



The Cathedral School Newsletter

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"I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?"

Friday 3rd February 2017

My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth." Psalm 121

Spring Term

NEXT WEEKS'S DINNER

MENU is Week 2

Letters sent out this week:

Class 3 letter from the Head

Class 4 letter from the Head (year 1 only)

Class 8 letter from the Head

Whole School letter from the Head

above letters emailed only

Year 6 Booster sessions

Tri-golf before school club

Internet Safety day

copies found on the website

Diary Dates

- 06.02.17 Year 5 Road Safety Walk
- 07.02.17 Ambulance visit Foundation
- 09.02.17 Year 5/6 Cross Country
Chelmer Park
- 10.02.17 Non Pupil Day
- 20.02.17 Bags2School Collection
- 23.02.17 Y3/4 Cross Country(Melbourne)
- 27.02.17 SATs information evening
(year 6 only)
- 28.02.17 Year 4 Superstars(Melbourne)
- 02.03.17 Lent Service 2pm The Cathedral
- 03.03.17 World Book Day dress-up;-
theme is Shakespeare
- 07.03.17 Parent Consultations 5-8pm
- 09.03.17 Parent Consultations 4-7pm
- 13.03.17 Colchester Castle, Y3/4
- 17.03.17 FS Learning Journey
Girl's football (H) v St Annes
- 21.03.17 Y4 Easter Workshop
- 30.03.17 Tesco Workshop KS1&FS
- 31.03.17 Break up for Easter
- 18.04.17 Return to school
- 01.05.17 Bank holiday
- 10.05.17 FS Learning Journey,
3.30—3.45 pm
- 26.05.17 Lunchtime Concert,
Chelmsford Cathedral
- 29.05.17 Half term
- 05.06.17 Non Pupil Day (except Y6)
Y6 pupils go to the Isle of Wight
- 06.06.17 Return to school
- 08.06.17 Y2 Mini Games
- 23.06.17 FS Learning Journey,
3.30-3.45 pm
- 24.06.17 PTA Inflatable Day
- 05.07.17 Visit to Layer Marney, KS1
- 20.07.17 Leavers Service, 6.30 pm
Cathedral
- 21.07.17 Break Up for Summer

Dear Parents

This week saw a new initiative, with twelve girls from Year 2 taking part in a girl's football Tournament at Riverside.

Today Mrs Helen Turner left the school after many years working in the kitchen. We thank Helen for all her good efforts in this department and wish her every happiness as she moves on to work in another area of the catering industry. We welcome two new faces in the kitchen, Louise Tyler and Hayley Popplewell.

A reminder that next Friday is a non-pupil day when the staff will be undertaking training. We are part of the "One Picture" group at The National Gallery which will lead to our pupil's work being published next year on The National Gallery site.

We continue to pray for those who are unwell in our community. I have had some quite wonderful things said to me both startling and profound by children in the last few days; I hope that the weekend brings similar blessings to all.

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COMMUNICATION ISSUE

Thank you to the parents who have pointed out errors in our messages this week. Our Technical Support Team tells us this is a problem with some PDF Readers on Android devices, as other families have received identical messages without errors.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Laura Summers is running THE LONDON MARATHON this year on the 23 April 2017, with her husband Clark, for Motor Neurone Disease Association in memory of her mum (Sam and Alex's Nanny), whom they lost to the disease. If you feel that you would like to support them, attached is a link to their JustGiving page [Click here.](#)

Survey on journeys to school

SURVEY CLOSING MONDAY

[Please click here start the survey](#)

Change of MENU

Tuesday 7th February 2017 Change from Meatballs to Spaghetti Bolognese - Vegetarian option will be Vegetable Bolognese

Thursday 9th February 2017 Change from Chicken Pie to Fish & Chips - Vegetarian option will be Free range folded omelette

Bags2School

Bags for clothes donations will be dropped off to the school week commencing 6th February 2017. We will distribute them with the pupils, donation are to be dropped off at school before half term so they are available to be collected on the morning of Monday 20th February 2017. ONLY 4 Days !

PTA NEWS

PTA request second hand uniform for a 2nd hand uniform sale, any donations are welcome unfortunately they are unable to accept underwear and shirts.

Girls Football Festival at Riverside

On Thursday afternoon, 12 girls from Year 2 competed in the first Essex FA KS1 Girls Football Festival



at Riverside. The girls were split into three teams of four and played three matches each against schools from across Chelmsford and beyond. If you are interested in football for girls, there is a free 'Come and Play' Football Festival inside The



Dome at Great Baddow High School tomorrow (Saturday) for Years 1 to 4. For Under 7s and Under 8s the festival takes place between 9.30am and 11am and for Under 9s between 11am and 12.30pm.