school Newsletter



Children In Need 2024

A huge thank you to all those who have brought in monies today to donate to the Children In Need charity.

It was decided by our School Councillors earlier this week that this was the best form of fundraising given that on a Friday children already need to wear Forest School clothes and PE kits a third non-uniform outfit might just have been a step too far. All donations will be counted up by our Year 6 councillors next week and will then be donated to the charity.

Parent/Teacher Meetings

Thank you to all those parents who have already arranged a Parent/Teacher meeting for the week commencing Monday 25th November. This is the first meeting of the school year and so is important that teachers get to speak with ALL parents. I will be writing to those parents who we have not yet heard from, early next week so we can put a meeting in the calendar.

Battle of The Bands

Next Friday afternoon (22nd November), we are inviting parents with children in Year 6 to come and watch them perform in a Battle of the Bands event. Here, they will showcase their learning from their recent Music lessons with Mr Miles. Battle of the Bands will take place at 2.15pm in the school hall.



Christmas Events

A letter went out to parents yesterday outlining some of the main Christmas events coming up between now and the end of term (Friday 20th December). Some of the key events are detailed below:

Christmas Fair - Thursday 5th Dec PTA Pantomime - Monday 9th Dec Nativity - Wednesday 11th Dec Christmas Concert - Friday 13th Dec Christingle - Wednesday 18th Dec

Lantern Walk

Unfortunately, due to staff absence this week, we had to make the decision to postpone the PTA lantern walk. This will now take place on Thursday (21st November). The hall will be open for parents to wait should they decide to combine this event with attending the Open Evening.





Travelling Books

Thank you to all those parents who have purchased books from the Travelling Book fair that is currently in school. The books will continue to be available for purchase in the school hall after school each day until early next week.

Samba Workshop

Parents with children in Years 3 and 4 (Rosen Class) are invited to attend a Samba Workshop with their children on Friday 29th November. The hour-long workshop will take place in school at 11am and will allow you to learn Samba music alongside your child. Please email office@eythorneelvington.kent.sch.uk to confirm your attendance at this event.





Football

Our first football fixture of the school year took place last Monday with a home game against Wingham Primary School. Despite a hard-working performance, the team were on the losing side on this occasion and are still awaiting their first goal of the season. The next game is on Thursday and we hope for better success

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

MONDAY Tennis with Ms Lazarus Board Games with Mrs Taylor TUESDAY Football with Mr Allen Cookery with Ms Silverton WEDNESDAY Entrpreneur with Mrs Taylor THURSDAY

> FRIDAY Orchestra with Mr Miles

TERM DATES

TERM TWO 04/11/24 - 20/12/24 TERM THREE 06/01/25 - 14/02/25 TERM FOUR 24/02/25 - 04/04/25 TERM FIVE 22/04/25 - 23/05/25 TERM 6 02/06/25 - 22/07/25

KEY DATES COMING UP ..

THURSDAY 21 NOVEMBER Open Evening (3.10–5pm) Lantern Walk – 5pm FRIDAY 22 NOVEMBER Y6 Battle of the Bands 27/28 NOVEMBER Parent/Teacher Meetings FRIDAY 29th NOVEMBER Y3/4 Samba Session STARS OF THE WEEK...

Donaldson Class Hughie and Hunter Duffy Class Rowan and Darcie Rosen Class Annie and Harper Morpurgo Class Victoria Blyton Class Jenson and Mia