

# Eyam C E Primary School Newsletter Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024



Week beginning 4 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	
Mon 04	Inset day school closed to pupils. Multisports Club MUGA 6/8.
Tue 05	Voice and Choir PE Owls & Squirrels PE – wear PE kit. 2.50pm Hedgehog class shared reading
Wed 06	Woodwind Wednesday wellbeing run/walk Y3-6 wear trainers, bring shoes and spare socks. PE for R, Y1 & Y2 please wear PE kit. 3.15-4.00pm Netball Club for Y4/5/6.
Thu 07	Violin and Guitar PE Y3/4 & Y5/6 – please wear PE kit
Fri 08	Hedgehogs Forest School 1/3 Signing



Making lanterns for bonfire night.

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>  
November**



## Bonfire Night

Week beginning 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 Walk to School Week National School Meals Week	
Mon 11	Piano and Brass 3.30-4.30pm Multisports Club MUGA 7/8.
Tue 12	Voice and Choir PE Owls & Squirrels PE – please wear PE kit. 2.50pm Hedgehog class shared reading.
Wed 13	Woodwind PE for R, Y1 & Y2 please wear PE kit. 3.15-4.00pm Netball Club for Y4/5/6 PTFA meeting
Thu 14	Violin and Guitar Hedgehogs Forest School 2/3 PE Y3/4 & Y5/6 – please wear PE kit
Fri 15	

### Celebration Worship

Parents were welcomed as part of our celebration of good work over the half term. Wow what a lot of great learning was on display and so many children were able to share their wonderful work on the rainforest. Thank you for joining us and congratulating the children in reception for their first term of school!



Hedgehogs exploring colour mixing



Owls get creative in the forest.

## Reminder

**The deadline for applications is midnight on 31 October 2024.**

[How to apply for a secondary school place - Derbyshire County Council](#)

Get your application in on time. If you miss the deadline your application will not be considered until the ones that were received on time have been dealt with.



### iVengers

The group welcomed two new members and have been working hard to review what they know about taking selfies and pictures of family and friends as well as how they should be shared. There was a lively discussion and some thoughtful responses too. Well done to our online Superheroes for taking a lead in online safety!

**School Council** have been busy too deciding on which charities to support as well as agreeing on their actions for the months ahead: full of ideas the new School Council group led a class review of what they would like to work on first.

Chris Burge visited this week and led a brass performance in order that all KS2 (Y3-6) could see which brass instruments were on offer for lessons. Group sessions are much less than individual sessions and those in receipt of pupil premium funding also can receive a discount, please pop into the office if you are interested in learning, also see the letter from Chris emailed with this newsletter.



### Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

The boxes of poppies and additional items (with suggested donation amounts) will be available at drop-off from Tue 5<sup>th</sup> – Fri 8<sup>th</sup> November.



### A little bit of history.

This lovely Derby mug was found by someone in a local Charity Shop in Yarm, North Yorkshire. They very kindly posted it to us. We estimate around 100-120 were made 47 years ago!

Hopefully there are still a few out there, we wonder how far from Eyam they've travelled.



### Christmas Box Appeal

Eyam Church are running a community event during half-term (30.10.24) to fill Christmas Boxes for children and young people in Southeastern Europe. Please see the information emailed with this newsletter.

**Please don't park on the corner across from School or on the junction at the bottom of Glebe Park. We have put the signs out again as a reminder. Inconsiderate and double parking is causing concern from other road users and pedestrians. We want everyone to be safe coming to and leaving school. The surgery car park should not be used either. Thank you for your understanding.**



Next PTFA meeting – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm – venue tbc. All Welcome.

## Eyam PTFA Bonfire and Firework Display Saturday 9th November 2024

#BURNtheRAT 🐭💧🔥

Eyam Primary School children have been busy making this year's giant willow rat and it is well underway, it is coming along wonderfully and looks like it's going to be a big one! From 5.30pm the entertainment starts in the village square. At 6.15pm the torch lit procession leads the Eyam Rat through the village, a fantastic way to kick off the night before the bonfire and fireworks.

All funds raised go to Eyam Primary School and the local community so please come along and support us! Tickets on sale NOW from Eyam Stores, Eyam Fruit & Veggies Shop, The Miners Arms, Bloom Bar & Grill and Calver Spar.

Adults £9, Children £4, Free for Under 2s



### Diary Dates

- 18.11.24 – Multisports Club on the MUGA 8/8
- 19.11.24 – Governing Body Meeting
- 20.11.24 – KS2 Stem Day in school – Gliders
- 21.11.24 – Forest School Hedgehogs 3/3
- 22.11.24 – Open Day 9.30am & 11am for new starters Sept 2025 and anyone moving in-year.
- 22.11.24 – Signing
- 28.11.24 – Owls cake sale
- 06.12.24 – Decoration Day
- 06.12.24 – Signing
- 10.12.24 – School Meals Christmas Dinner
- 12.12.24 – KS1 Dance Festival at HVC
- 12.12.24 – Music for the Mind (some Y5/6)
- 16.12.24 – Concert (choir & anyone who plays a musical instrument)
- 17.12.24 – Hedgehogs Nativity 2.15pm & 6.00pm
- 18.12.24 – Soup and a Chat (Squirrels)
- 19.12.24 – School Meals Party Lunch

20.12.24 – Break-up for Christmas

06.01.25 – Inset Day  
School closed to pupils

07.01.25 – School re-opens