



# The Cathedral School

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## Head Teacher's Message

Dear All,

This week we were considering Resilience in Worship and our Chaplain came in to work with our worship leaders. It has been wonderful to hear children singing in worship both in the classrooms and coming together in key stages in the hall.

Head's Tea this week was one pupil from each year and they told me all about reading which was helpful to understand their enjoyment levels and view of reading and how they progress and of course what they think would be even better. All of them wanted more quiet reading time!

Thank you to everyone responding to the Covid call to take a PCR, commitment to this safety measure is keeping the community safer.

As more and more things restart, it was lovely to have so many parents in school for the Year 6 Isle of Wight trip presentation and the Kingswood presentation for Year 4 for next September. Year 5 will be offered an outward bound experience this year, as we are aware they have missed out on this development so far.

As a school, we are committed to all children having these important growth experiences and so if there are any barriers to the commitment, please do get in touch with me.

Middle School are off to Hyde Hall on an educational visit this term and the other year groups will follow on.

The overwhelming response to our parents evening survey, face to face or remote has been for face to face and therefore we are organising these differently this year, with appointments in the hall with tables spaced around the room for privacy and timeslots for looking at books in classrooms before appointments. More of this when the dates come out and bookings start. The two evenings will be Monday 8<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November; bookings will start as usual, after half-term.

Wishing everyone an enjoyable autumnal weekend

Linda Wiskin

## Calendar Events

Oct 20	Swimming for Upper School
Oct 25	Half Term
Nov 03	Swimming for Upper School
Nov 08	Parents Evening
Nov 09	Barnardo's Young Supporter concert KS2 Choir
Nov 10	Swimming for Upper School
Nov 11	Remembrance Service Events
Nov 11	Parents Evening
Nov 16	Middle School Trip Hyde Hall Details to follow
Nov 17	Middle School Trip Hyde Hall Details to follow
Nov 17	Swimming for Upper School
Nov 27	PTA Frost Fair
Dec 13	Carol Service 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm @ Cathedral

[SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)



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## Lunch Menu week commencing 18th October 2021

### THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

#### Week 1

MONDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Pasta with Pepperoni Sauce Garlic Bread Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Pasta with Tomato Sauce Garlic Bread Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cold Tuna Pasta Garlic Bread Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Fruit Yoghurt Fruit Bar
TUESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Hot Chicken Fajitas Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Fajitas Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cold Cheese & Carrot Wrap Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Shortbread Fingers Fruit Bar
WEDNESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Hot Dog (Butcher's sausages) Herby Diced Potatoes Carrots & sweetcorn	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Dog Herby Diced Potatoes Carrots & sweetcorn		<b>Dessert</b> Bakewell Sponge & Custard Fruit Bar
THURSDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Chicken Italian Served on a bed of rice Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Italian Served on a bed of rice Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cheese or Ham Filled Rolls Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Mini Jam Doughnuts Fruit Bar
FRIDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Fish Fingers Smiley Faces, Peas or Baked Beans Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Dippers Smiley Faces, Peas or Baked Beans Side Salad		<b>Dessert</b> Chocolate 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](#)*



**Nut Free School** The school aims to protect children who have allergies to nuts, We do not allow nuts or nut products in school lunch boxes or in their snacks.

Thank you for co-operation.

Please note that now some restriction have been lifted we are happy to reinstate the happy tradition of pupils bringing in sweets/treats to be shared with their class on their birthdays. Sweets will be handed out by the class teachers as the pupils leave and will only be consumed off school site with parental permission.



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## Table Tennis Tournament

The Cathedral School sent its first-ever table tennis team to a tournament at Melbourne Sports and Athletics Centre on Tuesday, coming away with a fantastic third place.

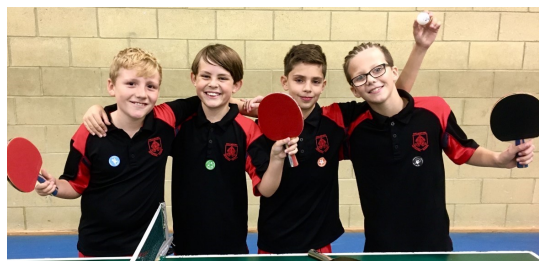
The team were captained and coached by Harrison, who won all of his matches 3-0. Second seed Alex won two of his matches, while there were wins for Teddy D and Matthew.

Overall, the team won 29 out of a possible 48 games to place third behind winners Bishops A and runners-up Perryfields.

Harrison, who trains 14 hours a week, told Isabella that his favourite part of the event was playing Round The Net, while Matthew and Teddy were both proud of their wins and for coming third.



(By Isabella - Media Group)





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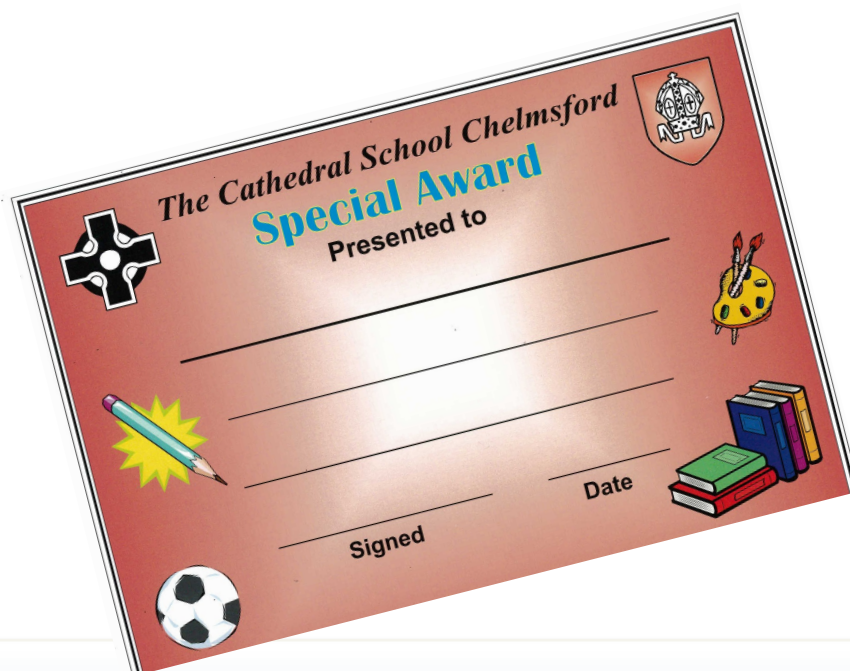
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## Weekly Special Achievement Awards



### EYFS

Manfred A

Zaira FJ

### Lower School

Eddie B

Eva B

Henry H

### Middle School

Esther A

Henry D

Katelin M

### Upper School

Michael S

Sneha V

Zachary M

As we now celebrate these in assembly on a Friday photos will no longer be uploaded to Tapestry





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## Residential Trips in 2022

Please can we remind Year 6 and Year 4 parents about the deposit deadlines:-

- Year 6 Isle of Wight deposit of £65 is due by 18th October 2021.
- Year 4 (Year 5 September 2022) Kingswood deposit of £65 is due by 22nd October 2021

## It's Good to Grow



If you shop at Morrisons we would greatly appreciate your help to obtain new gardening equipment.

To take part, join MyMorrisons today and swipe each time you shop to collect **Grow Tokens**. You'll earn one token for every £10 you spend between Monday 6th September and Sunday 24th October in store or online.

Simply go to [mymorrisons.com](http://mymorrisons.com) to register or download the MyMorrisons app.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Morecroft and the ECO team

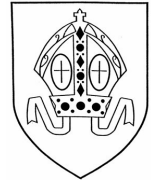


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## Prospective New Parent School Tours Pupils Due to Start Reception September 2022

School visits for next years' intake into EYFS are limited to 6 people at a time and will take place on the following dates :

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October 11am

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 9am

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 11am

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 11am

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 11am

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tours should last approximately 45mins

Please contact the school office to book an appointment.