

Dear Parents

SCHOOL INFORMATION:

NEW MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM UPDATE

As you were advised in last Wednesday's email, during this half term we will be changing our school Management Information System (MIS).

As confirmation that the migration from the current system has taken place you will receive an email from Arbor advising you of the change, this should happen on or around 12th February.

In preparation for the migration, we have amended the changeover plan as follows;

- Closed payments on our current School Gateway system for school pens, ties and badges. We will reopen these payment options on the new system on Monday 21st February
- Breakfast Club - as some parents have already pre booked a session for after half term we will continue via The School Gateway until Easter.
- Payments for school dinners will also continue on the School Gateway until Easter.
- Y6 PGL/residential trip payments will remain on the School Gateway throughout to avoid any problems with instalments.

Again we would like to thank you for your support and patience at this time.

HALF TERM

We would like to remind you that we will be breaking up this Friday 11th February, at the usual collection time, for spring half term. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 21st February.

PA FUNDRAISER

SCM Lenten Bunting is back! Get creative!

A beautiful way to mark a fast approaching Lent and start thinking about your own creations with personal Lenten promises or acts of kindness.

Perhaps something for a rainy day over half-term?

Where is yours going to be displayed during Lent?

More details in the attached leaflet!

Thank you for supporting this wonderful initiative. Fr Brian can't wait to see them all!

Happy Bag Collection

We are receiving Happy Bags in school from tomorrow (Thurs) PM and Friday AM. Collection is on Friday morning. Please see flyer attached. Please ensure donations are brought into the school playground at collection time Thursday 10th February or drop off time on Friday 11th February.

Alternatively, donations can be brought to school on Parents Evening on Thursday 10th February and left, as directed, at the front of the school. Additional bags can be collected from the school office.

Thank you for your support.

Please note the next PA Meeting – open to all-is on 24th February in school at 7pm.

REMINDERS

- **COVID-19 UPDATE:** Please refer to our updated COVID-19 Guidance on the school website by following the link below:
<https://www.cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/SCM-Parents-guidance-Jan-2022-V2.pdf>

LOCAL COMMUNITY

APEX Multi-Sports Half Term Club

Please see attached flyer and booking link for this holiday club.

February Half-Term Football Camp

We are really pleased to announce the date of our February Half-Term Football Camp which has been scheduled for 3 half days from Tuesday 15th – Thursday 17th February where once again some of our top UEFA coaches will be working on technical skills, drills and plenty of game time.

Each half day will have a packed 3hr agenda starting at 9.30am and running until 12.30pm, free snacks will be provided. Spaces are limited so book early to avoid disappointment ->

<https://www.watfordladiesfc.com/camp-feb22>

St Rose's Catholic Infant School

Nursery 2022 Admissions Process

If you have a child who is born 1 September 2018 – 31st August 2019 now is the time to apply.

Opens : Tuesday 1st February 2022

Closes : Friday 25th March 2022 at 10.00am

Offers Made : Friday 22nd April 2022

Deadline to Accept Offer : Friday 29th April 2022

We are holding a live webinar with Mrs Ryan the Headteacher on Thursday 10th February at 6pm and then the opportunity to visit our school on two dates :

- Thursday 24th February 2022 at 9.45am
- Wednesday 2nd March 2022 at 9.15am and 9.45am

Please have a look at our virtual tour which is on our website [Admissions | St Rose's Catholic Infant School \(secure-primariesite.net\)](#)

Please email admin@stroses.herts.sch.uk to book on our webinar and one of our tours.

JOHN F KENNEDY CATHOLIC SCHOOL - VACANCIES

We are seeking to appoint the positions:

Premises Manager, Premises Assistant, Exam Invigilators, Teacher of Business, Teacher of Design & Technology, Teacher of Science

Please visit our website for details - www.jfk.herts.sch.uk

Kind regards
School Office