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Monday 9th December 2019

A huge thank you to everyone who came along to our Christmas Fayre after school on Friday. We are delighted to announce that £671 was raised during the afternoon! Financial support such as this is vital to the school as we continue to use it to further enhance the learning opportunities for our children. Well done, once again, to Ms Silverton who almost single handedly organised the event. There were a number of winners from the Raffle who had left before the draw was made – we look forward to making contact with you this week to tell you about your prizes.

This week our school choir is taking part in two performances in the local area. On Wednesday they will be singing carols at the resource centre during their Christmas lunch. Then, at 7pm on Friday they will be performing at the "Messy Christmas" event which takes place at the Elvington Community Centre. Parents of children in the choir should already have received letters about this – if you have not then please contact either Ms Hedges or Mr Garvey.

Rehearsals for this year's Nativity are in full flow and the children are excited at the prospect of performing this week. There will be a dress rehearsal to the school on Wednesday morning before performing to family members on Thursday morning (9.15am) and Friday afternoon (2.30pm). Thank you to those of you who have requested seats so far.

This Friday is National Christmas Jumper Day, so we ask for children to wear normal school uniform for the day with the option of swapping their normal school jumper for a Christmas one! If you wish to do this, please bring in a 50p contribution with all proceeds going towards the 'Save the Children' charity. Thank you in advance for your support with this important cause. A reminder that our school Christmas Lunch takes place on Tuesday 17th December. If you wish for your child to have a school dinner on this day please return the form which came home for this.

This afternoon (Monday 9th December), Mrs Sutcliffe is holding the second of her workshops on helping children with their reading at home. This time, we welcome any parents with children in Discovery Class (Year R). For those wishing to attend please come to the school office for 2.30pm. If you are unable to make this date or time, but would still like more information about supporting your child with their reading, please contact either Miss Gollop or Mrs Sutcliffe.

A reminder that this is our final full week at school for this term and there are no clubs until January. Next week, we have three jampacked days with the term finishing at 3.10pm on Wednesday 18th December.

On the afternoon of Monday 16th December we have the class parties taking place. Please send children to school with a contribution of food.

Eythorne Brownies currently have spaces for girls aged 7-10 years. They meet on a Monday night in Eythorne Resources Centre at 5:45pm and offer girls opportunities to try new things and discover their potential. The girls play games, get creative and have fun outside. They also go to special events and this term they are going ice skating and to the cinema. If you know someone who would like to join, please register your interest at 1^{st} www.girlguiding.org.uk/joinus, choose Eythorne Brownie Unit and someone will be in touch. You are welcome to pop in on a Monday night to try a session before registering and you can also get in touch via their Facebook page.



EYTHORNE & ELVINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

| DATES FOR | 2019/20 |
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| Mon 9 Dec | YR - Phonics Workshop – |
| | 2.30pm |
| Wed 11 Dec | Nativity Dress rehearsal |
| | Carols in resources centre |
| | 1pm |
| Thurs 12 Dec | Nativity 9.15am |
| Fri 13 Dec | Nativity 2.30pm |
| | Carols at 'Messy Christmas' |
| | event – 7pm |
| Mon 16 Dec | Class Parties |
| Tue 17 Dec | KS2 Carols to Parents in |
| W. 140 D | Church |
| Wed 18 Dec | School Carol Service in |
| W 110 D | Church |
| Wed 18 Dec | Last Day of Term Two |
| Mon 6 Jan Wed 22 Jan | Start of Term Three |
| wed 22 Jan 10-14 Feb | Discovery: Stay and Play Focus Week: Music |
| Tue 11 Feb | |
| Thur 13 Feb | Parents Evening Parents Evening |
| Fri 14 Feb | Last Day of Term Three |
| Mon 24 Feb | Start of Term Four |
| Thurs 27 Feb | School Council Voting |
| Fri 28 Feb | Atlantis Assembly |
| Thur 5 Mar | Challenger Assembly |
| Tue 10 Mar | Discovery 'Come Read |
| | With Me' |
| Fri 13 Mar | Voyager Assembly |
| Fri 20 Mar | Endeavour Assembly |
| Fri 27 Mar | Discovery Assembly |
| Wed 1 Apr | Easter Service in Church |
| | Last Day of Term Four |
| Thu 16 Apr | Start of Term 5 |
| Tue 28 Apr | Discovery Learn with Me |
| 11-15 May | KS2 SATS |
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| Thur 21 May | Parents Evening |
| | New Entrants Meeting |
| Fri 22 May | End of Term Five |
| Mon 8 June | Start of Term 6 |
| Fri 19 June | Atlantis Assembly |
| Thu 25 June | Challenger Assembly |
| Thur 2 July | Y6 Production |
| Fri 3 July | Voyager Assembly Year 6 in FRANCE |
| 6-10 July 13-17 July | Focus Week: ACTIVITIES |
| 13-17 July Wed 15 July | |
| Mon 20 July | Sports Day AM Moving Up Afternoon |
| Wed 22 July | Last Day of Term Six |
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PTA EVENTS

Disco – Friday 17 January Film Club – Wednesday 5 February Mother's Day Market – Friday 20 March Quiz Night – Friday 20 March – 7 for 7.30pm Easter Egg Hunt – Monday 30 March Disco – Friday 1 May Non – Uniform Dates for Summer Fayre: Friday 19 June – Chocolate Friday 26 June – Bottles

Uniform Prices

Sweat Shirts

Sizes 3-4 Years £8.00 7-8 Years £8.00 9-10 Years £8.00 11-12 Years £8.00 XS £8.00 Small £8.50 Medium £9.00 Large £9.00

Fleece - £13.00 sizes as above Book Bags £3.00 P E Bags £3.00 Water Bottles £1.00