



BISHOP'S NOTICEBOARD

27-29 August 2025

A week

NEWS

Welcome back! School reopens for all years at 8.55am on Wednesday 27 August.

There will be a welcome service for our **Year 7** students at St Michael's and All Angels church in Croston from 9am to 10am. Parents and carers are welcome! After the church service, students will go to their tutor groups. Year 7 students will be following an induction programme this week, which will enable them to be set up on all the school systems, familiarise themselves with the school processes and our expectations, as well as having tours of the school and getting to know each other through team building activities. They will also be having slightly earlier break and lunchtimes. Year 7 students only should wear non-uniform on Thursday for the assault course colour run!

Students in **Years 8-11** should check their timetable and bring any books they require for the day. We will begin the school year with welcome assemblies for all year groups. Times are scheduled as follows:

Year 8 - 9.15am
Year 9 - 9.40am
Year 10 - 10.10am
Year 11 - 10.40am

Parents and students should now have downloaded and logged into the Synergy app which will be our main source of communication.

WORSHIP

This week, in collective worship the focus will be welcoming our new and returning students. Worship will take place at 9am on Wednesday for all years. Our verse this week is John 10:10 where Jesus came so that we might have life—life in all its fullness, marked by purpose, joy, and a deep relationship with Him.

Weekly Prayer

"Heavenly Father, in Your love - You have called us to know You; Led us to trust You; And bound our lives with Yours. Surround us with Your love and protect us from evil That we may bravely and faithfully follow You, Through Jesus Christ our Lord" Amen.

PSHE

This week, all year groups will begin their PSHE sessions with a lesson on 'What is Learning for Life?' This session introduces the three key subject areas: PSHE (Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education), RSE (Relationships and Sex Education), and Citizenship (being part of society).

Reminder: New School Day Times

The times of the school day are:

TIME	LESSON
8.55 - 9.20	Tutor time
9.23 - 10.13	Period 1
10.16 - 11.06	Period 2
11.06 - 11.21	Morning Break
11.24 - 12.14	Period 3
12.17 - 1.07	Period 4
1.07 - 1.32	Lunch
1.35 - 2.25	Period 5
2.28 - 3.18	Period 6
3.18	End of School Day

DIARY DATES

Thursday 25 September - School Inset Day.

Thursday 25 September - Inset Day and Open Evening.

Friday 3 October - Year 11 autumn tracking reports to parents.

Tuesday 14 October - Year 7 autumn tracking reports to parents.

Friday 17 October - school closes at 3.18pm for half-term.

Monday 3 November - school reopens after half-term.

Sports and non-sports extra-curricular clubs will begin next week. Information will be shared in next week's newsletter and in the daily bulletin for students.

FOCUS / MESSAGE / THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

As we step into a new school year, we do so with gratitude for the strong and supportive community that surrounds our school. There's something truly special about our school – and it's the people who make it so.

This week, however, we also begin with heavy hearts, as we remember and honour our much-loved colleague and friend, Rachel Ball, who sadly passed away during the holidays. Rachel was a deeply valued member of our staff – a person of incredible kindness, generosity, and quiet courage. Her dedication to our school and its students over many years was unwavering, and her warm, selfless presence touched everyone who had the privilege of knowing her.

Rachel's loss will be felt deeply throughout our school, but her spirit remains in the countless lives she enriched. As we move forward, we carry with us her example – of compassion, strength, and commitment – and we hope to reflect those same qualities in our everyday actions.

Senior Leadership Team

THIS WEEK'S MENU

STREATERIES

LUNCH MENU

TRADITIONAL



PRIN
ASIAN



Home
STYLE



Home
STYLE



Chips
& More

WEEK 1

21/04/25, 12/05/25, 02/06/25,
23/06/25, 14/07/25, 04/08/25,
25/08/25, 15/09/25, 06/10/25



AUTHENTIC
Italian

MON

MAINS

Penne Bolognese Bake
with Creamy Garlic Topping

Veggie Bolognese Bake
with Creamy Garlic Topping

**Italian Tomato &
Greens Salad**

TUE

**Chinese Style
Sweet & Sour Chicken**

**Chinese Style
Vegetable Curry**

Steamed Rice
Stir Fried Asian Vegetable

WED

Roast Pork & Stuffing
with Gravy

Maple Butternut
Puff Pastry Slice

Skin On Garlic Roasties
Red Cabbage & Carrots

THU

Cottage Pie
with Cheesy Chive Mash

**Veggie
Cottage Pie**

Green Beans
Broccoli

FRI

Choose from:
Battered Fish
Sausage or Veg Sausage
(battered or plain)
Margherita Pizza
Chicken Nuggets
Chips

Minty Peas, Baked Beans,
Gravy or Curry Sauce

SIDES

ITALIAN TOMATO PASTA DAILY - PASTA & NOODLE POTS - ITALIAN TOMATO PASTA DAILY

GARLIC PULLED
CHICKEN ALFREDO
(PASTA)

CHINESE
CHICKEN CURRY
(NOODLES)

CLASSIC
MEATBALL MARINARA
(PASTA)

SWEET & SOUR VEG
(NOODLES)

PROTEIN
MAC & CHEESE

DELIKITCHEN

HOT GRAB & GO

PERI BUTTERMILK
CRUNCH WINGS

BBQ
CHICKEN WRAP

CHICKEN TIKKA MASALA
PIZZA SLICE

MEXICAN HOT CHILLI
BEAN BURRITO

CRISPY
CHICKEN BURGER

**BIG BOWL
SALAD**

CHICKEN TIKKA &
MINT YOGHURT

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RAMEN INSPIRED NOODLE
SALAD WITH EGG

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SALAD SPECIAL

DESSERTS

Aspens
Cookies

Sticky Toffee
Pudding
with Custard

Classic Iced
Sprinkle Sponge

Brownie Trifle Pot

Jam Duffin
(Muffin Doughnut)

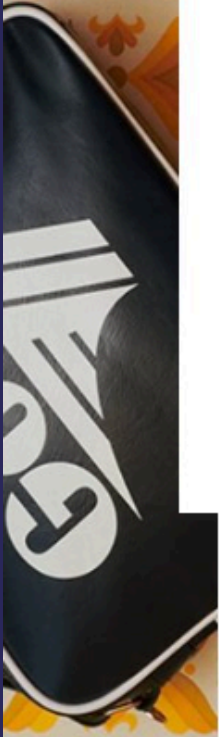
Daily Meal Deals
Regular
Chef's Specials

DAILY
- JACKET POTATOES -
BEANS - CHEESE - TUNA MAYO
OR SIMPLY PLAIN

Freshly Made from Scratch
DAILY!

Fresh Cut Fruit
& Yogurt Pots
Available Daily

HANDCRAFTED DELI
SANDWICHES, BAGUETTES,
WRAPS, SALADS & MORE!



Create. Innovate. See Your Design

Come to Life!

Enter the Gola Design Challenge for the chance to have your design turned into a professionally crafted sample! Winning concepts will be selected by Gola, giving you the opportunity to see your creative vision turned into reality.

This is your opportunity to design a unique sports bag that solves real-world challenges for athletes, gym-goers, or sports enthusiasts. Whether it's adding a waterproof compartment, smart storage solutions, or an entirely new feature, we want to see your ideas come to life!

Why Enter?

- Get Noticed by Gola – A chance to have your design seen by industry professionals.
- Bring Your Design to Life – Winning entries will be developed into real sample prototypes by Gola!
- Boost Your Portfolio – Stand out with a real-world design project for your future career.
- Only individual entries will be accepted, and all designs must be original and inspired by the challenge brief.
- This is your chance to make an impact in sports design. Get creative, push boundaries, and submit your entry before the deadline.

Unleash Your Creativity

The Brief – Your Challenge

We're looking for fresh, innovative sports bag designs that go beyond the ordinary. Your design should be unique, practical, and solve a specific need – whether it's for footballers, runners, gym users, or any other sport.

What We're Looking For:

- **Creativity:** A bold, original design that stands out.
- **Functionality:** Smart features that solve real-world problems (e.g., waterproof compartments, shoe storage, ergonomic straps).
- **Clarity:** A well-presented design with clear notes on materials, colours, and construction details.

How to Submit:

- A single design sketch of your idea either on A4 paper OR digital.
- You can add some rendering in coloured pencil/ marker or digitally
- Annotation needs to FULLY EXPLAIN the design including material choice and construction details
- For more details and to hand in see Mrs Gornall or email a digital copy (lgornall@bishopr.co.uk)
- Deadline is **Friday 5th September**
- **Open to ALL year groups**

