



Well it certainly felt as though summer had arrived this week. Hopefully the sun will continue to shine on us over half term. Typically we do enjoy some warm weather in the second half of this term, so it might be time to swap the raincoat for a (named) sunhat and perhaps apply some sun cream before school.

On Wednesday Year 2 children visited the Watts Gallery - an Arts & Crafts site founded by inspiring Victorian artists George and Mary Watts. Our budding artists enjoyed a tour of the gallery before creating their own tiles in a pottery workshop. As ever we must thank our volunteers who joined Mrs Brading and the other members of staff to make the trip possible.

A reminder that we have a vacancy for a Parent Governor. The deadline for receipt of nominations is 9 June. Please do speak to Karen Kersey (Chair of Governors) or Mike Creak who are both parents of children at the school and would be happy to provide more information about the role. For further details refer to the letter sent on 19 May for more information. I would encourage you to also read the [Governors' Newsletter](#) from the Chair of Governors also released today which includes details about how the Governors' Fund donations are spent.

Thank you to those parents who joined us for Parent Forum on Thursday this week. We discussed a range of topics ranging from school meals to curriculum. We had hoped that a representative from our caterers Twelve15 would join us for the meeting, but they were unable to attend due to unforeseen circumstances; we will certainly invite them again next time!

Many congratulations to Florence in Reception and her family who welcomed baby Sienna into the world in the last couple of weeks!

A reminder that we have an INSET day during the first week back after half term on Wednesday, 7 June. Planet Soccer are planning to run a camp that day if your children are at a loose end. On the first day back after half term we will be taking **CLASS PHOTOS**, so please ensure that children are well turned out in their uniform and perhaps even run a comb through their hair if they're in a cooperative mood!

Have a wonderful week with your families .

God bless,
Thomas Hall
Head of School



LOOKING AHEAD TO PENTECOST

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

Throughout this term we have been in the time of Easter - the time for the colour white on our prayer tables. This Sunday marks the end of this period in the church year. We celebrate the feast of Pentecost in which the disciples received the gift of the Holy Spirit 'like tongues of fire which touched every person'. The crowds were aghast as they could all hear the message in their own language. In our collective worship we focused on the gift of communication - we celebrated the multitude of different languages spoken by children at St Cuthbert Mayne and considered how we can communicate the Christian message through our actions.

God of all, you sent your Spirit to be with the disciples, filling them with joy, peace and courage. May we also be filled with your Spirit, be brave and share your peace in our world. Amen.



HELP FOR PARENTS

Bringing up children is a lot of fun but can also have its challenges. There are times when receiving some advice can be helpful. If you are a Surrey resident, you can have free access to online parenting guides that include top tips from childcare, education and NHS health experts. Please follow the link for more information on the support and courses provided.

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/children/support-and-advice/families/support-and-advice/parenting-courses-and-advice/online-guides>



Year 3: We are Scientists

This half term, Year 3 have been learning about light. As Wednesday was such a sunny day, we were able to investigate whether our shadows changed during the day.



From 9:00am to 3:00pm, we drew an outline of our shadow and we measured the length of our shadow. In addition, we looked at the position of the sun in the sky. Unfortunately, at 1:00pm, the sun was hidden by clouds so we could not record any data!



Half Term / Summer Reading ideas

As a parent, I know I was always looking for ideas for Summer reading so I hope the list from *BookSpace* may prove useful!

Please click on the link below for 50 great books to read outside. The books include a wide range of texts so there's something for children of all reading abilities. The list includes board books, fun pop-up and lift-the-flap style books, picture books, poetry and more challenging texts.

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Happy Reading! Mrs Woodhams (English Lead)

THE FRIENDS INFORMATION

Second-hand uniform sale

Thank you to everyone who supported the uniform sale this afternoon, and to everyone who donated uniform items. After half term, we will have an update on how much the sale raised for our school.

2022-2023 School Tea Towel

Over recent weeks the children have drawn amazing self-portraits, which will feature on a beautiful school tea towel. These will be on sale at the school gates in July and at our summer fair.

16/7: Summer Fair, Snoxhall Playing Fields

After half-term, the Friends will be in touch regarding:

- a request for each family to donate a bottle to the fair (except Reception families, who will be requested to donate/bake for the tea & cake stall) and any children's fancy dress costumes you no longer need
- the opportunity for Y6 pupils A reminder of the responsibilities by year group:

Tea & cake stand (Reception)

BBQ (Y1)

Help with BBQ. Face painting/Glitter Tattoos/Face Gems (Y2)

Games (Y3)

Sports (Y4 with Paul Rees Thomas and Y6 pupil helpers)

Races (Y5)

Bar (Y6)

Craft stall (Libby el-Alfy, plus Y6 pupil helpers)

Further details have been communicated to class reps via Classlist. Paul Rees-Thomas will be in touch with Y4 class reps.

Thank you for all your help. It's going to be a fantastic day.

Save the Dates

Thursday 15/6 & Friday 16/6: Father's Day Wonka bars

Weds 21/6: "Thank A Teacher Day" Cake raffle

Friday 30/6: School Discos

Sunday 16/7: Summer fair help with the Sports and Craft activities

CLASS PHOTOS—MONDAY 5TH JUNE 2023



Please remember to send your children into school in full school uniform for their class photo on Monday 5th June.

Thank you.

St. Cuthbert Mayne's Picnic in the Park

Sun 16th July, 12 -3pm, Snoxhall

Live music, games, face painting, crafts & more
BBQ, Il Forno Volante, Moooh!, cakes & bar

Free entry. All welcome!





HOUSE POINTS Weekly / Overall total

FATIMA

261

1169



LOURDES

211

1415



WALSINGHAM

205

1041



JERUSALEM

316

1388



THIS WEEKS SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT CERTIFICATES

Reception St David's Class	Joseph for being a kind and loving friend.	Harriet for achievement in mathematics - great doubling and odd and even number sorting.
Year One St Andrew's Class	Adam. Great sentences and always putting in effort. Delilah for her fantastic phonics learning this week.	Juliana. Working really hard on her dioramas and getting her letters the right way round.
Year Two St Patrick's Class	Teddy - for his fantastic contributions to discussions during our school trip to the art gallery this week.	Arlo - for really engaging with our trip and being a super group member!
Year Three St George's Class	Olly for the happiness he shares with others. Orlaith for kindness and helpfulness in the classroom.	Eli for achievement in writing – well done!
Year Four St Bernadette's Class	Tori for showing happiness in her learning and writing a great start to her 'Great Kapok Tree' sequel.	Tallulah for showing perseverance in all her learning, she quietly gets on with every task set. She is a responsible learner!
Year Five St Catherine's Class	Congratulations to Dexter for his achievement in Science, in particular these last two weeks. Excellent use of scientific . language, work effort and presentation. Keep up the excellent work!	Congratulations to Natasha for taking responsibility for her learning in class, which is visible in all of her work and achievement. She is an excellent role model for all of us in Year 5.
Year Six St Teresa's Class	Harriet I for your eagerness to improve your writing and thinking carefully about your editing. Lottie for your achievement in writing this week - you engaged the reader with excellent descriptions of both the characters and the setting.	Alex N-M for your achievement in writing this week - you really thought about the characters' personalities and showed this in your writing - well done!

PUPIL PREMIUM (PP)

Pupil Premium is additional funding to raise the attainment of particular pupils of all abilities and to close the gaps between them and their peers.

At St. Cuthbert Mayne, we believe that the highest possible standards can only be achieved by having the highest expectations of all learners. Some pupils from particular backgrounds require additional support; therefore, we will use all the resources available to help them reach their full potential.

When your child starts at our school, we ask you to complete a form in order for us to assess eligibility, however, we are fully aware that family circumstances may have changed since then. We would therefore encourage all families to review the form again and thus enable us to identify any further children who may be eligible to PP funding. The forms themselves also contain information about eligibility criteria.

If your child is in EYFS (Reception Class) please click here:

[PUPIL PREMIUM APPLICATION FORM \(RECEPTION & KS1\) JULY 2018.pdf](#)
(stcuthbertmayne.co.uk)

If your child is in KS1 (Year 1 or Year 2) please click here:

[PUPIL PREMIUM APPLICATION FORM \(RECEPTION & KS1\) JULY 2018.pdf](#)
(stcuthbertmayne.co.uk)

If your child is in KS2 (Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6) please click here

[FREE SCHOOL MEAL PUPIL PREMIUM APPLICATION FORM \(NURSERY KS 2-4\) JULY 2018.pdf](#)
(stcuthbertmayne.co.uk)

ATTENDANCE

A reminder that the school day begins at 8.50am. The register is completed by 9am - if your child is unwell and is unable to attend school, please ensure that you have contacted us before 9am on each day of absence in order to let us know.

If you consider that there are exceptional circumstances relating to an absence, please complete a Request for Absence Form, available from the office.

LATENESS

Lateness into school causes disruption to that individual's learning and to that of the other children in the class. It is paramount, therefore, that all pupils arrive at school on time.

When a pupil is late for school they should enter the building via the front office so that they can be recorded as being present.

Registers open at 9am and are taken promptly. Children will be recorded as being late if they arrive after 9am but before 9.15am when the registers close.

Any child arriving after 9.15 am, without a valid explanation, will be recorded as late after close of register (U code) and this denotes an unauthorised absence.

Persistent lateness will be monitored and letters sent to parent to inform them of learning time lost. If lateness remains a problem and this lateness is after close of register a referral will be made to the Inclusion Officer.

SAFEGUARDING REMINDER

It will come as no surprise to hear that the children's safety is paramount. As such we cannot allow parents or carers to enter the school building without having signed in at the school office first. Please adhere to the following guidelines:

Reception: please drop your children with the teacher at the gate to the EYFS playground.

Year 1: either drop your children at the main school gate or accompany them to the start of the passageway by the bike shelter.

Year 2 and above: please drop your children at the main school gate.

Of course we understand that occasionally children might want to be accompanied a little further or might need some help putting their bike or scooter away - please try to remember to mention this to me or the member of SLT on the gate.

If you need to pass a message to your child's teacher in the morning then please mention this to me or the member of SLT on the gate or to the office staff. If you feel that you might need to have a longer conversation with the class teacher then please make an appointment by contacting the office. The end of the school day is probably an easier time to have a brief conversation with your child's teacher if necessary.

POSITIVE AND RESPECTFUL PARKING

We continue to be very grateful to all our parents that park and stride/cycle/walk to school, and to those that park safely and respectfully around the neighbouring roads.

We are aware that some people continue to park on the yellow zig-zag lines outside the school and the church car park. Rule 243 of the Highway Code states that road users must not park near a school entrance; for the safety of all the children at St Cuthbert Mayne, we would ask that all members of our community adhere to this rule and do not park on the yellow zig-zag lines.

We must also ensure that we are polite and respectful to local residents at all times.

Please show your children, by your actions, that positive and respectful parking is a way to show that you care about other pedestrians, neighbours and road users. Be a good role model!

For helpful information about road safety please visit: <https://www.think.gov.uk/>



BE SMART ONLINE



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SAFE

Keep your personal information safe. When chatting or posting online don't give away things like your full name, password or home address. Remember personal information can be seen in images and videos you share too. Keep them safe to keep yourself safe.



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MEET

Meeting up with someone you only know online, even a friend of a friend, can be dangerous as this person is still a stranger. If someone you only know online ever asks you to meet up, for personal information or for photos/videos of you then tell an adult straight away and report them together on www.thinkuknow.co.uk

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ACCEPTING

Think carefully before you click on or open something online (e.g. links, adverts, friend requests, photos) as you never know where they may lead to or they may contain viruses. Do not accept something if you are unsure of who the person is or what they've sent you.



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RELIABLE

You cannot trust everything you see online as some things can be out of date, inaccurate or not entirely true. To find reliable information compare at least three different websites, check in books and talk to someone about what you have found.



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TELL

Tell a trusted adult if something or someone ever makes you feel upset, worried or confused. This could be if you or someone you know is being bullied online. There are lots of people who will be able to help you like your teachers, parents, carers or contact Childline – 0800 11 11 or www.childline.org.uk



BE SMART WITH A HEART

Remember to always be smart with a heart by being kind and respectful to others online. Make the internet a better place by helping your friends if they are worried or upset by anything that happens online.





BUDDY SAYS HI!

Childline

0800 1111



Remember to tell Mr Hall / Miss Wilkin / Mrs Chalstrey / Mrs Harper if you are concerned about a child at St Cuthbert Mayne.

Helping children to stay safe online: Parents may wish to access any of the following websites for online safety information to support their children with safe internet use:

Think U know: www.thinkuknow.co.uk Thinkuknow is the education programme from The National Crimes Agency's Child Exploitation and online Protection Centre (CEOP). The website is suitable for children aged 5-16 and has a section for parents/carers.

NSPCC: www.net-aware.org.uk and www.nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety Resources produced by the NSPCC for parents, including Net Aware, a tool which reviews the most popular apps. They also provide advice on 'sexting', online gaming and parental controls. The NSPCC helpline number is 0808 8005002

ChildLine: www.childline.org.uk The ChildLine website provides information and advice on a wide range of issues including online and offline safety. Advice includes using social media, cyberbullying, online grooming, taking care of your digital footprint and mobile phone safety. The ChildLine helpline is 0800 1111

Zipit App: <https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/sexting/zipit-app/> Zipit is an app designed in conjunction with Childline to help young people decline requests for nudes and inappropriate content.

<https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/sexting/report-nude-image-online/> Another app supported by Childline to assist young people in removing nudes from the internet.

UK Safer Internet Centre: www.saferinternet.org.uk UK Safer Internet Centre provides online safety tips, advice and resources to help children and young people stay safe online. Advice also includes setting up parental controls and what to consider before buying mobile devices.

Childnet: www.childnet.com Childnet has resources, including videos and storybooks, to help you discuss online safety with your children. It includes advice on setting up parental controls, cyberbullying and setting up a family agreement for safer internet use. It has a parent and carer toolkit. Childnet have produced smart rules for online safety, using Widget symbols; these can be displayed near computers as a visual reminder. They have also produced the STAR SEN Toolkit to explore online safety with young people who have special educational needs.

Internet Matters: www.internetmatters.org Internet Matters provides advice by age group. Advice includes setting up appropriate controls and filters on a range of devices, cyberbullying, online grooming and self-harm.

Parent Info: Parent Info provides information to parents and carers about a wide range of topics including games, apps and tech, health and wellbeing.

BBC "Own It" Website and App: www.bbc.com/ownit and www.bbc.com/ownit/take-control/own-it-app

The BBC Own It Website provide advice for parents and carers and aims to help children aged 8-13 "be the boss" of their online lives. The website has videos and activities to explore with children and includes an app which can be downloaded (for children aged 8+) on children's devices to help them use technology safely and responsibly. www.childnet.com/resources/step

Dates for the diary SUMMER 2023

MAY 2023

26th Half Term Starts 3.15pm

June 2023

5th Tempest Class Photographs

5th - 9th Journey in Love Week (RSE)

6th Year 6 visit to Cranleigh Arts centre 11am.

6th Year 1 to Brooklands Museum

6th Deanery Schools Event - Wintershall

7th INSET Day - school closed

19th St. Peter's Induction Day: for September 2023 starters.

22nd Good Shepherd Liturgy - Arundel Cathedral

27th Year 5 Life of Christ - Wintershall

27th Reception 2023-24 Teddy Bears' Picnic 2.15pm

27th and 28th Glebeland's School Induction Days

29th Feast of St Peter & Paul - Parish Mass

July 2023

3rd-7th Year 6 Residential Trip - CYE

5th Reception 2023-24 Parents' Meeting 5pm

6th Last Y2 swimming lesson

7th KS1 & EYFS Sports Morning

11th District Sports - Charterhouse

12th KS2 Sports Morning - Glebelands

14th Year 6 Leavers' Retreat - Wintershall

20th Leavers' Mass - JCROM 1.30pm

21st End of term - midday



**Happy birthday to all the children who are celebrating
their birthdays this week.**

Olivia, Delilah and Harleigh Year 1

Ruby Year 3

Kit and Harris Year 4

Harry Year 5

IMPORTANT DATES THIS TERM

The month of May is dedicated to Our Lady

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

(18 May)

After his Resurrection, Jesus appeared to his disciples over a period of forty days. Ascension Day is when we celebrate Jesus' return to his Father in Heaven.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

(28 May)

This is the day we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit and the birthday of the Church.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

(4 June)

Today we celebrate our belief in the Trinity, the three persons of God: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF THE LORD

(11 June)

On this feast we give thanks to God for the gift of Jesus in the form of bread and wine.

THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

(16 June)

On this day we remember how much Jesus loves us all.

SS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

(29 June)

We celebrate the lives of these important saints who helped establish the Christian Church.

Xavier Term & Holiday dates 2022-23

Autumn Term 2022

Half Term

Monday 24th to Friday 28th October

Term ends

Wednesday 21st December. 12pm finish.

Spring Term 2023

Term starts

Monday 9th January 2023

Half Term

Monday 13th to 17th February

Term ends

Friday 31st March

Summer Term 2023

Term starts

Monday 17th April

Bank Holiday

Monday 1st May

Monday 8th May (Coronation Bank Holiday)

Half Term

Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June

Terms ends

Friday 21st July

SCHOOL INSET DAYS.

MONDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER 2022

FRIDAY 7TH OCTOBER 2022

WEDNESDAY 1ST FEBRUARY 2023

WEDNESDAY 15TH MARCH 2023

WEDNESDAY 7TH JUNE 2023

SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY 28TH NOVEMBER 2022

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<https://itstwelve15.co.uk/work-for-twelve15/>

Register your interest, we'll get in touch with you within 24 hrs.





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