



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY – WEDNESDAY 10 OCTOBER

A big thank you to everyone who dressed in yellow in support of World Mental Health Day. All of your donations will be passed onto the charity [Young Minds](#).

E-SAFETY NOTICE

At Rosendale we consider the protection and safeguarding of our children to be our highest priority. With the expansion of social media/ gaming websites and access to mobile phones, it is of the utmost importance that all members of our community are aware of the need to use caution and act responsibly whilst using technology. Please be aware of the following age restrictions:

Fortnite 13+

Facebook 13+

Musicly 13+

Youtube 18+ (13+ with parental consent)

Instagram 13+

Whatsapp 16+

The website <https://www.common sense media.org> provides helpful guidance on Fortnite and many other apps and websites. If you have any online safety queries or concerns please email esafety@rosendale.cc and a member of staff will contact you to offer advice or support.

MATHS WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS – THURSDAY 8 NOVEMBER – 6.30PM – 7.30PM

Thank you to those who indicated that you would like to attend the November maths workshop. The session will cover what a typical maths lesson looks like at Rosendale, how maths teaching is different from when you were at school and how parents can help with maths at home. The session will be led by Miss Gee, one of our deputy headteachers.

I am delighted that we are able to offer childcare for school age children (4-11) during the session but this must be booked in advance. Please email parentcommunications@rosendale.cc if you would like to book childcare.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB TELEPHONE NUMBER

We have been experiencing problems with our ASC telephone. If your child attends after school club and you need to get in contact with us please call us on **07720 677 830**. Please ensure this number is saved into your phone.

MARATHON KIDS RUN FREE

Rosendale has signed up to the Kids Run Free's Marathon Kids Initiative. Children will be walking, jogging or running 179 laps of our running track, which will be the equivalent of a full marathon. By next summer, hopefully all the children will have completed one marathon, if not more in some cases. So far children in Years 2 - 6 have started their challenge and Early Years/Year 1 will start after half term.

Children who run outside school can also log their distances: please contact Mr Cranston at parentcommunications@rosendale.cc who will be able to send you a QR code to access your child's account.

ART COMPETITION

We are running an art competition to help to brighten up our school by designing an eco-friendly display. The winning drawing will be used to make a large mural in Rosendale from recycled materials, such as plastic bottle lids and tops, by classes across our school. More details can be found on your child's class blog. To submit your own idea, please hand in your drawing (no bigger than A4) to the school office by **Friday 19 October**. Remember to include your name and class. Good Luck!

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE AND CAKE SALE – FRIDAY 19 OCTOBER

A very big thank you to everyone who has kindly washed and returned school uniform for the sale next Friday.

The sale will be in the Turney Road playground straight after school. Items will be sold for bargain prices - all T-shirts for 50p, sweaters for £1 and fleeces for £2.

The PTA are looking for parents and carers who can help set up and / or run the stall. If you can help please contact rosendalepta@gmail.com.

The mountain of lost property grows by the day. All lost property is stored in the girls' changing room near the dining hall, and put out in the blue hut in the Turney Road playground every Friday. Please remember to clearly label your child's clothing to assist us with reuniting items with their owners.

Our reception classes are organising a fundraising cake sale for Friday afternoon. Please leave any cake donations at the school office.

CLASS CONTACTS COFFEE MORNING – WEDNESDAY 17 OCTOBER

A reminder that all class contacts are invited to attend a coffee morning on Wednesday 17 October straight after school drop off. The coffee morning will give class contacts the opportunity to meet with other class contacts and members of the Senior Leadership Team. Class 2TM still doesn't have a class contact. If you would like to take on the role and support Miss Moore please email parentcommunications@rosendale.cc.

NATIONAL SCHOOL MEALS WEEK

In celebration of National School Meals week, Harrisons our school caterer will be featuring some school lunch favourites on the menu during November. The options which will feature each day are as follows:

- Monday 12th November: Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce which will replace the usual dessert of the day
- Tuesday 13th November: Shepherd's Pie which will replace the main meat dish of the day
- Wednesday 14th November: The Big Roast Dinner Day which will replace the main meat dish of the day.
- Thursday 15th November: Sausage & Mash and Vegetarian Sausage & Mash which will replace both the main meat dish and main vegetarian dish of the day.
- Friday 16th November Fish & Chips which will replace the main dish of the day. Celebration Cake which will replace the usual dessert of the day.

If your child normally has a packed lunch but would like to try school lunches for this week please inform the school office. The cost of a school lunch is £2 per day.

At the start of the week, we will launch the 'vote for your favourite school meal' poll. The voting slips and voting box will remain out at lunchtime all week for children to vote for their favourite vegetarian option, meat option and dessert option.

The most popular entries at your school will feature on the census day lunch menu on Thursday 17 January 2019.

JUNIOR OPEN MIC CONCERT & HERNE HILL MUSIC FESTIVAL

20 young musicians from local schools including Rosendale are appearing in a Junior Open Mic Concert at Off The Cuff Music Bar, in Herne Hill on **Sunday 14 October 11am-1pm**. The concert is an opportunity for young people to step beyond Open Mic and showcase their talents to a wider audience. The event is organised by Rosendale parents and admission is free. Contact andyg.coms@gmail.com for more information.

LAMBETH FIREWORKS OFFERS 10% DISCOUNT TO ROSENDALE FAMILIES

Lambeth Fireworks will light up Brockwell Park on **Saturday 3 November** with two dazzling fireworks displays for the price of one. Use the code ROSENDALE10 when you buy your tickets to get a special 10% discount. Tickets before discount are £10 for adults, £5 for children and £30 per family. They are available from <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/lambeth-fireworks-2018-tickets-48476915760>. This event is suitable for all ages and promises to be one of the longest and most dramatic shows in London. The spectacular family display kicks off at 6:45pm, set to songs from The Greatest Showman, Moana, Frozen and Trolls. The theme for the main event at 8pm is The Time Tunnel. The festivities begin at 5pm and the entrance fee allows guests to stay for both displays.

FUNDRAISING FOR MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

Rosendale parent Rebecca Watson is raising funds for Macmillan Cancer Support by participating in Sober October. Every donation makes a difference. A donation of £15 could pay for 42 copies of The Cancer Guide; a Macmillan booklet that can help someone recently diagnosed with cancer, and their families, understand more about cancer, its treatment, and the help available. To support Rebecca please visit www.gosober.org.uk/users/rebecca-watson-7

FUNDRAISING FOR THE NATIONAL AUTISTIC SOCIETY

A local, disco night, organised by a Rosendale mum is taking place at The Prince Regent Pub in Herne Hill on **Thursday 18 October from 7.30pm onwards**. The evening is for mums who miss dancing. Entry is £7 on the door and all proceeds are donated to The National Autistic Society.

Have a great weekend.

Kate Atkins

Letters home this week

- Trip to the National History Museum – Year 5
- Trip to France – Year 4
- Mandarin Trial – Classes

Dates for the diary

- Class 4ST assembly – Friday 19 October – 9.30am
- Last day of half term – Friday 19 October
- School returns – Monday 29 October
- Class 6AF assembly – Friday 2 November – 9.30am
- KS2 Drama Club perform at The Shakespeare Schools Festival, Wimbledon Theatre – Tuesday 6 November – 7pm
- Parents' Evening – Thursday 29 November