

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

WELCOME BACK We hope that you all had a fantastic break and have settled back in to the School term.

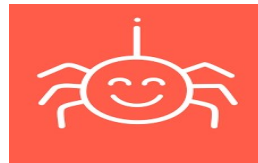
MY HAPPY MIND With the success of the My Happy mind programme within the school curriculum I just wanted to remind you of the amazing resource available to parents and carers at home. The My Happy Mind app provides mini masterclasses and helpful tips to help with good mental health at home. Please see the attached letter for more information as well as your sign-up code.

PARENT'S EVENING Parent's evening slots have gone out on school spider. Slots will be available at the following times:

Tuesday 19th March 3.30pm – 7.00pm

Thursday 21st March 3.30 – 5pm

Please make sure your appointments are booked



LION'S PRIDE AWARD Our next assessment window is W/B Monday 4th March. Please get all evidence uploaded during this week to be assessed for one of the awards. Please make sure that you have filled in your timesheets to show how many hours completed.



WORLD BOOK DAY COMPITION Any writing entries need to be given to your class teacher by Monday 4th March. We can't wait to read what you've written. Winners will be announced in assembly on World Book Day. We would like the children to dress up as their favourite book character on Thursday 7th March to celebrate, but want to ask that children do not come into school in full football kits this year. Please do not feel like you have to purchase a costume, have fun creating something simple. Your children can come to school in uniform if you would like them too. Thank you for your understanding

RAGS2RICHES It's that time again! Our last collection raised £106.85 for the school and we're so excited to see if we can beat that amount this time around! Our next collection date is fast approaching so please start saving your old clothes and items. The collection is on Tuesday 26th March so we will start accepting the donations from Monday 18th March. Remember it's not just clothes, they also take shoes and accessories (please see the attached leaflet or [Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes , we pay 50p per kilo. \(rags2riches4schools.co.uk\)](http://Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes , we pay 50p per kilo. (rags2riches4schools.co.uk))) for more information. Thank you, as always, for your unwavering support!

MHST CHILD ANXIETY DROP IN The Mental Health Support Team are offering a drop-in session for parents to discuss/learn about child anxiety. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

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 already been inundated with lost property. We will keep hold of lost property for upto 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.



ATTENDANCE And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! A much better week this week for most classes. Here are the results:

Billinge's Bats 0 V 1 Edward's Elephants
 Whittaker's White Tigers 0 V 2 Booth's Bunnies
 Podmore's Puppies 0 V 3 Coy's Cats

Well done to year 1 for taking back the crown! This week's lucky winner is off to watch Cheshire Phoenix play. Well done everyone.

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!

Our after half term's games are:

Booth's Bunnies vs Sixsmith's Sun Bears
 Edward's Elephants vs Podmore's Puppies
 Coy's Cats vs Whittaker's White Tigers

Please can I ask that if you take the sports passes home on the Friday, you return them with your child on Monday ready to be given out again for the next winning class. Thank you.



SCHOOL BUS Due to our year 6 residential in the week beginning 25th March, there will be significant changes to our morning and after school pick-ups. This is because the bus will be with the children on this trip. The only times the bus will be running is

Monday 25th March AM

Thursday 28th March PM

For all other days and times, please make other arrangements for getting your child to and from school. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
<u>Monday</u>	Sports crew	Y5&6	Mr Podmore	FULL
	Sports games	Y3&4	Mr Podmore and his Sports Crew	FULL
	Guitar Club Group 1	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Year 6 Booster	Y6	Mrs Bouckley	FULL
	Creative Gardening MOVED TO WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK	Y 5 & 6	Mrs Sheen	FULL MOVED TO WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK
<u>Tuesday</u>	Parliament	Key stage 2	Miss Booth	FULL
	Guitar Club Group 2	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Sign Language	Y1&2	Miss Sixsmith	FULL
	Year 6 Writing Booster	Y6	Mrs Whittaker	CANCELLED DUE TO STAFF TRAINING 12.03.24
<u>Wednesday</u>	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge Miss Coy	Current participants only
<u>Thursday</u>	Mini Sports Club	1&2	Mrs Webber	Spaces available please enquire at the office

	Year 6 Booster	Y6	Mrs Davis McCoy	FULL
	Shooting stars	Key stage 2	Miss Finlay	FULL

PE TIMETABLE CHANGES

PE HALL TIMETABLE	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	Y1	Y6/Y5
Tuesday	Y4	Y3
Wednesday	ROCKSTEADY	Y5/Y3
Thursday	Y2/4	REC/Y1
Friday	Y2	Y3 Forest School Y6

*****KEY DATES*****

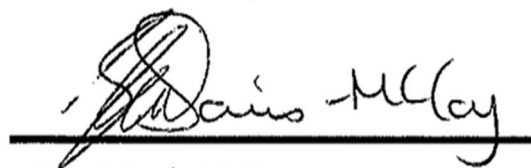
Mon 4th Mar	Second assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award
Mon 4th Mar	Y4 Chester walls visit
Wed 6th Mar	Y3 Geography trip
Thur 7th Mar	World Book Day
Fri 8th Mar	Drama workshops for all classes in school
Mon 11th Mar	Italian theme lunch
Tue 12th Mar	Dance performance for selected Y3 children
Mon 18th Mar	Indian theme lunch
Wed 20th Mar	SENDCO drop in (9.30am-12pm)
Wed 20th Mar	Sarah Wynn author visit
Fri 22nd Mar	Y5 Methodist Church Easter Event
Mon 25th Mar	Chinese theme lunch
Mon 25th Mar	JCA Year 6 residential
Mon 25th Mar	<u>Significant changes to the bus</u>
Thur 28th Mar	Finish school for the Easter half term
Mon 8th Apr	Return to school
Mon 6th May	Third assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award
Mon 8th Jul	Fourth assessment window for the Lion's Pride Award
Monday 8th Jul	AmaSing concert for choir

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

<http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818>

FACEBOOK Please keep checking out our Facebook page for reminders about events coming up in school. Please follow the link: <https://www.facebook.com/rossmoreschool/>

Many thanks



Mrs S Davis-McCoy
Head Teacher

Mrs Bouckley Acting Head – Monday / Tuesday

Mrs Davis McCoy Head Teacher – Wednesday / Thursday / Friday