



# The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Friday 22nd March 2019

## Spring 2019 Lunch Menu

Next Week is Week 4

Menu [Click Here](#)

## Diary Dates

### To View Our Online Calendar

[Click Here](#)

23.03.19 PTA Family Party  
25.03.19 Bags2school bags available  
Netball Festival  
01.04.19 **Recycle Workshop**  
05.04.19 Last day of Term

### 08.04.19 - 22.04.19 Easter Holiday

23.04.19 Summer Term 1 begins  
30.04.19 Bags2school bags collected  
06.05.19 Bank Holiday

### 13.05.19 - 16.05.16 KS2 SATs Week

18.05.19 PTA Spring Ball  
24.05.19 Cathedral Lunchtime Concert  
12am

### 27.05.19 - 31.05.19 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  
05.06.19 Year 5 Food & Farming trip  
07.06.19 Pentecost Service 2pm  
Cathedral  
19.06.19 **Sports Day**  
26.06.19 **EYFS Layer Marney Towers trip**  
08.07.19 Year 6 Production CCHS  
11.07.19 Y6 Year Trip to Bradwell  
18.07.19 Thank you Tea party  
Year in school Event  
24.07.19 Last Day of Term  
03.09.19 Non-Pupil Day  
04.09.19 Non-Pupil Day  
05.09.19 Pupils begin Autumn 1 Term  
27.09.19 Harvest Service 2pm  
Cathedral  
30.09.19 Year 5 Residential Trip  
Kingswood, Overstrand  
25.10.19 Non-Pupil Day

### 28.10.19 - 01.11.19 Half Term

04.11.19 Autumn 2 Term begins  
16.12.19 Carol Services 6:30pm  
Cathedral  
19.12.19 Last day of autumn term

### 20.12.19 - 03.01.20 Christmas Holiday

06.01.20 Spring 1 Term begins  
14.02.20 Non-Pupil Day

### 17.02.20 - 21.02.20 Half Term

24.02.20 Spring 2 Term begins  
03.04.20 Last Day of Spring Term

### 08.04.20 - 17.04.20 Easter Holiday

20.04.20 Summer 1 Term begins  
04.05.20 Bank Holiday

### 25.05.20 - 29.05.20 Half Term

01.06.20 Non-Pupil Day  
02.06.20 Summer 2 Term begins  
22.07.20 Last Day of Summer Term

Red recently added



## Ducks Are Here!

Some are still to arrive!

## FIRST LEAGUE VICTORY



The Cathedral Girls Football team claimed their first victory of the league season with a thumping 3-0 success at Boreham Primary last Friday.

Playing uphill and into the wind in the first half, the girls had to defend bravely and went in at half-time with the score level. After a rousing team talk from Mrs Burden, the girls quickly took the lead in the second half through Tabi, who then scored two more goals to complete her hat-trick.

Daisy, who was making her debut, said, "I really enjoyed how we all cheered each other on and shared teamwork and were able to pass the ball."

Bella, who was making her second appearance, said, "We were way better this time as we have got used to each other, so we knew how to help each other to use our tactics."

Captain Tabi added, "The best thing for me was that everybody helped and contributed to our win."

The team have their next game this afternoon at home to St Annes.

## BOYS QUALIFY FOR LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINALS



The Cathedral Boys team claimed the Football League title last Friday with a 4-0 victory at Boreham Primary.

Kicking uphill in the first-half, the red and black stripes were still able to take a 2-0 lead, thanks to a neat flick from Nana and a shot into the bottom corner from Jake. After the break, Joseph made it 3-0 with a swift turn and shot before Harrison volleyed home the last goal from a free-kick.

Captain Harrison said, "We played well in both halves, attacking, passing and playing as a team well. It is great to think we have won a league."

Alex added, "It was hard to play on a pitch with such long grass and in such windy conditions, but we deserved the win."

The team will now play in the semi-finals of the League Cup competition in the summer term. They wait to find out who their opponents will be.



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## Waste Week 2019 - week beginning 1st April



The children are very excited about reducing plastic waste from our world and during waste week this will be our main focus! We have registered for the 'Great Big School Clean' as part of a national clean up, will be holding a house competition and the children will be learning about recycling, reducing and reusing. If you would like to help at all, feel you have knowledge in this area or would like to support us in any way, please contact the school office. Watch out for our updates on our ECO page on the school website.

## THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

**MENU: Spring 2019**

**WEEK: 4**

**SCHOOL  
MENU  
FOR WEEK  
COMMENCING  
25th  
MARCH  
2019**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> Cauliflower Macaroni Cheese Peas Mixed Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Veggie Burger in a bun with tomato relish Peas Mixed Salad		Sticky Toffee Cake and Custard
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> Homemade Chicken Pie with Shortcrust Pastry & Gravy New potatoes, Sliced Carrots & Green Beans Salad Bar	<b>OPTION 2</b> Cheddar Whirls New potatoes, Sliced Carrots & Green Beans Salad Bar	<b>OPTION 3</b> Jacket Potato With Beans and Cheese Salad Bar	Jam Doughnut
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> Butcher's Pork Sausages Mash Potato, Garden Peas, Baked Beans	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Pork Sausages Mash Potato, Garden Peas, Baked Beans	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cheese & Onion Quiche	Coconut & Cranberry Cookie
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> Sweet & Sour Pork Coconut Rice or Plain Rice Broccoli Trees	<b>OPTION 2</b> Sweet & Sour Vegetables Coconut Rice or Plain Rice Broccoli Trees	<b>OPTION 3</b> Jacket Potato with Cheese or Ham	Chocolate Fairy Cake
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> Fish Cake Crispy Chips, Garden Peas and baked beans Salad bar	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Dippers Crispy Chips, Garden Peas and baked beans Salad bar		Ice Cream Pot



Year 6 Isle of Wight final instalment £79 is due 22nd March 2019.



Please can you check your SCOPay accounts and pay any outstanding debts as soon as possible.

If you have any queries please contact the school office [office@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk](mailto:office@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk)



If anyone has an interest in gardening and has the odd hour spare, or knows of a grandparent or family friend that would like to help the school ECO/gardening team, please see Mrs Morecroft. We would be very grateful for some regular input!



## APPEAL

We Need Your Help: Key Stage One are happy, and would be grateful to receive any unwanted recycling. As part of our Art topic we will be creating junk model sculptures based on the works of Michelle Reader & Jill Townsley. Please bring any 'junk' to Class 5.



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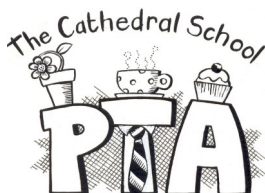
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## Coming Up This Term:

**EYFS/ KS1** – Tomorrow it is our Family Party (Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March)! We look forward to seeing your fancy dress. Second hand uniform will be also be available.

**Mother Day Gifts** – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March. Thank you to everyone for sending in their forms. It's going to be a busy day. Thanks in advance to all our fabulous volunteers!

(LAST DAY FOR MOTHER DAY ORDERS IS MONDAY 25th MARCH 2019)

**Bags2school** – Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April

**Spring Ball** – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May, confirmations and deposit requests have now gone out. Please pay deposits by the 1<sup>st</sup> April.

Payments can be paid by cash, cheque or via our mydonate event page:

<http://mydonate.bt.com/events/springball2019/487544>.

There is still time to get your booking form in if you haven't done so already. All welcome!

Raffle tickets will be on sale in April – if anyone has the opportunity to request matched charity funding from their work and would be open to getting involved in fundraising please let us know!

We are on a quest for some amazing RAFFLE & SILENT AUCTION prizes. If you are able to make a donation or if you know of any local businesses that would be willing to support our event, please email us and we will take it from there!

This is our second biggest fundraiser of the academic year -  
your generous support can really make the difference!

**JOIN YOUR PTA – TUESDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> April**

Thank you to everyone for your continued support and if you would like to be more involved in fundraising for the Ball or any other PTA efforts please let us know or come along to our next meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 7.30pm!

Contact your PTA via email: [pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk](mailto:pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk)





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## COMMUNITY NEWS

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**GRANGEWATERS**  
Outdoor Education Centre  
Buckles Lane, South Ockendon RM15 6RS

### Easter Family Activities 2019

Come over for some activities as a family or a few friends. Sessions are £9 per person.  
We will be delivering a range of water and land based activities – something for everyone...

Date	Session 1: 9.30-11am	Session 2: 11.15am-12.45pm
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Archery	Paddle boarding
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> April	Abseiling & High Ropes	Kayaking
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Pioneering	Canoeing
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Bush craft	Canoe raft
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Mountain Biking	Sailing

Our annual Easter egg hunt is on all the above dates between 10am - 4pm.  
Check in at Reception for your map. £2 per family



For further information visit [www.thurrock.gov.uk/grangewaters](http://www.thurrock.gov.uk/grangewaters) To book call **01708 855 221**

[thurrock.gov.uk](http://thurrock.gov.uk)



### Understanding Children 7-9pm

At Chelmsford Adult Community Learning Centre,  
Beeches Close, Chelmsford CM1 2SB

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

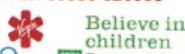
Suitable for parents of pre-school and primary aged children

Parenting is a 24/7 job,  
challenging at the best of times.  
This is an opportunity to come and discuss  
how to take some of the stress out of your family life.

Parents / carers will learn TOP TIPS of skills, techniques and positive practices to raise their child's self-esteem and confidence.

Covering topics such as anger management, discipline techniques, getting your children to listen ..... Come along and find out more!

To book your place  
or for more information please contact:  
Sarah on 03330 320903



**SATURDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH  
2-6PM**

Boreham Village Hall  
Main Road, Boreham,  
Chelmsford  
CM3 3JD

We are holding a talent show to help raise funds for our new majorette federation E.O.B.F. which will cater for disabled and abled children and adults.

Children and adults of all ages are welcome to take part in our talent show! There will be prizes to win and refreshments will be available through the day. We will also be holding a raffle.

Talent show entries will be £3 per person or £5 per group.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Gillian Kirk on 07757416647 or email Becky at [beckywhite55@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:beckywhite55@hotmail.co.uk)

WE ACCEPT  
CHILD CARE  
VOUCHERS

# MEGA CAMPS

KIDS DAY ACTIVITY CAMPS

AGES  
4-14

## EASTER CAMP 2019

8th - 26th April

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR YOUR LOCATIONS SPECIFIC DATES

MEGA  
ACTIVITIES  
FOR BOTH  
BOYS & GIRLS

BILLERICAY  
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CHELMSFORD

DARTFORD  
HORNCHURCH

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THURROCK  
UPMINSTER

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### Spinning Wheel Theatre presents **The Velveteen Rabbit**

Adapted from the book by Margery Williams

**Chelmsford Library**  
Thursday 11 April, 11am

**A magical show for all the family to enjoy!**

Suitable for children aged 4 and over



**Tickets  
£6.50**

Book online at [libraries.essex.gov.uk/events](http://libraries.essex.gov.uk/events)

For further information contact  
Essex Libraries on 0345 603 7628  
or visit [libraries.essex.gov.uk/events](http://libraries.essex.gov.uk/events)



### SPRING INTO ACTION

Challenge yourself!  
Try a new sport for **FREE** this spring.

Chelmsford Spring into Action takes place between March and June 2019 and there are loads of free activities for you to try.

Sports clubs, charities and community organisations are holding a range of open days, come and try sessions and challenges to encourage everyone in Chelmsford to be more active.

Sports include everything from Badminton to Water Polo, Martial Arts to Tennis and Bowls to Ice Hockey.

Activities including, walking running, dance, ballet, cycling and a whole host of exercise and fitness classes.

Searching for a local charity challenge to run, walk or ride? Look no further.

Across the Chelmsford area, from the City Centre to South Woodham Ferrers and our local villages you'll be able to find an activity close to you. Just check out the website or look at our facebook page.



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[www.chelmsford.gov.uk/springintoaction](http://www.chelmsford.gov.uk/springintoaction)



Enjoy | Enrich | Achieve

### MOULSHAM HIGH SCHOOL Football Fun Weeks

Monday 8th April - Friday 12th April 2019  
Monday 29th July - Friday 2nd August 2019  
Monday 12th August - Friday 16th August 2019



FOR CHILDREN  
AGED  
BETWEEN  
5 AND 12

FOR AN APPLICATION FORM AND MORE INFORMATION:

[www.moulshamhigh.org/200/football-fun-weeks](http://www.moulshamhigh.org/200/football-fun-weeks) [footballfunweeks](https://www.facebook.com/footballfunweeks)

We work closely with the following clubs:



# Walk for Life

## Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019

12km & 24km routes

### Register today

[www.farleighhospice.org/walk](http://www.farleighhospice.org/walk)

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