



# The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Friday 29th June 2018

## Summer Term

### NEXT DINNER MENU is

#### Week 2

[Click Here](#)

## Diary Dates

- 02.07.18 Buddhism Day  
Summer School Concert  
Hall 6:30pm
- 03.07.18 Y6 Pilgrimage Bradwell on sea  
Yr3/4 Mayan Day
- 06.07.18 Non-uniform Day
- 13.07.18 Thank You Tea Party  
Year 6 Party
- 14.07.18 PTA Inflatable Day
- 16.07.18 Year 6 Production
- 18.07.18 Leavers Service Cathedral 6:30pm
- 20.07.18 Last Day of Summer Term
- 04.09.18 Non Pupil Day
- 05.09.18 Non Pupil Day
- 06.09.18 Autumn Term 1 begins
- 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

Dear Parents

As examination periods come to an end, Primary schools continue to be very busy. Staff have been preparing reports and the final moderation took place as we sent off our data to both the local authority and national authorities yesterday. We will then await verification of the KS2 tests. The children have worked hard to do themselves justice and I must commend the staff who following our Ofsted report of the Spring term, have responded in the most appropriate way, rising to every challenge to do their best for the children. Reports are expected to be issued in two weeks time when we have the external results.

With no sign of a revisit by an HMI at the current time. I hope that I will be able to bring information to the community when the Local Authority officers have met and our progress has been discussed.

In the meantime, I am grateful for the opportunity to have discussions with the Parents Forum group and minutes from those meetings and can be found on the website. We have agreed that the nominated reps will continue next year as year group representatives, as classes can change and there will be a half term meeting (Friday morning and Tuesday evening)

Linda Wiskin

## PTA News



This week we began selling the East Anglia Pass. This is a promotional pass that gives great deals at many attractions across East Anglia, and costs £13 when purchased via the PTA. For more information see the recent scopay email or contact [pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk](mailto:pta@cathedralschool.essex.sch.uk)

The final PTA meeting of this academic year will be on Tuesday 10 July, 7.30pm at school. The main focus of the meeting will be preparations for Inflatables Day. All are welcome - if you're considering joining the PTA committee for 2018/19, why not come along to this meeting?

Wristbands for Inflatables Day (14 July) can be bought online at [mydonate.bt.com/events/inflatablesday](http://mydonate.bt.com/events/inflatablesday). Please remember wristbands will only be available to purchase on the gate if numbers allow.



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## Sports News

### Dodgeball Tournament 2018

On the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 2018, the Cathedral school competed in a dodgeball tournament to decide who will represent Chelmsford in the Essex county finals.

In Pool 2, we played against Writtle primary school and lost 3-0, we then played Barnes farm won 2-1 and qualified for the play-offs. Afterwards, we played Boreham and lost 3-0, finally, we played Bishops in our closest and most excited game, which we eventually lost 2-1.

Luke said, "We played really well considering it was only our second tournament."

William C said, "It was a great finish for our school as we came 6<sup>th</sup> out of 9 teams as we are new to this sport."

Finishing line up: 1<sup>st</sup> Lawford Mead Primary School, 2<sup>nd</sup> Purleigh Primary School, 3<sup>rd</sup> Writtle Primary School, 4<sup>th</sup> Boreham Primary School, 5<sup>th</sup> Bishops Primary School, 6<sup>th</sup> The Cathedral School, 7<sup>th</sup> Barnes Farm Primary School, 8<sup>th</sup> Westlands Primary School, 9<sup>th</sup> Tyrrells Primary School.



Report by William C, Luke and Rebekah (Year 5)

## District Sports

On Monday, 6 Year sixes took part in the District Sports field events. Elijah and Catherine both came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the high jump event. The Elli & Euan participated in the long jump and Annie RH and Al did the throwing.

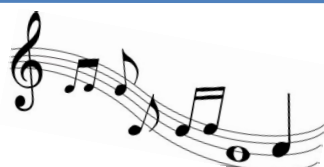
The following Friday, the track event team participated in 20 track events. Jasmine S and Catherine came 1<sup>st</sup> in their 80m sprint and for the first time, we won the girl's circuit relay with a team of Ava, Jasmine, Olivia M and Catherine. Olivia said, "It was nerve-racking but fun."

There were seven wins on the track overall – the most the school has achieved in more than a decade. Others winners were Jacob and Joshua in Year 3 60m sprint, and Tabitha and Nana Kwame in the Year 4 sprint.

The rest of the team were Olivia C, Harrison, Tosin, Joseph, Leah, Jake, Grace, Anna-bel, Rosie and Evie. We came a fifth overall, a fine result as we have been placed in a group with bigger schools.



By Jasmine and Olivia M (Year 6)



## Summer Concert

Our "Summer Concert" is on Monday (2nd July) at 6.30pm Members of the Infant and Junior Choirs and the Orchestra should arrive at school at 6.15pm in their Summer uniform

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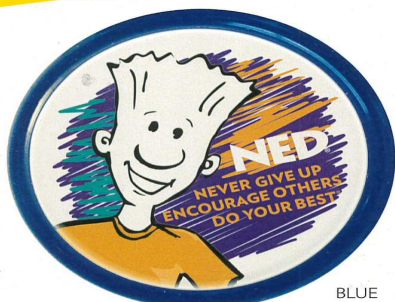
After a very successful NED assembly focusing on Growth Mind-set, next week Monday - Thursday at break times outside Class 11, children will be able to purchase Yo-Yos (seen below, can we request exact money).

A designated area will be assigned on the playground for Yo-Yo practice and developing skills. Please can we ask that pupils to have their Yo-Yo's named to avoid future confusion during these exciting play times.

**NED**

*Keep NED's message in motion!*

Never give up  
Encourage others  
Do your best™



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Glow-in-the-dark



PINK

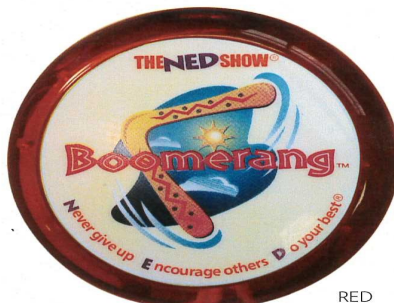


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ORANGE

**NED<sup>®</sup> YO**  
**£5**



RED

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BLUE



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PINK

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ORANGE



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**YO HOLSTER**

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**£3**



**REPLACEMENT STRING**

10 strings, assorted colours

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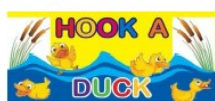
## Community News




Would like to invite you to the  
*Congregational picnic after the all age service in  
the Cathedral*

*Patronal festival on 1<sup>st</sup> July  
11.30 to 2pm @ Guy Harlings*

*Bring a picnic, a blanket and some sunshine!  
Old fashioned fete games and fun for all*





### Junior Performing Group 7-11 yrs

Mondays 4-5pm

### & Performing Group 11-18 yrs

Mondays 5.10 - 6.10pm

Fun Singing Workshops. Working Towards Concerts. Term Fees Apply.

Millennium Community Centre,  
Park View Room,  
Baddow Road,  
Chelmsford, CM2 9RL

For more information:  
[www.janeparkermusic.com](http://www.janeparkermusic.com)  
[www.little2bigvoices.com](http://www.little2bigvoices.com)  
Tel: 07952 610 223  
[janeparkersinger@hotmail.com](mailto:janeparkersinger@hotmail.com)



### Summer 2018 'Choir In A Day'

Do you enjoy singing?

Are you aged between 5-18 years?

**Come and join us!**

Hazelmere Junior School  
Colchester CO4 3JP

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018 – 10am to 3pm

Register today from just £5.00

Would you like to improve your singing skills?

Fancy singing with other people?

For more information and details of how to register please call Dave Arch on 03330 321351 or email [ensembles@essex.gov.uk](mailto:ensembles@essex.gov.uk)

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### Summer 2018 Guitar Workshop

Do you play the guitar?

Are you aged between 5-18 years?

**Come and join us!**

Hazelmere Junior School  
Colchester CO4 3JP

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018 – 10am to 3pm

Register today for just £10.00

Would you like to improve your playing skills?

Fancy playing with other guitarists?

For more information and details of how to register please call Dave Arch on 03330 321351 or email [ensembles@essex.gov.uk](mailto:ensembles@essex.gov.uk)

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# CHELMSFORD FESTIVAL

**This Saturday: 30th June**

Throughout the day: 10am-4pm (Chelmsford)

- Free Mad Science workshops & shows @ Meadows shopping centre (Sat & Sun)
- Canoeing Taster sessions- £5 for 15mn- bring a change a clothes + towel

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