



Weekly Newsletter St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School



Week ending 18th July 2025

Dear All

Well I can't quite believe that we have come to the end of another academic year!

The Leavers mass was beautiful this morning and such a lovely way to bring some calm to such a busy time. Mr Elson's musical accompaniment was a great addition to this special service. The Year 6's then enjoyed their retreat in the Jurgen Centre! Thank you to the parents who were able to attend mass and also those who helped us walk the children back to school.

I was completely blown away by the Year 6 production of Oliver this week! The children sang so beautifully and some were brave enough to sing solos! The acting was amazing and I was so proud of all of them. Thank you so much to Mrs Claassen (and Mrs Harrington) for all the hard work in bringing this together - I know the children will cherish these memories for a long time to come.

We rounded our year off with a packed celebration assembly this morning to recognise so many of our talented and hard-working pupils. We also announced our new Head Boy - Rhys and Head Girl - Mia D for September - decided by the whole staff.

The children's reports will be coming out today sharing their achievements this year with you. We are so very proud of all of them and the progress they have made.

I want to say a huge thank you to the whole school community for your support again this year. I feel hugely privileged to be part of St Cuthbert's and all we have achieved and this doesn't happen without the ongoing involvement from parents and carers.

Joshua 1:9:

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

Have a wonderful summer break and we look forward to seeing you all in September to start another successful year!

Mrs Rainbow

"We are a Catholic community, living and learning in faith. Through the Gospel values of faith, hope, trust and love, we aim to recognise individuality and enable each other to fulfil our potential"

The Week That Was

Year R: This week Reception class have been enjoying our last week together playing in the EYFS classroom and outdoor areas, reading some of our favourite stories and playing our favourite games. At the beginning of the week we met with Year 1. They had made posters to share all of their knowledge about Judaism with us and we buddied up to hear all about what they had learnt. We also got the chance to hear about what they thought were the best bits of Year 1 and ask them questions about the differences between Reception and Year 1 are. We have had a great week together to end the year! I hope you all have a fantastic summer break.

Year 1: Year 1 have had a brilliant week to finish off a brilliant year! We finished off our maths learning by learning about the time. We talked about "o'clock" and "half past." The children also finished their Geography learning about "animals and their habitats" this week by annotating A3 maps of the world with animals and their habitats. They named continents and described landscapes. We had a gorgeous thanksgiving mass on Thursday that marked the end of this school year, and what a year it was! It has been an absolute pleasure getting to know all of the Year 1 children. They are each so special, funny and capable. I have thoroughly enjoyed teaching them and wish them every success in Year 2 and further throughout their academic lives. Have a lovely and restful summer!

Year 2: Wow it's hard to believe that we have come to the end of Y2. Our final week has been filled with finishing up our units, watercolour paintings and sharing memories from the year. The children all loved going to Mass on Thursday to say goodbye to the Year 6's and being thankful for the year we have had. Well done Year 2 for all your hard work this year and I hope you all have a restful summer holidays.

Year 3: This week in Year 3, we've been wrapping up our learning with a wonderful mix of creativity and hands-on work. In English, we used our imaginations to write our own portal stories, making sure to include expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbials, and more complex sentences. In Maths, we completed our final unit on statistics, interpreting bar graphs and solving related problems with confidence. Over in DT, we finished our electrical posters, learning about the different components of a simple circuit and how to make a bulb light up. As it's our last week of term, we've had so much fun reflecting on a brilliant year, and we're excited to return in September as confident and curious Year 4s!

Year 4 In Year 4 we have been busy finishing off our Science investigation about 'how does tooth decay happen', we concluded that pure orange juice and fizzy drinks are the worst liquids for our teeth. We enjoyed our last music lesson where we made up our own songs using our bodies and voices. We have been learning how to plot coordinates and describe the position of objects in maths. In RE we listened to the story of Oscar Romero and discussed how scripture and his beliefs about God led to his experiences. We designed a memorial for Oscar Romero, including a picture, a poem and a quote from his life. We ended the week with an end of year quiz and celebrated all of our wonderful achievements over Year 4!

Year 5: In this final week of term, the learning hasn't slowed down. We have been busy bees learning about the Shema prayer in Judaism. It is a special prayer that is kept in a Mezuzah on the doors of Jewish families. Lots of learning was finished off this week including Computing where the children debugged their Scratch quizzes and in Maths it was a mini unit based around volume (size not sound!) In English, the class wrote their final big write using speech in a story and in Geography the class rounded up their lesson based on trade. It has been an absolutely wonderful year and I have enjoyed teaching every single child in the class. Thank you for all of your support and I hope you have a great summer break. See you in September.

Year 6: Our final week has been one of many exciting events and beautiful memories. The children made me so proud during their performances of Oliver with a Twist. Each and every one of them did their very best and they used all their teamwork and collaboration skills to put on a fantastic performance. On Thursday we had such a lovely mass and then retreat at the Our Lady of the Assumption Church. Canon Chris has been so generous with his time and the children had the most wonderful time building marshmallow and spaghetti towers and discussing their own journeys during an Emmaus walk. Well done, Year 6. You have made us all very, very proud and we wish all of you every success in your new schools.

Autumn Term 2025-26 Dates:

- **Tuesday 2nd September** - INSET Day, no children
- **Wednesday 3rd September** - Term begins, all children back to school
- **Friday 5th September** - Back to school mass, 9am in the school hall

All other Autumn Term dates will be confirmed on the first week back to school

Autumn Term PE Days:

Reception = Wednesdays and Fridays

Year 1 = Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Year 2 = Mondays and Fridays

Year 3 = Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Year 4 = Tuesdays and Fridays

Year 5 = Tuesdays and Fridays

Year 6 = Tuesdays and Fridays

PE will commence from the first week back at school

CANON CHRIS WRITES ...

I would like to wish all our school families a very happy and healthy summer break. Please remember that the church will be operating throughout the summer period. I will also be around, if there is anything you need! It is so important that we continue to support one another and journey forward, especially in these times of so many global and local needs. As many of you know I am only half a working week for our existing parish; and the other half is spent on consolidating our new larger parish "The parish of Weybridge", where I have been asked to serve as "Moderator of the Clergy Team". Please support church community, whether here or elsewhere, to ensure its continuance and growth.

I am sorry that I missed so much in this past term owing to my COVID infection and the slow journey of recovery, including the "BUDS day" and the "Talent show", I hope that the new term will bring me better health and opportunity to join parents, staff and pupils!

As well as seeing many of you (I hope) at our weekend Masses, I hope you can especially join our parish / school socials in the Jurgens Centre.

Friday 15th August Feast of "The Assumption of our Lady" – Mass 7pm and a social in the Jurgens Centre.

Sunday 14th September is "Education Sunday" (and the Vigil Mass) please come for a special blessing and celebration of our Catholic Education.

Sunday 21st September after the 11am Mass a social to celebrate my 60th birthday – all welcome.

I would like to wish all teachers and pupils who are moving on a very happy new start and assure a continuation of prayers. It has been lovely to see the excellent year 6 play "Oliver" (Tuesday) – what wonderful talent and skills! It was my most enjoyable engagement of the week – thank you! I have also shared in the Leavers Mass and Retreat Morning (Thursday). I wish all our year 6s well on their continued journeys, and the other staff and pupils who are moving on too!

For those who are away for the summer, I wish you a pleasant break. I look forward to seeing many of you as we keep the church alive, prayerful, and active, working together in partnership and hope – as "Pilgrims of Hope".

Best Wishes and Prayers,
God Bless,

Canon Chris

Photography Competition

Indi in Year 5 travelled to the civic centre Thursday afternoon to receive her award for winning the borough wide under 18's photography competition, called "our beautiful borough". This was all in aid of The Great Big Green Week. She was greeted by the mayor who asked Indi to sign her picture. Indi also received a certificate and a voucher for winning! Well done Indi on a brilliant achievement. We are all very proud.



St Cuthberts Autumn Term 2025 Club Timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St Cuthberts Breakfast Club	St Cuthberts Breakfast Club	St Cuthberts Breakfast Club	St Cuthberts Breakfast Club	St Cuthberts Breakfast Club
7:50-8:35am Core Judo (years 1-6)		7:50-8:35am Match Point Tennis		
3:20pm - 4:20pm Years 5 & 6 Girls Foot- ball with Miss Murtagh	3:20pm - 4:20pm Multi- sports with Planet Soccer	3:20pm - 4:20pm Active Soccer	3:20pm - 4:20pm Years 5 & 6 Netball with Mrs Gray	3:20pm - 4:20pm Dodge- ball with Plan- et Soccer
		3:20pm - 4:20pm Years 5 & 6 Boys Foot- ball with Mr Gray and Mr Sheridan	3:20pm - 4:20pm Little Musketeers Fencing	
St Cuthberts After School Club	St Cuthberts After School Club	St Cuthberts After School Club	St Cuthberts After School Club	St Cuthberts After School Club

St Cuthberts Autumn Term 2025 Clubs

Core Judo



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St Cuthberts Autumn Term 2025 Clubs

Match Point Tennis



ST CUTHBERT'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

TENNIS

BREAKFAST CLUB

AUTUMN TERM

SEP 10TH - DEC 10TH

07.50AM - 08.35AM

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WEDNESDAY: YRS R - 6 (KS1&2)

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*we require a minimum of 6 players per group in order for the session to run.

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St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School - Little Musketeers Club Autumn Term

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Our engaging and varied programmes appeal to a child's sense of play and are taught in a fun, safe and educational environment. What child has not grown up pretending to be a swashbuckling pirate, a duelling musketeer, a master Jedi, or even the master of swordplay himself, Zorro? Why do they do it? Because it's fun!

Little Musketeers are proud to be internationally endorsed by Olympians, educators and scientists from across the world. All our equipment is safe plastic or foam while still giving the children the real feel of fencing.

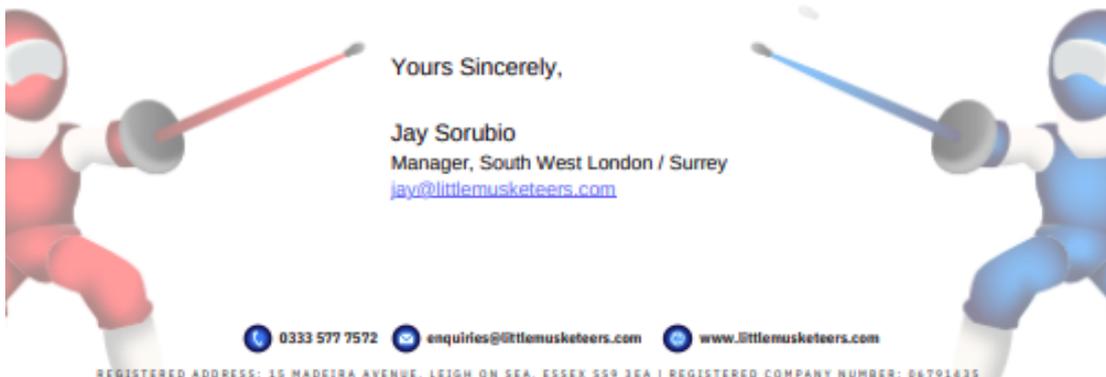
BOOKING DETAILS

Autumn Term September to December (11 Sessions)

KS2 : Thursday Afternoons 3:20pm-4:20pm

1. Visit <https://www.littlemusketeers.com/south-west-london-surrey>
2. Select "**St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School**"
3. Choose the appropriate course and click "**Book**" (Click *More Info* for dates)
4. **Login** or **sign up** to create a new user account
5. **Review and Confirm** details to make payment

We look forward to welcoming your young musketeer to our club! En garde! 🗡️



Yours Sincerely,

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PLANET SOCCER COACHING

SCHOOL CLUBS

ST CUTHBERT'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Tuesday – Multi Sports

3:20 - 4:20pm | Yrs 1,2,3,4,5,6

Friday – Dodgeball

3:20 - 4:20pm | Yrs 1,2,3,4,5,6

Bookings Open Friday 11th July

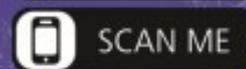
For Dates, Prices & Bookings Visit: <https://bookwhen.com/psclubs>

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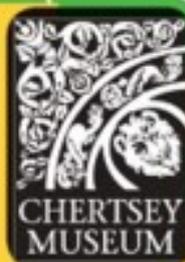
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Summer Holiday Activities:

Summer Holiday Activities



Make a Roman Shield

7th August 2025

Create a Roman Shield out of cardboard!

Time: 11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm Cost: £4

Age: 5-12. 5 year olds must be accompanied by an adult

Make a Lolly Stick Bird Feeder

14th August

Use lolly sticks to make a bird feeder.

Time: 11am-12 pm or 2-3pm Cost: £4

Age 5-12. 5 year olds must be accompanied by an adult.

Toys Through Time

21st August

What were toys like in the past? Find out and play with a variety of traditional toys.

Time: 10am-12pm Cost: free, drop-in. Book online

Family session aimed at 5 to 12 year olds. All children must be accompanied by adult

Make a Jumping Jack

28th August

Use paper and string to make a Victorian-style moving toy

Time: 11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm Cost: £4

Age: 5-12. 5-6 year olds must be accompanied an adult.

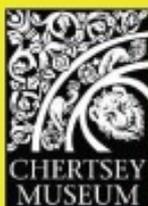
Booking is essential. Book online at <https://chertsey-museum.arttickets.org.uk> or by phone: 01932 565 764. Please check ages each activity.

www.chertseymuseum.org/events

Call 01932 565764 to book your place



Summer Holiday Activities:



For All
The
Family

1st Saturday
of the month
1.30pm-3.30pm

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Sunday 7th September 2025

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Virginia Water Village Show

Children's Entry Form

Sunday 7th September 2025

Open to the Public at 2pm * Free Admission

Community Centre, Beechmont Avenue, Virginia Water



Bring your entries to the Community Centre 9.15 - 10.30 on Sunday 7 Sept.
10p per entry
Show (with raffle and refreshments) opens to the public at 2pm.
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Submit by email by noon on Saturday 6 Sept. or enter in person on the day.

There's plenty for older people too!
Email Show@VWCA.org.uk for schedules for
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Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

E-mail: _____

Total classes entered @ 10p each _____ Total fees due _____

Please circle the number(s) of the categories you wish to enter (max. one per category).

- J1. Knitting, needlework or embroidery
- J2. Handicrafts (e.g. jewellery, woodwork)
- J3. Drawing or painting
- J4. Something new from something old
- J5. Three biscuits [N.B. one will be tasted]
- J6. Model made from Lego or similar material (indicate if from kit). No larger than standard board size.
- J7. Collage
- J8. Three decorated fairy cakes [N.B. one will be tasted]
- J9. Model made from Plasticine, Playdoh, Fimo, clay or similar material
- J10. Sunflower head with largest diameter
- J11. Fresh flower arrangement in a mug or jam jar
- J12. Miniature garden (no larger than 25 x 40 cm)
- J13. A photograph you have taken this year

The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the exhibit.
Must be your own work. Entries will be divided into 2 groups:
Preschool - 6 years & 7 - 10 years (age at 31 Aug. 2025).

