



# The Cathedral School Newsletter

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## Spring Term

### NEXT DINNER MENU is

### Our Winter Term Menu

Week 2 [Click here](#)

### Diary Dates

- 19.01.18 County Basketball Final
- 01.02.18 Y5/6 Cross Country Hylands
- 06.02.18 Girls Away Football  
Chancellor Park
- 08.02.18 Y3/4 Cross Country  
Chelmer Park
- 09.02.18 Non-Pupil Day  
[Half Term 12.02.18 - 16.02.18](#)
- 19.02.18 Return to School
- 22.02.18 Lent Service Cathedral 2pm  
Boys Football (WHU Newham)
- 23.02.18 Girls Football Home St Annes
- 16.03.18 Boys/Girls Football Home  
Boreham
- 27.03.18 Easter Service Cathedral 2pm
- 29.03.18 End of Spring Term  
[Easter Break 30.03.18 - 13.04.18](#)
- 16.04.18 Summer Term begins
- 10.05.18 Ascension Service Cathedral 2pm
- 14.05.18 SATs Week begins
- 22.05.18 Class/Group Photos
- 25.05.18 Summer Lunchtime Concert  
Cathedral  
[Half Term 28.05.18 - 01.06.18](#)
- 04.06.18 Non Pupil Day  
Y6 Isle of Wight Trip
- 13.06.18 Hockey Tournament Chelmer Park
- 20.06.18 Sports Day EYFS/KS1 am - KS2 pm
- 18.07.18 Leavers Service Cathedral  
6:30pm
- 20.07.18 Last Day of Summer Term

Dear Parents,

### Change of Chair

Michael Minta has recently stood down as a Governor. Michael has been a Governor for seven years and the Chair for the last five. He has supported the school, the staff and children, leading the school in his strategic role.

The expertise he has brought to this important role has been incredibly valuable to the school. Much of the work of the Chair is behind the scenes, but it is very time-consuming. Michael has been on call and in school on a very regular basis to support the Head and staff. He has overseen major changes to the site and building, he has liaised with Councilors, the Diocese and professionals from many walks of life to benefit the school.

Michael will be greatly missed, but we are grateful for the commitment he has given and appreciate that he is not in a position to continue at this level. The Governors are meeting on Tuesday after which the new chair will be announced.

In the meantime, if you wish to contact the Chair, please address any correspondence by the school office to Mrs Beryl Waugh, our Vice Chair and Acting Chair.

Mrs Beryl Waugh

Acting Chair of Governors

### Premier League Writing Competition

Before Christmas the Upper school pupils entered a Primary School competition for children from across east London and Essex, they were asked to write a poem around the theme of resilience; It could be a rap, song lyrics or poetic verse. Today, Ben from West Ham United came in to assembly to reveal the results. Ollie from year 6 was announced as the winner and was presented with lots of Premier League Goodies.

This is the winning RAP!

### Try, try again

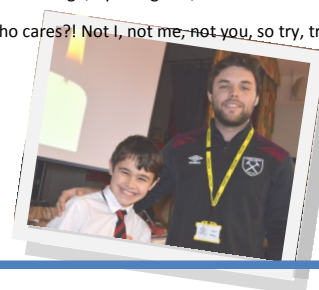
Yeah, I know its tough days  
To get up after you fall down and shake the blues away.  
But you manage, I admire that, and we all adore your aim,  
So we take a leaf from your book and we try, try again.

Hit down by the haters or bullied by the boys,  
You don't give a hint that you're the slightest bit annoyed.  
Try to hold you down, but, hey, you don't ever show your pain,  
So we copy your life choices and we try, try again.

Don't let yourself be beat up if you're losing in a sport,  
'Cause you're a little legend, and don't think an evil thought.  
Ain't nervous, I confirm this, you ain't giving up your game,  
So I command all people here to try, try again.

You and I both know that bullies are, in 2 words, wimpy freaks,  
Monsters, cheaters, non-believers, hurting so called "geeks".  
You see through them, you intrude them, and you set their heart aflame,  
So don't stop this stunning talent, and try, try again.

Life is full of great amazements, and disappoints, too,  
But still, that doesn't bother the unbroken soul of you.  
Even though, by doing this, it won't result in fame,  
Who cares?! Not I, not me, ~~not you~~, so try, try again!





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## BUG CLUB

Middle School are now encouraging children to use Bug Club at home by awarding a prize to the person in each class we feel has shown the most commitment each week. If your child does not know their log in details, please see the class teacher. To go to Bug Club [click here](#) with your child's user name, password and schools ID RQRX



## Mrs Jordan's interview

What is your role going to be at The Cathedral School?

**I am going to be teaching in class 6 while Mrs Martin is on maternity leave.**

What attracted you to our school?

**It is local to where I live and it seemed like an exciting place to learn.**

What is your favourite story from the Bible?

**My favourite story from the bible is Joseph and his coloured coat.**

What do you like to do in your spare time?

**In my spare time I like walking my dog, going to the theatre and eating out.**

Do you have any pets, if so what are they?

**I have a dog called Rufus**

If you could go back in time what country and period would you like to visit?

**If I had to go back in time I would visit Ancient Egypt**

Where do you come from?

**I have lived in Chelmsford since I was 5 –years- old**

When did you start training to be a teacher?

**I started training 22 years ago.**

If you were in a film, what film would it be?

**If I was in a film I would be in pirates of the Caribbean.**

What is your favourite school subject?

**My favourite school subject is math**



Please can we remind everyone, that Trading cards are not allowed in school. It would be greatly appreciated if the cards can be left at home. Thank you.



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## Sports Hall Athletics

On Friday 5 January 2018, 27 pupils from upper school took part in sports hall athletics. Everybody did extremely well and we placed 3<sup>rd</sup> overall with 182 points. Everyone supported each other brilliantly and together, we won chest push, standing triple jump, boys 2x2 relay, boys 4x1 relay, girls over/under relay, soft javelin and chest push.

Well done to everybody who participated.

**Scopay** by



Due to changes in our online payment system, there is now no minimum payment restriction.

If you have had difficulties or you haven't yet registered with SCOPay please contact the school office [office@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk](mailto:office@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk)

## Drawing Competition



A drawing competition is being run by children of the Drawing Club. The competition opens today and closes on 26th January. The competition will be judged by Miss O'Toole, Mrs Prentice, Mrs Kannard and Finley W, there will be prizes for winners and runners up per year group. Pupils can draw in school or choose to create the artwork at home.

*Nature* is the theme and entries are to be on a named A4 sheet of paper with their year and class. The artwork is to use only colouring pencils. This has to be an independent drawing unfortunately we cannot accept parental assistance.

Winners will be announced 30th January 2018

## Community News

