

### St Cuthbert Mayne Catholic Primary School



Newsletter 26 Friday, 28th April 2023

I am very proud to report this week on the myriad of different ways in which children have been active at St Cuthbert Mayne at the moment:

- Year 4 pupils had the opportunity to complete their Level 1 Bikeability this took place in the school playground and included learning how to control the bike, how to pedal without feeling wobbly or out of control and how to be aware of your surroundings while cycling.
- Year 5 and 6 girls took part in a Netball tournament at Glebelands with local schools. One of our teams came second and the other came fourth.
- Children in Reception, Year 3 and Year 4 received their second cricket coaching session from the <u>Cranleigh Cricket Club</u> coach.
- Next week a new Netball after school club begins for children in Years 1 & 2 thank you to Mrs Pickens and Mrs Preston for volunteering to run this club.
- Year 2 began their 10 week swimming course this week at Cranleigh Leisure Centre

In addition to this we are also delighted to see the return of Sewing / Crochet Club - thank you to Mrs Kibble and Mrs Maughan for volunteering to run this club.

Meanwhile in the classroom I have been privileged to witness the writing about deforestation taking place in Year 4 inspired by their reading of *The Great Kapok Tree*. While in Year 3 the children grappled with the task of empathising with the plight of a WW1 soldier in their study of *The Butterfly Lion*.

We have had a flurry of cards to send to HRH King Charles to congratulate him on the coronation. The Friends have extended the deadline for cards to be submitted to next Tuesday, 2 May - so if the weather is unkind to us this weekend this might be a creative activity to distract your little ones.

I would also like to congratulate Sam and Poppy, Amelie, Carys and Lucia who were Baptised last Saturday at our parish church.

I wish everyone a peaceful and relaxing Bank Holiday weekend.

God bless, Thomas Hall Head of School



### **COLLECTIVE WORSHIP**

Today we hear how two of the disciples went on a journey to a village called Emmaus. Along the way, they met someone really special, although they didn't recognise him at first. This image depicts the exact moment when the disciples recognise Christ at the breaking of the bread.

Christ Jesus, our light and our guide, as we travel through life open our eyes to recognise you in everyone that we meet. Open our hearts to share generously with each other. 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. <a href="https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/children/support-and-advice/parenting-courses-and-advice/online-guides">https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/children/support-and-advice/parenting-courses-and-advice/online-guides</a>



# Read Write Inc. Phonics Sortified Pip the Parrot Parrot Rags



### **RWI BOOKS**

As a school, we have heavily invested in the Book Bag Books which relate to the Read, Write, Inc phonics scheme that we teach. It is important that every child in a group can read the same book at home so that we can ask the children comprehension questions about what they have read. Unfortunately, a high number of books have not been returned or been returned to us damaged. We understand that accidents do happen, and sometimes books are lost, but we need to replace each damaged or lost book.

Please could you look for any Book Bag Books at home and return them. The Book Bag Books are changed every Friday. Going forward, if a book has not been returned, a charge of £6.00 will be added to your SCOPAY account to cover the time, cost and postage of ordering a replacement book.

#### THE FRIENDS—INFORMATION

### 28/4

### **Cards for the King**

Thank you to all the children who made such beautiful Coronation cards for His Majesty, King Charles. Any last-minute cards welcome at the school gate at drop-off on Tuesday, 2/5.

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### **Coronation Day Celebrations**

Next Friday 5/5, we are inviting the children to wear red, white & blue for a special Coronation Celebration mufti day.

**Next Thursday 4/5 & Friday 5/5,** we will also hold a Coronation Day Cream Tea raffle. Win delicious scones, jam & clotted cream for your family! Thanks in advance for your support.

### Save the Dates

Thursday 11/5 & Friday 12/5: Eurovision cake raffle Friday 26/5 at drop-off: Bag2School clothes collection Thursday 15/6 & Friday 16/6: Father's Day Wonka bars

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

Sunday 16/7: Summer fair

Summer Fair: Call for musicians, raffle prizes and sponsors

If any parent/family musicians may be able to volunteer to play at the fair on 16/7, please let us know. If your business or employer would like to sponsor the fair or donate raffle prizes, we would also warmly welcome their support. Hampers, bottles of champagne, vouchers and more would be most gratefully received as prizes. Please contact the-friendsscm@gmail.com if you can help. Many thanks.

Coming Soon
Summer discos
Second-hand uniform sale





## HOUSE POINTS Weekly / Overall total







WALSINGHAM

299 355



JERUSALEM

262

405



### THIS WEEKS SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT CERTIFICATES

Reception

Louise for enthusiasm and achievement in phonics.

Olive for superstar mathematics work.

St David's Class Year One

St Andrew's Class

Penelope for having a great attitude towards her learning. Well done

Penelope

Olivia for always trying hard with her learning.
She never gives up! Well done Olivia

Year Two

St Patrick's Class

Finley for a great attitude towards his learning and fabulous writing this

week.

Harper Rose for a super positive attitude towards school and her learning.

Year Three St George's Class Ariana for achievement in writing. Well

Done!

Dylan for achievement in writing. Well

Done!

Lexi for achievement in writing. Well Done!

Year Four St Bernadette's Class Sophia for achieving a great first attempt of persuasive writing - well done for listening to advice and acting

on it.

Max for always being so polite, you are an excellent role model for year 4 and the rest of the school.

Year Five
St Catherine's Class

Congratulations to Poppy for her wonderful English writing this week. Producing a piece of work full of formal language, persuasive and modal lan-

guage. Excellent work.

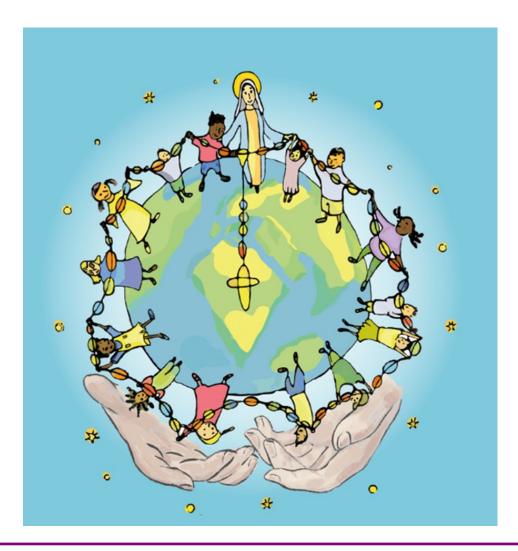
Year Six
St Teresa's Class

Annie and Alexia for consistently showing a mature and conscientious attitude towards

your learning - well done!

Congratulations to Elliott for his persistence and resilience in his writing and achievement in his finished work this week. Keep up the excellent presentation.

Throughout the month of May all are welcome to our Rosary session, each morning as our school gates open. Please gather under the tree in the infant playgroup with Mrs Newland who will lead our prayers. This is a wonderful way for the children to start their school day.







I was delighted this week to be able to update our Times Tables Rockstars display, adding many more names to the fastest speed hall of fame.



This week, several tournaments have been launched to see who can practise their times tables the most in the upcoming week.

Boys will compete against girls in each class.

Additionally, Years 2, 3 and 4 will compete to see which class can earn the most coins (by answering times tables questions!) and Years 5 and 6 will go head-to-head.

The tournaments went live yesterday and we will find out the results next Friday after the contest closes next Thursday morning. Good luck everyone!

Miss Rowe (Maths Lead)

#### 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:

<u>PUPIL PREMIUM APPLICATION FORM (RECEPTION & Samp; KS1) JULY 2018.pdf</u> (stcuthbertmayne.co.uk)

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

<u>PUPIL PREMIUM APPLICATION FORM (RECEPTION & Samp; KS1) JULY 2018.pdf</u> (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**

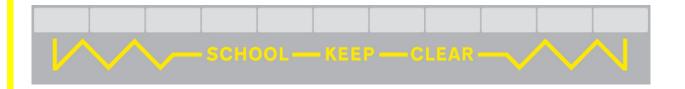
We continue to be very grateful to all our parents that park and stride/cycle/walk to school, and to those that park safely and respectfully around the neighbouring roads.

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: <a href="https://www.think.gov.uk/">https://www.think.gov.uk/</a>





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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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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





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.





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 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.

WWW.CHILDNET.COM

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# 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: <a href="https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk">www.thinkuknow.co.uk</a> 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: <a href="www.net-aware.org.uk">www.nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety</a> 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: <a href="www.childline.org.uk">www.childline.org.uk</a> 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: <a href="https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/sexting/zipit-app/">https://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/sexting/zipit-app/</a> 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: <a href="www.saferinternet.org.uk">www.saferinternet.org.uk</a> 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: <a href="www.childnet.com">www.childnet.com</a> 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: <a href="www.internetmatters.org">www.internetmatters.org</a> Internet Matters provides advice by age group. Advice incudes setting up appropriate controls and filters on a range of devices, cyberbullying, online grooming and self-harm.

<u>Parent Info</u>: 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: <a href="www.bbc.com/ownit/take-control/own-it-app">www.bbc.com/ownit/take-control/own-it-app</a>

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. <a href="www.childnet.com/resources/step">www.childnet.com/resources/step</a>

### **Dates for the diary SUMMER 2023**

May 2023

1st Early May Bank Holiday - school closed

**2nd** Year 1 to Marwell Zoo

**5th** Coronation Celebration Day - Mufti (red / white / blue)

8th Coronation Bank Holiday - school closed

9th Year 5 Fellowship Holders of The Philharmonia Orchestra - Cranleigh Arts

**18th** Ascension Day - Parish Mass

**23rd** Open Classrooms and opportunity to view RSE materials

24th Year 2 to Watts Gallery25th Parent Forum 9am

June 2023

5th - 9th
 6th
 6th
 5th - 9th
 6th Year 1 to Brooklands Museum
 6th
 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 and 28th Glebeland's School Induction Days
 29th Feast of St Peter & Paul - Parish Mass

**July 2023** 

3rd-7th Year 6 Residential Trip - CYE
 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

### IMPORTANT DATES THIS TERM

## MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD 1 January

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 6 January

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD 8 January

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD
2 February

ASH WEDNESDAY 22 February

ST JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 20 March

THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD
25 March

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 2 April

> MAUNDY THURSDAY 6 April

> > GOOD FRIDAY 7 April

EASTER SUNDAY 9 April

### Xavier Term & Holiday dates 2022-23

### **Autumn Term 2022**

### **Half Term**

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October

### Term ends

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December. 12pm finish.

### **Spring Term 2023**

### **Term starts**

Monday 9th January 2023

### **Half Term**

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> 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 2<sup>rd</sup> June

### Terms ends

Friday 21st July

**SCHOOL INSET DAYS.** 

MONDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022

FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022

**WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> FEBRUARY 2023** 

WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2023

WEDNESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2023

SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2022







