## ECCLESTON LANE ENDS

## *‘Working with each other and for each other’*



## Diary Dates… March/April 2020

 ***Enjoy the newsletter-Mrs Gowan and the E.L.E. Team***

# Latest News

Newsletter

November/December

2019-20

## Coronavirus

Four simple words…

**KEEP WASHING YOUR HANDS**

At the time of writing this newsletter, advice is to keep schools open. We will continue to follow Public Health England advice in managing coronavirus as effectively as we possibly can. We are advised that good hygiene is still the most effective method of managing the spread of the virus. Children, staff and visitors should not come to school if they have a temperature and/or a new persistent cough. They must stay away from school and self-isolate for 7 days. If advice changes we will keep you as up to date as possible. We are thinking carefully about some of our school activities and making minor but hopefully effective amendments such as no assemblies and eating outside when possible.

## Year 6 Cinema Visit

Year 6 enjoyed a schools’ screening of The Addams Family on 8th November at Cheshire Oaks.

The PTA brought the cinema experience to ELE earlier this month with both Infants and KS2 enjoying popcorn and other treats whist watching a movie!

## Year 2 LFC Academy

We are delighted that our Year 2 children became St Helens’ schools football champions on Monday 9th March. We are very proud of the fantastic team work! The team only conceded one goal throughout the whole tournament. They won their first game 11-0. Well done to ………………

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## OFSTED says…

## Eccleston Lane Ends is OUTSTANDING in all areas

## Spring 2 VALUE is…

KINDNESS

## Summer 1 VALUE is…

INCLUSION

## Spring 2 COMPOSER is…

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## Summer 1 COMPOSER is…

HANDEL

## School improvement focus is…

READING

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| Tues 17.03 | 8am Football Club Y2 and Y33.15-4.15pm Booster classes Y6 | Mon 30.03 | 8am Football Club YR, Y13.15-4.15pm Archery Club KS2 |
| Wed 18.03 | 8am Dodgeball Club Y4,5,63.15-4.15pm Dodgeball Club Y1, 2 3 | Tues 31.03 | 8am Football Club Y2 and Y33.15-4.15pm Booster classes Y6PTA Easter Bingo cancelledNo Y6 Boosters today |
| Thurs 19.03 | 8am Multi-sports Club YR,1,23.15-4.15pm Benchball Club Y3,4,5,6Y5 London talk for parents 3.15pm | Wed 1.04 | Y5 London residential8am Dodgeball Club Y4,5,63.15-4.15pm Dodgeball Club Y1, 2 3PTA 6.30pm |
| Fri 20.03 | KS2 New Age Kurling competition pmShush! PTA Mothers’ Day treat for £3. Bring money on the day.3.15-4.15pm S4YC Y1,2,3,4 | Thurs 2.04 | 8am Multi-sports Club YR,1,23.15-4.15pm Benchball Club Y3,4,5,6 |
| Mon 23.03 | 8am Football Club YR, Y1Greek Mythology workshop Y43.15-4.15pm Archery Club KS2 | Fri 3.04 | Easter egg raffle draw3.15-4.15pm S4YC Y1,2,3,4School closes at 3.15pm for Easter break ASC open as usualHAPPY EASTER everyone! |
| Tues 24.03 | 8am Football Club Y2 and Y33.15-4.15pm Booster classes Y6 | Mon 20.04 | School opens for Summer 1 Term3.15-4.15pm Archery Club Y1,2 |
| Wed 25.03 | 8am Dodgeball Club Y4,5,6Experience Easter workshops at St James Church Y3,4,5Real History workshop Y2 The Queen3.15-4.15pm Dodgeball Club Y1, 2 3 | Tues 21.04 | 3.15-4.15pm Booster classes Y63.15-3.45pm School Library open to take books |
| Thurs 26.03 | 8am Multi-sports Club YR,1,2Experience Easter workshops at St James Church Y63.15-4.15pm Benchball Club Y3,4,5,6 | Wed 22.04 | Earth Day (end plastic pollution) |
| Fri 27.03 | Foodbank donations from Y4 pleaseTalent assembly postponedDodgeball competition Y5/63.15-4.15pm S4YC Y1,2,3,4 | Thurs 23.04 | St George’s DayPE Kit Challenge winners from Spring 2 to wear clothes of choice |

##   Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day

![blockpage[1]]()**Great Fire of London**

Year 2 enjoyed a fabulous workshop from the Living History Company recently. They are doing lots of exciting activities to keep history alive in their class.

## Times Tables Rockstars

The competition appears to have grown and continues to get great results. Keep up the hard work everyone- it is having a positive impact.

## Year 5 Crucial Crew

Year 5 enjoyed workshops from our emergency services earlier this month known as Crucial Crew. Important safety messages should have a good effect on health, safety and wellbeing.

## Velocity

Thank you to the PTA for organising the ELE Big Bounce. It was a new venture and a very successful activity. Hopefully everyone had lots of jumping fun!

## Starbooks

The children are telling us that the hot chocolate incentive to read more in KS2 is working. Obviously we want all children to love books and read for absolute pleasure-but the chocolate treat seems to hit the spot!

Keep **READING** preferably every day please as this is our whole school area for improvement this year.![C:\Users\carol.gowan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\NRBXOFOS\starbucks_iced_mocha_by_chris11art[1].gif]()![C:\Users\carol.gowan\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\N4QR7SC6\starbucks_iced_mocha_by_chris11art[1].gif]() We are launching another reading incentive to the Infants in the New Year.

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## PTA Monthly Draw

Congratulations toEmily Gibson in YR who won £25 in the PTA October draw. Congratulations to Carter Kellegher also in YR who won November’s draw.

## Spelling Bee

The KS2 termly Spelling Bee took place in November. Well done to everyone who tried hard and entered the competition. Congratulations to the winners as follows:

**Year 3**: Emily Johnson

**Year 4**: Niamh Whittaker

**Year 5:** Alex Simms

**Year 6**: Oliver Johnson

**Overall KS2 spelling winner:** Oliver Johnson

## Arithmetic Ace

The KS2 termly Arithmetic Ace also took place in November. Congratulations mathemagicians!

**Year 3:** Jack Desmond

**Year 4**: Emily Ward

**Year 5**: Isabelle Waite

**Year 6**: Daniel Burdin

**Overall KS2 Arithmetic Ace**: Emily Ward

## Children In Need

The School Council thought of this year’s theme of going spotty or dressing as a superhero. There was also a competition to design a superhero outfit for Pudsey. Thank you for your generous donations. We were able to send £337.66 to this worthwhile charity.



We wore our Christmas jumpers with pride and raised £160.30 for Save

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## Anti-Bullying

Thank you for encouraging the children to wear odd socks on Tuesday 12th November. This is to raise awareness about bullying. Bullying in any form should be stamped out. We are committed to teaching our pupils about friendships, diversity, positive relationships, respect and tolerance. Bullying at ELE will not be tolerated. TELL, TELL, TELL is the BIG message. We promise to deal with any form of bullying at our school so everyone can continue to feel safe and happy.



## NHS Help!

Look out for this booklet in children’s bags. It explains how we can all keep our NHS working effectively in winter by making the right choices when feeling ill.



## Social Media

Social media is a powerful and wonderful communication tool if used well. Please be reminded however that any discussions around school should be respectful. Any negative comments about staff, pupils and school can be hurtful and have a negative effect. Thank you for using appropriately!

##  Latest News…

**Grade Level News**

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