

# EYE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



# NEWSLETTER



28.03.24

## EASTER SERVICE



On Wednesday morning, we visited St Matthew's Church for our Easter services. We had been journeying through the Easter story in our collective worships over the last few weeks and it was wonderful to share the final part of the story and celebrate the good news of Jesus rising from the dead. The Year 3 classes shared a poem 'The Story of Easter' with excellent clarity and expression and some children in Year 1 shared some beautiful prayers that they had written. Reverend Ann challenged us to share the hope and the joy of the Easter story with others. We're grateful for the parents and carers of year 3 children for joining us for the service.

We would like to wish you all a very Happy Easter!

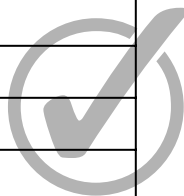


## ATTENDANCE (%)

W/C 18/03/24 - 22/03/24

Whole school attendance this week is 93.44%

Badgers	93.64
Chimps	97.27
Dolphins	92.27
Foxes	91.82
Giraffes	95.52
Hedgehogs	90.33
Jaguars	88.33
Koalas	96.52
Lemurs	91.90
Meerkats	94.85
Owls	90.45
Penguins	96.36
Sharks	95.00
Squirrels	91.00
Tigers	95.17
Wombats	94.69
Zebras	94.19



## THANKS TO BIFFA!



**A BIG thank you to Biffa for the donation of two apple trees. The Eco Club have planted them at the entrance of the school for all to enjoy!**

**Advance Notice: Superhero Day - Thursday 25th April**  
Children will be able to come to school dressed as superheroes in memory of our superhero Elliott Cantrell and to raise money for Elliott's Army. We will also be awarding the Elliott Cantrell Superhero Award to a chosen Year 6 child for their superhero qualities



## KEY DATES

### March

28th – Children's last day in school

### April

15th – Children back to school

25th- Superhero Day and Elliott Cantrell Award

29th – Height and Weight – EYFS/YR6 Only

### May

**6th – May Day – Children not in school**

13th – Balance Bikeability – EYFS Only

WC 13th - KS2 SATS Week

24th – Children's last day in school

### June

3rd - Children back to school

### July

19th - Children's last day in school



## GROWING BEYOND SCHOOL

GRATITUDE  
RESPECT  
OWNERSHIP  
WISDOM

### Skating Success!

Last Friday, Juliet took part in her first national British Ice-Skating competition in Sheffield and skated beautifully!

Her coach and ice-skating family are extremely proud of her. Go Juliet!



### Fantastic Football!

Arthur was awarded **player of the match** at football this week scoring two goals, bringing his total to 21 goals this season! Go Arthur!



## SO MUCH TALENT TO CELEBRATE!

### Terrific Try!

Maisie from Lemurs received **player of the week** for excellent teamwork, great tag work and a fantastic try. Go Maisie!



### Tap-Tastic!

Amelia took part in her first tap dance show at The Cresett over the weekend. She was so excited and enjoyed dancing on stage. Go Amelia!



### What a Belter!

Well done to Phoebe who has been awarded her brown and white belt! Go Phoebe!



Life in all  
its fullness



### NEWS FROM PRESCHOOL

#### Caterpillars Class

This week we have been enjoying some Easter crafts!

We have created our own Easter chicks; played a matching Easter egg game; we enjoyed an Easter egg hunt in the garden - searching for the eggs due to their properties; we decorated our own Easter eggs using different materials such as tissue paper, felt and glitter; and we created some colourful art using Easter stamps. We also made Easter nests using cornflakes and chocolate - this allowed us to show our mixing, pouring and measuring skills!



#### Butterflies Class

This week, butterflies have been making Easter baskets with a stapler and Easter nests with chocolate, shredded wheat and sprinkles. Yum!

### NEWS FROM THE FOREST

#### Forest School

This week, we have been looking at how our forest has changed with the different weather and seasons and what we can do to encourage regrowth in our forest. The children came up with ideas on what we can plant. Then they cleared sections so that the grass could start regrowing while we are on our Easter break.

We also had the woodwork making our Easter crosses. In the little forest, the children enjoyed looking after the dinosaur eggs!

#### Eco club

We were given some apple trees by the company Biffa, so the eco club was given the choice where to plant them. They chose to put them in the new eco area next to the bridge so that when the trees have produced apples, the children can enjoy picking them off of the trees at break time.



### SPORTS NEWS

Over the last couple of weeks, our children have competed in two tournaments in Lincolnshire.

Our Y3/4 children took part in a golf tournament competing against 12 other schools and being crowned champions. We have won for last three years!

Our Y5/6 children competed against 20 other schools in a cross-country event. The children had to run 1.5 miles against 90 other competitors. The girls won their team event and the boys finished second in their event. When the combined scores were added up, we were crowned overall champions.

Well done to all of the children for practising really hard for these events.

We are all very proud of your success! Go Eye!



### NEWS FROM YEAR 4

In RE this week, we had a visit from Zoe McClean who told us about Kingsgate Church. The children learnt about their Easter celebrations, baptism and sang some Easter songs.



**Psssst.... Have you visited the new St Matthew's Church website yet?**

**Why not take a look?**

**[www.stmatthewschurcheye.co.uk](http://www.stmatthewschurcheye.co.uk)**