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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 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019

## Mrs Truslove writes:

### Governors' update:

Before Christmas we set the date of 06/02/19 for our 'Big Ideas' evening, to which all parents and carers were invited - with the aim of providing information for you on the strategy for this school year, to gather your ideas on what the school should continue doing and any ideas for change. Having given this some further thought, and with the aim of enabling as many people as possible to attend and contribute ideas, we have moved the date of this event, and it will now take place alongside parents' evening on 27/02/19. Apologies for the inconvenience of moving the date, hopefully parents' evening is a date that you already have in your diaries. We will share further information shortly about the format of the evening.

Please see the advert below which has been placed in the Village Newsletter:

## EXCITING OPPORTUNITY TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE ONGOING SUCCESS OF EAST HADDON VILLAGE SCHOOL

The governing body of East Haddon primary is seeking new governors. The governors work together with the head teacher and her team to ensure that the school complies with its legal responsibilities and builds a strong and happy school community. We are an OFSTED outstanding school and work hard to maintain the highest standards for our pupils. We cannot do this without a strong team of governors. If you think you might like to consider joining the governing body we would love to hear from you and we would be delighted to discuss the role in more detail.

Having reviewed the skills on our current governing body, we are seeking individuals with experience in:

- Leading and chairing groups or organisations
- Premises and health and safety
- Finance

We are very open-minded about who might take on this role - it's essential that you have time and energy, but experience of an educational setting is not necessarily required, provided you have a good set of transferable skills. We look forward to hearing from you. If you are interested please contact Sally Tilt or Claire Truslove in the first instance. Thank you.

If you think you know anyone who fits the bill please point them in our direction! These vacancies are open to all members of the community, not necessarily parents.

#### Mrs Barnes

In maths, year 1 will learn number and place value, mental multiplication and division. Reception will explore lengths, heights and weights, learning to compare each of these, using direct comparison. In English we will continue reading from Jack and the Beanstalk concentrating on describing the characters from the story.

#### Mrs Gibbins

In maths next week we will be looking at time, place value and the < and > signs.

Homework is in the blue books.

Thank you for all of our Pompeii related resources. It really is helping inspire the children's writing.

#### Mrs Pickles and Mr Wilkinson

Next week in maths we will be continuing to look at angles.

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

We are back to the usual spelling homework sheet.

**Yr6:** Maths: 2 pages in the CGP book on angles (p.64-65)

English: 4 pages in the Grammar book on commas. (p.40-43)

**Yr5:** Maths: 3 activities on Mathematics on angles.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on commas. (p.40,41)

**Yr4:** Maths: 2 activities on Mathematics on angles.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on commas. (p.42,43)

**East Haddon Quiz Night – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February – Doors open 7.30 pm – Quiz starts 8pm**

Just a reminder for all those coming to the quiz this evening - don't forget your own pens, cutlery, plates, glasses and condiments as well as any drink or nibbles you fancy.

Happy Quizzing!

**Old School Disco, East Haddon School – Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February**

Why not come along and have fun supporting the Friends' 'old school' disco?

- 7.30 pm til late
- cash bar

Tickets £5 – in advance – available from the school office or Sarah Springett, 07818 405272



**Help us to raise funds for our playground!**

The Friends of the school have launched a Local Lotto page to raise money to resurface the outdoor area. We need to raise £25,000 so please head over to the website and take a look. Click on the link: <https://www.local-lotto.co.uk/support/friends-of-east-haddon-primary-school>

A promotional graphic for the school's Local Lotto page. It features a blue background with a white rocket ship launching from the bottom right. The rocket is blue with a white stripe and a white circular window. The text 'We've launched!' is written in a large, bold, blue font at the top left. Below it, the text 'Our school Local Lotto page is LIVE! Win up to £25k every week while helping raise funds to resurface the outdoor area.' is written in a smaller, blue font. The graphic is divided into four numbered steps, each with a colored circle containing a number: 1 (pink), 2 (yellow), 3 (blue), and 4 (orange). Step 1: 'BUYING TICKETS IS SIMPLE' with subtext 'Search for Friends of East Haddon Primary School at www.local-lotto.co.uk'. Step 2: 'CHOOSE YOUR 6 NUMBERS' with subtext 'Tickets cost £1 a week, that's less than the National Lottery.' Step 3: 'WIN UP TO £25000 EACH WEEK' with subtext 'Every ticket has a 1 in 50 chance of winning a prize.' Step 4: 'SCHOOL GETS 40% OF SALES' with subtext '40% of the ticket price goes directly to the school charity.' At the bottom, the URL 'https://www.local-lotto.co.uk/support/friends-of-east-haddon-primary-school' is provided.

**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 3	Training Day	Thursday	3 <sup>rd</sup> January
	Training Day	Friday	4 <sup>th</sup> January
	Re-open	Monday	7 <sup>th</sup> January
	Close	Friday	15 <sup>th</sup> February
TERM 4	Re-open	Monday	25 <sup>th</sup> February
	Close	Friday	5 <sup>th</sup> April
TERM 5	Training Day	Tuesday	23 <sup>rd</sup> April
	Re-open	Wednesday	24 <sup>th</sup> April
	May Day	Monday	6 <sup>th</sup> May
	Close	Friday	24 <sup>th</sup> May
TERM 6	Re-open	Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup> June
	Close	Wednesday	24 <sup>th</sup> July

### Academic year 2019-20

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

