



EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Christmas Fair

The Christmas Fair is fast approaching (7th December) and once again the school communities have donated lots of great things as prizes for the tombola. The juniors will be making the short journey over to the infants' school on the 6th December after school. It will be great to see you all there!

Parents' Events

Last week's newsletter shared the dates and times of all of the parents' events in school. Here are the ones that are due to happen next week:



The Y3 pupils in Class 9 welcome their parents/carers into school on Monday morning at 10.50am. Class 8's is on the same day at 2.20pm.

Year 5 are having a 'Viking Day' on Thursday next week. Parents/carers are invited into school at 1:15pm.



WE WANT YOU!

Year 6 are hosting their event on Friday afternoon from 2:30pm

Open the Book

Every Wednesday local clergy members deliver a religious assembly. The pupils volunteer to play the parts in the stories.



Parents' Evenings

Thank you to so many of you for your attendance at the Parents' Evenings. The overwhelming feedback suggested that parents and pupils like the new homework system, the regular newsletters and Times Tables Rockstars. We appreciate your feedback. If you have been unable to meet your child's class teacher, please get in touch.

Club of the Week

Pupils with an interest in computing have been attending Code Club on Friday lunchtimes. The first project has taught the pupils to import sprites and backgrounds and create instructions to make events happen on screen.



Stirring the Pudding

Some of our pupils made a wish and stirred the Christmas Pudding in preparation for the Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 13th December.



Christmas Parties

Year 3 and 4 are having a Christmas Party in school on the afternoon of the 19th December and Year 5 and 6 on the afternoon of the 20th December. There will be plenty of party games for the children to enjoy. School will provide a few tasty treats for the pupils too. Both events will take place within the school's usual hours.





Let's Celebrate!

Writers of the week

Year 3 – Lottie Foley and Sam Taylor

Year 4 – Louisa Gill and Louie Robson

Year 5 – Chuks Eke and William Morgan

Year 6 - George Bowen and Erin Olley

Stars of the week

Year 3 – George Boddy and Hannah Campbell

Year 4 – Eadie Burns and Auden Mackie

Year 5 – Amy Lorrison and Izzie Robison

Year 6 – Faith Lumsdon and Jack Turnbull

Head Teacher's Awards

"I can't find my work!" one child cries.

"Why isn't it working?" another asks.

Fortunately some of the Y6 pupils have been helping the pupils who attend the club each week. This week the award goes to the **Y6 Code Club Assistants**. The club couldn't happen without their help.

Ethan Bonar has written a humorous poem about East Boldon Junior School. Here's an excerpt:

An East Boldon Juniors Poem

Each day I wake up and get ready for school,
You'd think that I dread it but no mine is cool!
I have lots of friends, who I see every day,
On the field we score goals, it's footy that we play!

Lessons are great! We learn about Egyptian mummies.

Mrs Burns, she can even make maths funny!

At lunch time I'm starving but my lunch is really hot.

Mince and dumplings are my favourite with gravy on top!

Term dates for your diary

November:

27th Year 3 Parent Events
Class 9 - 10.50am - 11.50am
Class 8 - 2.20pm - 3.20pm
30th Year 5 Parent Event
from 1.15pm

December:

1st Year 6 Parent Event
(from 2.30pm)
4th - 8th Class 5 Bikeability
6th Pantomime (pm)
7th Year 4 Parent Event
(from 2.30pm)
11th - 15th Class 4 Bikeability
12th Year 3 Nativity (2pm)
14th Year 3 Nativity (5pm)
19th Christmas Party – Year 3 & 4
20th Christmas Party – Year 5 & 6
21st Church Service
School day finishes at 2.30pm

Friday 22 December

Inset Day

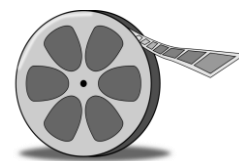
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New Term Begins

Child Safety Reminders:

Video/photo on social media

Please be aware that photographs or video taken at school events such as shows and assemblies should not be shared on social media if they contain images of children other than your own. Failure to abide by this may result in parents being asked not to take photos or video in school.



Dogs

Polite reminder - dogs should not be brought onto the school premises. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter