

# 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....

Will start again this week and be collected on Friday morning.

Betteshanger:

Tilmanstone:

Snowdown:

Chislet:

## STARS OF THE WEEK....

Due to the shortness of last week, teachers didn't feel it fair to select a Star of Two Days!! We look forward to celebrating our first Stars of the Week of 2018 in Fridays assembly.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO....

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## Events Diary 2017-18

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

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Monday 8 January 2018

After our two-day warm up to the new year, we are now back in full swing and ready for the busy term ahead. All children seemed to settle well back into school life on Thursday, which was good to see.

At the end of this term we hold our second Focus Week of the academic year. This time it will focus around Science. All staff are working together to create a fun-filled week of learning for the children. In planning this, we would be grateful to discuss opportunities with any members of the community who feel they have some expertise in this area they feel would contribute to the Science activities in the final week of term. Please contact the school to discuss this further.

Children should have come home on Friday with confirmation slips regards clubs. All clubs start this week and will run until the penultimate week of term (week commencing Monday 29 January). If for some reason as club has to be cancelled we will endeavour to provide you with as much notice as possible regards this. There is still spaces in all but one of the clubs (Coding Club is now full). If you wish to enrol your child in a club then please contact the school office to do this.

This Friday is the turn once again for the children in Years 1,2 and 3 to take part in Forest School sessions with Mrs Wilkinson-Tough. Please ensure all children come to school with additional warm clothing to change into. Also coming home today is a Forest School Permission Form—please can this be completed and sent back into school before your child's next Forest School session. (Y1,2,3 this Friday and Y4,5,6 next term).

As part of our school uniform policy we expect all children to wear black school shoes on a daily basis. At present there are a few children wearing trainers regularly. Please can all parents ensure school shoes are worn as part of the uniform. Should you have any queries about this please contact the school.

On Friday 19th of this month we have a PTA Film Night. The choice of film is yet to be decided but the cost is £2.50 per child including a snack and a drink. Leaflets for this will come out later in the week.

Also later on in the month (Monday 22nd January) we hold our second community event of the academic year. This time we invite families to come along and work together on an Orienteering Challenge outside.

We are expecting the delivery of PE T-Shirts any day and will contact those parents who have paid once we are in receipt of them. For those parents still needing to purchase them please do call into the school office where you can see the T-Shirts in different sizes and place an order. Thank you again in your support with this.

A key date for your diaries during this term is the parent consultations which take place on Tuesday 6th and Thursday 8th of February after school. Timetable sheets will go out on the playground in the next couple of weeks for parents to sign up. However, if you feel these dates are not convenient for you then please contact your child's class teacher to arrange a more convenient time.

We currently have two fitness classes running a week in school. Reshape on a Thursday and Hoopshape on a Tuesday, both at 6pm. Please contact school for more details.

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