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THE BISHOPS' SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Parents/Carers



Thank you, PTA, for organising such an enjoyable Easter Fayre. Well over £1000 was raised for new projects in the school which will benefit all the children.



We took two teams to compete in the Chelmsford Schools Public Speaking Competition at Anglia Ruskin University on Wednesday. Poppy Teasel's winning poem was recited by children from each of the schools participating, and here she is receiving her award. We were delighted, too, that team 4YS won third place overall – but congratulations go to both teams for their tremendous and courageous efforts as they put forward their cases for teaching cookery in schools (4SH -W), and allowing children access to the internet (4YS).



Live Fully, Laugh Often, Learn Deeply, Love as God Loves You and Let Your Light Shine



Congratulations to Keira for winning this swimming cup. She won the most number of points in her club this season which meant she had to do very well across a number of strokes. She is the Girls' Under 9 Champion. Well done, Keira!

Meet Amelia, another budding artist!







These last weeks of the Spring Term are very special at The Bishops' as we remember the death and resurrection of Jesus. This week Rev Jane has been guiding children from Yr 1 to Yr 6 through some of the Stations of the Cross – different stages that Jesus went through in his final days. The children are given time to reflect on this, and the story inspires some truly thoughtful and moving work.



We are very proud of the Choir again. We heard beautiful singing and received great comments from the judges at the Chelmsford School Choir Competition Final last night. We didn't win, but were amazing as always.



Lunchtime Menu—Week beginning Monday 26th March 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
Homemade Spaghetti Bolognese	Chicken Fillet Burger in a Brioche Bun	Local Butcher's Roast Chicken served with a Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy	Oven Baked Young's Omega 3 Fish Fingers
Spaghetti Napolitaine 	Vegetarian Burger in a Brioche Bun	Sage and Onion Topped Quorn Fillet served with a Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy	Vegetable Nuggets 
Garlic Bread	New Potatoes Roasted Vegetable Selection	Roast Potatoes Sweetcorn Garden Peas	Chips Garden Peas Baked Beans
Jacket Potato with Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with Cheese or Tuna Mayo		Jacket Potato with Cheese and Baked Beans
Muller Corner Yoghurt or Organic Yeo Valley Yoghurt or Selection of Fresh Fruit	Homemade Cake or Muller Corner Yoghurt or Organic Yeo Valley Yoghurt or Selection of Fresh Fruit	Muller Corner Yoghurt or Organic Yeo Valley Yoghurt or Selection of Fresh Fruit 	Angel Delight or Muller Corner Yoghurt or Organic Yeo Valley Yoghurt or Selection of Fresh Fruit

Salad Bar and Fresh Bread available everyday



Thank you to Imogen Goldsmith for the idea of celebrating International **Downs Syndrome Day** with everyone wearing odd socks! Here's a crowd from Little Fingers showing theirs off.



Housekeeping / child safety

Lost Property

Please ensure clothing is clearly named, especially jumpers and coats.

Before School Clubs

Please wait with your child when dropping off, until the relevant member of staff arrives to supervise.

Thank you.

The last **Multi-sports Club** saw the team plan, organise and coach a mixture of children in Key Stage 1. They planned and delivered a warm up (farmers and pigs), a main activity (bowls) and finally a cool down (sleeping lions). From feedback, the participants really enjoyed the session, and the coaches discussed what they did well and what they can improve on. You all did a fabulous job!!

Well done!!



PTA

Thank you very much for all the support you showed throughout March. The events this month have raised nearly £2500! This is an amazing achievement! Don't forget that Adventure Island Tickets are now available at discounted rates and will be on sale today after school until 3.30 and next Thursday until 3.30.

The PTA

Find us @BishopsPta Or The Bishops' School PTA on Facebook.
Or contact at: thebishopspta@hotmail.com

We wish Miss Hinchcliffe all the best as she does her half marathon this weekend. It is not too late to sponsor her. Please do if you can! It takes little time through Just Giving. Just do a search on the Just Giving site for sarah-hinchcliffe and you will find her.

Looking Ahead ...

Wednesday 28th March— FS trip to Great Notley Country Park, 9.15am to 3pm;
Football match v Perryfields Junior School (away), 3.30pm to 4.14pm

Thursday 29nd March— Last day of term

Monday 16th April — First day of term;

Year 5 trip to the Toby Carvery, 9.30am to 12.30pm

Tuesday 17th April— KS1 Tag Rugby Competition (selected children) at Writtle College, 1 to 2.45pm

Wednesday 18th April—FS Bedtime Stories, 6-6.45pm

Thursday 19th April— Morning Street Dance and Street Dance performances

Friday 20th April - Morning Performing Arts and Acting Club performances



On Sunday 25th March, I am taking part in the **London Landmarks Half Marathon**. I am running to raise money for a charity that I have been supporting for the past 6 years, The Matt Hampson Foundation. In 2005, Matt suffered an accident whilst training with the England Rugby U21 squad, which changed his life, so Matt set up the foundation to support others who have also been injured through sport. I would love your prayers and support and if possible a donation to help continue their wonderful work. My Justgiving page is: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/sarah-hinchcliffe6>

For more information please come and speak to me or you can visit:
<https://www.matthampsonfoundation.org/>



Working together with our local Kumon Chelmsford North Study Centre, we will be hosting an information session for all Year 1 and Year 2 parents to find out more about the English and maths programmes available. Like us, Kumon puts a real focus on developing key study skills such as concentration, confidence, and independence which will benefit all children. Kumon also aims to nurture a love of reading, to help children of all abilities cultivate a deep understanding and realise their potential. Kumon complements what we are doing at school and is in line with many of the recent changes to the National Curriculum and SATs. For parents who are able to attend there will also be information about Kumon's Scholarship programme, which will be open to children of all abilities, to allow them to study Kumon free of charge for 24 months.

If you are interested in finding out more, please attend the information session in school at 2pm on Thursday 26 April.

KUMON

Miss West is playing in the **Women's County Final Football Match** if any students are interested in coming.

Brentwood Town Ladies First V C & K Basildon Ladies First

Parkside, Park Lane, Aveley, South Ockendon RM15 4PX

Thursday 29th March 2018, 7.45pm KO

<http://www.essexfa.com/cups-and-competitions/cups/2017-2018/womens-cup/results>

'Samba/African Drumming' workshops on Sunday 25th March 2018.

Fun Samba & Drumming Workshop

This course is open to all aged 5 – 9 years old with little, or, no experience playing Samba and African drums and those who live or study in Essex. The free course offers opportunities to explore the sounds and instruments of Samba and Drums.

<https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/free-fun-samba-drumming-workshop-for-5-9-year-old/>

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www.essexmusichub.org.uk

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ESSEX BOOK FESTIVAL

www.essexbookfestival.org.uk

Science and Invention Day



Saturday 24 March, 11am-4pm
FREE family fun events



For a full list of activities visit
anglia.ac.uk/communityevents

Anglia Ruskin University, Bishop Hall Lane, Chelmsford, CM1 1SQ



THE 'KIDS WHO LUNCH' CLUB



Wednesday 4th and Thursday 5th April 2018
&
Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th April 2018
10.30am - 1pm

Each FREE session is run by Kids Inspire staff and volunteers.
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EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB

Where: **Chelmsford Cathedral**
 When: **Tuesday 3 April**
Wednesday 4 April
Thursday 5 April
 From: **10.15am to 12.30pm**
 For: **6 to 11 year olds**



The Easter story
Worship and songs
Arts and Crafts
Games

It is not necessary to come everyday
No need for parents to stay
Parents invited to come at 12.20pm for showcase and close
To register please email easter.holidayclub@gmail.com

Chelmsford Cathedral Easter Holiday Club 2018 Registration Form

Name of Child		Date of birth	
School		Year group	
Parent/Guardian details			
Please note: we will confirm that your child has a place using these details			
Name of Parent/Guardian		Phone Number	
Address		Email address	
Emergency contact details on days of workshop (please provide two)			
First contact name		Relation to child	
Contact number on the day			
Second contact name		Relation to child	
Contact number on the day			
Additional information			
Please give details of any medical condition or other difficulty which could affect your child's participation during the club. For example, special educational needs, behaviour issues, asthma, diabetes etc.			
Photographs. Please tick here if photo permission is given:			
			YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
It is assumed that you have not given permission for your child to be photographed during the holiday club unless you tick the box. Photos will only be used in the weekly pew slip, on the Cathedral's Facebook and Twitter pages, or on its website.			
Please confirm which days you would like your child to attend this holiday club:			
Tuesday 3 April 2018	Wednesday 4 April 2018	Thursday 5 April 2018	
Signed		Date	

Please return the form to easter.holidayclub@gmail.com, or drop it into the Cathedral office before 24 March 2018. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

We are running show **choir workshops** during the Easter holidays at Brentwood Theatre. The workshops are open to 5-18 year olds who live or, are educated in Essex. Students will enjoy the full show choir experience across a variety of musical genres. Having run these workshops previously they are big hit and a really fun experience for students.

SHOW CHOIR 2-DAY WORKSHOP (10-18 Years)

This two-day event is open to singers aged 10-18 of all abilities who live or are educated in Essex. You will receive the full show choir experience from singing and dancing to performing full routines, within a range of musical styles.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/show-choir-2-day-workshop/>
FUN GLEE CHOIR (5-9 Years)

This event is open to **singers aged 5-9 years** of old of all abilities who live or are educated in Essex. You will experience singing and dancing, performing full routines within a range of musical styles.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/fun-gee-choir-for-singers-aged-5-9-years-old/>

We will be running **Guitar workshops** in Chelmsford on Thursday 12th April 2018. Students from the ages of 5-18 are welcome to attend. The workshops will be split to ensure students are playing with others of similar ability.

Beginners/ Pre Grade 1—<https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/guitar-workshop-beginners-pre-grade-1/>

Intermediate (Grades 1-3) - <https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/guitar-workshop-intermediate-grades-1-3/>

Advanced (Grade 4+) - <https://www.essexmusichub.org.uk/site/events/guitar-workshop-advanced-grade-4/>

The workshops are led by some of the finest and most experienced guitar tutors in Essex.

David Arch

Essex Music Services,

Email: david.arch2@essex.gov.uk

Website: www.essexmusichub.org.uk

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Safe Traffic Free Environment at:

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Pratts Farm Lane,
Off Essex Regiment Way,
Chelmsford, CM3 3PR.**

**9:00 - 10:15 8 - 11 years
10:30 - 11:45 12 - 15 years**

Riders will need a bike (racing, hybrid or MTB) in good working order, cycle helmet, gloves and a drink.

Cost per session £3

For further information email: russell.tribley@blueyonder.co.uk or telephone Russell on 07525 01884

**or visit our facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/chelmsfordcyclecoaching/>**

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