## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024



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Dear Parents/Carers

**SWIMMING** Has so far been a great success being enjoyed by all. Thank you so much for making sure the children have had all that they need daily to ensure no one misses out. We are really looking forward to next week.

**SPORTS EVENTS THIS WEEK** Great job to Mrs Whittaker and all the children in year 5 who took part in the in the EPSV athletics on Wednesday.

Super performance from the year 6 children who played in a football tournament at Vauxhalls for Mr Billinge. We are super proud of how our children represent our school at these events. Well Done Everyone!

**CHESTER FC** Chester FC Women is pleased to offer our school's families the opportunity to access free tickets for our next two matches.

The team are playing Northwich Vixens on Sunday 4th February and Preston North End on Sunday 11th February, with both games kicking off at 2pm at the Leap 76 Stadium, Bumpers Lane, Chester CH1 4LT. This offer allows free admission for children and parents/guardians to one or both of these games. To take advantage of the offer, parents/guardians just need to register at the below link: <a href="https://form.jotform.com/240283026221342">https://form.jotform.com/240283026221342</a>

MMR AND MEASLES Due to an increase in measles cases across the country this year, including a recent outbreak in the West Midlands, we are encouraging everyone to check that they and their children have had 2 doses of the MMR vaccine. The MMR vaccine is a free, safe and effective way to protect against measles, mumps and rubella. Please read the letter attached for more information from public health.

**LOST PROPERTY** Please ensure that your child's name is clearly marked on items such as coats, jumpers and cardigans. If your child loses an item then please search the lost property bin in the school hall at the end of the day. We have been inundated with lost property, there has been so much uniform not named. We will keep hold of lost property for upto one month as stated in previous newsletters. Any items left over we will put in the air ambulance clothing bin that we have in the staff car park.

**REMINDER** Can I please remind everybody that we do not want to see Pokemon cards in school and we definitely do not want to hear of any trades occurring on school site.

**SCHOOL BUS REMINDER** There will be no school bus available on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February for the evening drop off. Our bus will not be on school grounds due to our choir performing in the Young Voices concert at the MEN Arena. Please arrange alternative arrangements for your children to be collected from school on this day.

**SCHOOL DISCO** We will be holding a school disco on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February here at the school. You will need to pay £1.50 on school spider for your child to attend. The cost will include unlimited drinks throughout. We will not accept cash for entry so it is important your school spider is up and running correctly. We will have a tuck shop available for your children if you would like to give extra pennies for sweets and crisps.

KS1-5:00pm-6:00pm KS2-6:15pm-7:30pm

**RESIDENTIAL TRIPS** Please ensure you are on track with your payment plans for these trips. All monies are payable on School Spider. Here is a reminder of all upcoming residential trips: If you are struggling or would like to discuss this further, please contact the school office on <a href="mailto:admin2@rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk">admin2@rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk</a>

## PLEASE ENSURE PAYMENTS ARE MADE BY MONDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2024

Year Group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment
Year 6	JCA	25 <sup>th</sup> March – 28 <sup>th</sup>	£120	Deposit(sept)
		March		£20.00
				Oct - £20.00
				Nov - £20.00
				<del>Dec - £20.00</del>
				<del>Jan - £20.00</del>
				Feb - £20.00

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in	Places available
<u>Monday</u>	Sports crew	Y5&6	Charge Mr Podmore	FULL
	Sports games	Y3&4	Mr Podmore and his Sports Crew	FULL
	Guitar Club Group I	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Year 6 Booster	Y6	Mrs Bouckley	FULL Cancelled Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> February
	Creative Gardening	Y 5 & 6	Mrs Sheen	FULL
<u>Tuesday</u>	Parliament	Key stage 2	Miss Booth	FULL
	Guitar Club Group 2	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Sign Language	Y1&2	Miss Sixsmith	FULL
	Year 6 Writing Booster	Y6	Mrs Whittaker	FULL
Wednesday	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge Miss Coy	Current participants only Cancelled due to young voices concert
	Shooting stars	Key stage 2	Miss Finlay	FULL
<u>Thursday</u>	Mini Sports Club	1&2	Mrs Webber	Spaces available please enquire at the office
_	Year 6 Booster	Y6	Mrs Davis McCoy	FULL

## PE TIMETABLE CHANGES

PE HALL TIMETABLE	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	Y1	Y6/Y5

Tuesday	Y4	Y2
Wednesday	ROCKSTEADY	Y5/Y3
Thursday	Y2/4	REC/Y1
Friday	Y3	Y2 Forest School Y6

***KEY DATES***			
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tue 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> Feb Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Feb Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> Feb Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar Thur 7 <sup>th</sup> Mar Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Mar Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Mar Thur 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Apr Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> May Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> Jul Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Choir Young Voices Concert at MEN WW2 Workshop SENDCO drop in (1pm-3pm) School disco Break up for half term SENDCO drop in (9.30am-12pm) Return to school Delamere Year 2 residential Second assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award World Book Day Drama workshops for all classes in school JCA Year 6 residential No school bus for week commencing Monday 25th March Finish school for the Easter half term Return to school Third assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award Fourth assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award AmaSing concert for choir		
Full term dates for this academic year can be found here on our website: <a href="http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818">http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818</a>			

**FACEBOOK** Please keep checking out our Facebook page for reminders about events coming up in school. Please follow the link: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/rossmoreschool/">https://www.facebook.com/rossmoreschool/</a>

## ROSSMORE SCHOOL <u>Holiday Dates</u> September 2024 to August 2025

Holiday Period	Date of Closing	Date of Re-Opening
Autumn Term		INSET DAY: Monday 2nd
2023		September 2024
		Tuesday 3rd September 2024
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<b>Autumn Half Term</b>	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2024	INSET DAY: Monday 4th
2023	,	November 2024
		Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> November 2024
<b>Christmas Holidays</b>	Friday 20th December 2024	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025
2024/2025	,	, , ,

Spring Half Term 2025 Good Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> April2025 Easter Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2025	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025
May Day Bank Holiday 2025 Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025	Friday 2nd May 2025	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2025
Summer Half Term 2025	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2025
Summer Holidays 2025	Friday 18th July 2025 INSET DAY: Monday 21st July 2025 INSET DAY: Tuesday 22rd July 2025	

Have a great weekend

Mrs S Davis-McCoy

Head Teacher

Mrs Bouckley Acting Head – Monday / Tuesday Mrs Davis McCoy Head Teacher – Wednesday / Thursday / Friday