

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS



An Eggciting Easter Competition

There has been lots of fun this week in classes as the children have set to creating their eggs (classroom carpets have certainly been well glittered)! Well done to all the children for their wonderful finished products, I think the judges (Mrs Stirling and Mrs Harrop) had an eggremely difficult task to choose class winners.

Purple Poppies: 1st - Layla 2nd - Zayan 3rd - Eddie

Crawcrook: 1st - Eddison 2nd - Sienna 3rd - Matthew

Gateshead: 1st - Macey 2nd - Roman 3rd - Myla

Newcastle: 1st - Esther 2nd - Willow 3rd - Alfie

England: 1st - Jacob W 2nd - Ottilie 3rd - Blake

Scotland: 1st - Edward 2nd - Elliot 3rd - Harper

Northern Ireland: 1st - Oakley-Eavan 2nd - Charlie C 3rd - Olivia R

Wales: 1st - Harry B 2nd - Caleb 3rd - Harry T

Northern Europe: 1st - Lucie 2nd - Skyla 3rd - James

Southern Europe: 1st - Sam 2nd - Alba 3rd - Ava

Africa: 1st - Erin 2nd - Laurie 3rd - Esme

Asia: 1st - Ella 2nd - Rosa 3rd - Jack

Antarctica: 1st - Darcy 2nd - Imogen 3rd - Oscar

Oceania: 1st - Sophie R 2nd - Peter 3rd - Sienna

North America: 1st - Evie and Tabitha 2nd - Sophie G 3rd - Bodie

South America: 1st - Isla M 2nd - Charlie T 3rd - Cub

Hello everyone,

Many thanks for your support with the Easter raffle. We have raised £615.70 for school fund which will be used for treats for the children. Congratulations to the raffle winners who are listed in the bulletin.

Year 1 Cracking Easter Performance

Last Friday, the Year 1 children wowed us with their Easter performance they were eggceptional! I am sure we had many families in the audience who were brimming with pride at their eggtraordinary children. You can see photographs of the performance in the bulletin.

Noel Rippeth

Emmaville's Chair of Governors has asked that the following is included in this week's bulletin.

Noel Rippeth, who was a local councillor and a member of the Emmaville and Kepier Chare School's board of Governors, has sadly passed away at the age of 86. At one time, Noel was the Chair of Governor's at Kepier Chare School before it closed. Noel will be remembered as a good friend to Emmaville School, and our condolences are passed on to his family.

Finally, I would like to wish our families and their children a very HAPPY EASTER.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Monday 20th April.

Avril Armstrong



Easter Raffle

1st - Bottle of Taittinger Champagne and Hotel Chocolat Milk to Caramel Chocolates

Winner - Lucas W

2nd - 21 @ Home Salted Caramel and Cinder Toffee Easter Eggs

Winner - The Lindley's

3rd - £20 Odeon Cinema Voucher plus popcorn, drinks and chocolate

Winner - Amelia G

4th - Easter Bunny chocolate/sweet treats basket

Winner - Tracy Dunbar

5th - 3 Easter Games

Winner - Lyra and Alannah A

6th - £10 Tiny Tasters Voucher and kitchen tools

Winner - Matty J

7th - Matchbox Easter Cars plus Happy Easter chocolate treats

Winner - Amelia C

8th - M&S Easter Simnel Cake

Winner - Vicky Spark

9th - Easter craft activity pack

Winner - Elodie W

10th - Prefilled squishy animal Easter eggs

Winner - Charlie and Amelia H

11th - M&S Scrummy Bunny Munch tin

Winner - Lisa Stevenson



Thursday 2nd April '26



Year 1 wowed us with their Eggeptional Easter performance



Congratulations to the following children who have been chosen by their class teachers to have their work displayed on The Writer of the Month board for the month of March.

Reception
 Gateshead - Stella Newcastle - Jenson
 Year 1
 England - Ember Scotland - Tom
 Year 2
 Northern Ireland - Olivia F Wales - Blake
 Year 3
 Northern Europe - Phoebe Southern Europe - Em J
 Year 4
 Africa - Henry Asia - Charlotte
 Year 5
 Antarctica - Molly Be Oceania - Fraser
 Year 6
 North America - Rosie Jo South America - Ella W

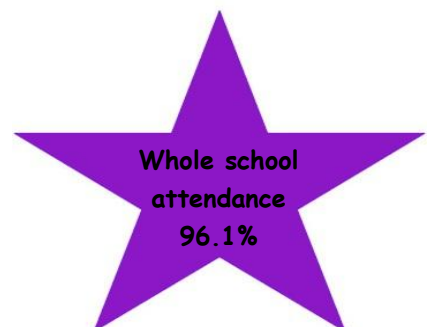
House Points

Congratulations to Team Angel for the most house points for the Spring term. Angel -1,936, Tyne - 1,888, Glasshouse - 1,848, Baltic - 1,770. This term's points have now been added to the Autumn term collection, and these are included in the following:

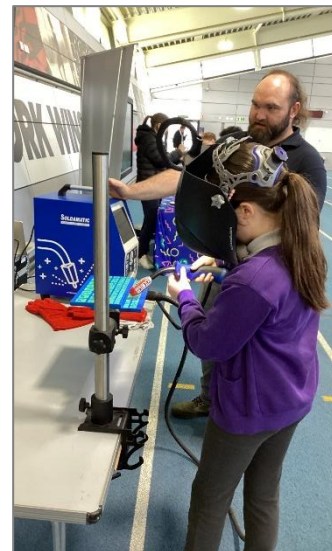


School Attendance - Week Ending 27.03.26

Year 6: North America	94.6%	South America	94.3%
Year 5: Antarctica	98.1%	Oceania	91.1%
Year 4: Africa	94.8%	Asia	100%
Year 3: Northern Europe	95.7%	Southern Europe	100%
Year 2: Northern Ireland	97.9%	Wales	94.2%
Year 1: England	94.9%	Scotland	97.6%
EYFS: Gateshead	94.1%	Newcastle	97.8%
Crawcrook	95.4%		



Jolly well done to Asia and Southern Europe for 100% attendance last week.



On Friday 27th March, a group of year 6 pupils went to Gateshead College Academy for Sport to take part a tournament as part of the Lego League Challenge. The tournament was made up of a robot mission task, where they had to design code and program a robot to complete as many missions as possible in 2 and a half minutes; two presentations about their robot design and an innovation project for an archaeological issue, as well as being assessed against the core values.

It is the first year that Emmaville has taken part in the competition so we didn't know what to expect. The children have been working hard every week since December in building their robots and creating their presentations. The week of the tournament, they were in during breakfast club, break and lunch times, and really gave their all to their final projects.

For their robot mission, the children had one practice round and then 3 rounds to try and get the highest score possible - only their best score counted to take them through to the next round. At the end of all of the games, North America came in joint 5th place with 150 points, and South America were just ahead with 155. That score was enough to take South America through to the semi-finals. The team they were up against had the highest score of the competition so far; however, we were able to beat them in the game, taking us through to the final. We were then up against a team of much older pupils, and the children did very well (gaining their highest score of the day) but unfortunately, it wasn't quite enough to win, leaving them in second place.

This wasn't all. Both teams were awarded a trophy during the celebration event. South America won an award for the innovation project, where the judges commented on their brilliant presentation and team work. North America were awarded the trophy for Judge's Award, as they had been very motivational to each other - as well as the other teams - and scored highly across the board. There were also workshops from Gateshead College for us to try, including rocket building, lock picking and flying a drone and we all had a fabulous and unforgettable day. I am so proud of all of the children for all of their hard work, and such great success at our first every tournament.

Miss Stevens

