

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents

**COVID UPDATE** There have been no further updates since last week. We continue to request that parents be vigilant for any symptoms of Covid and to test accordingly.

For the latest guidance on Covid please see here: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

## NEXT WEEK

- Year 6 trip to Liverpool Museum on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February. If you haven't pre-ordered a picnic bag please provide a packed lunch for your child
- Young Voices should be taking place on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February, however, we are still waiting for a new date; we will keep you updated.

**BIG MATHS** A big well done to the four Year 4 pupils who have got through to the finals of Big Maths! The event will take place on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March at the Civic Hall, Ellesmere Port where we will be up against other local primary schools; good luck!



**WEEKLY ATTENDANCE** The results from this week's attendance matches are in and we're starting to get back on track with some fantastic figures this week. Here are the results:

**Evans' Eagles 2 V Edward's Elephants 0**  
**Sixsmith's Snow Leopards 3 V Bouckley's Bears 0**  
**White's Wasps 0 V Hutchinson's Hedgehogs 1**

Congratulations to year 1 for regaining the crown! With Chester FC and Cheshire Phoenix both having home games this week, two lucky pupils have won a prize!

Next week's games are:

**Sixsmith's Snow Leopards vs Mayhew's Mice**  
**Evans' Eagles vs Hutchinson's Hedgehogs**  
**White's Wasps vs Bouckley's Bears**

Good luck everyone!

**LGBT+ History Month** This month we celebrate people from the LGBT+ community who have had a major impact on the world as we know it. This week we celebrate Alan Turing; please see last page of the newsletter.

**CAKE SALE** Our PTA will be holding a cake sale after school on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February. All cakes will be priced at 50p each, treat yourself or a loved one this Valentine's day!



**JUNIOR BAKE OFF** Applications are open to children aged 9-12 for the 8<sup>th</sup> series of Junior Bake off! If your child is interested in applying, please visit: [www.applyforjuniorbakeoff.co.uk](http://www.applyforjuniorbakeoff.co.uk)

**OUTSTANDING DINNER MONEY** All school dinner money must be paid over the weekend; please log in to your School Grid account to check balances and pay any debts in full.

**HELP NEEDED** If anyone knows anyone with a little time to spare who is able to make some seat covers for our lovely new classroom reading areas, please can you contact the school office. We will provide the foam, material and any other materials necessary. Thank you in advance for your support.

**SAFER INTERNET DAY** It is 'Safer Internet Day' on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February and to celebrate this, our Junior Safety officers from Year 6 are running a competition! They are inviting all Key Stage 2 pupils to design a poster using the theme internet safety. All entries must be handed in to Year 6 by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February. Good luck!

## RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

If your child is not attending their residential they will still need to attend school and will join another class.

- **DELAMERE** Please return letters (health consent form and picnic bag order) by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February.
- **LONDON** Payment 1 is now overdue; please pay this next instalment via School Spider ASAP.

Here is a reminder of all upcoming residential trips:

Year group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment deadline
1	Delamere	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 (1night) <b>*NEW DATE*</b>	£35	28.02.22
2	Delamere	2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2022 (2nights) <b>*NEW DATE*</b>	£70	28.02.22
4	JCA- Condoover Hall	27 <sup>th</sup> April 2022 (2nights)	£100	<del>Deposit: £25 due 31.12.21</del> Final balance: £75 due by 31.03.22
5&6	London	24 <sup>th</sup> May 2022 (3 nights)	£250	<del>Deposit: £50 due 31.12.21</del> Payment 1: £50 due 31.01.22 Payment 2: £50 due 28.02.22 Payment 3: £50 due 31.03.22 Payment 4: £50 due 30.04.22

**AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS** Clubs finish at 4:15pm and children should be collected promptly from the playground via the usual side gate. Only children in Year 5 & 6 are allowed to walk home but we must have consent from a parent.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
<b>Tuesday</b>	Parliament	Current members only	Miss White	<b>N/A</b>
	Football	5&6	Mr Podmore	<b>FULL</b>
	Dodgeball	Years 3&4	Miss Mundy	<b>FULL</b>
	Active Games inspired by Disney Storytelling <i>*girls only*</i>	Key Stage 1 <b>lunchtime</b>	Miss Finlay	
<b>Wednesday</b>	Multi-skills/Games	Year 1&2	Mr Hutchinson	<b>FULL</b>
	Choir	Current members only	Miss Evans	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	Active Games inspired by Disney Storytelling <i>*girls only*</i>	Key Stage 2 <b>after school</b>	Miss Finlay	<b>N/A</b>
	Art	KS2	Miss Lloyd	<b>FULL</b>
<b>Friday</b>	Reading Club <b>*lunch time*</b>	KS1	Miss Edwards	<b>FULL</b>

### 2022 DIARY DATES

<b>Thu 10<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Year 6 trip: Liverpool Museum
<b>Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	PTA cake sale after school
<b>Tue 15<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Year 3 trip: Liverpool Science College
<b>Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Break up for February half term
<b>Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>INSET DAY</b>
<b>Tue 1<sup>st</sup> Mar</b>	Pupils return to school
<b>Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar</b>	Year 1- Delamere (1 night) <b>*NEW DATE*</b>
<b>Thu 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar</b>	Year 2- Delamere (2 nights) <b>*NEW DATE*</b>
<b>Thu 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar</b>	World Book Day- Children dress up as favourite character
<b>Tue 29<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	Year 5 trip to Safety Central
<b>Thu 31<sup>st</sup> Mar</b>	Year 6 trip to Safety Central
<b>Thu 7<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	SEND drop in (AM)
	Break up for Spring break
<b>Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	Year 4- JCA (2 nights)
<b>Tue 24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 5&6- London (3 nights)

Full term dates for this academic year can be found here on our website:

[http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/serve\\_file/2547522](http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/2547522)

Best wishes,



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