



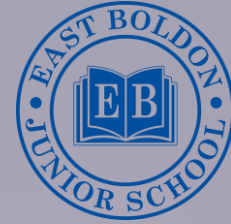
## **EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL**



'Be the best that we can be'



### **Newsletter 3 - October 2023**



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#### **The Inside Scoop**

Every year, our school community supports Hebburn Helps for our annual Harvest Festival. On Tuesday, Rev Paul and Rev Kath from St George's Church will be joining us for our assembly in school. Families are invited to bring any donations into the main hall when the children enter school on Monday or Tuesday morning. Hebburn Helps have sent us a wishlist that we have shared via ParentMail. Thanking you in advance for your help. The team from Hebburn Helps have asked me to pass on their gratitude.



#### **World Anatomy Day**

Scientists from the University of Sunderland led an assembly in school to teach our pupils about the heart and lungs as part of our World Anatomy Day celebrations.



The children measured their heart rates before and after exercise and also inflated and deflated a model set of lungs.

When asked 'Which professions need to learn about human anatomy?' the children had so many excellent answers: doctors, nurses, paramedics, surgeons, physiotherapists, artists and they added that vets would need to understand the anatomy of animals.

Science ✓ Careers ✓



#### **Y3 Parent Curriculum Event**

A huge 'THANK YOU' to the Y3 families that were able to attend their first curriculum event in the main hall. The children were able to work alongside their family members to make their own cushions. The results looked great! We couldn't have done it without you!

#### **Y5 Viking Adventure**

Year 5 had a great day at Jorvik learning about Viking life looking and being archaeologists at Dig! Please note the change of date for the Y5 Curriculum Parent Event on the next page.



#### **Safety First for Y6**

We visited South Tyneside Fire Station for a RAP event to learn about staying safe.



The children took part in various workshops including: a bike safety board game, active travel workshop, learning about steps to safety during a fire, how electricity can jump, fun facts about our new metros and how to keep safe in our waters.

#### **Enrichment Focus**

Some of our pupils have very green fingers! They love nothing more than to dig, weed, tidy, trim and grow plants. We are very grateful for their contribution to our school.





### Writers of the week

Year 3 – Amelie, Rosie, Zach & Freddie

Year 4 – Eva, India, Jacob & Connor

Year 5 – Emilia & Anna

Year 6 – Lucia, Tom, Elliott & Grace

### Stars of the week

Year 3 – Lewis, Evie, Ollie & Elijah

Year 4 – Niko, Connor, Brandon & Ellis

Year 5 – Spencer & Zac

Year 6 – Mila, Isla, Sophia & Alfie

### Head Teacher Awards

Evie (Y3), India, Josh and Matilda (Y4) have all impressed Mr Shenton recently by following our school values. Amazing!

### Term dates for your diary

Please keep an eye on this section, as we regularly add events to the calendar (**new dates in bold**).



Autumn term:

5<sup>th</sup> September – 27<sup>th</sup> October

6<sup>th</sup> November – 21<sup>st</sup> December

17 Oct: Harvest Festival Assembly

18 Oct: Flu Vaccination

20 Oct: Individual Pupil Photographs

23 & 24 Oct: Parents' Evenings

25 Oct: PTA Halloween Disco (Y3/4 3:30-4:30)

25 Oct: PTA Halloween Disco (Y5/6 5:00-6:00)

26 Oct: Y6 Curriculum Parent Event (AM)

27 Oct: Y5 Residential Parents' Event (2:45)

Half term 30<sup>th</sup> Oct - 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov

13 Nov: Anti Bullying Week

14 Nov: Y4 Fire Safety

17 Nov: Children in Need

21 Nov: Y4 Curriculum Parent Event (AM)

**28 Nov: Y5 Curriculum Parent Event (AM)**

30 Nov: Author visit

30 Nov: Y6 Fire Safety

**4 Dec: PTA Christmas Fair (Infants School)**

**12 Dec: Y6 Victoria Tunnel visit**

**13 Dec: Christmas Jumper Day**

**13 Dec: Christmas Dinner**

**14-15 Dec: Y4 Residential**

**21 Dec: Carol Service at St George's (2pm)**

### **Child Safety Reminders:**

#### **Parking**

South Tyneside Council have installed cameras on North Lane. Please do not park on the School Keep Clear road markings or beside our school gate. Keep our school a safe place. Thank you



#### **Dogs**



Unfortunately, as much as we love our four-legged friends, we do not allow dogs on site (apart from guide dogs).