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Dear Parents/Carers

I would like to start the newsletter this week by saying a huge thank you to all parents and children who have really tried hard to wear the correct uniform & PE kit this week. The children now look like they belong at Rossmore and are proud to be so. I have spoken with some parents who I'd also like to thank as talking and working together on this is exactly the way forward. Please do let me remind you all of the main expectations for all pupils.

### UNIFORM

- . Black / grey trousers / skirts
- . White shirt / blouse or polo shirt & tie
- . Red cardigan, jumper or sweatshirt
- . Black shoes / trainers (no bright logos)

### PE DAYS

- . Plain White T-shirt / polo shirt
- . Plain black sweatshirt / hoodie or red school sweatshirt, cardigan / jumper
- . Plain black jogger pants
- . Plain black trainers / pumps

Can I also remind you about jewellery, Children are able to wear small stud earrings to school but no other jewellery. Playing out at playtime and lunch can be quite boisterous so necklaces and bracelets should **NOT** be worn.

Acrylic and fake nails are also becoming a problem and are not allowed due to health and safety reasons. I would also ask that children with long hair tie it back (helping to create a barrier for the passing of headlice between children)

On a different and more worrying note, it was brought to my attention that some of our parents have taken to parking by or in Reid Court. It has been reported to me that the parking is inconsiderate, blocking drives etc but more importantly very dangerous! Can I please ask that <u>all</u> parents ensure that they park within the law without blocking people in or out, even if it means having to walk that little bit further. This would be very much appreciated by all and will ensure everyone's safety.



# FULL OF BEANS FEBRUARY HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMP

### Action-packed holiday camp at Rossmore School for ages 3-11!

Keep your kids entertained this holiday season with our exciting camp at Rossmore School. Full Of Beans offer a variety of activities to keep them active and engaged, including:

Football Dodgeball Gymnastics Dance

### And much, much more! See the full list of activities in our leaflet (attached).

Book online: www.fullofbeansfitness.co.uk

Book directly for 8am drop-off: <u>lauren.jackson@fullofbeansfitness.co.uk</u> Don't miss out on the fun! Book your child's spot today!

The children enjoyed an assembly this morning from Lauren at Full of Beans who gave lots of information on all the fun activities they do.

We must stress that this club will only go ahead if enough children are booked on to it. It was something families have asked for so if you need any further information please reach out to Lauren Jackson.

### LITTLE SUTTON DENTAL PRACTICE KIDS CLUB

On Saturday 22nd February Little Sutton Dental Practice will be opening their books in the morning for all children aged 0-10 to book in to have a full examination with our wonderful dentist. Your child does not need to be registered with this practice to attend a kids Club Appointment. All you need to do is contact their wonderful reception team on 0151 339 0406 and book an appointment.

### THE MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM

The Mental Health Support Team are pleased to be able to offer many different groups and drop-in sessions to help parents at home. Please see the attached leaflets or email <u>cwp.cheshiremhstadmin@nhs.net</u> for more information of the current groups/sessions available.

### NATIONAL STORYTELLING WEEK

Next week is National Storytelling Week. As always, the children will have the opportunities to immerse themselves in rich texts and beautiful stories. Can you read a new story with your little one at home? Can they write a book review or make a poster about it to bring in and share with their class on Friday 7th February?

## ATTENDANCE

And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! This week was definitely not as good as last week and some classes need a big push for the win.

This week's results are:

Booth's Bunnies 0 (92.2%) vs 3 (98.9%) Coy's Cobras Farrelly's Foxes 2 (96.7%) vs 0 (94.4%) Billenge's Butterflies Sixsmith's Sun Bears I (92.9%) vs 0 (92.6%) McClean's Monsters

# Don't forget you get I point for having more than 95%, 2 points for more than 97% and 3 points for 100% plus the winning team get an extra point!

A big well done to Coy's Cobras for winning the prize! It's been a long time coming! Our lucky winner takes home the Vauxhall's season pass. Well done everyone!

Just a little note from us. We know sometimes you will already have plans on the weekend you receive the pass so please feel free to gift it to another member of the class. If you could just let us know who you've given it to, that would be great. Thank you.

Next week's games are:

Podmore's Panthers vs Farrelly's Foxes McClean's Monsters vs Booth's Bunnies Billinge's Butterflies vs Sixsmith's Sun Bears

#### Good luck everyone!!

Please can I ask that if you take the sports passes home on the Friday, you return them with your child on Monday ready to be given out again for the next winning class. Thank you.

### **EXCITING SLOW COOKER OPPOURTUNITY**

The People's Pantry are coming in to run a slow cooker workshop for our parents/carers on 11th February. This is a fantastic opportunity and there will be some exciting things to take home afterwards. More information, including a survey to book one of the 7 sought after places, will be available on school spider soon.

### **CHILDRENS MENTAL HEALTH WEEK**

Next week is Children's Mental Health week and on Friday they will enjoy an off-timetable day. The children will take part in lots of activities, within their class environment, that can be used to help keep them mentally healthy. The activities will be run by their teacher. The children can also look forward to a "make you feel good" hot dinner option if they choose to have hot dinners.

### SCHOOL DISCO



We will be holding a school disco on Thursday 13<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. You will see this appear under purchases on school spider and it will be taken down Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February. Unfortunately, you will not be able to purchase tickets after this date. 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. The PTA runs the kitchen at this event but we are in desperate need for some volunteers in KS1. If you have a child in KS1 and can help at all for the duration of the infant disco please do let us know. **KS1- 5:00pm-6:00pm KS2- 6:15pm-7:30pm** 

## RESIDENTIALS

Just a friendly reminder that the **<u>FINAL</u>** payment for the exciting Delamere trip is due today, and January payment is due for Boreatton Park. Don't miss out on all the adventures! Please make sure the payment is made by 31.01.25.

Year Group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment
Year 2	Delamere	26 <sup>th</sup> February – 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2025	£80	Deposit - £20 Due by the 25 <sup>th</sup> -October November payment -£20 December payment - £20 Final payment January - £20
Year 6	Boreatton Park	21 <sup>st</sup> May – 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025	£150	Deposit - £50 due by the 29 <sup>th</sup> September Instalment - £50 due by 31 <sup>st</sup> January Final instalment - £50 due by 28 <sup>th</sup> March
Year 5 & Year 6 2025	France	8 <sup>th</sup> September – I2 <sup>th</sup> September	£450	Deposit £100 due 25 <sup>th</sup> November £50 due January Final balance is due June

### PE TIMETABLE

PE/ Hall	Morning	Afternoon	Forest school
Monday		ΥI	
Tuesday	Rec	Y3/Y2	
Wednesday	Y4	Y1/Y6	
Thursday	Y5 – commando Jo	Y6 – commando Jo Y3 – PE	ΥI
Friday	Y2/Y4	Rec/Y5	

### **Remember:**

### Wrap Around Care

We offer a **Wrap Around Care club** every day after school. This provides a safe and engaging environment for your child with a small fee. You can easily book places for Wrap Around Care through the School Spider.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
Monday	Board Games	KSI	Miss Farrelly	FULL
	Maths Booster	Y6	Mrs Whittaker	INVITE ONLY
<u>Tuesday</u>	Parliament	KS2	Miss Booth	Current choir participants only
	Football	5&6	Mr Shaw	Current football participants only
	Guitar Club	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Maths Booster	Y6	Mrs Davis McCoy	INVITE ONLY
<u>Wednesday</u>	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge	Current choir participants only
	Drama Club	KSI	Miss Mclean	FULL The week commencing 10.02.25 this club will be held on the Monday
Thursday	Commando Joe	KS2	Commando Joe	FULL

***KEY DATES**		
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	Third assessment window for Lions Pride	
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	Year 6 WW2 workshop	
Wed I 2 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Lions Pride assembly 2.15pm	
Thur I3 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School Disco KSI- 5:00pm-6:00pm KS2- 6:15pm-7:30pm	
Tue 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Young Voices Concert Co-Op Live Manchester	
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Delamere residential	
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Own clothes day in exchange for Easter Eggs	

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Mon I <sup>st</sup> Apr	Fourth assessment window for Lions Pride
Thur 3 <sup>rd</sup> Apr	Easter Bingo 5.30pm eyes down at 6pm
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Rock Steady concert 9.30am
Mon I 2 <sup>th</sup> May	Fifth assessment window for Lions Pride
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Sports day 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Tue 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Lions Pride assembly 2.15pm
Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Year 6 Kingswood residential
Fri I3 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Sports Day reserve date 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Own clothes day in exchange for chocolate and sweets
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Jun	AmaSing Concert Chester Cathedral
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Own clothes day in exchange for Bottles
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Sixth and final assessment window for Lions Pride
Thur I0 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Summer fair starts at 2pm
Wed I 6 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Lions Pride 2.15pm
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Break up for Summer
	Dates subject to change: we endeavour to give as much notice as possible Full term dates for this academic year can be found here on our website: <u>http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818</u>
	Please keep checking out our Facebook page for reminders about events coming up i follow the link: <u>https://www.facebook.com/rossmoreschool/</u>

Have a great weekend

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Mrs S Davis-McCoy

Head Teacher

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