

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

STRIKE DAYS As you will be aware further strike action will be taking place over the coming weeks. The first will be Thursday 27th April. On this day the following classes will not be able to attend school

Year 1

Year 6

All other year groups can attend as normal. This will not affect the residential trip taking place to JCA. If there are any further changes we will endeavour to inform you as soon as they arise.

SPORTS FOR CHAMPIONS All of the children should have brought home a sponsorship form for our sports for champions visitor on Thursday 25th May. We will be having a visitor to the school who will be speaking to the children and holding a sponsored fitness circuit. We don't have a name yet but we know it's a female footballer. Please ensure your sponsor forms are handed back in before Monday 22nd May.

ROSSMORE RACE NIGHT As you are aware a school survey went out this week regarding Race night here at school on Friday 19th May doors open at 6.00 for 6.30 pm start.

You must complete your school spider as soon as possible and reserve your ticket. It is £1 per adult tickets via school spider purchases in order for us to know how many people will be attending. This will give you a strip of raffle tickets on the night.

Please complete survey by Friday 28th April.

(Please note: if there is a lack of interest in this event then it will not proceed and refunds will be given)



LOST PROPERTY Please ensure that your child's name is clearly marked on items such as coats, jumpers and cardigans. If your child loses an item then please search the lost property bin in the school hall at the end of the day. We have been inundated with lost property, there has been so much uniform not named. We will keep hold of lost property for up to one month as stated in previous newsletters. Any items left over we will put in the air ambulance clothing bin that we have in the staff car park. **This is your one week reminder** before we transfer our lost property across at the end of next week

GARDENING CLUB Mrs Sixsmith has asked if any parents could donate to our gardening club for our summer term. Please see the list below of items that would be greatly appreciated

- . Spades
- . Seeds
- . Cuttings
- . Soil
- . Pots



KING'S CORONATION CELEBRATION You should have all now completed your survey regarding the king's coronation picnic lunch. If you have not already, please ensure you do this over the weekend. **YOU MUST MAKE YOUR PAYMENT** via school spider for your place to be accepted. This event will include lunch and lawn games in the afternoon, starting at 12.15 pm on **Friday 5th May**.

The cost of the picnic is:

£2.30 per pupil - children's meals must be paid online via your school grid account on the day

£2.50 per adult - payable via school spider under purchases

Your lunch will include:

A choice of sandwich (ham, cheese, tuna, egg mayo)



A sausage roll (veggie option available)

Scones

Cake

Ice lollies (for the children)

Refreshments after the activities will also be on sale to end the afternoon.

Please note that if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2, or is eligible for Free School Meals, there will be no charge for your child's meal. However, the adult picnic will need to be paid for via **school spider**. **IF YOUR SURVEY AND PAYMENT IS NOT COMPLETED BY MONDAY 24th APRIL WE WILL MARK AS YOU ARE NOT ATTENDING.**

ATTENDANCE And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! Some really great results this week but also some teams with room for improvement! Here are the results:

Podmore's Pandas 1 V 0 Billinge's Bats

Sixsmith's Snakes 0 V 2 Coy's CatsWhittaker's

Wasps 3 V 0 Edward's Elephants

Congratulations to year 2 for winning again, they are currently top of the league with only a few months to go! Can anyone steal their crown? This week's lucky winner is off to watch Cheshire Phoenix play. Well done!

Don't forget you get 1 goal for having more than 95%, 2 goals for more than 97% and 3 goals for 100% plus the winning team get an extra goal!

Next week's games are:

Booth's Bunnies vs Coy's Cats

Whittaker's Wasps vs Billinge's Bats

Sixsmith's Snakes vs Edward's Elephants

Good luck everyone!!

100% Attendance Reward

This week our pupils took home their 100% attendance letters. Last term 97 pupils had excellent attendance! Pupils with excellent attendance get the chance to wear their own clothes on a day of their choice during this half term.

Well done everyone!

NEW PE TIMETABLE

PE HALL TIMETABLE	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	BABY CLUB	Y2/Y4
Tuesday	Y3 Reception swimming	Y1
Wednesday	ROCKSTEADY	Y3/5
Thursday	REC	Y2/6
Friday	Y5	Y1/4 Y3 Forest School Y6 Swimming

YEAR 6 SWIMMING Will be on a Wednesday for the next two weeks due to our JCA residential and also our King's Coronation picnic lunch.

NEW AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS You would have been contacted by the office if your child has been selected for afterschool club. Please do not contact the office if you have not been informed this will mean your child has automatically been placed on a waiting list. Clubs will start week commencing Monday 24th April. Please note if your child no longer wishes to attend club you must email the office to inform us.

ART CLUB HAS FINISHED FOR KS2 and will run for KS1 in the summer term.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
Monday	Basketball	Year 4&5	Mrs Bouckley	Please enquire with the office if interested
	Building and Construction	KS1	Mrs Edwards	FULL
	Gardening Club	KS2	Miss Sixsmith	FULL
Tuesday	iPad Club	Ks1	Mrs Whittaker	FULL
	Guitar Lessons	Key stage 2	Mr Shaw	4 spaces left
	Parliament	Key stage 2	Mrs Booth	Current parliament participants only
Wednesday	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge	Current choir participants only
	Strike and Fielding Games	Year 3 & 4	Mr Podmore	Please enquire with the office if interested
Thursday	Art	KS1	Mrs Sheen	TBC

RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

Year Group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment	DUE
Year 5	The Conway Centre	Wed 19 th July – Fri 21 st July	£100	£10 – Deposit £20 – Feb £20 – March £20 – April £20 – May £10 - June	<u>30.06.23</u>

KEY DATES

Wed 26th Apr	Year 4 residential to JCA
Mon 1st May	BANK HOLIDAY
Thurs 4th May	Reception and year 6 leavers photographs
Fri 5th May	Picnic and lawn games for King's Coronation
Mon 8th May	KINGS CORONATION BANK HOLIDAY
Fri 19th May	Race Night
Mon 26th May	Close for Spring break
Mon 12th Jun	School inset day
Tues 13th Jun	Re-open after Spring break
Thu 15th Jun	Musical Extravaganza at TEPCEC
Thu 22nd Jun	Sports Day (Weather permitting)
Thu 13th Jul	Summer Fair
Wed 19th Jul	Year 5 Conway residential
Fri 21st Jul	Last day for summer break 1:30pm finish (no buses)

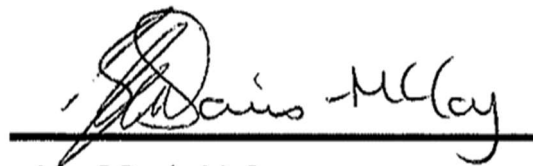
Full term dates for this academic year can be found here on our website:

ROSSMORE SCHOOL

Holiday Dates

September 2023 to August 2024

Holiday Period	Date of Closing	Date of Re-Opening
Autumn Term 2023		INSET DAY: Monday 4th September 2023 Tuesday 5 th September 2023
Autumn Half Term 2023	Friday 20 th October 2023	INSET DAY: Monday 30TH October 2023 Tuesday 31 st October 2023
Christmas Holidays 2023/2024	Tuesday 19 th December 2023	Thursday 4 th January 2024
Spring Half Term 2024	Friday 16 th February 2024	Monday 26 th February 2024
Spring Break 2024	Friday 28 th March 2024	Monday 8 th April 2024
May Day Bank Holiday 2024 Monday 6 th May 2024	Friday 3 rd May 2024	Tuesday 7 th May 2024
Summer Half Term 2024	Friday 24 th May 2024	Monday 10 th June 2024
Summer Holidays 2024	Friday 19 th July 2024 INSET DAY: Monday 22nd July 2024 INSET DAY: Tuesday 23rd July 2024 INSET DAY: Wednesday 24th July 2024	



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