

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Date: 7th March 2025



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Dear Parents/Carers

PARENT'S EVENING

Parents evening has been sent out via school spider.

Following times:

Tuesday 25th March 3.30pm – 7.00pm

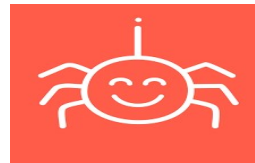
Thursday 27th March 3.30 – 5.30pm

Please keep your eyes peeled for this and book an appointment.

Parents evening for Pre-School will be held on:

Tuesday 18th March 3.30pm-7pm

Thursday 20th March 3.30 – 5.30pm



WORLD BOOK DAY SUCCESS

The children's hard work and creativity were on full display this week for World Book Day as they transformed into words! It was a delight to see their fantastic costumes and share in the fun.

NED

Our NED assembly was a huge hit this week! The children had an absolutely fantastic time! And guess what? You can keep the fun going! We still have NED yo-yos available for purchase on School Spider. Once you've purchased one, your child can come and choose their very own yo-yo just before break time!



ONLINE SAFETY

In the interests of Internet safety, we wanted to share some tips with you that you could discuss with your child/ children

Week 3: Be Kind Online – Treat others with respect, just like you would in person. If you wouldn't say it in real life, don't type it online!

We are working together to keep our children safe online. Please support us by regularly checking your child's phone and ensuring they have the correct safety settings for social media and group chats.

BINGO NIGHT

Alright, let's turn that Easter Egg Bingo night into a hopping good time!

Hop on down to our school for an egg-cellent Easter Egg Bingo Night on Thursday 3rd April! Prepare for a night of thrilling bingo action, chocolatey prizes and family fun!

Here's the scoop:

Entry Fee: Just 50p per person attending! Snag your spot on School Spider – don't delay, or you'll miss out on the egg-citement!

Bingo Books: For just £1, you'll get 5 chances to win big! Play for one line, two lines, or the ultimate full house! Buy your books on the night and get ready to shout "BINGO!"

Raffle Frenzy: Feeling lucky? Grab a strip of raffle tickets for £1 and you could win some fantastic prizes

Snacks: Pack your favourite treats and get ready to settle in for a night of bingo brilliance!

Limited Seats! This event is always a sell-out, so don't wait until the last minute! Once we're full, School Spider payments will be taken down. Don't be left with egg on your face!

Family Fun: Parents and families, please reserve a seat for everyone attending. We want to make sure everyone has a place to play!

Get ready for a night of laughter, prizes, and Easter cheer! We can't wait to see you there!



ATTENDANCE

And the results from this week's attendance matches are in!! Another mix bag this week however a fantastic effort from our winners this week who had 100%! Let's see if every class can get that next week!

This week's results are:

Billinge's Butterflies 1 (96.3%) vs 3 (99.5%) McClean's Monsters
Farrelly's Foxes 4 (100%) vs 0 (94.2%) Booth's Bunnies
Podmore's Pandas 2 (96.7%) vs 0 (94.1%) Coy's Cobras

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 Farrelly's foxes for winning with 100%! With this week being girls' football week it's fantastic that this week's prize is the Chester Ladies football season pass and one lucky winner will take that home. 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:

Booth's Bunnies vs Sixsmith's Sun Bears
McClean's Monsters vs Podmore's Panthers
Coy's Cobras vs Farrelly's Foxes

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.

FRANCE

We'd really appreciate it if all parents could get a Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) for their children, or use their existing EHIC if it's still valid. These cards let your child access necessary healthcare in the EEA and some other countries, just like a local resident. This means healthcare might be free, or you might need to pay the same as a local. The UK GHIC has replaced the EHIC, but if you have a valid EHIC, you can still use it until it expires. After that, you'll need a GHIC. You can apply for a new GHIC up to nine months before your current card expires. Applying sooner rather than later is a good idea, just in case! There is no cost for this and can be done on the NHS website.

You can apply online here: <https://www.nhs.uk/using-the-nhs/healthcare-abroad/apply-for-a-free-uk-global-health-insurance-card-ghic/>

Boreatton Park final payment is due, please can you make your payments on school spider

Year Group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment
Year 6	Boreatton Park	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 25 th November £50 due January £50 due February £50 due March £50 due April £50 due May Final balance is due June

PE TIMETABLE FOR NEXT HALF TERM

PE/ Hall	Morning	Afternoon	Forest school
Monday		Y1	
Tuesday	Rec	Y3/Y2	
Wednesday	Y3	Y5/Y6	
Thursday	Y5 – commando Jo	Y4 – commando Jo Y6 – PE	Y2
Friday	Y2/Y4	Rec/Y1	

WRAP AROUND CARE

We offer a **Wrap Around Care club** every day before and 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.

Day	Club	Year Group	Person in Charge	Places available
Monday	Board Games	KS1	Miss Farrelly	FULL Cancelled 10.03.25
	Maths Booster	Y6	Mrs Whittaker	INVITE ONLY
	Sports Crew	KS2	Mr Podmore	Sports crew Members
Tuesday	Parliament	KS2	Miss Booth	Current choir participants only Cancelled 11.03.25
	Football	5&6	Mr Shaw	Current football participants only
	Guitar Club	KS2	Mr Shaw	FULL
	Maths Booster	Y6	Mrs Davis McCoy	INVITE ONLY
Wednesday	Choir	Key stage 2 – INVITE ONLY	Mr Billinge	Current choir participants only
	Drama Club	KS1	Miss Mclean	FULL Moved to Monday 10.03.25
Thursday	Commando Joe	KS2	Commando Joe	FULL



COMMANDO JOE'S

Attention Commando Jo recruits! A mission change has occurred! Thursday's afterschool club (March 20th) is postponed. We will now be deploying on Friday, March 21st. Update your mission logs (diaries)!

***KEY DATES**

Tue 11 th Mar	Year 3 dance show for selected children
Tue 18 th Mar	Pre-school parents evening 3.30pm – 7.00pm
Thur 20 th Mar	Pre-school parents evening 3.30pm- 5.30pm
Tue 25 th Mar	Y3 trip to Thurstaston
Tue 25 th Mar	Parents evening 3.30pm – 7.00pm
Thur 27 th Mar	Parents evening 3.30pm – 5.30pm
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
Fri 4 th Apr	Year 5 Bikeability runs from 4 th - 9 th April
Tue 8 th Apr	SENDSCO drop in 1PM-3PM
Wed 9 th Apr	Rock Steady concert 9.30am
Wed 9 th Apr	Year 1 sleepover
Mon 12 th May	Fifth assessment window for Lions Pride
Fri 16 th May	Sports day 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Tue 20 th May	Lions Pride assembly 2.15pm
Wed 21 st May	Year 6 Boreatton residential
Fri 13 th Jun	Sports Day reserve date 10:00am – 12pm for KS2 / 1:30pm- 3pm for KS1
Wed 25 th Jun	Year 6 Bikeability runs from 25 th – 30 th June
Fri 27 th Jun	Own clothes day in exchange for chocolate and sweets
Mon 30 th Jun	AmaSing Concert Chester Cathedral
Fri 4 th Jul	Own clothes day in exchange for Bottles
Mon 7 th Jul	Sixth and final assessment window for Lions Pride
Thur 10 th Jul	Summer fair starts at 2pm
Wed 16 th Jul	Lions Pride 2.15pm
Fri 18 th Jul	Break up for Summer

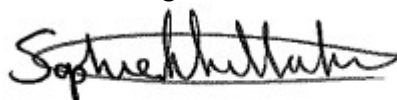
Dates subject to change: we endeavour to give as much notice as possible

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

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

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

Have a great weekend



Mrs Whittaker Assistant Head

Mrs Bouckley Acting Head – Monday / Tuesday

Mrs Davis McCoy Head Teacher – Wednesday / Thursday / Friday

ROSSMORE SCHOOL
Holiday Dates
September 2024 to August 2025

Holiday Period	Date of Closing	Date of Re-Opening
Autumn Term 2024		INSET DAY: Monday 2nd September 2024 Tuesday 3 rd September 2024
Autumn Half Term 2024	Friday 25 th October 2024	INSET DAY: Monday 4th November 2024 Tuesday 5 th November 2024
Christmas Holidays 2024/2025	Friday 20 th December 2024	Monday 6 th January 2025
Spring Half Term 2025	Friday 14 th February 2025	Monday 24 th February 2025
Spring Break 2025 Good Friday: 18 th April 2025 Easter Monday 21 st April 2025	Thursday 10 th April 2025 INSET DAY: Friday 1st April 2025	Tuesday 22 nd April 2025
May Day Bank Holiday 2025 Monday 5 th May 2025	Friday 2 nd May 2025	Tuesday 6 th May 2025
Summer Half Term 2025	Friday 23 rd May 2025	Monday 9 th June 2025
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