

## Music Congratulations

Congratulations to Ryan (7C) who has been awarded second prize in the Oakham School Carol Composition Competition. You may remember that Ryan also contributed a composition to one of the lockdown podcasts.

The academic Music staff at Oakham completed the adjudication process earlier this week. Of Ryan's carol they wrote:

*'We were impressed both by his hard work to set the entire text (along with a countermelody for the final verse) as well as the creative harmonies that he employed. It was also really lovely to hear him singing his own composition with the help of his father.'*

Ryan will receive a glass trophy and an Amazon voucher (along with a certificate) from Oakham before the end of term. They will also be sending St Faith's its own engraved salver to commemorate Ryan's success. Oakham are also hoping to have a recording made of Ryan's carol which we look forward to sharing with you.

Wilfie in 3MC has been awarded a Choral Scholarship to St Paul's Cathedral, London. Wilfie will join his brother Harry when he begins chorister training under the iconic dome in September. St Paul's Cathedral Choir has just been announced as one of the top ten choirs in the world by BBC Music Magazine.