

# Elvington C of E Primary School Newsletter

## 8th April 2022



**Hope**  
Our Christian value for this  
half term.



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### Happy Easter

On behalf of all the staff at Elvington, I would like to take this opportunity to wish all the children, parents and carers a happy Easter! There have been some wonderful Easter activities taking place at both the Church and at school this week.

I was very impressed by the standard and variety of decorated eggs on show today. The children came up with some great ideas and really enjoyed this art and design task.

We look forward to a successful summer term when the children return on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April.





## Assessment Dates 2022

Please see the information right; if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch...

Date	Activity
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	English reading
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Mathematics papers 1 and 2
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Mathematics paper 3



## Key Stage One SATs (Year 2)

During week commencing Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022, children in Year 2 will complete assessments in the following:

- Reading
- English grammar, punctuation and spelling
- Maths

Unlike the KS2 SATs, these tests are not strictly timed as the ability to work at speed is not assessed.

Teachers will have the option to stop the test at any point that they feel is appropriate for a particular child.

The results are used by teachers and schools as a way to check against national averages, measuring what has been understood and retained by each child.

## Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

In June 2022, the new Year 4 multiplication tables check will become statutory. The check will be administered within the 3-week period from Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

The multiplication tables check is an online test for pupils in Year 4. Pupils are asked to answer 25 questions on times tables from two to 12. They are given six seconds per question, with three seconds rest between each question, so the test should last less than five minutes.

Questions about the six, seven, eight, nine, and 12 times tables are likely to come up most often, as these are the hardest for most children to learn. It's a good idea to focus on these tricky times tables with your child.

## Phonics Screening Check

The '2022 Phonics Screening Check' will be taken by all state run primary schools in England in the week commencing Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

The check (otherwise known as the "Year 1 Phonics Screening" or "Phonics Test") is a short phonics assessment initially for children in Year 1. If however, a child does not obtain the expected score of

32 out of 40 (previous academic year expected score), they will be required to take the assessment again as a Year 2.

More information and support materials can be found at:

[www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/article/phonics-screening-check](http://www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/article/phonics-screening-check)

Yours sincerely,



Mr. Andrew Buttery

*"I have come in order that you may have life – life in all its fullness." John 10:10*



## Brownlee Trust Triathlon

KS2 children have the opportunity to take part in the Brownlee Trust Triathlon at York Sport, May 18<sup>th</sup> 9 am-12 pm. This exciting event will involve a bike, swim and run. This will be a parent accompanied event, with an expectation that the parent assumes responsibility for transporting & supervising their child. More details to follow in due course.





## RECYCLING FACTS

Used aluminium drink cans can be recycled and back on supermarket shelves as new drink cans in as little as 60 days.

Making one aluminium drink can from raw materials uses the same amount of energy that it takes to recycle 20.



Please help by reducing the amount of single use plastic/cling film/plastic bags in your child's packed lunch.



- Spring 2:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February – Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April
- Summer 1:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May
- Summer 2:** Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July

### 2021-2022 Training Days and Bank Holiday Closures

- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2022
- Early May Bank Holiday Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022
- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022 Additional Bank Holiday (Platinum Jubilee of the reign of Queen Elizabeth II)
- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2022



### Menu - WC 04/04/2022 Week 1 (Right)

The 3 week cycle of menus will be added to the website as soon as possible.

## After School Clubs

There are still places left at some clubs next term. Please note Science Club has moved from Thursday to Monday.

Monday	Mrs Granger	Times Table Club <b>Year 4</b> 12.30 pm – 1 pm
Monday	Mrs Haffey	Rounders <b>Key Stage 2</b> 3.15 pm – 4.15 pm (Term 1 only)
Monday	Mrs Marjoram	Science Club – 3.15 pm – 4.15 pm <b>Key Stage 2</b>
Tuesday	Mr Buttery	Run a mile Club – <b>All welcome</b> 8.30 am – 8.45 am
Tuesday	Mr Knowles	Chess Club - <b>Key Stage 2</b> 12.15 pm – 1.30 pm
Tuesday	Mr Wilson	Athletics – <b>Key Stage 2</b> 3.15 pm – 4.15 pm
Wednesday	Hayley Patrick	Dance Club – Please contact Hayley directly <b>Key Stage 1 &amp; 2</b>
Thursday	Mr Buttery	Run a mile Club – All welcome 8.30 am – 8.45 am
Thursday	Miss Rushmer	Construction Club – 12.30-1.00 pm <b>Year 2 &amp; 3</b>
Thursday	Mr Buttery	Revision Club – 3.15 pm – 4.15 pm <b>Year 6 only</b>

Clubs commence Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May and will run until weekending Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May. Some of these clubs may continue in the second summer term, more information will follow in due course.

Chess Club is dependent on numbers and will go ahead if there is enough interest. All interested parties will be updated as soon as possible after speaking to Mr Knowles.

Dance class is bookable directly with Haley [admin@evolutiondance.net](mailto:admin@evolutiondance.net).

## New Menu

WEEK 1	MONDAY <small>PEAT FREE</small>	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>MAIN DISH</b>	Macaroni Cheese with garlic bread <small>5 4MAY</small>	Pasta bolognaise	Pork sausage with new potatoes and gravy	Chicken chow mein with noodles	Fish of the day with chips
<b>VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH</b>	Cheese pizza <small>5 4MAY</small>	Vegetable bolognaise <small>5 4MAY</small>	Vegetarian sausage with new potatoes and gravy <small>5 4MAY</small>	Vegetarian chow mein with noodles	Quorn nuggets with chips
<b>ACCOMPANIMENTS</b> <small>5 4MAY</small>	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar
<b>DESSERTS</b>	Fruit shortbread <small>5 4MAY</small>	Iced lemon cake <small>5 4MAY</small>	Angel whip	Fresh fruit salad	Chocolate shortbread <small>5 4MAY</small>
<b>FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT</b>	Fresh fruit or yoghurt <small>5 4MAY</small>	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt
<b>JACKET POTATO</b>	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection		Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection



## Safeguarding Concerns

Please remember that if you have any concerns about a child's welfare, do not hesitate to get in contact by emailing [head@elvingtonprimary.org.uk](mailto:head@elvingtonprimary.org.uk). I am Elvington's Designated Safeguarding Lead, with Mrs. Granger fulfilling the role of Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead – additional school specific information can be found at: [www.elvingtonprimary.org.uk/school-information/whos-who/safeguarding-team](http://www.elvingtonprimary.org.uk/school-information/whos-who/safeguarding-team).



### Clean Air Outside School

#### What can you do to improve air quality outside school?

Vehicle idling is an offence and an unnecessary source of air pollution. It damages the health of children and unborn babies. If you drive to school please help improve air quality by switching off your engine whenever you are waiting, and politely remind others to do the same.

Many thanks for your cooperation.



Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Brownlee Triathlon

### Additional Bank Holiday

You will be aware that this year sees the Platinum Jubilee of the reign of Queen Elizabeth II. The Government announced it was adding a bank holiday in celebration of this event and placed it within our Summer Half Term. This means June 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> (Thursday and Friday) are designated bank holidays. However, unlike other bank holidays that are fixed, because this one has been added, the Government has stated that schools can set that bank holiday for a different time of year within term time.

The aforementioned additional bank holiday is designated to individual schools to set; we wished to cause as little disruption to the children's education as possible (considering the disruption that has already occurred over the past two years). To that end we have decided to place our day on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022**. That date was scheduled to be the last Friday of the academic year. This means our last day in school, at the end of the summer term, will now be **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022**. Our term dates on the website will be adjusted to take account of this, however, I wanted to let you know at the first available opportunity.

### COVID-19

On Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March, the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, Sajid Javid, set out the next steps for living with COVID-19 in England from Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April.

Children who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.

Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice will be 3 days.

I would like to remind you that school attendance is mandatory for all pupils of compulsory school age, and it is a priority to ensure that as many children as possible regularly attend school. Therefore, your child should be attending school unless they are not well enough to attend or they test positive for COVID-19. Please see the guidance table below.

At Elvington, we ask that everyone in our community follows the expectations listed above.



Hello, Hugh Agutter, Harry Beevers and Noah Bates are raising money for charities around the globe and Ukraine people to fund their needs.

Starting from Monday 4th April, we will each run 50 laps of our playground everyday until we break up for the Summer.

We have 62 days left at school. That's 9300 laps in total. 15 laps is a mile, so in total we will run 620 miles.

**THAT'S THE EQUIVALENT OF OVER 23 MARATHONS!**



Our goal is £1 per mile (that's £620) if we beat our goal, we won't complain!

Please give generously we have a donation box in school. Thank you from Hugh, Harry and Noah x



Archie, Class 4, is also taking part in this event.



# **HEWORTH UNDER 8S ARE RECRUITING FOR THE 2022 SEASON.**

**We are looking for new players to join our Under 8s team (School Year 3).**

**We play in the Yorkshire Junior League on Sunday Mornings, And Train at the club at Elmpark Way, Heworth, York. YO31 1DX.**

**Our Coaches are fully qualified and meet the Safeguarding & DBS checks set out by the Rugby Football League.**

**For more information on training times & days, contact our under 8s Coach Jim O'Keeffe on 07531 427872 or email [jimokeefe0025@hotmail.de](mailto:jimokeefe0025@hotmail.de)**

**If you are ready for a new challenge and want to have fun, learn new skills and make new friends, then look no further!**



**COME AND JOIN NORTH YORKSHIRES BIGGEST AMATEUR RUGBY CLUB.**



# Tennis for all!

In partnership with Elvington Primary School

Get all this FREE when you join our Tennis Youth Start programme

- 5 weeks FREE family tennis coaching sessions
- FREE 12 months membership to Sutton Tennis Club
- Junior Tennis Festival fun day



Tennis Youth Start programme includes

- Tennis Racquet
- Balls
- Branded t-shirt
- Wristbands
- 5 Tennis sessions at your school



Full details overleaf



Sign your child up here, just copy the link into your browser. This will take you to the LTA Youth Start sign up page for your child's year group.

- Year 1: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY1a>
- Year 2: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY2a>
- Year 3: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY3>
- Year 4: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY4>
- Year 5: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY5>
- Year 6: <https://bit.ly/ElvSchY6>

## Next steps

Once you have signed up look out for the welcome email which will confirm

- All the details of your FREE extra sessions' dates and times
- How to access and activate your FREE tennis membership
- Dates of the FREE family tennis coaching sessions, and the
- FREE Junior Tennis Festival

Any questions, ask Matt 0788 226 7971  
info@icanplaytennis.net



## THIS EASTER!

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## THIS IS A FREE PLACE!

WE ARE PLEASED TO SAY WE ARE WORKING WITH YOUR SCHOOL AND YOU HAVE BEEN OFFERED A FREE PLACE AT OUR FUN CLUBS!

YOU CAN CHOOSE THE FIRST OR SECOND WEEK OF THE EASTER HOLIDAYS. IT IS FOR A FULL WEEK!

### VENUE CHOICES:

- ARCHBISHOP HOLGATE'S SCHOOL
- ASKHAM BRYAN COLLEGE
- HEADLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL
- HUNTINGTON SECONDARY SCHOOL
- POPPLETON OUSEBANK PRIMARY SCHOOL

PLEASE BRING A PACKED LUNCH

DROP OFF IS FLEXIBLE BETWEEN 8AM - 9:15AM PICK UP IS 4PM



CONTACT US ON : 03444 14 13 13 OR  
E : ENQUIRIES@TOTALSPORTSLIMITED.CO.UK

WE WILL TAKE YOUR DETAILS AND CONFIRM WITH SCHOOL AND BOOK YOU IN!

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## Saturday Morning Club

Saturdays 10am-11am @ Elvington Sports Club  
Starting Saturday 5th March - £3/session



Introducing little ones to the game with fun games and exercises  
Under 6s (Reception and Year 1) - all abilities welcome.  
No kit required, boots advisable, shin pads and socks required.

Please contact Andrew on 07733410355  
to register/for more info



**ELVINGTON HARRIERS AFC**  
AN FA CHARTER STANDARD CLUB

Founded 1999





## Elvington Out of School Club

Bookings can be made by email [info@elvingtonoutofschool.co.uk](mailto:info@elvingtonoutofschool.co.uk) or by calling 07790 480229 (Please text or leave a message when there is no reply).

**Please note this is an independent organisation, bookings cannot be made via the school.**

Sadly, due to current high numbers, children are **unable to use their bikes or scooters to travel up to the club after school.** If they go to school on wheels, please can they be taken home after you have dropped your child off. Bikes and scooters (with helmets) are welcome at Holiday Club.

Thank you for your support,

Sue Challis

### Easter Holiday Opening Hours

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April – Closed

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April – 8 am – 6 pm

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April – Closed

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April – 8 am – 6 PM

**Please book your child's place to avoid disappointment.**

The poster has a green grass background at the top with the text 'JUNIOR CRICKET FROM WOODHOUSE GRANGE CC' in white. Below this is a dark grey section with a circular logo containing the letters 'WGC'. The text is organized into two columns. The left column lists dates: 'FRIDAY 8TH APRIL', 'MONDAYS UNTIL 11TH APRIL', '22ND APRIL FRIDAYS ONWARDS', and '27TH MAY - 15TH JULY FRIDAYS'. The right column lists activities and times: 'KEY DATES', 'WELCOME & REGISTRATION EVENING 630PM, MEET THE COACHES', 'INDOOR NETS 6-730PM', 'JUNIOR TRAINING 6:15-8:15PM', and 'ALL STARS & DYNAMOS CRICKET 545-630PM'. At the bottom, a green bar contains the website URL: 'https://www.woodhousegrangecc.co.uk/junior-cricket/'.

**JUNIOR  
CRICKET  
FROM  
WOODHOUSE  
GRANGE CC**

**FRIDAY  
8TH APRIL**

**MONDAYS  
UNTIL 11TH APRIL**

**22ND APRIL  
FRIDAYS ONWARDS**

**27TH MAY -  
15TH JULY FRIDAYS**

**KEY DATES**

**WELCOME & REGISTRATION EVENING  
630PM, MEET THE COACHES**

**INDOOR NETS  
6-730PM**

**JUNIOR TRAINING  
6:15-8:15PM**

**ALL STARS & DYNAMOS CRICKET  
545-630PM**

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