

SCHOOL INFORMATION:

All communication on school life and events will continue to be communicated weekly through this Wednesday email. We hope you find this email useful and can use it as a quick reference to what is happening at school. The Wednesday emails are also saved on the school website should you need to refer to previous communications. The school website holds everything you should need to know about school, please do have a look and feedback anything you feel is missing.

WORLD BOOK DAY

We will be celebrating WBD on **Friday 10 March**. To mark the occasion and join in the fun please come to school either:

- Dressed as your favourite character.
- Dressed in your favourite reading clothes, for example pjs (wear shorts and t-shirt underneath) or comfy clothes.
- Or bring your favourite book.
- Or come in your uniform.

There will be a number of activities happening throughout the day which we hope your children will enjoy and emphasise the pleasure of reading.

Book sale in the afternoon. Please do remember if you have any KS2 appropriate preloved books which you would like to donate please send in with your child before Friday 10 March.

If you are available to help with the book sale 12:30 -3:00pm please email admin FAO Mrs Welch. Books will be priced 50p (with a maximum spend of £2). School will match fund this event to buy new books for the class libraries.

Whole school homework this week will be to take a photo and upload it to Google classroom of you reading in an unusual /favourite place.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Welch and Mrs Knight

OFFICE MANAGER VACANCY

We are recruiting an office manager to join our small team of dedicated office staff consisting of our school business manager and office administrators who are looking forward to welcoming a new colleague. The successful candidate will manage the day-to-day running of the school's most important hub. Application forms with the full job description and person specification can be found on the teach in herts website by following the link below.

[Office Manager Vacancy - St Cuthbert Mayne School](#)

SUSTRANS BIG WALK & WHEEL 2023

Get set... we're taking part in Sustrans Big Walk & Wheel 2023 the UK's largest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting challenge. The challenge runs from 20-31 March. It's free and we would love everyone to be involved.

What do you need to do? Encourage your child(ren) to walk, use a wheelchair, scoot or cycle to school on as many days as possible during the event.

GIRLS/BOYS FOOTBALL/NETBALL MATCHES

Due to weather conditions, today's netball and football matches have been cancelled. We will advise when the matches are rearranged.

ATTENDANCE

Please continue to report all daily absences to the office at: admin@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk, by **9am**, and if making an application for a leave of absence please continue to use our [leave of absence form](#) and return to the office.

For information regarding the new guidance in relation to attendance from the DfE please see last week's newsletter.

Y6 HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE, 22 MARCH 2023

See attached flyer.

YEAR 6 PGL SCHOOL JOURNEY

Thank you to everyone who has paid the remaining balance. This is very much appreciated. For those with an outstanding balance please remember the final balance for this trip is due Friday 10 March. Thank you.

We will be holding an information sharing session regarding this trip on Monday 27 March starting at 5pm and finishing at 6pm in the school hall. We hope to see you and your child at the meeting and looking forward to discussing this adventure in more detail with you.

BREAKFAST CLUB REMINDER

Please remember to book your child into breakfast club via Arbor. Due to staffing ratios, we will now ask parents to bring your child/children to the dining room door. This change is effective from Monday 20 February 2023.

Please note **the gate will open at 7:50 and close at 8:15** and the Breakfast Club mobile number 07526076963.

SCHOOL MEALS

As you are aware, the school is not allowed to carry debt for parents therefore please ensure your child's meal account is in credit at all times.

PACKED LUNCHES

Please remember we are a 'nut free' school as we have pupils with nut allergies. Do not give your child any foods containing nuts in their packed lunch. Children may bring in a piece of fruit for their morning snack.

WEDNESDAY EMAIL & SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

We are trying to keep our school communications as 'digital' as possible. However, if you are unable (or know someone who is unable) to access the digital version, following feedback, we will keep a few paper copies available in the office. Please contact the office for further assistance.

PARENTS ASSOCIATION

MOTHER'S DAY GIFT

Arbor is open to pre-order a £3.00 Mother's Day gift. Please remember, orders will close on Thursday 9 March.

UPCOMING SCHOOL DATES

Swimming 4A: Commences Tuesday 17 January and runs weekly up to and including 28 March

Swimming 4J: Commences Wednesday 18 January and runs weekly up to and including 29 March

Forest Schools: Thursday 9 March 5M & 6J

Forest Schools: Friday 10 March 5E & 6MLK

Forest Schools: Thursday 16 March 4A & 3N

Forest Schools: Friday 17 March 4J & 3A

Netball match: 10 March vs Bovingdon HOME, 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Year 6 PGL Meeting: 5pm Monday 27 March

Term Ends: 1.45pm Friday 31 March 2023

LOCAL COMMUNITY:

St Rose's Catholic Infant School

Nursery 2023 Admissions Process

If you have a child who is born 1 September 2019 – 31 August 2020 now is the time to apply.

Opens: Wednesday 1 February 2023

Closes: Friday 24 March 2023 at 10.00am

Offers Made: Friday 21 April 2023

Deadline to Accept Offer: Friday 28 April 2023 10am

There is one more final opportunity to visit our school :

- Tuesday 21 March 2023 at 9.30am

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 tour.

GOOD SHEPHERD EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB

3 – 14 April

Please see flyer attached.

CASCADE CAMPS HOLIDAY CAMP

Cascade Camps runs holiday camps for children aged 3-14 during the school holidays. These run at Lockers Park and Westbrook Hay. Please see attached flyer and newsletter.

Kind regards

Mrs Seabrook & Miss Maloney

School Office

SCHOOL OFFICE OPENING TIMES:

8.30 AM-12.30PM

2.30PM-4PM