

Dear Parents

**SCHOOL INFORMATION:**

- **JUNIOR ADMISSIONS 2022:** Attached is a guide for parents of children applying to Junior schools for September 2022. Follow the link for information on the application process and to apply [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions)

The online application system opened on 1 November 2021 and the closing date for applications is 15 January 2022.

If you are applying for a school place to St Cuthbert Mayne School for Year 3 September 2022, please also submit a Supplementary Information Form and supporting documentation to the school by **15 January 2022**. Please ensure you complete the SIF for 2022-2023.

<https://www.cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Final-2022-23-Admissions-Policy.pdf>

- **CONSULTATION ON ST CUTHBERT MAYNE SCHOOL ADMISSION ARRANGEMENTS FOR 2023-24:**

St Cuthbert Mayne Junior School is consulting on the proposed admissions arrangements for the school year 2023/24 and is seeking responses from parent/carers, schools and community groups.

The proposed admission arrangements for 2023-24 are available on our website <https://www.cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/2023-24-Admissions-Policy-including-SIF-For-Consultation.pdf>

Further details on the consultation process are available on the Hertfordshire CC admissions website: [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions2023](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions2023)

The proposed changes are:

1. To withdraw the oversubscription criteria for a Certificate of Catholic Practice

The consultation period runs from 1 November 2021 - 12 December 2021. Please send your comments regarding the proposals to the school direct at [admin@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk)

- **TT ROCKSTARS COMPETITION:** All pupils will be taking part in the TT Rockstars competition that is taking place next Monday – Thursday – please see the attached letter from our Maths leader Miss Reed and a poster for details.
- **INDIVIDUAL PUPIL AND FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS:** Braiswick Photographers will be coming to take individual pupil and family group photographs **TOMORROW, Thursday 4 November 2021**.
- **THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL:** This year we have been given poppies, zip pulls (50p), reflectors (50p), wristbands (£1.00) and snapbands (£1.50). The children will be able to purchase these items in school from tomorrow each day until 11 November or while stocks last. The correct donation amount will need to be placed directly in the supplied donation box. Please help support the Poppy Appeal.
- **HEAD LICE:** There has been a case of head lice reported in 3NIGHTINGALE. Please check your child's hair and treat if necessary.

- **YEAR 6 NETBALL CLUB:** The Year 6 Netball Club starts after school today **Wednesday 3 November**, and will run each Wednesday after school until 4.20pm. A qualified Netball coach will be coming in to take the sessions, which will be free of charge. There are still places if you would like your child to take part - sign up for the Y6 Netball Club via the School Gateway system.
- **BREAKFAST CLUB:** Due to the popularity of our Breakfast Club, we have closed the system for new registrations until the end of this term. This is to ensure that we maintain places for those that need this provision guaranteed. From the Spring Term 2022 the cost to attend Breakfast Club will increase to **£3.50** per session.

A reminder that Breakfast Club starts at 7.55am. The gate will be open for pupils from 7.50-8.15am. Late arrivals are discouraged but if you are late please telephone **07526076963** to gain access.

- **HERTS CATERING NEW WINTER MENU:** Please follow the link to the school website where you can view the new Winter menu.  
<https://www.cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk/parent-information/school-dinners/>

### PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

-  **CHRISTMAS CARDS** 

Pupils were given the PA's annual Christmas card project before half term. The PA request all art work be sent to school by **10 November** to give time for you to receive orders for posting to family and friends. Once your child has completed their art work at home, send it back into school - you will be contacted with a link to place your order and pay online (no cash or cheques payments).

### REMINDERS

- **ALL PUPILS - INFLUENZA IMMUNISATION – FRIDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2021, 8.30am-12.00pm.**  
Please complete and sign the consent form for each of your children and return it to school by **Friday 5 November 2021**. (*Letter and Consent Forms sent with 15 & 22.09.2021 emails*)
- **YEAR 6 - ONLINE HEALTH ASSESSMENT – TUESDAY 7 DECEMBER 2021** (*details in 6.10.21 email*)
- **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS:** Details of after school clubs that are held at St Cuthbert Mayne School during the Autumn Term 2021 are on our school website.  
<http://www.cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk/learning/clubs/>

### LOCAL COMMUNITY

#### **JFK Admission Policy Consultation**

The governing body of John F Kennedy Catholic School is putting the 2023-24 Admissions Policy and documentation out for consultation between 1st November 2021 – 12th December 2021.

Please visit their website to view the documentation - <https://jfk.herts.sch.uk/key-information/admissions-policy>

#### **St Rose's Catholic Infant School Admission Policy Consultation**

St. Rose's Catholic Infant School is consulting on Admissions Arrangements for 2023-24. The draft policy can be found at [Admissions | St Rose's Catholic Infant School \(secure-primariesite.net\)](https://www.stroseschool.herts.sch.uk/secure-primariesite.net) and we welcome any feedback or comments directed for the attention of: Dr Sarah Kelly, Chair of the

Governing Board, c/o The School Office St Rose's Catholic Infant School, Green End Road, Boxmoor, Hemel Hempstead, Herts HP1 1QW. The consultation will run from the 1st November to the 12th December 2021.

**3<sup>RD</sup> BOXMOOR SCOUT GROUP**

3rd Boxmoor Scout Group are looking for an Assistant Leader and a Quartermaster to join the team. No experience necessary as training will be provided. For more information contact

[chair@3rdboxmoor.org.uk](mailto:chair@3rdboxmoor.org.uk)

**DELIVERING SCHOOL PROVISION LOCALLY (DSPL):** Please view the Dacorum Parent/Carers Courses and Support updates which provides the dates for upcoming events.

<http://www.dacorumdspl.org.uk/online-resources-for-parents-and-carers-2/>

Kind regards  
School Office