

## **ST CUTHBERT MAYNE SCHOOL – WEEKLY BULLETIN – WEDNESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024**

### **Key dates :**

#### **Thursday 19th December**

Forest School 4A

#### **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

End of term. **School will finish at 1.45pm**

The new term starts on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025** (Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025 is Inset Day, closed to pupils)

### **Key dates for next term:**

#### **Young Shakespeare - whole school - 13<sup>th</sup> to the 16<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

As part of our Shakespeare topic in English this term, we have organised a workshop with the Young Shakespeare Company. The workshops are two hours each in length devised for one class at a time and will take place in the school hall.

So that the workshop can run please may we ask for a contribution of £6.78 per child and consent to be made via Activities – Trips on Arbor, no later than Monday 6th January 2025.

#### **Forest School**

Forest School will start the first week back for the following classes:

Thursday 6MLK/ 5M

Friday 6J/ 5E

This will be the same each week throughout the term.

### **Other news**

#### **Swimming Year 4s starting Spring Term 2025**

A letter has been sent out about Year 4 swimming, which starts next term. Consent and payment can now be made via Arbor (please see letter for details). If there are any parents who would like to volunteer to accompany the Year 4s to swimming, please do mention to your child's class teacher and complete the Volunteer Helpers google form below.

#### **Herts Music School**

##### **Violin lessons**

Year 3 children are invited to learn the violin with Mrs Susan Greengrass who works for for the Herts Music Service. She has taught violin at St Cuthbert Mayne for over ten years! Lessons take place in school on Tuesday or Thursday morning each week in term time. Lessons are individual or in pairs, for 20 or 30 minutes.

All details for registration and lesson information can be found at [www.hertsmusicservice.org.uk](http://www.hertsmusicservice.org.uk). There is an online application link (please be patient when awaiting a response). General enquiries can be made by phone 01438 844851.

### **Ties & Badges**

We have sourced a new supplier for both ties and badges. Further details to follow shortly. If you are waiting for your order of school badges, thank you for your patience, this will be distributed in the next few weeks.

### **MHST - Mental Health Support team**

Please see a leaflet in a PDF attached to today's Wednesday. It gives some more information about what this initiative is and how to access it. If you would like to know more about how our practitioner can support you and your child, contact me on my email address:

[sendco@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk](mailto:sendco@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk)

### **School Dinners**

Please ensure that your Arbor meal account is in credit.

### **Sports matches**

The football Team won their recent match against St Albert the Great 14-0. Some great goals and great saves –well done to them!

### **Afterschool Clubs**

There are still a few spaces left in afterschool clubs for Sping Term 2025. Please check Arbor and sign up if you would like your child to attend.

### **Art Club**

Will be running from Monday 13th January 2025 to Monday 24th March 2025 - 3:30pm to 4:30pm (£7 per session). Please call Mona on 07904674019 to book on.

### **Google Forms:**

[Administration of Medication- Parental Request Form](#)

[Application for Leave of Absence Request](#)

[Volunteer Helpers on School Trips](#)

[Year 6- Walking Home From School Permission](#)

[Year 6- Mobile Phone Permission](#)

Last but not least, we wish all the children, parents and carers a wonderful and well deserved Christmas break!

Kind regards,  
School Office