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Dear Parents, Carers, Students, Staff and Friends of the School



Head Student Hustings

Democracy is one of our 5 key 'British Values'. It is important that our students learn about how and why it forms such a fundamental aspect of our society.

Each year, we invite our Y12 students to put themselves forward to become our Head Students.

This year we have four candidates who are standing for election. They have given speeches at year assemblies to set out their manifesto and why students should vote for them.

Well done to Karen, Molly, Oliver and Renu for being such inspirational examples of democracy in action. The election takes place on Monday. We will announce the results of the election in our next newsletter.





NUA Trip

On the 16th of July, our Year 10 and Year 12 students studying GCSE and A-level Art, Design, Textiles, Product Design, and Graphics embarked on an inspiring visit to Norwich University of the Arts.

This extraordinary opportunity allowed our students to immerse themselves in the university environment, sitting in a lecture theatre and exploring the captivating Grad Fest exhibition showcasing the end-of-year work from various degree courses.

This experience has undoubtedly sparked creativity and opened their eyes to the endless possibilities in the world of art and design. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Norwich University of the Arts for providing this enriching experience.



STEM DAY

Before the half term, we had a special visit from the Smallpeice Trust, who organised an exciting STEM challenge day for our year 10 students studying GCSE Design and Technology. This engaging event allowed our students to explore their creativity and problem-solving abilities.

During the day, our students were divided into teams of 4 to 5, and their task was to design an autonomous vehicle within a given context. To bring their ideas to life, they utilised Lego Mindstorm kits to build and program their vehicles. It was incredible to witness the teamwork and collaboration displayed by our students as they combined their individual knowledge and skills.

At the end of the challenge, each team had the opportunity to present

their work to a judging

panel. This not only showcased their technical abilities but also honed their presentation and communication skills.



Overall, the Smallpeice Trust STEM challenge day provided our year 10 students with a unique hands-on learning experience, promoting critical thinking and creativity. We extend our gratitude to the Smallpeice Trust for organising

this enriching event and to our students for their enthusiastic participation.









SJB Cathedral Youth Activities

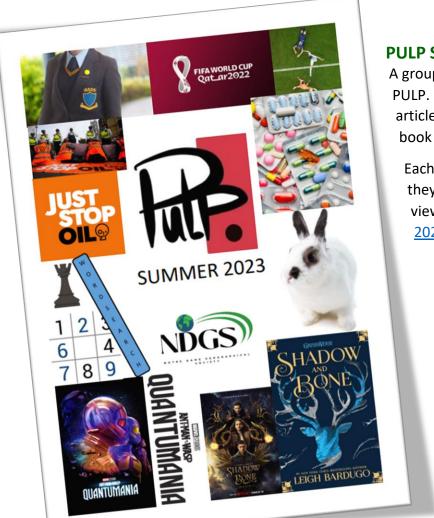
St John's First Holy Communion and Confirmation programmes for 2023-24 are open for registrations. Please follow this link for the e-registration form on the Cathedral Website. You will need your child's baptism details to complete the form.

Please note that there are limited spaces which will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

Registrations close on 31st August 2023, so please register early to avoid disappointment.

Also, there is an "end of the year" retreat day for youth - from Yr 6 and above on 16th July with Fr Gladson Dabre from Clare Priory from 10am - 8pm at the cathedral - if anyone is interested please contact Jo Graham stjohnfhc@gmail.com





PULP Student Magazine

A group of 6th Form students have re-launched PULP. It is a paper based newspaper with articles on a wide range of current affairs issues, book reviews, school events and clubs.

Each Form will receive 5 copies of PULP so that they can read it in Form Time. You can also view it electronically if you click on <u>PULP July 2023</u>.



LORD MAYOR'S WEEKEND

Friday 7 July

CHAPELFIELD GARDENS

Mysabar Evening Social

4pm Leon and Gav Play Records

7pm The Marvel Records

4pm-9pm Carnival dress-up photo booth

4pm-9:45pm Mini Tastes of the City offering with four food trucks

4pm-10pm Funfair

Saturday 8 July

VOICES OF THE CITY STAGE

Toasties Family Poetry

1pm Lewis Buxton

1:15pm Poppy Stevens
1:40pm Lewis Buxton

1:50pm Ashley Hickson-Lovence

2:15pm Lewis Buxton

2:25pm Arji Manuelpillai

2:55pm Lewis Buxton

Performance break during

the Lord Mayor's Procession

Toast Live Poetry

5pm Lewis Buxton

5:10pm Young Emerging Artists

5:25pm Daisy Henwood

5:45pm Shannon Clinton - Copeland

6:05pm Mathilda Arminger

6:25pm Lewis Buxton 6:35pm Jess Morgan

7pm Luke Wright

7:50pm Lord Mayor's Announcements

8:05pm Voices of Norwich Allstars Feat. Beatbox Collective, Invidia Voices Choir and the Norwich Jnr MCs.

CHAPELFIELD GARDENS

FESTIVITIES AND FAMILY FUN

Chapelfield gardens Family Area

Family workshops, make your own instruments, Circus Acts, Carnival Dress Up and Photo Booth.

Theatre Street Racing

Race against your friends in Mario Kart 8 Deluxe on Norwich Theatre Royal's giant video screens!

11am-10am Funfair

SOUNDS OF THE CITY STAGE

The Norwich City Community Showcase 12pm

 17:45pm Dancers, singers, acrobats and more presented in collaboration with Young Norfolk Arts and The Garage.

Wild Paths Festival

6:30pm New Movement Ensemble
7:45pm The Nimbus Sextet
9pm Oscar Jerome

LORD MAYOR'S PROCESSION

3pm start Don't miss all the carnival fun and colour. Check the map (on next page) for a good place to catch the Sights of the City!

TASTES OF THE CITY

All the fun making you hungry??
Fret not, a feast will be served
up by the vendors in Chapelfield
Gardens all of Saturday. Pizza lover?
Burger fan? Or more of a Noodle
fiend? Whatever your taste we've got you covered!

Sunday 9 July

MORE FUN

Norwich Lanes Fayre

11am-4pm There'll be stalls, music, food and more, so take a trip to the lanes.

Great Norwich Duck Race at Riverside
2pm Get yourself down to the river
for a quacking good time.

11am-4pm Funfair at Chapelfield Gardens





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CIVIC CHARITY 2023

This year, Lord Mayor's Weekend is raising money for Norfolk Community Foundation.

Show your support and make a donation.



USERUL INFO

Please use public transport where possible.
All events are within walking distance
of the train and bus stations.

Park & Ride will run late buses until 10:45pm between the Airport and Thickthorn on Saturday 8 July.

City centre car parks will open as usual, but users of Castle Quarter main car park will be asked to use the 'top exit' when leaving.

All bus services will operate normal timetables but there may be some disruption during the procession when they will be diverted away from Castle Meadow and the stops will close between 2pm-6pm. During this time, buses will use the Bus Station or their usual stops on St Stephens Street. After 6pm, buses will run from the stops on Castle Meadow again.

Road closures - vehicular access to some roads in the city centre will be restricted during the procession and at other times - please check at www.norwich.gov.uk/lmw for details.

Lost People and Lost Property - please approach a member of security or one of our stewards who will assist you.

All schedule timings and details are subject to change. For the most up to date information and running orders, please visit www.norwich.gov.uk/lmw



Accessible viewing areas – available during the procession on Castle Meadow opposite the junction of Opie Street. Also at the front of the stages at City Hall and in Chapelfield Gardens. Please book spaces in advance at events@norwich.gov.uk or by calling 01603 989300.

Toilets - including accessible and baby changing facilities will be available throughout Chapelfield Gardens and on St Peters Street. Accessible and baby changing facilities will also be available on Castle Meadow during the procession. The 'Changing Places' toilet at The Forum and public toilets in the Market will be open all day.

First Aid points - Chapelfield Gardens and Bethel Street. Please approach an event steward or member of our security team to assist you.

Water points - available in Chapelfield Gardens and The Forum.

Please check at www.norwich.gov.uk/lmw for detailed information.



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LORD MAYOR'S PROCESSION ROUTE

