

Eythorne & Elvington Newsletter

STARS OF THE WEEK....

Discovery: Ruby and Frankie

Columbia: Harley

Voyager: Meira

Atlantis: Theo

Challenger: Mia and Freya

Endeavour: Ethan, Wyatt, David and Abbey

Happy Birthday to.....

Lottie 9

Josh 7



15-19 Oct	Focus Week: Enterprise
15-18 Oct	Book Fair: (3:00pm -3:30pm)
Tue 16 Oct	Parents Evening
Thurs 18 Oct	Parents Evening Y6 Healthy Eating Jamboree (9-3pm)
Friday 19 Oct	School Photographer: (8:30am for families) Last Day of Term One
22-26 Oct	Half Term
Mon 29 Oct	First Day of Term Two
Thu 1 Nov	Stories Around The Campfire (5-6pm)
Tue 6 Nov	Maths Workshops for Parents (9.00 – 9.30am)
Wed 7 Nov	Maths Workshops for Parents (9.00 – 9.30am)
Fri 9 Nov	Voyager Class Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 16 Nov	Challenger Class Assembly: (9:00am)
Tue 20 Nov	Open Evening (6pm)
Wed 21 Nov	Discovery Workshop: Read with me
Thu 22 Nov	Endeavour Class Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 23 Nov	Non-Uniform Day—Chocolates
Thu 29 Nov	Atlantis Class Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 30 Nov	Decorations Morning Non-Uniform Day—Bottles
Fri 7 Dec	Columbia Class Assembly: (9:00am) Non-Uniform Day—Cakes
Thu 13 Dec	Y1/2 Nativity
Fri 14 Dec	Discovery Class Nativity
Mon 17 Dec	Class Parties
Tue 18 Dec	KS2 Carols to Parents (9am) Christmas Lunch
Wed 19 Dec	Last Day of Term Two Carols in Church
Thu 3 Jan	First Day of Term Three
Wed 23 Jan	Discovery Workshop: Stay And Play
11 – 15 Feb	Focus Week - Diversity
Tue 12 Feb	Parents Evening
Thu 14 Feb	Parents Evening
Fri 15 Feb	Challenger Assembly: (9:00am) Last Day of Term Three
Mon 25 Feb	First Day of Term Four
Thu 28 Feb	School Council Voting Elections
Fri 1 Mar	Columbia Assembly: (9:00am)
Thu 7 Mar	World Book Day
Fri 8 Mar	Atlantis Assembly: (9:00am)
Tue 12 Mar	Discovery Workshop – Read with me”
Fri 15 Mar	Red Nose Day Voyager Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 22 Mar	Discovery Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 29 Mar	Mothers Day Market Endeavour Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 5 Apr	Last Day of Term Four

Tue 23 Apr	First Day of Term Five
Tue 30 Apr	Discovery Workshop – Learn with Me
Fri 10 May	Year 5 Kent Test and Residential Meeting
13-17 May	KS2 SATs Week
Tue 21 May	Parents Evening
Thu 23 May	Parents Evening New Intake Meeting
Fri 24 May	Last Day of Term Five
Mon 10 June	First Day of Term Six
Fri 14 June	Atlantis Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 21 June	Challenger Assembly: (9:00am)
Fri 28 June	Discovery Assembly: (9:00am) Mini-Festival (3-6pm)
Fri 5 July	Voyager Assembly
8-12 July	French Residential Year 6 Focus Week: Activities
Fri 12 July	Columbia Assembly: (9:00am)
Wed 17 July	Sports Day
Mon 22 July	Moving Up Afternoon
Tue 23 July	Leavers Assembly and Last Day of Term 6

Forest School Dates:

Tuesday 16th Oct	PM Challenger (Y5)
Thursday 18th Oct	AM Columbia (Y1)
Friday 19th Oct	AM Voyager (Y2) AM Endeavour (Y6) PM Atlantis (Y3/4)

Swimming Dates:

1/3/19—Y3	5/4/19—Y3
8/3/19—Y3	26/4/19—Y6
15/3/19—Y3	3/5/19—Y6
22/3/19—Y3	10/5/19—Y6
22/3/19—Y3	17/5/19—Y6
29/9/19—Y3	24/5/19—Y6

PTA Event Dates:

7 December	Christmas Fayre 3.15 - 4.30
17 December	Father Christmas AM
8 February	Disco 3.15 - 4.30
15 March	Quiz 6pm
29 March	Mothers Day Market - 3.15 - 4.30
4 April	Easter Hunt 3.15 - 4.30
14 May	Film Night 3.15 - 4.30
5 July	Summer Fayre 3.15 - 5.00

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Monday 15 October 2018

We have come to the end of the first term of the school year—one which seems to have flown by! We hope that all families enjoy their week long break and we look forward to starting Term 2 on Monday 29th October.

This week we have Parent/Teacher consultations. There are still a number of children without an appointment. The importance of meetings such as these are vital to your child's learning and development within school. Please speak to your child's class teacher to arrange a suitable appointment time if you have not already done so.

Everyday after school this week, we have a Book Fair in the school hall straight after school. This means that between 3pm and 3.30pm families can come and look through the many books on offer and buy some should they wish. Please note, cash payment is required for books. Last week, we ran a competition for children to design a book cover of their choice. We have 5 winners for this, who today have received a £5 gift token to spend at the Book Fair!

It was great to see so many parents in reading with their children in Discovery class last Tuesday. Occasions such as these are fantastic for the children. Coming home this week is a leaflet giving tips as to how parents can continue to support their child's learning at home.

As you already know, throughout this week the children are involved in our Enterprise Focus Week. Today, they have been working in their teams to create a brand new product in a spray bottle. On Wednesday, we have some scientists from Pfizer visiting us to put on a special assembly. Throughout Thursday, we are lucky to have four different professionals come and talk to the children about their job—these are a Professional Cricketer, a Vet, a Policeman and someone from the construction industry. Thank you so much to these people for giving up their time so generously. To finish off the week, on Friday classes are working as small businesses to turn a £5 note into a profit! There will be class stalls in the hall straight after school for parents to come along and support their businesses.

Thank you to Ms Silvertown for organising the PTA Film Night last Wednesday after-school. A big thank you also to the staff who stayed at school to help out.

Last Monday, the Astronomy Roadshow came to school and all classes spent time inside their travelling planetarium. This was a fantastic experience for all of the children and one that they learnt a lot from.

We now have a new School Council elected by their peers on Thursday. A huge thank you to the retiring school council for all of their hard work over the past six months. We look forward to working with our new School Council team to continue to move the school forwards.

Last Thursday, we held our Open Afternoon. This was a chance for families looking for a school for their child in September 2019 to take a look around. There was a great turnout and our Year 6 pupils performed the role of "Tour Guides" fantastically. If for some reason you were unable to make this date and wish to take a look around, please contact the school office to arrange a suitable date and time. We look forward to seeing you.

As you are already aware, there are no clubs this week as it is the final week of term. A letter detailing a new set of clubs for Term 2 will come out in the first week back. If you are interested in running an after-school club please speak to Mr Garvey.

On Thursday 1st November, we are having another "Stories Around The Campfire" event. This will take place in our Forest School area and children will read aloud stories they have written. A separate letter will be coming home later this week, giving children the chance to use the week-long holiday to write their "Spooky" stories.

On Friday this week (19th October) we have the school photographer in. Should you wish to have any photographs with siblings that don't attend school, please come in at 8:30am, where there will be a chance for family photos.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

There are no clubs this week.

TEAM POINTS

Tilmanstone— 39	Chislet— 45
Snowdown— 40	Betteshanger— 79

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