



ETHERLEY LANE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER – 18th March 2022

What another amazing week of learning and fun we have all had.

A WARM WELCOME

We are thrilled to introduce to you the newest member of our Etherley Lane team. Her name is Miss Stubbings, and she is our administration assistant. She is really looking forward to collaborating with you all and supporting our children.

BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK

This week was British Science Week and each class has taken part in activities to celebrate the theme of 'Growth.' Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed taking part and explored how exercise keeps us fit and how we can progressively get fitter over time by consistently being active. They focused on cardiovascular fitness and strength training and looked at the differences between them. They took part in several activities such as: hurdles, bench dips, sit ups, skipping, hula hooping, press up partner claps and so much more. Head over to our Facebook page to see them in action. Well done Year 6.



FOOTBALL

The second round of fixtures took place on Wednesday for our Y3/4 football team. Once again, excitement built as they made their way down to the venue only this time it was used to their advantage. A fantastic solo press from Zak won him the ball which he then calmly stroked into the net giving them a 1-0 win in the first game against Stanley Crook. The winning run continued in the second game against Blessed John Duckett as two tremendous strikes from Joseph gave them a 2-0 victory. Sadly, the winning run came to an end in a hard-fought game against Escomb. As Escomb put a corner in, the team switched off just at the wrong time and the ball was deflected into the back of the net. Time ran out as they searched for an equaliser. 0-1 to Escomb. The fourth game against Thornhill was also a close-run contest with Thornhill emerging as the victors. 0-1 to Thornhill. However, looking at the positives, the team has made huge strides - there is desire, heart and lots of talent and skill, and providing results go their way, there is still a chance they could qualify for the final night on the 30th March. Keep going team - we're very proud of you!



A MESSAGE FROM SPENNYMOOR FC

The competitive fixture will take place on 1st April 2022.

Ticket prices are as follows:

Adults £5

Concession (over 60) £3

Under 18 £3.

Tickets can be purchased from the Neil Adams Sports Bar or through the club website.



RED NOSE DAY

It was wonderful to see our children wearing red today for Comic Relief, the children have thoroughly enjoyed taking part in activities linked to this cause. If you head over to our Facebook page you'll be able to see some fantastic photographs to showcase this. Thank you to everyone who made a donation.



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

With the easing of Covid restrictions, we are absolutely thrilled that we are able to come together as a whole school again. From next Friday we will re-start our celebration assembly where we will all find out about all the wonderful work our children have been doing and who has been chosen as star of the week. We cannot wait to celebrate together again!



STAR OF THE WEEK



Class 1 Eleanor H - Mrs Elder's class	Class 6 Daniel W – Mr Soulsby's class
Class 2 Eva R – Miss Alderdice's class	Class 7 Persia R - Mrs Burkill's class
Class 3 Alfie P – Mrs Jones' class	Class 8 Summer R - Miss Jones' class
Class 4 Lilliana B - Miss Strophair's class	Class 9 Oscar K - Mrs Summerson's class
Class 5 Lilly L - Mrs Wakes' class	Class 10 Alfie A – Miss Wilkinson's class