



Dear Parents/Carers

Hello and welcome to our final newsletter of 25/26! We have had a wonderful week in school making so many happy memories.

First of all, congratulations to our Year 6 children who got their SATs results this week. The progress they have made and the hard work they put in is something we are all so incredibly proud of.

They also ensured there weren't many dry eyes in the house this morning at a very moving and thoughtful leavers assembly where they showed us what strong and lasting friendships they have established during their time at ECPS.

My final words of wisdom to them centred around this quote with a reminder of just how important friends are through the good times and the bad.



I also showed this beautiful photo that was shared with me by Mrs McGuigan of her son and his ECPS friends showing their friendship is still going strong.



SAFEGUARDING:

If you are concerned about a child over the holidays, please call 999 if you feel they are at immediate risk from significant harm. Any other concerns can be shared anonymously here:

<https://safeguardingchildren.co.uk/about-us/worried-about-a-child/>

PARENTAL FEEDBACK:

Your opinions and feedback are really important to us, don't forget to give us feedback on your child's end of year report:

<https://forms.gle/SoWMei513icmXRcQ8>

And to complete our attendance survey:

<https://forms.gle/Qq8bb422oH4vBo4B9>

COMMUNITY SAFETY MESSAGE:

We have been asked to share this Community Safety Message from North Yorkshire Police:

Community Safety Message – Easingwold Area

We would like to remind residents, parents, and young people about the dangers of entering private farmland and playing on large haylage or silage bales.

Whilst these bales may appear fun to climb on, they can weigh several hundred kilograms and can easily shift, roll, or collapse without warning, posing a very real risk of serious injury or worse.

Please remember:

- Farmland is private property and should not be entered without the landowner's permission.
 - Haylage and silage bales are agricultural equipment and animal feed, not play areas.
 - Damage to bale wrapping can result in feed spoilage, leading to significant financial costs for farmers.
 - Lost or damaged forage reduces the food available for livestock during the winter months, impacting animal welfare and farming operations.
- Farmers work hard throughout the year to produce and store feed for their animals. Even seemingly minor damage can have costly consequences.

 We encourage parents and guardians to speak with young people about respecting the countryside, understanding the dangers present on farms, and making safe choices when spending time outdoors. By working together, we can help keep everyone safe, support our local farming community, and protect valuable resources for livestock.

Thank you for your cooperation.
[#RuralSafety](#) [#RespectTheCountryside](#)
[#CommunitySafety](#) [#Easingwold](#) [#FarmSafety](#)

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE REMINDER:

Summer Reading Challenge 2026

READ to the BEAT



Join FREE at your local library and earn exclusive rewards for reading



READ to the BEAT

Read to the Beat is the name of the 2026 Summer Reading Challenge – the UK's biggest reading for fun scheme for 4 – 11-year-olds

Children sign up at their local library to start the challenge, which is to read six books over the summer break.

They can choose any books they like, as long they're from the library. eBooks and audiobooks borrowed from our digital platforms Borrowbox and Libby also count.

Reading or listening to books with grown ups or siblings also counts towards completing the challenge.

For each book read, children collect stickers. When completed, they are presented with exclusive prizes, a certificate and medal.

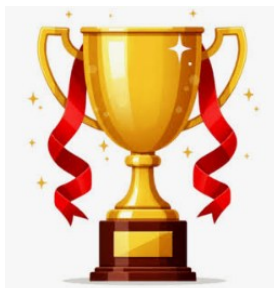
Lots of fun and often FREE tie-in events running across libraries. Scan the QR code for details of what's happening in your patch.

Sign up to Read to the Beat at your local library from Saturday 4 July – while stocks last...



SPORTING SUCCESS:

On Sunday 12th July three of our Year 5 children, Joel C, Oliver R and Finley R, won a 5 a side beach tournament played at Bridlington where many teams from all over the North had entered. After playing all day (around 8 matches) their team got through to the final and won! They were awarded a trophy and medals, Joel C was also awarded goal of the day for a brilliant header! Well done boys!



AND FINALLY...

As the year draws to close, it is always a time to reflect and be grateful. I would like to say thank you from the bottom of my heart for the continued support of our school from our parents, carers and families. It makes our school such a special place and we are so appreciative of your unwavering support in everything we do. Our staff work so hard and the generous and kind messages, gifts and cards we have all received this week have meant so much, thank you.



I would also like to personally thank the staff, Governors, EPIC team and our many volunteers who give so much to our school to ensure it runs smoothly and provides wonderful learning opportunities and personal development experiences.

Congratulations to Miss Ripton who will be getting married over the summer and will return as Mrs Waller after the break and to Mrs Hannam who will be having her baby very soon! We look forward to meeting the new addition.



Goodbye and good luck to the children who are moving on to new schools in September, we will really miss you.

Finally, I couldn't end this year without reflecting on some of the challenges we have faced as a school and the pain of losing two of our wonderful Dads, Joel and Dave. I know that you have all been a wonderful support to the families and as a school we will be supporting a local children's bereavement charity to raise money in memory of Joel and Dave next academic year. I know you will do all you can to support this fundraising and that you will keep Joel and Dave's families in your thoughts and prayers over the summer.

Wishing you all a wonderful summer and looking forward to seeing you all in September!

Mrs A Parratt
Headteacher



Spring / Summer Menu Week 1

WEEK ONE	MONDAY	WORLD TUESDAY	ROAST WEDNESDAY	PLANET PIZZA THURSDAY	FISH FRIDAY
Main Meal	TRAINING DAY	Mild Beef & Bean Chilli with Yellow Rice 	Roast Chicken, Gravy, Stuffing & Mashed Potatoes 	Sausage & Sweetcorn Pizza with Pasta Salad 	Fish Fingers & Chips
Vegetarian Main Meal	SCHOOL CLOSED	Macaroni Cheese with Vegetables or Salad	Quorn Grill, Gravy, Stuffing & Mashed Potatoes 	Margherita Pizza Slice with Pasta salad 	Cheese & Onion Bake with Chips 
Sandwiches/Wraps		Cheese or Tuna Sandwich	Cheese or Ham Bap	Cheese or Tuna Wrap	Cheese or Ham Bap
Grab & Go (Year 5/6 only)		Main or Veg		Main or Veg	
Vegetables		Carrots or Sweetcorn 	Seasonal Greens & Carrots 	Mixed Salad 	Garden Peas, Baked Beans 
Baked Jacket Potatoes		Jacket Potato with Beans, Tuna Mayo or Cheese 	Jacket Potato with Beans, Tuna Mayo or Cheese 	Jacket Potato with Beans, Tuna Mayo or Cheese 	Jacket Potato with Beans, Tuna Mayo or Cheese
Dessert		Cinnamon Rolls 	Strawberry Jelly with Fruit 	Fruit Slices & Vanilla Cookie 	Vanilla or Chocolate Ice Cream

SUMMER TERM DIARY DATES:

Last day of term: Friday 17th July

Training Day - SCHOOL CLOSED: Monday 7th September

School reopens: Tuesday 8th September

Residential 2027

Year 4 Birch Hall: Wednesday 5th May - Friday 7th May 2027

Year 5 Liverpool: Monday 15th March - Wednesday 17th March 2027

Year 6 Bewerley Park: Monday 1st February - Friday 5th February 2027

Your support for your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please let us know if there are any adjustments we need to make to help you support your child, for example: letters in large font; in different languages; wheelchair access; explaining things over the phone?

Spare newsletters are available in the rack outside the school office, together with holiday forms and permission to administer medicine forms. Tel: 01347 821282 email: admin@easingwoldprimary.co.uk.