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# East Haddon C. of E. Primary School

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**Our virtues are: Love, Moderation, Courage, Justice, Hope, Faith, Wisdom.**

**Newsletter week ending 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

### **Mrs Truslove writes:**

This morning Year 6 led our Easter Service in church followed by a short communion service led by Rev. Sheena Bell. Year 6 then helped to serve tea/coffee and biscuits (they ate some too!) Thanks to everyone who attended and everyone who helped to organise the service.

We know that our children behave beautifully and are a credit to themselves and their families but this week has shown me that in many ways. Chris (drumming teacher) commented on their attitude and ability –‘best school I’ve been to’. Robert (fencing teacher) is very impressed with his after school group as a teacher and a parent. The photocopier technician found me to say how amazed he was by the manners of the children compared to most schools he visits. The community dental team who cover 4 counties couldn’t believe how amazing our 5 year olds were. Then this morning Sheena expressed her admiration for the way the whole school behaved in church.

These are comments that are typical of the responses that we receive from visitors to school and when we take children out and have become the norm. However, this has reminded me how privileged we all are to have such special children in our lives and I would like to congratulate them all on another successful term – keep it up!

We close today at 3.30pm and reopen on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April at 8.55am. On behalf of myself and all the staff I wish you a happy and peaceful Easter.

### **Mrs Barnes**

Next term the topic will be Island Explorers. If anyone has any pirate books we could have, we would be very grateful. Also we need to borrow a Peter Pan DVD. Many thanks.

### **Mrs Gibbins**

Homework for the holidays is in the CGP books.

**Year 2** need to complete p24 and 25 in the workout book.

**Year 3** need to complete the next two exercises in the 10 minute workout book.

After the holiday we will be continuing our work on the Anglo Saxons and bringing the Vikings into the timeline.

### **Mrs Pickles and Mr Wilkinson**

**Reminder: Years 4/5 swimming is on the first day back!**

After the Easter break we will be working on sequences, puzzles and problems in maths.

#### **Homework this week:**

Years 4 and 5 have the usual Spelling Homework Sheet (week 23).

Year 6 have a different written task.

**Yr6:** Maths: Two reasoning papers

English: One Grammar paper

**Yr5:** Maths: 2 activities on Mathletics on problem solving.

English: 4 pages in the Grammar book on linking ideas in paragraphs. (p.26-29)

**Yr4:** Maths: 2 activities on Mathletics on problem solving.

English: 3 pages in the Grammar book on articles and determiners. (p.12/13)

### **Wacky Hair Day! Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April.**

Save the date! Help support this wacky fundraiser. Bring a bottle for the Friends' tombola – anything from wine to shower gel – and come to school sporting your wackiest hair do.

Please make sure bottles are still in date. Thanks!

### **May Day donations:**

**Luxury Hampers:** Jo Askew is putting together some luxury hampers and any donations of luxury items would be gratefully received! You can bring them in to the school office, or catch Jo direct. Thank you.

**Teddy Tombola :** Vicky Hill will be holding a Teddy Tombola again this year at May Day – Monday May 6<sup>th</sup>.....Any donations of preloved teddies would be most welcome...Vicky can collect from school, or teddies can be dropped off to 5 Tilbury Rise.



### **East Haddon Youth Club**

The waiting list is now open to Y6 pupils who would like to attend EHYC.

We meet every term time Tuesday at the Sports Pavilion, East Haddon Playing Field, from 7pm - 8:30pm. The YC is led by Jane Wade, Joanna Askew, Amanda Weller and Phil Muddiman. We have a variety of activities including games, crafts and trips throughout the year. Entry is £1 per week with the first week free and annual subs from September each year of £10. Year six are invited to join us from Tuesday 21st May when we will celebrate with our ice cream night, hosted by our young leaders.

All of our leaders are DBS checked and policies are updated on an annual basis, we are also fully insured. If you would like your young person to have a place at our YC please email [jane.wader@gmail.com](mailto:jane.wader@gmail.com) before the 30th April.

### East Haddon East Egg Hunt on Good Friday

Please remember to come and take part in the annual East Haddon Easter Egg Hunt organised by Pre-school. This fun event kicks off at 10am at the Playing Field Pavilion, finishing up at approx 1pm. Hot food – soup/bacon rolls and cake available! £3 per child.



### Help us to raise funds for our school!

The Friends of the school have launched a Local Lotto page to raise money for the school. Click on the link: <https://www.local-lotto.co.uk/support/friends-of-east-haddon-primary-school>

**10** Families supporting our local lotto so far!  
*It's a good start but we know we can do better! Please help us reach 50 supporters.*

<b>BUYING TICKETS IS SIMPLE</b> Find Friends of East Haddon Primary School at <a href="http://www.local-lotto.co.uk">www.local-lotto.co.uk</a>	<b>CHOOSE YOUR 6 NUMBERS</b> Costs <b>less</b> than the National Lottery.	<b>WIN UP TO £25000 EACH WEEK</b> <b>1 in 50</b> chance of winning a prize.	<b>SCHOOL KEEPS 40% OF SALES</b> <b>More funds = more fun stuff</b> at school!
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[www.local-lotto.co.uk](http://www.local-lotto.co.uk) • 1 lucky parent has already had a **WIN!**

### Things for recycling:

Used postage stamps – bring to office, they go to support Diabetes UK.

Batteries – box in reception

Ink cartridges – give into reception - proceeds to Cynthia Spencer

### Academic year 2018-19

TERM 4	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	25 <sup>th</sup> February 5 <sup>th</sup> April
TERM 5	Training Day Re-open May Day Close	Tuesday Wednesday Monday Friday	23 <sup>rd</sup> April 24 <sup>th</sup> April 6 <sup>th</sup> May 24 <sup>th</sup> May
TERM 6	Re-open Close	Monday Wednesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> June 24 <sup>th</sup> July

### Academic year 2019-20

TERM 1	Training Day Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> September 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 4 <sup>th</sup> September 25 <sup>th</sup> October
TERM 2	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Monday Friday	28 <sup>th</sup> October 4 <sup>th</sup> November 20 <sup>th</sup> December
TERM 3	Training Day Re-open Close	Friday Monday Friday	3 <sup>rd</sup> January 6 <sup>th</sup> January 14 <sup>th</sup> February
TERM 4	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	24 <sup>th</sup> February 3 <sup>rd</sup> April
TERM 5	Training Day Re-open May Day Close	Monday Tuesday Monday Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> April 21 <sup>st</sup> April 4 <sup>th</sup> May 22 <sup>nd</sup> May
TERM 6	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	1 <sup>st</sup> June 17 <sup>th</sup> July

