



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday, 11th December - Year 4 Class Worship

The Year 4 class worship will be added to Class Dojo so that parents, carers and other family members can enjoy watching this.

Tuesday, 15th December - St. Nicolas' Day Service

This service will be pre-recorded and shared with the classes during their worship time.



Wednesday, 16th December - Nativity Plays

The children in Fledglings, Year 1 & Year 2 have been practising hard in their class nativity plays which promise to be a real treat. These will be recorded and shared on their class dojo by Wednesday, 16th December for parents, family and friends to enjoy.

Thursday, 17th December - Class Christmas Party

Children can wear party clothes for the whole day but please make sure they are warm enough. Due to the current situation we will not be asking parents to bring in food to share at the party. However children may bring in **their own** small snack to eat at the party.



Thursday, 17th December - Last Day of Term 2

School will finish at the normal time.

Friday, 18th December - INSET Day - SCHOOL CLOSED

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Menu for the last week of term

Please see the attached menu for the last week of term.

Early Morning Club

The register for Early Morning Club for Terms 3 & 4 is now open. To book a place for your child please telephone the school or email office@eastry.kent.sch.uk. Please note that bookings and payment, preferably via BACS, must be made in advance. BACS details will be sent to you when you request your booking.

Pots, Pans, Wellies and Coats Needed!

We are in the process of improving and enlarging our Forest School and would be grateful for any old pots and pans for our mud kitchen or any old wellies or coats, thank you.

PTA News



Christmas Raffle

We have some wonderful hampers in our Christmas raffle which would make a great addition to your Christmas celebrations. Please remember to return your subs and money by Friday, 11th December ready for the draw which takes place on Monday, 14th December.



We would also like to thank Tesco who donated chocolates and a £20 Gift Voucher which we have used to make an additional hamper for the raffle.



Nativity Trail

Come join us
for the...

£1 per
entry

Eastry School Christmas Trail
Enjoy a walk around our beautiful village in search for important characters from the Nativity

Saturday 5th to Sunday 20th December 2020

Complete at any time that suits you
All entries will enter a voucher prize draw (4th January 2021)

Email eastrypta@gmail.com for
entry form and payment details

Event organized by Eastry School PTA

Following the wonderful comments and feedback from those who took part in the half-term Pumpkin Trail we have been asked whether we would run another one and have decided to do Christmas Trail. Details of this are above and if you would like to take part please complete and return the slip overleaf by Thursday, 17th December. Entry forms will be emailed to you by the school, using your email address held on school records, on receipt of the slip. There will also be a little craft pack at the church for the children to take away and do at home when they have completed their Christmas Trail.

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Rent-A-Santa

Eastry Fire Station are again hoping to help Santa deliver presents to children in the local area. If you would like them to visit you please go to their Facebook page 'Rent-a-Santa' for further information and to register. The last collection of presents is 18 December for delivery on the 20th or 21st December, depending on where you live.



National Christingle Event

The Church of England will be streaming a live Christingle Service at 9.00am on Sunday, 13th December. This can be accessed via the following link; <https://www.churchofengland.org/news-and-media/church-online>.

Congratulations

We would like to congratulate all the children who recently designed posters for the Eastry Lower Speed Street Campaign. These will be seen around the village to encourage motorists to slow down, and are also feature in this month's Eastry Village News.

Kind regards

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Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

INTERNET SAFETY SECTION

As you may recall in the last couple of week's of the School News we have given you information about CEOP (Child Exploitation and Online Protection Centre) who have created some really useful 'Online Safety at Home Packs'. Each pack includes fun activities, conversation starters and practical tips on various topics. This week we have included the pack entitled 'Live Streaming', this can be access using the link below;

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/globalassets/thinkuknow/documents/thinkuknow/parents/pdf/parent-pdf/activity-sheet-livestreaming.pdf?utm_source=Thinkuknow&utm_campaign=dd271ec52e-TUK_GLOBAL_12_11_20&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_0b54505554-dd271ec52e-55375865

CEOP have also created a fun and educational game for 8 to 10 year olds entitled Band Runner. This can be accessed via the following link;

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/

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Christmas Trail

We would like to take part in the Christmas Trail _____ (please include the number of entries).

I enclose payment/I have made payment via BACS* of £_____ (please make cheques payable to Eastry School PTA).

BACS payments can be made to:

Sorting Code: **60-18-34** Account Number: **05644143**

Account Name: **Eastry Parents Teacher Association**

(please add your child's surname as the reference and return this slip to the school)

Child's Name/s: _____ Year/s: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ * please delete as appropriate



LAST WEEK OF TERM MENU 2020



Monday

Mac n Cheese with garlic bread and veg (V)
Christmas Biscuit

Tuesday

Sausage roll with herby diced potatoes and baked beans
Quorn sausage roll with herby diced potatoes and baked beans (V)
Christmas pudding krispie cake

Wednesday

Roast Gammon & gravy
served with Roast potatoes, peas & Carrots
Quorn meatloaf & gravy (V)
served with roast potatoes, peas & Carrots
Christmas Cookie

Thursday

Beef Bolognese served with Pasta & veg
Quorn Bolognese served with Pasta & veg (V)
Snowy capped fairy cake

Allergy options available every day