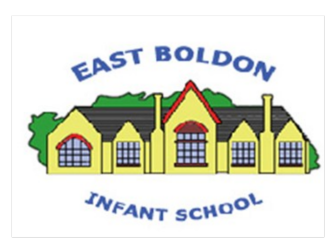


East Boldon Infant School



Newsletter

June 2026

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Well this half term is certainly action packed with lots planned in! I think we are all still recovering from our successful Ofsted Inspection before half term, but this term doesn't slow down—there is plenty to keep us busy in the coming weeks! World Cup fever is high and Miss Curry has planned in some nice activities linked to countries performing at the World Cup this year.

Year 2 visited St Mary's Lighthouse on Monday and had a fantastic time. Feedback about favourite parts of the day from the children were the rock pooling, climbing the lighthouse and trying on the old swimwear made of wool! There are some lovely pictures overleaf.

As we look ahead, our dancers will soon be performing at the Customs House on Monday evening. Their Friday night rehearsals have been going very well and I am looking forward to seeing them all shine on the stage next week!

Some of our choir members will be heading to The Gateshead International Centre for Music for the "Big Sing" which is another wonderful opportunity for our children to represent our school and participate in an event with lots of schools!

Year 1 will soon be completing their taster block ensemble sessions with Chris from Music Mates on Friday 3rd July. This is a super experience for the children to sample the violins and to listen to Chris play. For any Year 1 children who have really been interested in this, there is the opportunity for some small group tuition in school next year when they move into Year 2. Please let us know if this is something you think your child would be interested in. A letter will follow for you to express interest in the tuition.

Sports Day is scheduled for Monday 6th July, let's hope the sun keeps shining for us! We will be working in the same way as last year, with teams and accessing the Junior School field this year. Further details have been sent.

We look forward to our Year 2 Leaver's Assembly on Tuesday 16th July at 2.15pm—tissues at the ready! We hope this can be outside and would love parents/carers to join us to celebrate your child's time at our school.

I hope you will be able to join us for some of these special events across this term—it will be lovely to see you all!

Best Wishes,
Miss Holt

A few Diary Dates coming up...eek it's a busy few weeks—take a note of the dates!

- Monday 22nd June—Dance Festival at the Customs House (pm rehearsal, evening performance) - Dancers notified separately.
 - *W/B Monday 29th June—Friday 10th July—Health and Fitness Fortnight*
- Tuesday 30th June—Small group of choir children to attend the Big Sing at the Glasshouse (am)
 - Wednesday 1st July—Year 2, Class 3 to Surf School (am)
 - Thursday 2nd July—Year 2, Class 4 to Surf School (am)
 - Friday 3rd July—Cricket taster sessions all day with all classes
 - Monday 6th July—Sports Day (pm WEATHER PERMITTING!)
 - *W/B 6th July Reports out to parents this week*
 - Thursday 9th July—Year 1 attending Martial Arts tasters am/pm
- Friday 10th July—moving up day for our current Reception and Y1 children— Y2 children at the Junior school—
 - **Meeting pm for parents and collect from Juniors on this day.**
- Monday 13th July— Year 1 parents/carers to pop into school and collect workbooks 2.45 onwards (details to follow)
- Tuesday 14th July—Leaver's Concert for parents/carers of Year 2 children—2.15 in the school hall (weather permitting!) then please pop into school to collect your children's books to take home.
- Wednesday 15th July—Reception parents/carers to pop in to enjoy a little sing song and collect workbooks—2.30 onwards (details to follow)
 - Thursday 16th July—Family Picnic at East Boldon Juniors—siblings welcome to attend after school
 - **Friday 17th July—School finishes for the Summer Break—happy holidays!**
- **GOOD LUCK TO OUR YEAR 2 CHILDREN! WE WILL MISS YOU!**

Miss Holt loves a quote!

“A warm smile is the universal language of kindness”
William Arthur Ward



Football tournament champions!

A huge well done to our Year 1 and Year 2 girls who represented our school brilliantly at the Foundation of Light's tournament last Friday.. They played alongside several schools and reached the final with Bexhill where they won 2-1. They were exceptional team players and made Miss Holt and Miss Curry very proud!



Year 2 visit St Mary's Lighthouse

Year 2 had a wonderful time at St Mary's Lighthouse consolidating their work from Geography and Science. The weather was kind and stayed dry and bright all day—perfect for the rock pooling and exploring!



Reception have been learning about People who help us!

Reception have had lots of visitors over the past few weeks as they have continued their topic of People who help us! They have had visits from the Police, and the Fire Brigade, with his hearing dog Ralph as well as lots of parents talking about their jobs and how they help people too! Thank you so much—the children have really enjoyed their visits!



Phonics Breakfast Café

Thank you to all parents/carers who joined us for the phonics breakfast café. It was a lovely morning of activities and games that was supportive and fun preparation for the phonics screening check that all of our Year 1's took part in last week.

The tasty breakfast treats were also welcome to maximise the brain power! Well done!



Summer Toddler Time

If you have a child under 4, you are very welcome to join us for our Summer Toddler Time on Friday 3rd July. This will be from 9.15-10.15 in our school hall and is a lovely chance for children to play together and for parents to have a chat! Free snacks are available and a song/story time with Miss Holt at the end! If you would like to book a place please contact Mrs Elliott 0191 5367292.

TODDLER TIME

