

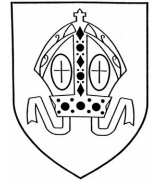


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**Friday 25th June 2021**

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents,

The second half of the summer term often feels like a race; the cycle of the school year that brings sporting events and celebrations and the rites of passage for the children moving to their secondary settings and the children wondering what the next academic year will bring and who their teacher will be.

Staff of course are completing assessments and writing reports to deadlines and this year have had to analyse and sift the guidance to find new ways of achieving the same end result whether this is how the Buddies in Year 6 and EYFs can have an event, exciting sports events or how the children can meet their new teacher when this is a breaking Bubble issue.

I am pleased to say because as we know, nothing is impossible, Mrs Kilbey and Mrs Grover have an excellent plan for the Buddies, Mr Richardson, with the team, has delivered the sport this week in National Sport week and Mrs Quinn has managed the logistics for outdoor transition sessions next week quite amazingly.

Classes and staffing structure for the Academic Year 2021/2022 have been sent out this afternoon.

In further staffing news , we shall be saying a sad goodbye to Mrs Tracey Rizza , who has been our Midday manager for the last six years and has done a sterling job as well as celebrating Mrs Panteli's wonderful contribution to the school as she retires; so many children have benefitted from her pastoral help.

I am also delighted to announce the appointment of Mrs Josie Ketley as our new Catering Manager and the promotion of Mrs Jemma Southgate to the Senior Leadership team as Assistant Head.

And finally, my head teacher awards are rarely given because they are reserved for exceptional feats and acts. One awaits a year 6 pupil whose kindness and selfless devotion and generosity of friendship to someone in her class have impressed us all.

Wishing everyone a happy weekend

Linda Wiskin



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## Calendar Events

<b>Jul</b> <b>05</b>	Year 6 production	<b>Jul</b> <b>12</b>	Leavers Service
<b>Jul</b> <b>06</b>	Year 6 Educational visit to the seaside	<b>Jul</b> <b>14</b>	KS2 Virtual Reality Workshops
<b>Jul</b> <b>07</b>	Year 6 visit to the Nuclear Bunker followed by High Ropes	<b>Sep</b> <b>01</b>	Non Pupil Day
<b>Jul</b> <b>08</b>	Year 6 Sports activities followed by camping on the school field overnight	<b>Sep</b> <b>02</b>	New School Year 2021/2022 begins
<b>Jul</b> <b>09</b>	Y6 Pilgrimage with our Chaplain		Autumn Term

[SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)

## Swimming Calendar

Year 6 Catch Up Swimming  
(invited students only)

**Jul**  
**01**

**Jul**  
**08**

**Jul**  
**15**



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## Weekly Special Achievement Awards

### EYFS

Eva B

Rosalyn W

### Lower School

Lola P

Israel A

Kaiden B

### Middle School

Oliver B

Agastya D

Orla dC

Emily H

### Upper School

Gabriel H

Luca N

Abhi S

## Lunch Menu week commencing 28th June 2021

### THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

#### Menu Week 3

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Jacket Potato</b> <b>Tuna</b> Optional Baked beans  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Jacket Potato</b> <b>Cheese</b> Optional Baked beans  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> <b>Jacket Potato</b> <b>Coronation Chicken</b> Optional Baked beans  Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Angel Delight  Fruit Bar
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>BBQ Pulled Pork</b> Fajitas With sweetcorn  Side salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>BBQ Quorn</b> Fajitas With sweetcorn  Side salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> <b>Red Pesto</b> Pasta  Side salad	<b>Dessert</b> Fruit Jelly  Fruit Bar
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Beef Lasagne</b> Garlic Bread Broccoli Florets Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Vegetable Lasagne</b> Garlic Bread Broccoli Florets Side Salad		<b>Dessert</b> Flap Jack  Fruit Bar
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Hunter's Chicken</b> (BBQ sauce served separately) Herby Diced Potatoes Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Hunter's Quorn</b> (BBQ sauce served separately) Herby Diced Potatoes Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> <b>BLT</b> (Bacon, Lettuce & Tomato) in a French stick Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Fruit Crumble & Custard  Fruit Bar
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>OPTION 1</b> <b>Sea Dog</b> Chips, Peas Baked Beans  Side salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> <b>Southern Fried</b> <b>Quorn Burger</b> Chips, Peas Baked Beans Side salad		<b>Dessert</b> Artic Roll  Fruit Bar

Please remember to pre-order lunches on SCOPAY even if your child is bringing in a packed lunch from home.

Instructions can be found on our [website/parent's page](http://cathedralschool.co.uk/parent/s/page) Many thanks.

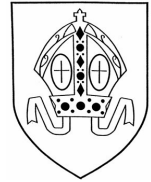


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## National School Sports Week

We have marked National School Sports Week by running our safe sports days in our bubbles across the week and more activities are still to come.

On Wednesday, Year 4 took part in the Virtual Superstars with events including basketball dribble, tennis taps, speed bounce and standing triple jump, while Year 3 competed in the Virtual Fitness Threes. Across both year groups, pupils were involved in timing, recording and supporting each other and even acting as official photographers.

On Thursday, it was the turn of Key Stage One. In the Teddylympics, Year One has four challenging events including throwing a ball using a chest pass as far they could and jumping with both feet together as many times as possible. Meanwhile, there were six disciplines for Year Two in the Virtual Mini Games including speed stacking, shuttle runs and overarm beanbag throw,

It was the turn of Upper School to do their Sports Day activities today and they didn't disappoint with their enthusiasm and effort in the Quad Kids competition. The event started with a 600m run, followed by a Vortex Howler throw, 75m sprint and standing long jump.

All the results will be turned into points by the Chelmsford School Sports Partnership, so the children have been competed against other schools this year as well as in their houses. Sporting value stickers were given out to selected children who showed the values of honesty, determination, self-belief, teamwork, respect, or passion.





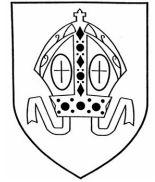


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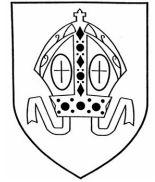


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## Animal Experience

We have such a fun afternoon in EYFS with Eden Oasis, they came into school to share their knowledge of different exotic animals and tell us all about their habitats, a great end to the week!





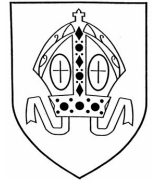


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## BECOME A CHORISTER AT CHELMSFORD CATHEDRAL

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YOUNG SINGERS!

I have made so many friends!      I love singing with the choir!      I have so many amazing memories!

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- social events & tours -



- rehearsals on Tuesdays and Thursdays during Term time -
- auditions available throughout the year -

**If this sounds like you, get in touch with our Director!**

[hilary.punnett@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk](mailto:hilary.punnett@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk)



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## ACL MALDON FAMILY LEARNING

# BESIDE THE SEASIDE



**Date: 19th July | Time: 9am – 3pm | Location: ACL Maldon**

Join us for a fun-filled day of seaside themed activities for parents/carers/  
grandparents of all aged children, early years, primary and secondary.  
Half day (morning or afternoon) or full day workshops available.



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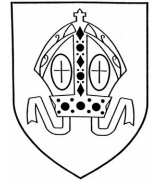


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**Saturday 10 July to Tuesday 31 August 2021**

**Join the Challenge in all Essex libraries!**

Dear Mum, Dad, Carer and Teacher

Here's the best way to keep your children motivated to read through the summer holidays, keeping up those hard earned skills and having fun finding their next favourite author! All free at your library.

This year Essex Libraries and The Reading Agency are excited to team up with the World Wildlife Fund for Nature for a very special nature themed challenge which will inspire you all to stand up for Earth. The World Wild Heroes are coming to a library near you this summer.

**Who are the Wild World Heroes?**

The Wild World Heroes live in Wilderville, which is a pretty cool place, but there are lots of things that the children like Faiza, David, Willow, Callum, Marcus and Carys can do to make their town even better for the people and animals who live there.

**How can children take part?**

Wild World Heroes runs from Saturday 10 July to Tuesday 31 August in all Essex libraries and mobile libraries. Children read six books over the summer holiday, helping the Wilderville children make a difference to the environment. They have a map of Wilderville and collect rewards on the way. When they have read six books, they receive a medal and a certificate.

**What books do children have to read?**

Children can read any library books of their choice; fiction, fact or information books, picture books to share with you and family, jokes or poetry; anything they enjoy.

The main challenge is for children aged three to twelve but there is a mini challenge for the under threes.

It's free to join the library and free of charge to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge.

Find a library near you: <https://libraries.essex.gov.uk/library-locations-and-opening-times/>



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