

Friday 17th March 2023

SCHOOL CONTACTS

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Dinners: (www.parentpay.com) Next week we are on Chartwells' menu week 3

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BEAMS OF THE WEEK

Our 4Rs are:

Resilience, Reflectiveness, Resourcefulness, Relationships.





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TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 3rd—Friday 14th April - Easter Holidays Monday 1st May - Bank Holiday Monday 8th May—Coronation Bank Holiday Monday 29th May—Friday 2nd June—Half term Monday 24th July-Tuesday 25th July—School closed to pupils Wednesday 26th July—Summer Holidays



CONTACT DETAILS

It is very important that we have the correct contact details for parents/

carers. We need to have a minimum of 3 contacts per child please.

If you have moved house or changed your number please contact the office to let us know either by text, class dojo or email. Thank you.



PARKING



Please can parents refrain from parking or turning around in the access road or in the staff car park leading to the main reception, this is STAFF ONLY parking and unfortunately staff are finding it difficult to park which ultimately will delay them being in class to look after your child.

SchoolMoney

WE ARE A CASHLESS SYSTEM AND MONEY NEEDS TO BE PAID ONLINE

Please make sure your child's dinner money account is topped up with credit at the beginning of the week. We can send you a reminder password or print a barcode for you to pay cash at a pay point if preferred. If your child is in arrears you will need to provide them with a packed lunch.

HOW IT WORKS:

In the morning your child will order a school dinner at registration time. When they collect it from the canteen they will be marked off on the dinner list. The office will deduct £2.41 from their account.

> If you have any questions regarding school money please contact the office.

Easter 2023

Yoga, circus skills, rock pooling, multi-sports, forest schools and SO much more!

Every session includes a healthy meal for all children.

Ages 5-16

Activities are taking place across Cornwall during the Easter holidays April 3rd - 14th

Visit our website to register now

• Activities available for children aged 5 - 16 •

• Funded places for ALL children eligible for benefits related free school meals •

For more information:

Holiday Prog<mark>r</mark>amme

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Did you know that we're registered with easyfundraising and you could help us to raise funds for the school at no extra cost to yourself?

This is a great opportunity to raise much needed funds for the school! When you shop online, with over 7,000 of your favourite brands, including John Lewis & Partners, Amazon, eBay, notonthehighstreet, you will raise FREE donations for Friends of Rosemellin PTFA!

If you're not already signed up, it only takes a few minutes, then you can begin using the easyfundraising website or app straightaway.

Plus, this week you could WIN a £250 Marks and Spencer gift card for yourself and a £250 donation for us in their Mothers & Others' giveaway.

Sign up here: <u>https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-</u> <u>cause/step-1/?invite=15291f&char=305856&referral-</u> <u>campaign=c2s&utm_campaign=educationnewsletter-</u> <u>2023&source=newsletter</u>

CHOCOLATE RAFFLE

This Easter the PTFA are delighted to put on an eggciting events calendar. Some of these events including The Egg Rolling & an Easter Egg Hunt are free events. Please help us do more by supporting our Easter Chocolate Raffle. If you can, please buy an extra egg or chocolate bar, to donate to your class raffle.

Tickets will be 50p per ticket & are available from your class. (cash only) Anyone that buys a ticket will receive a prize.

ROSEMELLIN INTERNATIONAL EGG ROLLING 2023

Will be held on Wednesday 29th March Could all children bring in a HARD boiled decorated egg, to compete in this eggciting event.

There will be prizes for eggs that roll the furthest, with the winner being crowned ROSEMELLIN INTERNATIONAL EGG ROLLING CHAMPION 2023!

Egghibition Round

There will also be prizes for the best decorated eggs. Please note this must be the egg that is rolled.

All egghilarating prizes donated by Friends of Rosemellin PTFA.



EASTER DISCO

Celebrate the end of term at our PTFA Easter Disco!

Friday 31st March

EYFS & Key stage 1 will be 14:00-15:00 (Reception, Y1 & Y2)

Key Stage 2 will be 15:15-16:15 (Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6)

A change of clothes can be brought in for your Disco Divas to change into

Just £3 per ticket, payable in cash to your class teacher This will include a drink, snack, sweets & the all important glow sticks!

> Deadline for ticket purchase is Friday 24th March

Miss Sargent's Message



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Today Rosemellin is a sea of red. I love days like today where children are able to dress up in different outfits to support a fantastic charity. Since Comic Relief started in 1985, it has raised over £1 billion! Thank you to everyone who has contributed to making a difference to those in the UK and around the world.



This week is British Science Week and the theme is Connections. The children have been doing some extra Science activities in class and this is a fun activity that you can do at home together.

CREST SuperStar Awards demonstration - Fantastic fingerprints - YouTube



🔁 Kit list

6 45 - 60 minutes

BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK

FANTASTIC

Skill set: Curious, Observant, Patient

This activity is designed to get you thinking about

Find out if everyone's fingerprints really are different.

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Dust (flour, chalk, talcum powder, cocoa powder)

Soft pencils Blank paper (white paper for pencil and cocoa prints; black paper for white powder prints)

Sellotape Scissors

Magnifying glasses



Instructions

fingerprints. Check out the video demonstration here:

You will be comparing different fingerprints and seeing if you can identify any patterns. What do you know about fingerprints? Look at your own fingerprints using a magnifying glass.

- Now you are going to take your fingerprints. Rub a pencil onto a piece of paper or sprinkle a small amount of dust on a table.
- 2 Now put your thumb on the pencil rubbing or in the dust. Then place your thumb firmly on the sticky side of a piece of sellotape.
- 3 Stick your sellotape onto a piece of paper. You should be able to see your fingerprint. Experiment to see what works best to get clear prints.
- 4 Look at your fingerprints, are the patterns like the ones at the top of the page?
- 5 Compare your prints with other people. Are they all different? Can you work out which are yours?
- 6 Can you find other ways to collect fingerprints?

Watch out

Check if anyone has wheat or nut allergies before using flour and cocoa.

Remember to keep fingers out of your mouth and eyes during this activity and to wash your hands thoroughly at the end of the session. Do not use permanent markers.

BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK 2023 PRIMARY

I look forward to hearing the type of fingerprint the children have...

Have a wonderful weekend - let's hope the weather improves!



If you are an adult wanting to run CREST Awards with your pupils, visit the website for advice on how to get started: crestawards.org st.



Look for fingerprints on surfaces such as glass (e.g. drinking glasses, mirrors or windows). Can you identify who made them?

Can you find out other ways of identifying individuals?

Career options

Forensic scientists will collect evidence from crime scenes and take it to a laboratory for testing. These tests, like the activity you have just done, help police identify who committed the crime. If you have a lot of patience and like solving problems, this could be a career for you!

