

11th February 2022



**St Cuthbert's C of E
Primary School**

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Doing all the good we can, through faith, love and excellence.

Headteacher's news

I would like start by wishing everyone a happy, healthy and relaxing half term. We have had so many wonderful achievements to celebrate during this half term from individual pupil successes, our school sports teams and how as a whole school we continue to 'Do all the good we can' to show how far St Cuthbert's has come during a difficult 2 years. I hope you have enjoyed seeing what we have been up to on our Twitter feed. @StCuthbertsCEP1

Thank you to all the children who entered Ms Willoughby's writing competition. All of the entries have been to such a high standard- we are so proud of you all! Ms Willoughby is looking forward to reading them over half term and will announce the winners in our first assembly after half term.



I look forward to seeing all the children back in school on Monday 21st February!

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs J Hawkins

Diary Dates

Monday 14th February
- Friday 18th February
Half term week

Tuesday 1st March
Shrove Tuesday

Wednesday 2nd March
Ash Wednesday
Parents evening

Thursday 3rd March
Parents evening

Friday 4th March
(change of date)
World Book day



1st Great Glen Rainbows and Brownies

On Tuesday 22nd February, members of the Brownies and Rainbows will be wearing their uniforms to school to celebrate Thinking Day 2022. It's a day when they think of each other and give thanks and appreciation for their international friendships. The day was chosen as it was the joint birthday of our founders Lord and Lady Baden-Powell.

Unfortunately, due to a lack of leaders, our Guide unit will be closing at Easter unless we can find a volunteer to come forward to help run the unit. If you know of anyone interested, please contact me via Facebook.

Rainbows (4-7 years), Brownies (7-10 years) and Guides (10-14 years) have been running in Great Glen for over 50 years and we have spaces for any girls interested in joining. www.girlguiding.org.uk

Louise Mynott



February Holiday Course

14TH - 18TH FEBRUARY 9AM - 3PM

£14 A Day

Fun, Safe Learning Environment for Primary School Aged Children!

Half Price For Siblings When Booking Full Week

FOOTBALL • BASKETBALL • TENNIS
DODGEBALL • CRICKET • OLYMPIC GAMES
STREET DANCE • GYMNASTICS • AND MUCH MORE!

WWW.METCALFMULTISPORTS.CO.UK

Half term Sports club

Children signed up to attend the Half Term Holiday sports course, please do not arrive at school before 8:55am to drop off or 2:50pm to collect. Drop off and collection will be through the main school entrance (office).

Twitter Highlight!

@StCuthbertsCEP1

St Cuthbert's C.E. Primary School
@StCuthbertsCEP1

In Giraffes we have been learning about tooth decay, the structure of teeth and the function of our teeth 😊 in our Science lessons. We have also set up an experiment investigating tooth decay. #teeth #healthy #science #structure



EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS COACHING



St Cuthberts Primary School After School Clubs

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am delighted to offer your child the chance to take part in our Dodgeball, football and multisports after school clubs. The session will include a warm up, miniature fun games and a variety of different activities including ball skills, shooting games, dribbling activities and mini matches. The key purpose of Metcalfe Multisports Limited is to learn the fundamental skills of a variety of sports in a safe and enjoyable environment. Children, both boys and girls of all abilities are welcome to participate. All our coaches are fully qualified sports coaches in numerous sports and have up to date DBS check along with first aid and child safeguarding training. I also have had the privilege of working for Premier League Leicester City Football Club as Academy Coach. from different bubbles.

KS1 Gymnastics



Mon 21st Feb - Mon 4th Apr

KS1

7 weeks = £31.50

KS1 Dodgeball

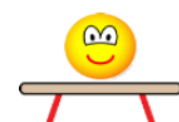


Tues 22nd Feb - Tues 5th Apr

KS1

7 weeks = £31.50

KS2 Gymnastics



Wed 23rd Feb - Wed 6th Apr

KS2

7 weeks = £31.50

All Clubs 3:30-4:30

KS2 Dodgeball



Thurs 24th Feb - Thurs 7th Apr

KS2

7 weeks = £31.50

KS2 Football



Fri 25th Feb - Fri 8th Apr

KS2

7 weeks = £31.50

Steps to confirm your child's place -

STEP 1 - PLEASE FILL IN THE CONSENT FORM AT THE BOTTOM BEFORE THE CLUB STARTS IF NOT YOU WON'T BE ALLOWED TO JOIN

STEP 2 - THIS MUST BE FILLED IN EVERY HALF TERM BEFORE THE CLUB BEGINS, EVEN IF YOU HAVE ATTENDED OUR CLUB BEFORE

STEP 3 - PLEASE GIVE THE CONSENT FORM TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE BEFORE THE CLUB STARTS

STEP 4 - BANK TRANSFER DETAILS ARE BELOW PLEASE MAKE BACS PAYMENT BEFORE THE CLUBS STARTS

STEP 5 - IF PAYMENT AND/OR SLIP AREN'T RECEIVED YOUR CHILD WON'T BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE CLUB STEP

6 - NO REFUNDS ARE AVAILABLE

STEP 7 - WE REQUIRE YOUR CHILD TO BRING SUITABLE CLOTHING AND A DRINK

STEP 8 - ONCE PAYMENT AND CONSENT FORM HAS BEEN RECEIVED YOUR CHILD'S PLACE IS AUTOMATICALLY CONFIRMED.

For any queries please contact: Ashley Metcalf



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Class attendance up to 4th February 2022

Hedgehogs- 94%

Badgers- 94% (↑1%)

Foxes- 96%

Owls- 97%

Woodpeckers- 98%

Pandas- 95% (↑2%)

Koalas- 97%

Giraffes- 95% (↑1%)

Zebras- 95% (↑1%)

Leopards- 97% (↓1%)

Panthers- 96%

Lions- 96%

Tigers- 97%

Whole school- 96%

SPRING TERM

Drama Club Year 4, 5 & 6 - Monday (FULL)

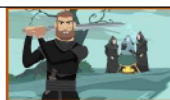
Club to run until Easter (10 weeks).

20 places available.

Starting Monday 17th January.

A range of drama games and activities leading up to a performance of an abridged version of Shakespeare's Macbeth.

Led by Mr Bools - £25



Reading Club - Year 5 & 6 - Monday

Club to run until Easter (6 weeks).

15 places available

Starting Monday 28th February

Reading and drama activities.

Led by Mrs Stevens - (£4.50 per session)



Sign language club - Years 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Thursday

Club to run until Easter (5 weeks).

20 places available

Starting Thursday 3rd March.

Learn some sign language with Mr Hirrell - (£4.50 per session)



NO CLUB ON 3RD MARCH - PARENTS EVENING

Art and craft club - KS 1 -

Club to run until Easter (6 weeks)

20 places available.

Starting Monday 28th Feb.

A variety of arts and crafts activities.

Led by Mrs Hamlin - (£4.50 per session)



We are looking forward to another fun half term of after school clubs!

Please note the change of day for the KS1 Art and Craft club. It is now on a **Friday**. Please contact the school office if you have already booked your child a place and wish to make a change. Sorry for any inconvenience caused.

World Book Day!

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday, 4th March (**NOT** Thursday, 3rd March).

Costume Theme:

We would like everyone to dress as a **word**... the more unusual the better! Please have the word somewhere on your costume/outfit to show what you are representing. E.g. '**zany**' – crazy hair, comedy clothes, big glasses. If you have already purchased a costume or have one in mind then please think of a word to describe your character. This will really help with the school's focus on widening the children's use of vocabulary to improve reading and writing.

Book Swap Shop:

We would like to do a Book Swap Shop! Please bring in any unwanted books from the 21st February, for the attention of Mrs Stevens, and I will sort out the books into year groups ready for classes to collect a new book on World Book Day to bring home.

Surprise Mystery Readers:

I would love each class to have a surprise mystery reader for any of the days, week commencing 28th February, so that we can promote an enjoyment of reading. If you or a relative would be able to come and read, either the class book or one of your own, then please get in touch! Any questions then please contact me via the school office.

Yours sincerely
Mrs Stevens
Reading Lead

