

Eythorne & Elvington Newsletter

Week Commencing Monday 6th March

Last Thursday, the school celebrated **World Book Day** in style. It was great to see so many children dressed as their favourite book character (thank you parents for your hard work on this at such short notice). In the afternoon, it was lovely to see the older children of the school reading to their younger peers. Photographs were taken throughout the day and are available for you to look at on the school website.

We are just two weeks away from the **Chilli Quiz** being put on by the PTA. Not only is this a fun event but it is also a fantastic way to support the school. It takes place on the evening of Friday 17th March. Entries are just £6 per person (including a Chilli) and teams are allowed up to 8 members.

On Friday 24th March, the PTA will also be running a **Mothers Day Market** in the hall during the afternoon. This is simply a chance for your children to buy presents in advance of Mothers Day.

Another event for the diaries, again organised by the PTA, is an **Easter Egg Hunt** after school on Thursday 30th March. Families and children are encouraged to scour the school grounds looking for clues to earn a chocolate egg—more details on this will be coming home closer to the time.

The children from the school **chess club** continue to travel to play games at Sibertswold on a weekly basis. It is great to see children from the two schools competing together.

I would like to remind all parents that you should not be **parking** on the school premises at any point throughout the school day including dropping off for Breakfast Club. Also, the owner of the private road next to the school has had problems gaining access through this road of late. This is a private road and alternative parking should be found. Any cars left in this area do so at their own risk.

Thank you to those family members from **Endeavour** class who came along to the **class assembly** on Friday. Next week, (Friday 17 March) we welcome the families of the children in **Discovery Class**. The assembly will start at 9am in the school hall.

Thank you to those parents who have returned their **Parental Questionnaire** back to the school. The school values your views and it is extremely important that we canvass the opinion of all who are involved in the school. Please take a few minutes to complete the questionnaire and return it to school by the end of the week.

Voyager Class

This week in Literacy Voyager class are writing instructions. To do this they will be making sandwiches on Thursday in class. They will be using ham, butter and white bread. However, if your child is allergic to anything or is vegetarian please could you let Miss McGregor know as soon as possible so that she can make changes as needed.

Stars Of The Week:

Discovery Jenson and Joshua
Voyager Willis and Theo
Atlantis Scott
Challenger Ruby
Endeavour Katie

Team Points:

The team with the most team points this week was Neptune, it's a close race with all teams on similar scores.

Attendance

The class with the best attendance over the course of last week was Voyager with 98.46 %

Key Dates

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| Friday 17 March | Discovery Class Assembly PTA Quiz |
| Friday 24 March | Mothers Day Market |
| Thursday 30 March | Easter Egg Hunt |
| Friday 31 March | Last Day of Term 4 |
| Tuesday 18 April | First Day of Term 5 |
| <u>Monday 8th—Friday 12th May SATS Week</u> | |
| Tuesday 23 May | Parent Consultations |
| Thursday 25 May | Parent Consultations |
| Friday 26 May | Last Day of Term 5 |
| Monday 12 June | First Day of Term 6 |
| 10th—15th July | French Residential Trip |
| Thursday 20 July | Sports Day |
| Friday 21 July | Last Day of Term 6 |

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