

**EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS**

**New club information to be advised in January 2018**

**STARS OF THE WEEK....**

**Discovery: Ruby & Dylan**

**Columbia: James**

**Voyager: Riley & Harvey**

**Atlantis: Zack**

**Challenger: Freya**

**Endeavour: Summer & Leon**

**TEAM POINTS....**

Total for last week (this year so far):

Betteshanger: 42 (803)

Tilmanstone: 32 (798)

Snowdown: 42(765)

**Happy Birthday to.....**

Sasha 11 Abbey –Jane 10

Georgie 10 Willis 7

Hannah 8 Ruby 8

**Events Diary 2017-18**

Mon 18 Dec Class Parties (2-3pm)

Tue 19 Dec Christmas Lunch (12-1pm)

Film Afternoon (1-2.30pm)

Wed 20 Dec KS2 Carols in Church (9.30 – 10.30)

End of Term Two

Thurs 4 Jan Start of Term Three

Fri 12 Jan Forest School Y1,2,3

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

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)

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

# Eythorne & Elvington Newsletter

Monday 18 December, 2017

Despite this being a three-day week at school it is certainly one of the busiest!

This afternoon, the children will be holding class parties to celebrate the end of term. Hopefully, children have brought in some snacks to contribute to the class buffet—there will also be plenty of games for the children to get involved in.

Tomorrow morning (Tuesday 19th), Father Christmas visits the school. Unfortunately, it is now too late to register your child for a trip to see Father Christmas. Following this, at lunch time, Christmas dinner will be served by staff to the children in the hall. In the afternoon, children can choose from a range of films to watch. Some of these may carry a PG rating so if you wish your child to not watch a film with such a rating then please do let the school know.

On Wednesday morning all of the children will visit the local church to sing carols. This is a school only event and not for any family members due to space restrictions. School will finish at the normal time on Wednesday. We look forward to seeing the children back at school again on Thursday 4th January.

Last Friday, the children in Key Stage 1 performed their nativity “The Hoity Toity Angel” to family members. Thank you to all that came along to watch—I am sure you will agree that the children put on an excellent show demonstrating high levels of confidence. A big thank you to all staff involved—a lot of work goes in to being able to put on an event like this.

Starting in January, will be two new fitness classes held in the school hall. At 6pm on a Thursday will be a “ReShape” class and then at 6pm on Tuesday’s will be a “Hoop Shape” session. For more details on these please contact the school office.

We are hoping for the delivery of house PE t-shirts this side of Christmas. If this is not possible, they will be available at the start of the new term. Should you wish to place an order or view the T-Shirts you can do this at the school office.

A reminder that there are no clubs this week and that the clubs will start up again with effect from Monday 8th January. We will send home details of clubs for Term 3 on the first day back to school (Thursday 4th January).

Next term, it is the turn for children in Columbia, Voyager and Atlantis classes to take part in fortnightly forest school sessions lead by Mrs Wilkinson-Tough. The first of these sessions will take place on Friday 12th January. Please ensure that children bring to school additional warm clothing and wellington boots especially as the weather during this time of year is likely to be cold.

We would like to wish all families, from all staff at Eythorne Elvington, a very happy Christmas. Thank you for your continued support over the past twelve months. We look forward to working with you again in 2018 to work together to give your children to best start in life.

**Merry Christmas**

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**Happy New Year**



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