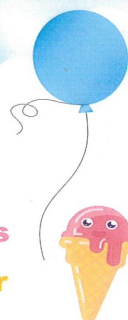
Sessions will start on Saturday July 7<sup>th</sup> and run until Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September and will take place:

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 11<sup>th</sup> 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 26<sup>th</sup> July at 2-4pm - Gosfield  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 2-4pm - Colchester  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August at 1:30-3:30pm - Sudbury

**Early bird price!**  
**£7.50**  
before 15<sup>th</sup> July    Standard price  
£10.00

Go to [www.josiedom.co.uk](http://www.josiedom.co.uk) to book your place!

**WRITTE MINORS FOOTBALL CLUB**  
FOUNDED 1944

**SUMMER 2018**

**Soccer Fun School**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2018  
10am to 3pm daily

Open to boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 13 years old, (everyone welcome even if you are not part of the football club)

The Soccer Fun School includes:  
Coaching, Competitions, School Summer Fun kit and a football, (kit included if attending 3 or more days)

For more information ask your Writtle Minors team Manager / Coach, send an email to [writtleminors@writtleminors.co.uk](mailto:writtleminors@writtleminors.co.uk) or phone: 01245 420862

**£75**  
per child  
for the week

Venue: Paradise Road, Writtle, CM1 3HW

**Trolls**  
FOR AGES 4-7YRS

**SUMMER SCHOOL**  
30<sup>th</sup> July-3<sup>rd</sup> 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](http://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](http://www.chelmsford.gov.uk/museumevents)

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