

# Eyam C E Primary School

## Fortnightly Newsletter

Term 5 Issue 2

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024

Week beginning 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
Mon 06	Bank Holiday School closed
Tue 07	Voice and Choir PE Owls & Squirrels - please wear PE kit. Y2 Farm Visit
Wed 08	Woodwind and Piano Wake & Shake Y2-Y6 please wear trainers. PE Owls – please wear PE kit. PE Hedgehogs (Y1 & 2) – please wear PE kit. 3.15 Recycled uniform stall
Thu 09	Violin am. Guitar pm Wider Opps – violin Owls H'hogs walk and picnic. Y5/6 Cricket at HVC Governing Body Meeting
Fri 10	Choir Family Signing 1/8

Week beginning 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
SATs week	
Mon 13	Piano, Brass and Guitar PE Squirrels – please wear PE kit
Tue 14	Voice and Choir PE Owls & Squirrels - please wear PE kit.
Wed 15	Woodwind tbc 3.15pm R & Y1 cake sale
Thu 16	Violin am. Wider Opps – violin Owls R & Y1 Balance Festival at Bamford Owls Forest School 1/3 Music for the Mind (3 x Y5/6)
Fri 17	Buxton SDM Festival Family Signing 2/8

GOOD LUCK TO Y6 FOR SATs



**Lea Green** - Owls had a wonderful day this week and it was even sunny!



### Cricket

A big thanks to Hathersage Cricket club who came to lead the All-stars morning at school - everyone had a go and there are some very promising players amongst the children. Please see the upcoming events being run in the local area emailed to you separately.



Welcome to your new Parent Governor - thank you to Pippa Lord for volunteering to join our supportive and hard-working Governor team. The Governors would also like to announce that Clare Harley will be your new Chair of Governors. Claire Walsh will continue to be on the Board but not as Chair. The team would like to thank Claire for her hard work in bringing the meetings right up to date with the shared online drive as well working with Mrs Gilbertson to ensure both Safeguarding and support for SEND remain at the top of the agenda for both Governors and staff.



**PTFA minutes will be emailed next week.**  
**Next meeting Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 7.30pm venue tbc**

**Easyfundraising** – Please sign up at and choose Eyam School PTA Derbyshire and support us when shopping online.  
<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>

**Welcome to the new PTFA Committee** team who held their first meeting this week. They have kindly agreed to part fund the new Interactive screen in Owls, the new shade for the Infants and new basketball stands as well as another football goal and balls for the field. We are pleased that both the ball skills club, climbing and netball clubs are proving popular - and keeping the children fit too! Multi skills club will continue in the Autumn Term.

**Car wash date** for ANYONE to bring their car to school for a spruce up. We hope to raise funds on **June 6<sup>th</sup>** that will help to pay for the leavers' hoodies. Y6 will be ready and waiting from 1.00pm and the yard will be open so please **DO** bring your car along if you can. Please add the date to your diary!



As we approach the Olympics there will be an opportunity to take part in making a 'Path to Paris' through a range of healthy events starting with the Infant walk next week - look out for more info in the next Newsletter.

**KS2** had a fun afternoon taking part in the **Orienteering** competition at HVC - a good opportunity to visit the school and to work as a team. Everyone finished in good time and for many this was also a map reading challenge.



Our winning pair  
were Effie and Dylan  
– they came tenth  
out of over 70 pairs,  
closely followed by  
Eleanor & Kyle and  
Ben & Gus.



We are planning a **BIG WALK** for all KS2 - Y3/4/5/6 on May 24<sup>th</sup> - taking the train from Grindleford to Edale and then a big trek over the 'mountain' to Castleton. We will be asking for parental pick up at 2.45pm from the car park so please do look in your diary to see if you can help.

## Diary Dates

20.05.24 – Walk to School Week  
21.05.24 – Squirrels trip to London  
23.05.24 – Whole School photo  
23.05.24 – Owls Forest School 2/3  
23.05.24 – Bikeability Y6  
24.05.24 – Big Walk Y3-6  
03.06.24 – Inset Day (school closed to pupils)  
04.06.24 – Meeting for parents of new Reception 5.30pm  
05.06.24 – Fire & Rescue Presentation Y1/2 & Y5/6  
06.06.24 – Owls Forest School 3/3  
07.06.24 – Bikeability Y6  
11.06.24 – Teddy Bear Club 1/5  
13.06.24 – KS1 sports at HVC  
13.06.24 – Squirrels Forest School 1/3  
13.06.24 – PTFA meeting venue tbc  
14.06.24 – Owls cake sale  
18.06.24 – KS2 visit to Eyam Museum tbc.  
18.06.24 – Teddy Bear Club 2/5  
19.06.24 – Y5 STEM activity day at HVC  
19.06.24 – Grass track cycling at Whitworth Park (6xY6)  
20.06.24 – Music for the Mind (3xY5/6)  
21.06.24 – LMS transition day  
25.06.24 – RE pupils' day Y5  
25.06.24 – Teddy Bear Club 3/5  
27.06.24 – Squirrels Forest School 2/3  
02.07.24 – Teddy Bear Club 4/5  
03.07.24 – Y3/4 Tennis at Bamford  
04.07.24 – LMS taster day  
05.07.24 – Y6 Bikeability  
05.07.24 – Squirrels Cake Sale  
09.07.24 – Teddy Bear Club 5/5  
11.07.24 – Squirrels Forest School 3/3  
17.07.24 – Squirrel class show 2pm & 6pm  
18.07.24 – Big Swim  
19.07.24 – Leavers' Service 9am  
23.07.24 – Break up.



Now the weather is becoming warmer and the sun is shining please send children to school with a named sun hat/cap.

Please apply sun cream before school as necessary, remember to send their water bottle every day along with a coat/jacket to stay dry when out in the rain.

Summer uniform may be worn as soon as children wish.

If having a sort-out of outgrown uniform, please send items into school ready for the recycled uniform stall which will be on the yard on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May at 3.15pm.

Please remember to let us know if your child is going home with another family at the end of the day.



**Y2 Bake Sale** – raised £33.00, Thank you to everyone who baked, bought and helped sell.

## Toy Cupboard

The bats, balls and toys in the cupboard on the yard are for use by the children at break time during the school day.  
Please don't use them at the end of the day.

**Thank you** to those who were involved in the Eyam Spring Fete & Car Show - the children really enjoyed the games and the car show - the field looked so summery despite the drizzle. Special thanks to Alan for the organisation AND for putting together the time capsule.... it will be fascinating in 30 years to see how village life has changed.

We are looking for someone to lead After School Club on a Monday, to start as soon as possible – if you are interested or know anyone who might be please speak to Mrs Gilbertson or Mrs Mason.

Teaching & Learning Assistant required from September.

[Teaching & Learning Assistant \(derbyshire.gov.uk\)](https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk)

*Letters and consents to look out for next week.*

R & Y1 cake sale slip  
R & Y1 Balance Festival  
Y3/4 Forest School  
Y5/6 London Trip  
Y6 Bikeability  
Y3/4/5/6 Big Walk