

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers



JU JITSU TRAINING Ellesmere Port Ju Jitsu Training Centre is offering **FREE** taster classes to KS2 students. These classes will be run in the hall after school every Thursday from 15th June, 3:30-4:30pm until the summer holidays. During the classes, your child will learn basic self-defence work, awareness, improve confidence, self-esteem, and fitness. If your child is interested, please see Mrs Lowe to apply for a space, all spaces will be confirmed by Friday 26th May, spaces are limited for this class. On the day your child will just need to wear tracksuit pants and a T-shirt (no football tops please) and please bring a drink.

PTA We are always on the lookout for more members to join our PTA. As part of the PTA you will be helping the planning and organising for our events and volunteering on the day if you have the time. Please get in touch if this is something you would like to be a part of.

WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK Our school parliament have organised an event. From the 13th-16th June, you can take part in a Walk to School Week. Each day, we encourage you to walk, bike or scoot to school. If you normally drive to school, you could park further away then walk the rest of the way. Every morning, we will come into your child's class and take a tally to see which class has walked to school the most. At the end of the week, the winning class will receive a trophy.

The reason we are doing this is because we need to cut down on carbon emissions and most importantly, we want to reduce the number of cars outside school to keep us safe. We hope as many people as possible will take part and try to win the trophy for their class.

Good luck!

Parliament

SPORTS FOR CHAMPIONS All of the children's sponsorship forms for our sports for champions footballer on Thursday 25th May are due back into school on Monday 22nd May.

WHOLE SCHOOL SPORTS DAY Thursday 22nd June, children are to come into school in full PE kit for the day. Reception year 1 and year 2 will do their races in the morning and year 3, year 4, year 5 and year 6 in the afternoon. We are planning to start at 10:30am – 12pm for our KS1 morning races and then in the afternoon 1:30pm- 3pm for KS2. Parents are welcome to come and watch on the day. (Weather permitting) Our PTA will be organising a BBQ on this day for parents. You will be welcomed to stay after the first races in the morning and arrive earlier before our races in the afternoon to enjoy lunch with your child. The children will be able to order a picnic bag on school spider for the day. A survey will be sent out for parents to complete, this will give us an indication of how much food preparation will need to be done. Parents are requested to bring along their own lunches and the BBQ will also be serving and selling hot food.



TEDDY DONATION If anybody would like to donate any teddy bears towards our summer fair this year please deliver to the school office. We are looking for clean well kept teddy bears to put towards our teddy tombola.

MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA Our whole school concert will be held at Ellesmere Port College on 15th June. Children will need to arrive (dropped off at the college by their parents) at 5.30pm for a 6pm start. Parents will be able to purchase tickets for the event – you can only purchase 2 tickets per **FAMILY**. Tickets will cost £1 each. You can purchase these via School spider. If families wish to have more tickets, then they will be added to a waiting list and they will be sold as first come, first served. Please only buy 2 tickets per

FAMILY, initially. **Your last day to purchase is Friday 26th May, we will not be taking cash payments for this so if you are having school spider issues, please let me know in the office.**

ATTENDANCE And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! Some really fantastic results this week with one class having 100%!! Here are the results:

Sixsmith's Snakes 1 V 3 Whittaker's Wasps
 Coy's Cats 0 V 1 Billinge's Bats 1
 Booth's Bunnies 2 V 0 Podmore's Pandas

Congratulations to Year 2 for taking back their crown. This week's lucky winner will received a voucher for flip out! 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:

Billinge's Bats vs Edward's Elephants
 Whittaker's Wasps vs Booth's Bunnies
 Podmore's Pandas vs Coy's Cats

We are nearing the end of the league. Don't forget in the last assembly of the league your child is welcome to come to school dressed up as their team mascot! We had some fantastic outfits last year, let's see if we can do even better this year. I look forward to seeing lots of elephants, cats, wasps, snakes, bunnies, pandas and bats!

Good luck 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

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

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	3 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	KSI	Mrs Sheen	FULL

RESIDENTIAL TRIPS – your final payments should be paid in June. If you are having difficulty please come to the office.

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	30.06.23

KEY DATES	
Mon 22 nd May	Everton college coaches attending for year 4 & 5
Fri 26 th May	Year 3 class assembly 9:15am
Fri 26 th May	Close for Spring break
Mon 12 th Jun	School inset day
Tues 13 th Jun	Re-open after Spring break
Thu 15 th Jun	Musical Extravaganza at TEPCEC
Thu 22 nd Jun	Sports Day (Weather permitting)
Thu 22 nd Jun	Reception starter information evening 6pm
Fri 23 rd Jun	Sponsored readathon
Fri 23 rd Jun	Drama workshops
Wed 28 th Jun	Year 6 leavers and reception photographs
Fri 30 th Jun	Year 2 class assembly 9:15am
Thu 13 th Jul	Summer Fair
Fri 14 th Jul	Reception class assembly 9:15am
Wed 19 th Jul	Year 5 Conway residential
Fri 21 st 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: http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818	

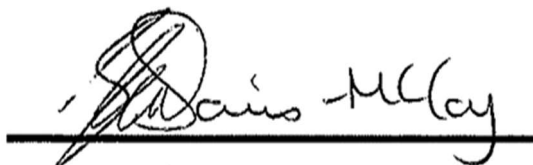
ROSSMORE SCHOOL

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 6th 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	



Mrs S Davis-McCoy
Head Teacher