



The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Song of Solomon 8: 7

"Many waters cannot quench love, neither can floods drown it"

Friday 19th May 2017

Summer Term

**NEXT DINNER MENU is
New Summer Term Menu**

Week 3

[Click here](#)

Diary Dates

- 19.05.17 Year 2,3 & 4 PTA Disco
- 26.05.17 Lunchtime Concert,
Chelmsford Cathedral.
Foundation "Pirate Day"
Maya's Cake Sale
- 27.05.17 Final Instalment for
Kingswood Residential Trip
- 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
- 10.06.17 PTA Summer Party
- 14.06.17 KS1 and R Sport's morning
KS2 Sports Afternoon
- 16.06.17 PTA Father's Day
- 19.06.17 Junior Music Festival
- 23.06.17 FS Learning Journey,
3.30-3.45 pm
Upper School PTA Disco
- 24.06.17 PTA Inflatable Day
- 04.07.17 Summer Concert
- 05.07.17 Visit to Layer Marney, KS1
- 11.07.17 Year 6 Production
- 15.07.17 The PTA Summer Ball
- 20.07.17 Leavers Service, 6.30 pm
Cathedral
- 21.07.17 Break Up for Summer

LETTERS SENT HOME

Year 6 PHSE & SRE
Choir/Orchestra Rehearsal

Essex 11 +

Selection Test

2018 Entry

Please [Click Here](#) to see the
important date.

Dear Parents

Wednesday's assembly this week had several parts; Worship was led by the Rev Paul Greenland, always a friend to the school with an interesting version of The Prodigal Son which he related to election campaigns and how personalities can become judged. The children were able to recognise the resentment of the sibling and God's message.

We also said goodbye to Mrs Lau on Wednesday. Mrs Lau has been associated with us for 20 years as a piano teacher. She has brought wonderful musicality and skills to her role and she will be greatly missed by her pupils and staff; we wish her a long and happy retirement.

The final part of assembly was the visit of Mr Wright, who has encouraged and helped us with our Chess competition each year for Years 4, 5 and 6. The competition was facilitated this year by Miss O'Toole and the record number of thirty children took part and Mr Wright encouraged the children to learn the game before presenting the prizes.

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Key Stage 1 children should be proud of their attitude and achievement in tackling tests this week. Assessment is ongoing, but it is always good to start this process, for some children they rise to the challenge and are proud to show what they can do, for others resilience begins to grow and tests become part of the normal process of life.

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Water Bottles

Summer is now around the corner please can we remind pupils to remember to bring water bottles in.

Chess Tournament

On 4th May 2017 upper school children competed in the chess qualifiers at The Cathedral School to try and achieve a place in the mega finals. Children from years 4, 5 and 6 played against other pupils in their year. Each year group had a first place trophy and the winners of those are: Francis Banwo (Year 4) Tosin Osoba (Year 5) and Alfie Holdstock (Year 6). The event was a very exciting experience as things were very tense in the chess room.

Maya Cake Sale

We will be holding a Frozen themed cake sale after school on Friday 26 May outside Class 3. This is to raise money to buy a memorial for Maya.

Any cakes would be gratefully received, please bring in on Friday morning to the School Office.





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Guy Harling's Garden

The footpath through Guy Harling's Garden is not actually a right of way (the one that goes though/by the Cathedral and Diocese offices). Next week they are installing gates which on occasion may be locked shut.

Also please note the Guy Harling's car park is not to be used by Cathedral School parents when collecting their children.

Bottles Tops and Plastic Bottles

Please can the pupils bring in bottle tops in and continue adding to the ECO board.

Can Miss Pool request empty plastic bottles to be donated and left outside Class 11.



NEW! STARTING TUESDAY 2ND MAY

FREE

BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Tuesday mornings

10.00 - 11.30

Make new friends while your children enjoy playing

Tea and coffee with biscuits



**Find us in the back hall of
Broomfield Methodist Church**

124 Main Road, Broomfield, CM1 7AG

Tel: 01245 442448 or 07946635068

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PTA NEWS

- **PTA BALL** - There is one table and a couple of spaces left for the PTA Ball.
- Please support the PTA by using the Easyfundraising link <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk> you register yourself, find your school, start shopping and the PTA/School reap the financial benefits.
- Reminder of any Sainsburys' Active Kids Vouchers to be handed in by 23rd June 2017.
- The PTA has up to 100 white chair covers to hire, for details please contact pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk
- There are discounted Adventure Island tickets available to buy in the school office.
- We are looking for donations for the raffle and Silent Auction at our PTA Ball.

Chelmsford Library Events



Elmer Day

**Chelmsford Library
Saturday 27 May
1-2pm**

- Make your own Elmer
- Crafts and stories
- Suitable for children up to 7 years

For further information contact
Essex Libraries on 0345 603 7628
or visit libraries.essex.gov.uk/events



THE DAY THE CRAYONS QUIT
by OLIVER JEFFERS

Stand up for unfairly treated crayons in this special story challenge for #EmpathyDay

**Chelmsford Library
Tuesday 13 June
4-4.45pm**

- Listen to some great stories
- Suitable for school aged children
- What colour crayon do you want to be?

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EmpathyLab



HOST FAMILIES needed FOR FRENCH STUDENTS in CHELMSFORD area

12th – 25th July 2017
Students out all day, lessons at:

**The Chapter House, Cathedral Walk,
Chelmsford, Essex, CM1 1NX
GOOD RATES OF PAY**



For more information

Telephone: Catherine

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**Students are at school & on activities all day.
Even if you work, you can earn extra cash!
It's fun!!!**