



ST CUTHBERT MAYNE WEEKLY BULLETIN

WEDNESDAY 11th March 2026

Welcome to the Wednesday email!

Below you'll find the key dates and important notices for the weeks ahead. This bulletin, can always be found on our website at [Wednesday email](#) . For full school calendar please follow this [link](#).



Upcoming Events and Trips

Date	Year Group	Trip/Event
Friday 13 th March - during the school day	All	Pop Up Mother's Day Shop. Please see poster below for details.
Tuesday 17 th March, starting 1.45pm finishing approx 2.25pm	Rocksteady pupils	Rocksteady concert in School Hall. Parents/carers welcome.
Tuesday 17 th March - St Patrick's Day	All	Any pupil who would like to celebrate or acknowledge their Irish heritage on St Patrick's Day, please feel free to wear a green accessory (no face paints please).
Thursday 26 th March 2026 (please note a change of date from 17 th March)	Year 4	Roman Day. Further details will be made available on Google Classroom in due course.
Monday 20 th April to 24 th April, Bikeability	Year 5	Please see communication and sign up/pay via 'Trips' in Arbor.
Friday 27 th March 2026	All	Last day of term, finish at 1.45pm (please note that there will be no Cuthbert Collective running on last day of term).



Reminders and Notices

- **PGL – Year 6** – please check your balance 'Arbor' 'Trips' and make payment if needed . **Full balance is now due. Please contact admin@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk should you require assistance.**
- **Important message from the kitchen staff:**
 - Please remember to order your child's meal each day through Swift Kitchen app. Recently, a number of children have arrived without a meal being ordered, which can lead to disappointment if chosen meals are unavailable.
 - Please note that a filled roll will be available for those children with no meal ordered.
 - Please also ensure that your Swift Kitchen account has sufficient credit, as low balances may prevent orders from being processed.
- The PA will be running a **Mother's Day Pop Up Shop** on **Friday 13th March** for the children to be able to purchase gifts. If you would like your child to participate, please send them in **on that day** with a maximum of £5 to spend in a named, sealed envelope. Items start at 50p to enable all children to be able to purchase an item (change will be given if they do not spend the amount sent in with). This event will be cash only.
- **St Cuthbert Mayne Afterschool Clubs** will open for booking at **4pm today on Arbor**. Please note w/c 15th June (PGL week will need to be booked separately- please see email communication for further details).
- **Year 4 - Final instalment of swimming for Spring Term** due on or before 20th March 2026. Please see Arbor to make the payment. Last day for swimming this term is **Friday 20th March**. Swimming will restart after the Easter Holidays on Friday 17th April (letter will be sent out soon with further details).
- Please note that there will be **no Cuthbert Collective** Afterschool Club on the last day of term (Friday 27th March) as we finish at 1.45pm.
- **Please ensure that contact details** including email addresses are up to date for both primary contacts. This can be updated via Arbor or please feel free to email into admin@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk and we can update for you.



Ongoing Reminders

- If your child will not be attending school due to illness or medical, please email attendance@cuthbertmayne.herts.sch.uk
- Please do remember that if your child will not be present at school, to cancel their lunch through the Swift Kitchen app before 9.30am as otherwise you will be charged.



Vacancies

- Are you looking for a part-time role that fits around your children?
- We have a fantastic opportunity for an **Afterschool Club Manager** at the school and we would love to receive your application.
- If you are a parent of a child at **St Cuthbert Mayne**, your child would of course be able to attend the club **free of charge** while you work. Please find link below:
- [Careers at St Cuthbert Mayne Catholic Junior School - Hemel Hempstead, United Kingdom, HP1 3EA | eteach..](#)
- We also have a vacancy for a **Premises Assistant:**
- <https://www.eteach.com/careers/cuthbertmayne-herts/job/premises-assistant-1538550>



Useful Links

- [Information about Breakfast and Afterschool Club](#)
- [Link to School calendar](#)
- [Administration of Medication- Parental Request Form](#)
- [Application for Leave of Absence Request](#)
- [Volunteer Helpers on School Trips](#)
- [Year 6- Walking Home From School Permission](#)
- [Year 6- Mobile Phone Permission](#)
- [Healthcare Plan – Pupil with Medical Condition](#)



Uniform

- [St Cuthbert Mayne RC Primary School – Leonard Hudson](#) (to buy a tie)
- <https://www.teamworld.co.uk/scm> (to buy a badge and PE Kit)

An illustration of a mother and two children, all rendered as green silhouettes filled with various colorful flowers like daisies, tulips, and roses. The mother is in the center, holding the hands of a girl on the left and a boy on the right. The background is a solid light green, and the scene is decorated with floating butterflies in shades of yellow, pink, and blue, as well as small green leaves and flower petals. The title 'Mother's Day' is written in a large, elegant, dark green cursive font in the upper right corner.

Mother's Day

PTA Pop-Up Shop

The PTA will be running a pop-up shop on Friday 13th March. Children will be able to purchase a variety of items (starting at 50p), to a maximum of £5. Please send monies in a named envelope.

This is a CASH ONLY event



 **Easter Artistic Swimming Crash Courses just £30!** 

Tuesday 31st March – Friday 3rd April
11:00am – 12:00pm

Love music, dance, and swimming? Try Artistic Swimming
 Otherwise known as synchronised swimming – is a combination of dancing, swimming and gymnastics. Learn how to flip, float, and flow in sync in a team, solo or in a duet. It's strength, style, and synchronicity – all in one dazzling sport!

 **Duration: 4 Days**

 **Time: 60 minutes per day**

 **Requirements:** Minimum Stage 7, must be confident in deep water

Bookable at reception or call 01442 507100.

everyone
 ACTIVE



 **Easter SWIMMING LESSON Crash Courses just £30!** 

Tuesday 31st March – Friday 3rd April
and/or
Tuesday 7th April – Friday 10th April

Looking for an activity that keeps your kids active, confident, and smiling?
 Jump into swimming lessons – the perfect blend of fun, fitness, and lifelong skills. Whether they're just starting out or building on what they know, swimming opens up a world of confidence and adventure.

9:00am-11:00am
Offering Stages Pre-School to Stage 5

 **Duration: 4 Days**

 **Time: 30 minutes per day**



 Easter DIVING Crash Courses just £30!

Tuesday 31st March – Friday 3rd April
10:00am – 11:00am

If you're on the lookout for a **fun, fulfilling** activity that not only sparks joy in your young ones but also packs a powerful punch of health and fitness benefits, then let's talk about diving – an adventure that's just waiting to unfold for your children and teens.

 **Duration:** 4 Days

 **Time:** 60 minutes per day

 **Requirements:** Must be confident in deep water

Bookable at reception or call 01442 507100.



 Easter Mini Polo Crash Courses just £30!

Tuesday 31st March – Friday 3rd April
09:00am – 10:00am

Water polo is a **fast-paced team water sport** that combines the excitement of swimming, ball-handling, and teamwork. Think "**football in the pool!**"—with goals, passing, and shooting, all while treading water!

 **Duration:** 4 Days

 **Time:** 60 minutes per day

 **Requirements:** Must be confident in deep water

Bookable at reception or call 01442 507100.



Sibling Rivalry

This 2-hour workshop will provide parents with strategies and tools to effectively foster positive relationships, promote co-operation and manage conflict between children.



Friday 13 March
11.30am to 9.30am
Online via MS Teams



Scan Me!

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Spring Term Online Workshops 2026 for parents in Hertfordshire



Sibling Rivalry - Online via MS Teams

This parenting workshop promotes cooperation and manages conflict between siblings.

Friday 13 March 9.30 to 11.30

Anxiety around ADHD - Online via MS Teams

This workshop helps parent/carers understand what ADHD is, why it makes sense for a child to be anxious if they have ADHD and provides strategies to help support you and your child.

Wednesday 18 March 7pm to 9pm or

Thursday 26 March 9.30am to 11.30am

Empowering Parenting - Online via MS Teams

A workshop to equip parents with practical tools, resources and strategies to enhance parenting skills and navigate parenting challenges effectively

Friday 20 March 9.30am to 11.30am

Its a Dads Life - Online via MS Teams

A workshop for dads to help build strong attachment and relationships with their child.

Tuesday 24 March 7pm to 9pm

For more information, you can scan our QR code to make a referral or call Louise and Lesley on **0204 522 8700/8701** or email **services@familylives.org.uk**.



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Easter CAMP

30TH MARCH – 10TH APRIL

EXCLUDING BANK
HOLIDAYS

VENUE: MICKLEM PRIMARY SCHOOL,
HPI 2QH



FOR AGES 4-11



ADVENTURES



SPORTS



ARTS AND
CRAFTS

**Sibling Discount
Available NOW!**

Booking Options Available!

Standard day: 8:30-16:00 - £28

Extended day: 8:30-17:00 - £33

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via our website



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PLEASE PROVIDE A NUT FREE PACKED LUNCH, SNACKS AND
OUTDOOR SHOES

EGG HUNT



WEEK 1 MICKLEM PRIMARY SCHOOL

MONDAY 30TH MARCH

Craft and Play

A colourful craft explosion where children design and decorate their own Easter eggs and make beautiful Happy Easter cards to take home and share.

TUESDAY 31ST MARCH

Detective Quests Day

Get ready to become little detectives as we solve puzzles, crack secret codes, and work together to escape from fun mystery rooms!

WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL

Sweet Treats & Chocolatey Delights Day!

A deliciously fun day of decorating Easter biscuits and making yummy chocolate cornflake nests that children can proudly show off and enjoy.

THURSDAY 2ND APRIL

Architects and Big Build Day

A hands-on construction day where children turn into creative designers, building spaghetti towers and crafting bunny homes using exciting junk modelling materials.

Easter CAMP 2026



FOR AGES 4-11

WEEK 2 MICKLEM PRIMARY SCHOOL

TUESDAY 7TH APRIL

Hop & Frost Cupcake Factory

A fun, high-energy decorating station where children frost, sprinkle, and top cupcakes with Easter treats to make their own bunny-inspired creations.

WEDNESDAY 8TH APRIL

Easter Dash & Design!

Children take part in an exciting relay packed with bunny hops, obstacle runs, beanbag throws, and sprint races to collect craft materials to design and create their own artwork

THURSDAY 9TH APRIL

The Great Spring Scavenger Hunt

Join the adventure as the children follow secret clues around the site in a thrilling quest to discover the hidden Golden Egg

FRIDAY 10TH APRIL

Good Shepherds got Talent

Get ready for Good Shepherd's Got Talent Day at Holiday Club – a fun-filled day where everyone can shine, show off their skills, and celebrate all the amazing talents we have!

EGG HUNT

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Easter CAMP

2026
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SCHOOL, HP3 9XB **FOR AGES 4-11**






ADVENTURES



SPORTS



ARTS AND CRAFTS

Get ready for an Easter full of fun and adventure!

A fantastic way for children to explore new interests, develop new skills, and make lasting friendships in a fun, safe environment.

Why Join?

From games and crafts to sports and creative fun, our holiday club keeps children active, happy, and well-fed in a safe, welcoming environment!

Register and book via:

For more information:
Call: 07840 534207
admin@goodshepherdclubs.co.uk

www.playwaze.com

EGG HUNT



ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

Spaces are **FREE** and lunch is provided
for all eligible pupils!

TIME: 9AM - 1PM

WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL
2026

The Great Easter Games and Party Palooza

High-energy party day packed with
egg hunts, egg and spoon races, pin
the tail on the bunny, the search for the
golden egg and an action-packed
Easter obstacle course!

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2026

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Next Thing

TECH HOLIDAY CAMP

NEW TECH ADVENTURES EVERY DAY!





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Tornado



Motor
Fan



Levitating
Ball



Robotics &
Coding



Circuitry &
Electronics



Tech
Fun

30TH MARCH - 17TH APRIL : LIMITED SPACES!

MULTI DAY DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE, FROM JUST £25 PER HALF-DAY!
AGES 5-11, 9 AM - 1 PM DAILY

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EASTER CAMPS 2026

Every day at Tech Camp is an adventure with hands-on **tech fun**,
iPad creativity, and **take-home inventions**!

Example camp activities

Camp runs 9 am - 1 pm

 ROBOT LAB	 LEGO Engineering	 ELECTRIC INVENTIONS	 3D CREATIONS	 VIRTUAL REALITY
 COOL CIRCUITS	 VIDEO GAME DESIGN	 MOVIE MAKING	 MINECRAFT REDSTONE	 MINECRAFT MAZE

WHAT TO EXPECT:

At Next Thing Education, our goal is to ignite curiosity, fuel creativity, and empower young minds for the future!

Through hands-on coding & STEM experiences, we inspire the next generation of inventors, creators, and tech leaders. Led by DBS checked, friendly and supportive instructors, kids will explore STEM through exciting activities and challenges.

★★★★★
"The best camp we've tried! A perfect mix of fun and learning!"

★★★★★
"My child loved every minute - already asking to come back!"

★★★★★
"Fun, engaging, and educational - highly recommend!"

HALF DAY CAMPS THIS EASTER 9 AM - 1 PM

£25 PER DAY or 4 days for just **£90**

Scan to book



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