



30 January 2024

Dear Parents & Carers,

Please see below a list of important dates for the rest of the School year. In particular, please note the change to the date we had previously given for this term's big trip to the Natural History Museum. We have had to move this trip to a new date, Friday 8 March, in order to accommodate the Choristers' rehearsals for the Bishop's Enthronement which will take place on Sunday 3 March. This has meant a change of date for the JD1 Hike as well.

**Wed 10 Jan – Foodbank Donations welcomed at JD**

**Thu 18 Jan – JD2 Fossil Walk** – out from 9am until 11.30am. Queensgate and Museum. Warm coats needed

**Tue 30 Jan – Years 5 and 6 Football** 12-3pm at Ormiston Bushfield

**Tue 30 Jan – JD Fundraising Disco** – 1 hour event. £2 donation and each pupil may pay an additional 10p to request a song with Miss Martin. Collection at 5.00pm from JD. Pupils may bring 'disco' clothing to change into for the event

**Mon 5 Feb – Year 6 pupils NHS height and weight measurements (revised date)**

**Tue 6 Feb – Safer Internet Day**

**Wed 7 Feb – Foodbank Donations welcomed at JD**

**Thu 8 Feb – Years 3 and 4 Boys Football** 12.30pm-3pm at Jack Hunt

**Tue 13 Feb – Pancake Races at JD (Shrove Tuesday)** between 8.35am and 9am. Parents welcome to spectate

**Thu 15 Feb – Online parents' consultations**

**Fri 16 Feb – Open afternoon to celebrate your child's work – open between 2.10pm and 3.25pm**

## **Mon 19 to Fri 23 Feb – Half Term**

**Thu 29 Feb – JD1 hike at Ferry Meadows** – no cost

**Fri 1 Mar – JD2 pupils will run a Cake Sale for JD charities – please plan ahead to bake at home for this event**

**Tue 5 Mar – Year 3 and 4 Girls Football** – 12.30pm-3pm at Jack Hunt

**Tue 5 Mar – JD2 pupils sing with other primary pupils at the Cathedral – world premiere of a new song commissioned for the event, singing with other pupils. JD2 pupils will be at the Cathedral all afternoon and need to be collected from the Cathedral at 5pm prompt. Parents are encouraged to buy a ticket for the performance by the children which ends at 5pm**

**Wed 6 Mar – Foodbank Donations welcomed at JD**

**Thu 7 Mar – World Book Day**

**Thu 7 Mar – Years 5 and 6 Mixed Hockey** – 12pm-3pm at City of Peterborough Hockey Club

**HEADTEACHER:** Mr J M Harrison

**ADDRESS:** Park Road, Peterborough, PE1 2UE

**TELEPHONE:** 01733 751541

**EMAIL:** admin@kings.peterborough.sch.uk

**A PUBLICLY FUNDED INDEPENDENT ACADEMY**

THE KING'S (THE CATHEDRAL) SCHOOL, PETERBOROUGH IS A COMPANY LIMITED BY  
GUARANTEE REGISTERED IN ENGLAND AND WALES NO 7464058.  
REGISTERED OFFICE: THE KING'S SCHOOL, PARK ROAD, PETERBOROUGH PE1 2UE

Fri 8 Mar – **all JD trip to the Natural History Museum in London** – cost of transport only, which will be £27 and will involve early start/late collection. Please see additional letter with information and consent information

Fri 15 Mar – **JD2 Hike in Rutland Hills** – no cost

Thu 21 Mar – **Years 3 and 4 Mixed Hockey** – 12pm-3pm City of Peterborough Hockey Club

Fri 22 Mar – **Dress-up Day for main School charities (more information to follow)**

Tue 26 Mar – **Easter Service at the Cathedral at 2pm to fit with Holy Week**

Wed 27 Mar – **Easter EGGS FACTOR judging – Design a Celebrity Egg Competition. More details to follow**

Thu 28 Mar – **Choristers have been given permission by Mr Harrison to attend Cathedral instead of School (Maundy Thursday)**

**Term finishes Thursday 28 March 12.30pm**

**Summer Term opens Monday 15 April**

Wed 17 Apr – **Years 5 and 6 NFL Flag** – 10am-2.30pm at Peterborough Rugby Club

Mon 22 Apr – **JD1 Roman Day at Peterborough Museum** – likely cost £9 per child

Tue 23 Apr – **Years 3 and 4 Tennis** – 9am-12.30pm at City of Peterborough Tennis Club

Mon 13 May – Thu 16 May – **Year 6 SAT Tests**

Mon 20 May – Thu 23 May – **Year 6 Bikeability Training** – no cost, bring your own bike and helmet

Thu 6 Jun – **Years 5 and 6 Tennis** – 9am-12.30pm at City of Peterborough Tennis Club

Wed 12 Jun – **JD1 Hike, Milton Ferry to Wansford** – no cost

Wed 19 Jun – **Years 5 and 6 Girls' Cricket** – 10am-2.30pm

Thu 20 Jun – **JD Sports Day** – 11am-12pm – please bring a picnic

Tue 2 Jul – **Years 3 and 4 Mixed Cricket** – 10am-2.30pm at Orton Park Cricket Club

Fri 5 Jul - **JD2 Hike in Fineshades Wood** – no cost.

July – **School Reports** will come home once the SAT results are available to include

Fri 12 Jul – **Year 6 Leavers' Service** – early afternoon for parents/families of all Year 6 pupils

Fri 12 Jul – **Open Afternoon** to celebrate your child's work – open between 2.10pm and 3.25pm

**Term finishes 12.30pm – Thursday 18 July**

We will add additional activities and fixtures for sports competitions to this list as they become available through the year, but at this stage we do not anticipate more trips with a financial cost to parents.

Yours faithfully,

Mr D Ludford  
Head of Junior Department