



The Cathedral School Newsletter

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Luke 2. V 14 "....Peace on Earth, Goodwill to men"

Thursday 19th December 2019

Headteacher Message

Dear Parents,

This week has been full of preparations and celebrations of Christmas, particularly the Carol Service in The Cathedral, the Christmas dinner, the choir visit to Havencourt, the charity breakfast, the "gritter" lorry, an inaugural staff panto for the children and our final Crib Service.

Thanks are due to everyone who participated and the parental support we have received particularly from the PTA and a Governor at the Christmas dinner. The newsletter reflects many different events across the term, to remind us of the highlights.

Donations received:

Havencourt; £50.74

Save the Children; £200

Kenya Link; £88.12

Items for the Food Bank

Wishing everyone a Joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Linda Wiskin and all the staff at The Cathedral School.

Diary Dates

Jan
06 First Day of Spring Term

Jan
07 Sports Hall Athletics
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm @ Melbourne
Invited Upper school pupils

Jan
08 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Jan
13 Year 6 Girls Chorister Audition
9:30 am - 11:00 am @ School

Jan
15 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Jan
16 Kingswood Initial Parents Meeting
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm @ School
Meeting about the year 5 (current year 4) residential trip to Kingswood in 27th -30th September 2020

Jan
22 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Jan
29 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Feb
03 EYFS Balanceability
9:30 am - 12:30 pm @ School

Feb
05 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Feb
11 Year 4 Superstars
12:30 pm - 2:45 pm @ Melbourne

Feb
12 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Feb
14 Non Pupil Day

Feb
15 Half Term

Feb
19 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Feb
24 First Day of second half of Spring Term

Feb
26 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Feb
28 Girls football league match v St Annes
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm @ School

Mar
02 EYFS Balance Ability Comp
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm @ Melbourne
Invited children only

Mar
04 NSPCC Assembly and workshops
9:00 am - 2:00 pm @ School

Mar
06 Double Header Football Matches v Boreham
2:30 pm - 5:30 pm @ School
Girls Team play first School Team Second

Mar
09 EYFS Parent's Consultation
1:00 pm - 6:30 pm @ School

Mar
09 Parents' Evening
4:00 pm - 6:30 pm @ School

Mar
11 Upper School Swimming (Classes 9,10,11)
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Mar
12 EYFS Parent's Consultation
1:00 pm - 7:30 pm @ School

Mar
12 Parents' Evening
4:30 pm - 7:30 pm @ School

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EYFS Gritter Visit



Yesterday afternoon EYFS had a Gritter lorry from Essex County Council visit the school.

We learnt about the important job the Gritters do in winter on our roads. The event was organised after Edward, a EYFS pupil, had contacted ECC. A Gritter lorry is now going to be named 'Edward'!



PTA NEWS



From all of us on the PTA Committee, a great big thank you for everyone's support in the 1st term. We have already had a first class disco of the year, Dreamcatcher Photography, Cauliflower Cards, Grenville Nurseries, Adventure Island and of course the much loved Christmas Bazaar. We are looking forward to next term where we will host our first Quiz Night, Mother's Day and more uniform & book sales! Our combined fundraising has already supported the school with Bug Club subscriptions and a new sound system for the hall and we look forward to sharing our 2020 fundraising plans with you!

Thank you and Merry Christmas!

Upcoming Events include Quiz night at the school on Saturday 25th January & Summer Ball - Chelmsford City Racecourse - Saturday 13th June

Book People



We have joined the '@big Book Boost' so we would like to make you aware that if you are planning on purchasing any products from 'The Book People' we have registered our school with them which means that you can help to support our school whilst shopping. Simply add our school as your chosen school at the payment stage and our school will receive £1 for every £10 that you spend.

Thank you in advance for any book buying that you do. Mrs Russell Reading Leader

LUNCH CHOICE FOR WEEK BEGINNING 6th January 2019

THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

Lunch Menu Week 1

MONDAY	OPTION 1 Swedish Style Pork Meatballs with rice in a tomato sauce Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	OPTION 2 Quorn Meatballs With tomato sauce with rice in a tomato sauce Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	OPTION 3 Jacket Potato Cheese or Beans Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	Dessert Peaches & Cream Fresh Fruit Platter Yoghurt
TUESDAY	OPTION 1 Cheese Topped BBQ Chicken Sweet Potato Fries & Coleslaw Salad Bar	OPTION 2 Southern Fried Quorn Burger Sweet Potato Fries & Coleslaw Salad Bar	OPTION 3 Cheese & Coleslaw Wrap Salad Bar including	Dessert Coconut & Cranberry Cookie Fresh Fruit Platter Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	OPTION 1 Homemade Cottage Pie & Seasonal Vegetables	OPTION 2 Vegetable Cottage Pie & Seasonal Vegetables		Dessert Fruit Jelly Fresh Fruit Platter Yoghurt
THURSDAY	OPTION 1 PASTA DAY Tricolour Pasta with a choice of sauces & toppings Salad Bar			Dessert Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate sauce Fresh Fruit Platter Yoghurt
FRIDAY	OPTION 1 Jumbo Fish Finger Chips, Peas or Baked Beans Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	OPTION 2 Veggie Nuggets Chips, Peas or Baked Beans Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	OPTION 3 Cheese Sub Roll Salad Bar including Pasta Salad	Dessert Iced Fruit Smoothie Fresh Fruit Platter Yoghurt

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