

Eythorne & Elvington Newsletter

EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

All letters and subsequent confirmation slips have now been distributed to parents who applied for a place for their child at one of the clubs. For more information about the clubs, please contact the school office.

TEAM POINTS....

Betteshanger: 122

Tilmanstone: 97

Snowdown: 109

Chislet: 133

STARS OF THE WEEK....

Discovery: Stanley

Columbia: Meira

Voyager: Tria and Riley

Challenger: Freya, Kye and Lily Rose

Endeavour: David, Paige and Ethan

Happy Birthday to.....

Tee Jay 6

Robin 9

Kasey 5



Events Diary 2017-18

Fri 19 Jan PTA Film Night

Mon 22 Jan Family Orienteering (3.20 – 4.30)

Fri 26 Jan Forest School Y1,2,3

Challenger Class Assembly

Sat 27 Jan Family Day @ Dover Athletic FC

Fri 2 Feb Speed Stacking Tournament Y2 (PM)

5-9 Feb Focus Week: Environment

Tues 6 Feb Y1/2 Infant Agility Tournament (1.30 – 4.30)

Parent Consultations

Thurs 8 Feb Parent Consultations

Fri 9 Feb Forest School Y1,2,3

Endeavour Class Assembly

End of Term Three

Mon 19 Feb Start of Term Four

Fri 2 Mar Forest School Y4,5,6

PTA Disco

Fri 9 Mar Atlantis Class Assembly (9-9.30)

Mothers Day Market

Family Science Night (5.30-7pm)

Fri 16 Mar Forest School Y4,5,6

Columbia Assembly (9-9.30)

Tue 20 Mar Tag Rugby Festival (12-3)

Fri 23 Mar Voyager Class Assembly (9-9.30)

Tue 27 Mar PTA Easter Egg Hunt

Thurs 29 Mar Forest School Y4,5,6

Discovery Class Assembly (9-9.30)

End of Term Four

Mon 16 Apr Start of Term Five

Tue 24 Apr Y5/6 Handball Tournament (4-6pm)

Fri 27 Apr Forest School Y1,2,3

Thur 3 May Y1/2 Football Tournament (1-3pm)

Fri 4 May Challenger Class Assembly (9-9.30)

Family Sports Night (5-7pm)

Fri 11 May Forest School Y1,2,3

14 – 18 May SATS Week

Tue 15 May Y5/6 Netball Tournament (4-6pm)

Fri 18 May Voyager Class Assembly (9-9.30)

21-25 May Focus Week: Activities

Tues 22 May Y5/6 RAID Cricket Tournament (PM)

Wed 23 May PTA Film Night

Fri 25 May Forest School Y1,2,3

End of Term Five

Mon 11 Jun Start of term six

Fri 15 Jun Y5/6 Cricket Tournament (10-3)

Fri 22 Jun Forest School Y4,5,6

Atlantis Class Assembly

Fri 29 Jun Columbia Assembly

Sat 30 Jun Summer Fayre

Fri 6 Jul Forest School Y4,5,6

Discovery Assembly

9-13 Jul Year 6 Residential

Fri 13 Jul PTA Disco

Year 5 Assembly

Fri 20 Jul Forest School Y4,5,6

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Monday 15 January 2018

It was great to see many of the children making use of the Forest School area on Friday for this first time this year. As well as being in and around the Forest School area, there are now opportunities for children to work with Mrs Wilkinson-Tough on some other activities. However, for them to be able to do this we do need consent from parents as outlined in the additional letter that came home last Monday. To date, there are still some outstanding—please can these be returned to school by the end of this week so as to ensure children do not have to miss out on these fun learning opportunities. A reminder as well that temperatures at the moment can be extremely cold for the children so please do send them to school with warm additional clothing which they can wear during their Forest School session.

Coming up this Friday is the PTA film night. The choice of film this time is Beauty and The Beast. It does come with a PG rating so we do need all consent from parents of those children attending. Children will receive a burger, dessert and drink during the showing. It is a slightly longer film than normal so please collect children from the front of the school at 5.30pm. As it is likely to be dark at this time, please ensure that all children are collected by an adult. The cost of the Film Night is £3 and all slips and money needs to be in school by Wednesday at the latest.

This week, the children of Atlantis and Challenger classes are visiting Dover Museum to learn more about their topic. Challenger go on Wednesday and Atlantis on Thursday. These educational visits do not alter the school times.

For any of the children involved. They should arrive at school at normal time and be wearing school uniform.

Next Monday is our Family Orienteering Event. This is a fun activity where families work as a team to solve problems in and around the school ground. Whilst there is no cost for this event, there are refreshments available to purchase. The event will start at 3.20 (all families to gather in the school hall) and will finish around 4.30pm. To sign up for this, please complete the form which came home on Thursday of last week. If this has not reached you yet then please contact the school office. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible there.

As you are aware, in a few months time the students in Year 6 will sit their end of Key Stage SATS. To prepare them for this we are holding breakfast and after-school booster sessions. Whilst these are not compulsory we hope all will make the effort to attend. The sessions are geared around providing a fun and interactive learning activity in reading and maths.

It was lovely to see so many children taking part in PE lessons last week wearing their new House PE T-Shirts. If you wish to order one of these for your child then please call into the office to view the different sized and coloured T-shirts.

We are due to receive another batch of tickets for the next Family Day at Dover Athletic on Saturday 27th January. We will be sending out a home learning challenge at the end of the week for families to complete over the weekend in order to receive some free tickets.

If you have any unwanted Christmas gifts at home then please send them in for us to use at the Mothers Day Market.

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