





Friday 7th July '23

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN



WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS





The Gateshead Athletics Festival at Gateshead International Stadium

It was that time of year again that we all look forward to at Emmaville: The Gateshead Athletics Festival! On Friday, we took a team of twenty-three athletes to compete against forty-eight other schools across thirty-four events at the fantastic Gateshead International Stadium. And what a day it was! Our children were amazing from start to finish in both their events and the way in which they conducted themselves. Every single Emmaville competitor gave their all, showing determination, ability and sportsmanship. Over the course of the day, Emmaville athletes won heats, semi-finals and finals, and eventual came away with eight medals; four gold and four silver.

Year 5/6 Boys Turbo Javelin Throw: Vincent (Gold) Year 5/6 Girls 60m Hurdles: Rachel (Gold) Year 3/4 Girls 60m Hurdles: Lacey (Silver) Year 3/4 Girls 400m: Lexi (Silver) Year 5/6 Girls Long Jump: Rose (Gold) Year 5/6 Boys 60m Hurdles: Isaiah (Gold) Year 3/4 Boys 50m Sprint: Ethan (Silver) Year 5/6 Boys Vortex Howler: Billy Tom (Silver)

Huge congratulations to the whole team who made us incredibly proud with their performances, attitude and behaviour.







Newcastle United Foundation Girls Only Football Festival

On Monday, eight girls from Year 4 had a fantastic time at the Newcastle United Foundation Girls Football Festival. They played three games against other schools in the state-of-the-art facilities and were brilliant. They worked hard, passed the ball well, attacked and defended as a team, they made some great tackles, and scored some fab goals. The girls' attitude was excellent and they had a thoroughly great time. The players now cannot wait for their next opportunity for competitive football.

Mr Elliott







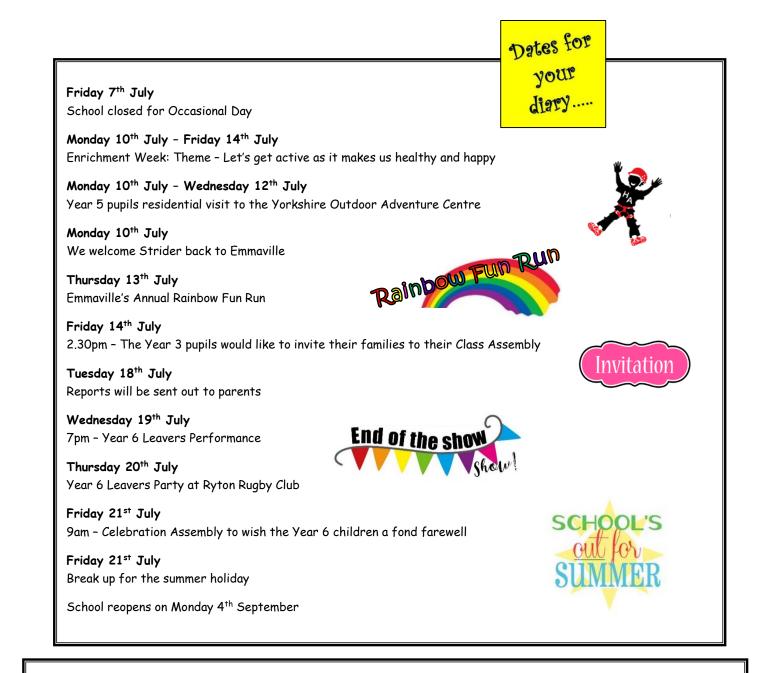
Threadworms

Threadworms are very common in children and spread easily. Could we please ask if your child has either the symptoms or the infection, that everyone in your household be treated straight away as there is a high risk of the infection spreading. Medication is available at pharmacies without a prescription. It is also important to make sure that all children wash their hands thoroughly after using the toilet.



Salto UK, our school uniform suppliers, have informed us that the deadline date for the new academic year uniform orders is:

Saturday 15th July 2023.



<u>Universal Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM)</u> are applicable for all children in Reception and Years 1 and 2 (KS1). However, for pupils currently in Year 2, in order for the free school meal to continue when they commence Year 3 in September 2023, Parents/Carers will need to apply to the means tested scheme and can do so via the following 3 methods: Gateshead Council's website at <u>Free school meals - Gateshead Council</u>

Telephoning 0191 4333729

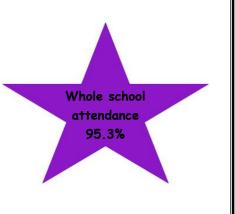
Completing the Free School Meals application form. Forms can be collected from the school office.

School Attendance Week Ending 30.06.23

| Year 6: | North America | 90.5% |
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| Year 5: | Antarctica | 95.8% |
| Year 4: | Africa | 99.4% |
| Year 3: | Northern Europe | 93.5% |
| Year 2: | Northern Ireland | 97.1% |
| Year 1: | England | 96.7% |
| EYFS: | Gateshead | 94.4% |
| Crawcrook | | 77.2% |

| South America | 94.4% |
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| Oceania | 96.0% |
| Asia | 96.3% |
| Southern Europe | 94.2% |
| Wales | 94.1% |
| Scotland | 92.7% |
| Newcastle | 96.6% |
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Well done to Africa for the best attendance last week.



Let's Get Walking!

Emmaville School Council are setting their fellow pupils the challenge of completing a walk before the end of term! They have already held an assembly explaining the challenge and the benefits of taking part in the challenge.



What is the challenge?

The challenge is to complete a walk before the end of term and take a picture of yourself enjoying your walk.Then, upload a picture onto Seesaw so that you can share information and pictures of your walk with your friends.

The School Council wish to highlight, that this is not a competition! Everyone who takes part is a winner ③

So, let's get walking! Your walk might be around your local area or exploring a new area.

Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Poppy (South America) For being such a kind and lovely friend to others.

North America Layla for learning her words so well. Molly for learning her words so well. Sophia for being such a help to the younger children during transition week.

South America - Alfie For brilliant confidence when rehearsing for the End of the Show, Show.

> Antarctica - Holly For fantastic work in maths.

Oceania - Ella A For impeccable manners in everything she does.

Africa - Emily B For her great stickability, especially P.E.

Asia – Drew For being kind, conscientious, good-humoured, delightful member of the class.

> Northern Europe - Molly For her fantastic effort in Maths.

Southern Europe – Olivia For her wonderful expression in her singing and super effort across the curriculum.

> Northern Ireland – Niamh For being a supportive and kind friend to her classmates.

> > Wales - Oscar For being a supportive learning partner.

England - Charlotte For her fantastic participation in the Godly Play sessions.

> Scotland - Jake For working so hard in his phonics lessons.

> > Gateshead - Phoebe For her amazing phonics!

Newcastle - Ember For fantastic manners.

Crawcrook Nursery Seth for super enthusiasm during Sports Day practise. Caleb for an excellent performance of the '5 Little Peas' poem.

> School Cook - Aaron (Southern Europe) For beautiful manners at lunchtime.