#### **COTMORE SURGERY PRACTICE NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2023**

#### Welcome

Welcome to our Summer Edition of the practice Newsletter.



Our final relaxation of the Covid Restrictions saw a return of the Cotmore Bowling Trophy Congratulations to Dr Gibbins for taking the trophy.

# **Vaccination Time**

A spring booster of Covid Vaccination is available for our over 75 patients and those classed as clinically vulnerable, if you fall into this catergory then you will have received a letter from NHS England.

### **Face Coverings**

Staff may continue to wear face coverings, and patients who wish to do can request a mask from reception.

#### **FUNDAY**

All patients are invited to a Funday at St Edwardian Rugby Club, Sunnybank Avenue on Sunday 25.6.23 11am-4pm, a jam packed day of fun for all the family, entertainment, food and a chance to meet the new members of our team who are working across the primary care network supporting our practices. All welcome a great day is planned.

#### PPG

Matthew has successfully reinstated our PPG with face to face meetings, if you wish to become involved, ask for Matthew at reception.

## **Primary Care Network News**

We are working with our colleagues across our PCN to improve your access to services and the way in which you contact the surgery, all changes will be communicated to you in advance, and don't worry our friendly team are always here to help.

## **Travel Clinic**

Travelling abroad this year, ask at Reception for details of our complete travel vaccination service

#### **Pharmacy First**

This scheme has had a successful start, we are continuing with the referral process for minor ailments.

#### **Over The Counter Medication**

Thank you for your co-operation as we participate in the CCG Scheme to reduce prescribing costs. The scheme is on-going.