

Eythorne Elvington CP School

Thursday 1st April 2021



We have come away from the “usual” curriculum somewhat this week and tried to give the children a range of fun experiences outside as we draw this term to a close. It has been fantastic to see them interacting with each other, laughing and sharing good times. The children have settled back into school life superbly well over the past four weeks and this was a great way to round things off.

Daily Mile

This week, each class has been outside taking on the Daily Mile – this consists of five laps of the outside field at the back of the school. I must mention some of the Year 6 students – Ruby, Harriet, Willis and TJ who managed this without stopping. Activities like this are not just great for the body but for the mind too and this is something we will be doing more of in terms 5 and 6.

Local Author

We had local author Suzanne Hemming “Zooming” into our classrooms on Monday morning doing some workshops with the children. The feedback from both staff and children alike was extremely positive and I hope that some of you were able to purchase one of Suzanne’s books. We will be buying some to put into the school library.

Farm Visit

The sun was out for the children in Discovery and Voyager classes on Tuesday morning as they took the short trip to the farm at Woodpecker Court. The children returned to school telling how they had managed to feed many of the animals and particularly enjoyed seeing the kid goats. I was slightly surprised at the claimed sight of some camels over there though! Thank you once again to the staff at Woodpecker Court for allowing this to take place.

Sun cream

Earlier this week, we were treated to a couple of days of “summer” weather conditions. Hopefully, we will have many more days like this coming up, so, please can parents apply sun cream to their children before coming into school.

Term 5

Monday 19th April – Friday 28th May 2021

Bank Holiday

Monday 3rd May
Monday 31st May

School Holiday

Tuesday 1st June – Friday 11 June

Term 6

Monday 14th June – Thursday 22nd July 2021

Dates for your Diary

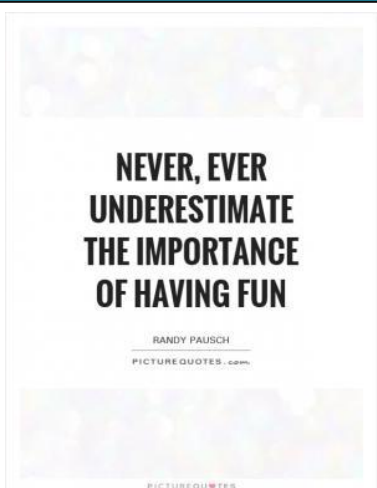
Forest School Atlantis & Voyager

22nd April 2021
29th April 2021
6th May 2021
13th May 2021
20th May 2021

Clubs

Details to follow in first week of Term 5 for forthcoming clubs for Term 5 & 6





Reading Volunteers

Thank you to those who have volunteered to come into school next term and spend time helping their children read. Mrs Sutcliffe is coordinating this support and it looks like we have someone in every class on at least one afternoon per week which is brilliant.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Letters will be coming home in the first week of Term 5 about the after school clubs which we will once again be able to offer children in Term 5. The same clubs will run through terms 5 and 6 and spaces will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

Easter Eggs

Thanks to the school PTA and the generosity of our local Morrisons store, the children will be leaving school today with an Easter Egg – I hope that they enjoy!

Stars Of The Term

In this newsletter, teachers would like to single out some of the pupils who have gone “above and beyond” in the last four weeks.

DISCOVERY

Ava - for being a reading superstar and going up two stages in one term.

Willow - for a wonderful attitude towards all of her learning.

Henry - for trying really hard with his learning this term and improving his behaviour

VOYAGER

Freya - for her fantastic effort this term and her attitude to all of her work

Jamie - his engagement and effort throughout this term

Elijah - for making a brilliant return to school and producing some great writing across the term

Ralph - for his reading this term and getting his highest score yet on the reading challenge

ATLANTIS

Dorothy - a smooth and brilliant transition back from home learning

Elsie - a cheery disposition and not letting illness get the better of her

Simon - excellent effort and behaviour in class

Ivy-Ann - an incredible attitude and engagement in class

COLUMBIA

Alfie - for constant great efforts in all his class work and great behaviour

Ava - for excellent enthusiasm and effort in all her Maths work this term

Dylan - for coming into school with an amazing attitude all term, and great effort

ENDEAVOUR

Harriet - for being an all-round great member of Endeavour Class

Riley - for a great report on the Terracotta Army

I hope that everyone is able to enjoy the Easter break, especially now that we are able to meet up with more family and friends as the lockdown eases. A huge thank you goes to all of the staff, who now will hopefully be able to recharge their batteries ready for another full on term starting on Monday 19th April.

Neil Garvey