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Dear Parents

Re: March 2022 Headmistress's Letter

We have challenges to face with the weather at the start of this half term. Thank you very much for your patience as we have navigated through fallen down trees and road works. Hopefully, we have seen the end of these obstacles for now. Thank you also to the class teachers for being ready earlier than usual to help us lessen the traffic in the morning.

Year 6 11+ Results

We are incredibly proud of our Year 6 pupils for all of their work towards entrance exams. Twenty one of the cohort decided to sit 11+ exams this year. We are sitting on 36 offers, including a number of scholarship offers, and also some reserve list offers a number of which are likely to become firm places. The fact that so many pupils have places in their first choice school is a true testament to their great efforts and to the dedication of our teachers in preparing the children over the years.

Congratulations Year 6!

Open Morning – Tuesday 1 March

Prospective and current parents will have the opportunity to see the school at work and to hear more about what is happening at school on Tuesday. Refreshments will be available from 9am in the Hall. I shall be giving a short talk at 9.30am with tours commencing at 9.45am. Our Year 6 act as guides and they are always happy to talk about life at Coopersale Hall from a pupil's perspective.

World Book Day Thursday 3 March

To celebrate World Book Day, we would like the children to come to school dressed as one of their favourite book characters and to bring a £2 donation to be shared between Water Aid, Norway House and Voluntary Action Epping Forest, three worthwhile charities chosen by the children and the School Council. Our Year 6 pupils will be holding collection boxes for your donations at drop off time. You can also send your donation in with your child.

Easter Holiday Activities

Thank you to a large number of staff across the school, for giving up some time over the Easter Holidays to run clubs in school. You received information on how to book the clubs from HQ. Do book those available slots as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 1 March

Open Morning **All Parents Welcome**

9.15am-11.30am

Thursday 3 March

World Book Day – **Whole School** – Dress up as Favourite Book Character – Bring in £2 charity donation

Trip to Epping Forest Learning Centre **Year 5**

9.30am-12.30pm

Tuesday 8 March Epping and Ongar Cross Country Relays at Ongar School Years 3 to 6 By Invitation	9am – 12pm
Thursday 10 March Prep Schools Cross Country Relays at Coopersale Hall Years 3 to 6 by invitation	1.15pm-2.45pm
Friday 11 March FOCHS Disco in School Hall Years 1 and 2 Only	3.15pm-4.30pm
Monday 14 March Zoom Launch of the Oak-Tree Ski Trip 2023 Parents only	5pm-5.30pm
Tuesday 15 March Science Day at Felsted School Children from Year 6 by invitation Parents' Evening Whole School	AM/PM 4pm – 6.30pm
Wednesday 16 March Parents' Evening – Whole School	4pm – 6.30pm
Thursday 17 March Epping and Ongar Cross Country Relays at Coopersale Hall Years 3 to 6 by invitation	1.15pm-3.45pm
Monday 21 March Bikeability Course 1 Level 1 Year 6 only	AM/PM
Tuesday 22 March ISA Mixed Tag Rugby Comp @ Woodford Wells Cricket Ground – Years 5 and 6 by invitation Bikeability Course 1 Level 2 Year 6 only	AM/PM AM/PM
Wednesday 23 March District Netball Tournament Years 5 and 6 by invitation at St. Andrews School North Weald	9.15am-12.45pm
Friday 25 March Oak-Tree Girls Football Comp Years 5 and 6 by invitation at Peter May Centre Walthamstow	9.15am-12.45pm
NO CLUBS THIS WEEK (W/C 28.3.22) – ALL FINISHED LAST WEEK	
Monday 28 March Bikeability Course 2 Level 1 - Year 6	AM/PM
Tuesday 29 March Bikeability Course 2 Level 2 - Year 6	AM/PM
Wednesday 30 March – LAST DAY OF TERM	
Finishing Times	
Early Years – Kindergarten and Reception	11.30am
KS1 – Years 1 and 2	11.45am
KS2 – Years 3 to 6	12 Noon
EASTER HOLIDAYS – THURSDAY 31 MARCH – WEDNESDAY 20 APRIL	
THURSDAY 21 APRIL 2022 – FIRST DAY BACK – SUMMER TERM	
ALL CLUBS START WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 25 APRIL	

As always, if you have any concerns or questions you wish to discuss, please contact your child's class teacher or telephone/email the school office to arrange an appointment with me or a member of the leadership team.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely



Moreen Barnard
Headmistress



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