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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 8<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

## **Mrs Truslove writes:**

It was lovely to see everyone dressed up yesterday for World Book Day and we enjoyed finding out about our characters and sharing stories. Thank you to Fantastic Mr Fox for coming into school and reading to Mrs Barnes' and Mrs Gibbins' classes – they thoroughly enjoyed it. Keep your eyes on the newsletter for future reading requests.

Next Friday is Red Nose Day and we are inviting the children (and adults if you wish) to wear their Fancy Pants on the outside (please wear normal pants in the normal way too!). In exchange we would ask for a £1 donation for the event.

## **Mrs Barnes**

All children will have words to learn for the assembly on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Please practise with your child during the weekend so we can be ready for rehearsals on Monday morning. They need their words with them all week. The children can dress up on the day in a castle themed costume if they have one. It is not compulsory.

**Pre-school children are very welcome to attend this assembly but we would ask that you sit near the door and take them out if they are noisy as we do not wish to spoil the experience for other parents and the children. Thank you for your support in this.**

In maths, Year 1 will be looking at measurement. Reception will be looking at place value.

## **Mrs Gibbins**

In maths next week we will be looking at time. Homework is in the blue book.

Please could you send your child in with a cereal box, this is for our DT work. We will be designing a suitable Easter egg carrier. Thank you.

## **Mrs Pickles and Mr Wilkinson**

Next week in maths we will be moving onto time; please ask your children the time and ask them to answer in 2 ways, e.g.: 2:40 or twenty to three.

### **Homework this week:**

Years 4 and 5 have the usual Spelling Homework Sheet (week 19).

Year 6 have a different written task.

**Yr6:** Maths: 4 pages in the CGP Stretch book (p.2-5) some will have a photocopied sheet.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Standard English. (p.34/35)

**Yr5:** Maths: A maths sheet on a range of topics.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on comma practice. (p.50/51)

**Yr4:** Maths: A maths sheet on a range of topics.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on tenses. (p.28/29)

### **Congratulations**

Nye has achieved his Brown-White-White belt in Karate/Mixed Martial Arts. Congratulations! Nye also attended the Junior Brass 2-day residential course on cornet and will be performing at the Brass Spectacular on 31<sup>st</sup> March. Well done Nye.

**Jack, at the age of 7, has been selected and has been offered a Music Scholarship and Choristership to start from the minimum age 9 (Year 4) at Christ Church Oxford Cathedral School.**

The original purpose of Christ Church Cathedral School in Oxford, at its foundation in 1546 by Henry VIII, was to provide world-famous Choristers for the building that is both chapel of Christ Church and Cathedral of Oxford. Today, the school maintains that tradition of carefully selecting and educating only 16 Oxford Cathedral Choristers who become the most celebrated and admired choristers globally. The school proudly celebrates it has also educated 13 prime ministers throughout the years. The school is within the Christ Church Oxford College itself, and only the 16 Chorister boys board inside it.

The auditions process to be selected as a Chorister is long and demanding, involving several voice and piano auditions, including live performances at the Cathedral in front of a large number of visitors/tourists. Those that succeed “must display powers of dedication, concentration and maturity in addition to possessing musical talent”.

Until then, Jack will continue to be a Chorister at All Saints (Northampton) and his next performance will be at the Derngate Theatre on Tuesday 19th March. Jack will be singing under the direction of conductor Charles MacDougall as the finale to the concert. Tickets can be purchased at the theatre booking office or online.

Congratulations to Jack!



### **Family Service in St Mary's Church**

The date of the monthly family services in St Mary's Church east Haddon has been changed to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at 11am. The next service is this Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March. All welcome to this lovely family friendly service followed by refreshments.

## School Disco, Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March, 6.30 – 8 pm

Entrance Fee £2/child.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD COMES WITH THEIR WATER BOTTLE. We will give each child one cup of squash only. Water will be available but sending your child with a water bottle will help to cut down on the amount of washing up!

A few reminders so we keep everyone safe please:

Parents of Reception children: School discos are always a lot of fun but can be overwhelming for younger children. We ask that each Reception child be accompanied by an adult.

All children to be dropped off via the main reception door. Please make sure they have been signed in before you leave and tell us who will be collecting them.

Collection from main reception. Children will be handed over to the named person. Please do not take them home until they have been signed out.

We will give children a small bag of sweets, a packet of crisps and one cup of squash or water. Please let us know if you do not want your children to have these.

### Reminders to children:

No mobile phones at the disco please

No tag, chase or running games

No congregating in the toilets!

### Reminder to parents:

No mobile phones at the disco

Entrance for pupils of East Haddon school and last year's Year 6 only

Thanks, Friends of East Haddon School

## Year 3 Cake Sale

Just to say a massive thank you for everyone who donated money during the Year 3 cake sale. We raised £110.80 which will go to The Lewis Foundation.

This combined with the money raised at the Zumbathon means that The Lewis Foundation will receive approximately £1,700 (donations still being collected) which will mean over 300 gift packs will be provided to cancer patients.

Thank you so much to everyone.

If you wanted to donate you can still do so by visiting my Just Giving page :

<https://www.justgiving.com/McDonald-Caroline>

Many Thanks

Caroline McDonald



## Online Silent Auction

We are raising funds to develop and enhance our wonderful village pre-school, to ensure it continues to stimulate, teach and entertain the small people of our community. It's only through fundraising that we can continue to provide our services to the village, so please dig deep and help us in any way you can! All you need to do is visit our auction website, browse the lots and place a bid! There's a great variety of lots so there's something for everybody!

<https://www.32auctions.com/ehps>

**Bidding starts: 9:00am Mon 4<sup>th</sup> March**

**Bidding ends: 4:00pm Fri 8<sup>th</sup> March**



Enjoy browsing, happy bidding and GOOD LUCK!  
Thank you for your support from all at EHPS.

### [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.*

## **BUYING TICKETS IS SIMPLE**

Find Friends of East Haddon Primary School at [www.local-lotto.co.uk](http://www.local-lotto.co.uk)

## **CHOOSE YOUR 6 NUMBERS**

Costs **less** than the National Lottery.

## **WIN UP TO £25000 EACH WEEK**

**1 in 50** chance of winning a prize.

## **SCHOOL KEEPS 40% OF SALES**

**More funds = more fun stuff** at school!

[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	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

