



Newsletter

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Article 13 : Your right to have information

WINTER VOMITING BUG & CHICKEN POX

There have been several cases of Chicken Pox and the Winter Vomiting bug recently. We would ask parents to adhere to government guidance from the NHS with the following exclusion periods from school:

Chickenpox Virus

You'll need to stay away from school, until all the spots have crusted over. This is usually 5-6 days after the spots first appeared. The most infectious period is 1-2 days before the spots appear and this is when your child may feel unwell with a fever or flu like symptoms.

Winter Vomiting Bug- The '48- Hour Rule'

Observe the '48 hour rule' and do not return to the school for 48 hours after cessation of symptoms; that is, when normal bowel habits have returned and/ or vomiting has stopped. Do not visit either A & E or GPs with symptoms as this may spread the virus, unless you are worried. Further advice is available from NHS 111, including online symptom checker at nhs.uk.

Value of

the Month



TRUST

- * Being reliable
- * Having confidence in others
- * Giving people a chance

HOT SCHOOL LUNCHES:

Parents, it is very important that you book school lunches a week in advance. Roxeth staff can not book lunches on the day as it places additional pressure on the lunch team to provide an extra meal. If you forget to book your child a hot meal, please provide them with a packed lunch to eat.

Farewell & Good Luck—Many parents will already know that Mrs Strickland is leaving after half term to have her baby. She will also be moving house and therefore will not be returning to Roxeth after her maternity leave. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Strickland for all her hard work and dedication to helping the children learn and stay safe at Roxeth. Good Luck Mrs Strickland—we will all miss you!



Harrow School Donation: A huge thank you to Harrow School for their very generous donation of £3000 which will contribute to various projects around the school. Some of this money has been used for our recent STEM activities week which was a massive success. Harrow School raised this money through their Shaftesbury Enterprise 'Long Ducker' charity event which also raises money for many other local charities



HEALTHY SCHOOLS : Roxeth has achieved the 'GOLD AWARD' for being a Healthy School—well done to Miss Procopiou and Mrs Gandhi for all their hard work in collaborating all the wonderful healthy things we do as a school.



PARENTS PLEASE NOTE: BREAK TIMES, please provide your child with fruit only for break times. Breakfast biscuits, fruit loops and energy bars are full of sugar and additives which are not healthy for the children. LUNCHTIME, keeping inline with our Healthy award please provide plenty of water for your child to drink at lunchtime. Yoghurts and fruit are a better alternative to crisps and biscuits. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

YEAR 6 FRANCE TRIP / VENTURE WEEK

This week some of year 6 travelled across the Channel to Chateau Beaumont in Normandy. They have had a wonderful time taking part in archery, fencing, visiting an animal refuge, a cheese factory and also Mon-St-Michel, among other places.

Those who remained in London, had a fun filled week visiting the London Eye, Phasel's Wood, swimming at Harrow School and even made their own pizzas.

It was a well deserved week of activities for Year 6 after their hard work working up to the SATs exams recently.

Diary Dates

- 4th June All staff & pupils return to school
- 8th June **RSA QUIZ night**
- 12th June KS1 Borough Sports
- 13th June Year 2 visit Chessington
Meet the NEW Reception Parents
Harrow Junior Book Awards
- 14th June Sports Captains visit Lords
- 18th June Rec 2018 Visits
Year 4 Play
- 19th June Y5&Y6 Song Fest
KS1 Borough Sports
- 25th June Healthy Eating Week
- 27th June KS2 Borough Sports
- 28th June Y1 visit Aldenham Country Park
- 29th June Reception visit the Science Museum
Music Extravaganza
- 2nd July New Parent Interviews all week
- 3rd July Sing Sing Sing Y2
- 4th July High School Transition Day
- 6th July Sports Day
RSA SUMMER FAIR after school
- 10th July Parents' Evening
- 12th July Parents' Evening
- 17th July Yr 6 Play
Year 6 Graduation Evening
- 20th July Last day for pupils—school closes at 2pm

SUMMER TERM 2— In the hope of warmer weather, please provide your child with plenty of water to drink and a sun hat. Sunglasses can only be worn if your child has a prescription pair of glasses.

AS & WHEN LUNCHTIME ASSISTANTS: We are looking for a number of parents who would be interested in becoming an As & When Lunchtime Support. Please pop into the school office to pick up an application form from Mrs Davies. Successful applicants will be offered a trial in the school dining hall.

BNF Healthy Eating Week

We will be celebrating BNF Healthy Eating Week from 25th June. This is to raise awareness of being healthy, cooking healthily, where our food comes from and about being active to promote key messages to our young people.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS: A very successful food collection for the Sufra food bank today. We are overwhelmed by your generosity and support. According to Sufra, this has been the biggest collection ever donated by a school! Thank you Roxeth families for your generosity.



WORKING TOGETHER IN RAS: In RAS the children demonstrated excellent teamwork. They built a rocket with shapes and then took turns in labelling the different parts. The children wrote short captions describing the rocket also. They used their great knowledge of phonics, negotiation, turn taking and excitement of working together.



GRAND OPENING OF THE ICT SUITE: The ICT Coordinator, Mrs Aliraza and the ICT ambassadors performed a grand opening ceremony to mark the completion of our new ICT equipment following the flood earlier this year. We are delighted that the ICT suite is now up and running and thank Beebug for all their hard work.



CHESS COMPETITION; Two teams represented Roxeth at the borough's chess competition on Thursday 26th April. All the children played really well, it was great to see such concentration in the room throughout the afternoon. One of our teams finished 4th in the borough. The children who took part were: Reza, Ruben, Anila, Ethan, Aariz, Shakar and Divija.



Y5 VISIT THE GLOBE THEATRE: The children were taken on a tour around the famous Shakespearen building and took part in an amazing acting workshop that linked in with the Sheakespearen play that we are studying this term called The Winter's Tale.



SCHOOL MONEY THE PARENT PORTAL FOR PURCHASING SCHOOL UNIFORM, PAYING FOR SCHOOL TRIPS, CLUBS and CLASSES - School money have changed the portal's web interface. You will now need to follow these steps to

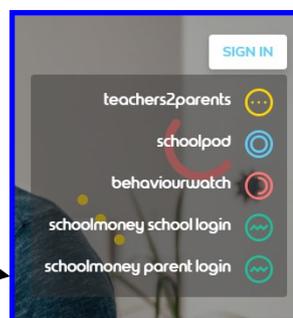
access the payment and booking system.



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2. Click on SIGN IN in the top left hand corner of the page

3. Click on the school money parent login (last option)



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Parental Login

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Child's First Name

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If you are having any trouble accessing your account, please contact your child's school.