

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

SCHOOL DISCO



We will be holding a school disco on Thursday 13th February here at the school. You will need to pay £1.50 on school spider for your child to attend. The cost will include unlimited drinks throughout. You will see this appear under purchases on school spider and it will be taken down Thursday 12th February. Unfortunately, you will not be able to purchase tickets after this date. We will not accept cash for entry so it is important your school spider is up and running correctly. We will have a tuck shop available for your children if you would like to give extra pennies for sweets and crisps. The PTA runs the kitchen at this event but we are in desperate need for some volunteers in KSI. If you have a child in KSI and can help at all for the duration of the infant disco please do let us know.

KS1- 5:00pm-6:00pm KS2- 6:15pm-7:30pm

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Could Your Child Benefit from Free School Meals?

Did you know... your child might be eligible for free school meals?

That's right! If you receive certain benefits, your child could get delicious and nutritious meals at school for free.

Think about it:

No more lunchbox packing stress!

Healthy meals for growing minds.

Extra support for your family.

Could your family benefit?

Check out this list:

Income Support

Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance

Income-related Employment and Support Allowance

Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

The guaranteed element of Pension Credit

Child Tax Credit (with some conditions)

Working Tax Credit run-on

Universal Credit (with a household income threshold)

Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1, or Year 2, applying can still be helpful!

Ready to find out more?

Visit the Cheshire West and Chester website to learn more and apply:

[Free school meals | Cheshire West and Chester Council](#)

FRANCE 2025

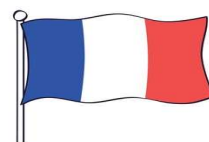
Bonjour!

We're thrilled to be planning our exciting trip to France this year!

To help us stay organised, please don't forget to:

. **Check out the payment plan on School Spider.**

. **Submit two passport photos of your child** to the school office before the February half-term.



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We're all very excited about this adventure and can't wait to explore France together!
Au revoir!

FULL OF BEANS HOLIDAY CLUB

Following feedback from our recent survey regarding half term holiday club, we're thrilled to announce that our upcoming "Full of Beans" Holiday Club will run from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM each day! during the February half-term This exciting club is open to all children, from Preschool to Year 6, and will be held from Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February.

To secure your child's place, please complete the survey on school spider at your earliest convenience.

ATTENDANCE

And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! What a week we've had!! Every class finished the week over 95% and the whole school enjoyed an extra break today due to us having a 100% whole school attendance day!! Absolutely amazing!!

This week's results are:

Booth's Bunnies 3 (98.4%) vs 1 (95.7%) Sixsmith's Sun Bears
McClellan's Monsters 1 (95.8%) vs 3 (97.8%) Podmore's Panthers
Coy's Cobras 1 (96.7%) vs 3 (97.8%) Farrelly's Foxes

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

A big well done to Booth's Bunnies for taking the crown for the first time this year! They've had a slow start but hopefully this is the start of something magical! This week's lucky winners will take home either the Cheshire Phoenix, Chester Men's FC or Vauxhall Men's FC season passes this weekend. Well done everyone!

Just a little note from us. We know sometimes you will already have plans on the weekend you receive the pass, so please feel free to gift it to another member of the class. If you could just let us know who you've given it to, that would be great. Thank you.

Next week's games are:

Podmore's Panthers vs Billinge's Butterflies
Sixsmith's Sun Bears vs Coy's Cobras
Farrelly's Foxes vs McClellan's Monster

Good luck everyone!!

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.

RESIDENTIALS

Just a friendly reminder that the January payment for the exciting Delamere trip is due soon. Don't miss out on all the adventures! Please make sure the payment is made by 31.01.25. If you have any questions, just drop the school office an email at admin2@rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk. We're looking forward to a fantastic trip!

Year Group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment
Year 2	Delamere	26 th February – 28 th February 2025	£80	Deposit – £20 Due by the 25 th October November payment – £20 December payment – £20 Final payment January - £20
Year 6	Kingswood	21 st May – 23 rd May 2025	£150	Deposit – £50 due by the 29 th September Instalment - £50 due by 31 st January Final instalment - £50 due by 28 th March

Year 5 & Year 6 2025	France	8 th September – 12 th September	£450	Deposit £100 due 25th November Deposit £50 due January Final balance is due June
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PE/ Hall	Morning	Afternoon	Forest school
Monday		Y1	
Tuesday	Rec	Y3/Y2	
Wednesday	Y4	Y1/Y6	
Thursday	Y5 – commando Jo	Y6 – commando Jo Y3 – PE	Y1
Friday	Y2/Y4	Rec/Y5	

Remember: Wrap Around Care

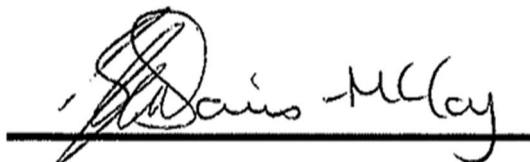
We offer a **Wrap Around Care club** every day after school. This provides a safe and engaging environment for your child with a small fee. You can easily book places for Wrap Around Care through the School Spider system.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
Monday	Board Games	KS1	Miss Farrelly	FULL
	Maths Booster	Y6	Miss Whittaker	INVITE ONLY
Tuesday	Parliament	KS2	Miss Booth	Current choir participants only
	Football	5&6	Mr Shaw	Current football participants only
	Guitar Club	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
Wednesday	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge	Current choir participants only
	Drama Club	KS1	Miss Mclean	FULL
Thursday	Commando Joe	KS2	Commando Joe	FULL

KEY DATES	
Fri 31 st Jan	ELS Bus Book visit
Mon 3 rd Feb	Third assessment window for Lions Pride
Mon 3 rd Feb	Year 6 WW2 workshop
Wed 12 th Feb	Lions Pride assembly 2.15pm
Thur 13 th Feb	School Disco KS1- 5:00pm-6:00pm KS2- 6:15pm-7:30pm
Tue 25 th Feb	Young Voices Concert Co-Op Live Manchester
Wed 26 th Feb	Delamere residential
Fri 28 th Mar	Own clothes day in exchange for Easter Eggs
Mon 1 st Apr	Fourth assessment window for Lions Pride
Thur 3 rd Apr	Easter Bingo 5.30pm eyes down at 6pm
Wed 9 th Apr	Rock Steady concert 9.30am

Mon 12th May	Fifth assessment window for Lions Pride
Fri 16th May	Sports day 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Tue 20th May	Lions Pride assembly 2.15pm
Wed 21st May	Year 6 Kingswood residential
Fri 4th Jul	Own clothes day in exchange for Bottles
Fri 13th Jun	Sports Day reserve date 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Fri 27th Jun	Own clothes day in exchange for chocolate and sweets
Mon 30th Jun	AmaSing Concert Chester Cathedral
Mon 7th Jul	Sixth and final assessment window for Lions Pride
Thur 10th Jul	Summer fair starts at 2pm
Wed 16th Jul	Lions Pride 2.15pm
Fri 18th Jul	Break up for Summer
<p>Dates subject to change: we endeavour to give as much notice as possible Full term dates for this academic year can be found here on our website: http://www.rossmore.cheshire.sch.uk/page/school-holidays/35818</p>	
<p>FACEBOOK Please keep checking out our Facebook page for reminders about events coming up i school. Please follow the link: https://www.facebook.com/rossmoreschool/</p>	

Have a great weekend



Mrs S Davis-McCoy

Head Teacher

Mrs Bouckley Acting Head – Monday / Tuesday

Mrs Davis McCoy Head Teacher – Wednesday / Thursday / Friday