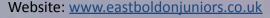
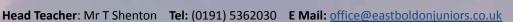


## EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL

"Be the best that we can be'

# **Newsletter 7 - December 2025**





#### **Head Teacher's Corner**

Thank you to our wonderful school community for another memorable and rewarding term - your support, enthusiasm and kindness make all the difference. I hope to see many of you over the coming week, and I wish everyone a very happy Christmas and all the very best for 2026. Mr Shenton

# **Winter Warmers**

All of our pupils enjoyed a fun and engaging Winter Warmer session with Sandra Scurfield, where they learned about fire safety and took part in hands-on activities around an open fire. The children loved melting a marshmallow and tasting their very own s'more, making the

experience both educational and memorable. A big thank you to our PTA for generously funding this opportunity for everyone.

#### Year 3 Serve Up Some Fun!

Our Year 3 pupils had a fantastic time at the Tennis Festival, where they took part in a range of fun skill-building activities and friendly games. The event gave the children a great chance to develop their coordination, teamwork and confidence on the court, all while enjoying an energetic afternoon of sport. Their enthusiasm and sportsmanship shone throughout, making the festival a real success for everyone involved.

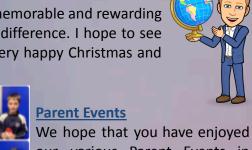


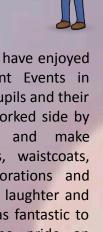
our various Parent Events in school this term. Pupils and their family members worked side by side to design and colourful cushions, waistcoats, toys, festive decorations and

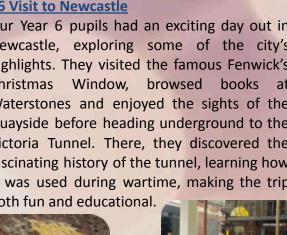
more this term, sharing lots of laughter and teamwork along the way. It was fantastic to see so many smiles and the pride on everyone's faces as they admired their finished creations.



Our Year 6 pupils had an exciting day out in Newcastle, exploring some of the city's highlights. They visited the famous Fenwick's Christmas Window. browsed books at Waterstones and enjoyed the sights of the Quayside before heading underground to the Victoria Tunnel. There, they discovered the fascinating history of the tunnel, learning how it was used during wartime, making the trip











#### Stars of the week

Year 3 – Kiara, Isabella, Oscar & Ellis

Year 4 – Mila, Charlotte, Marcey & Amber

Year 5 - Ellis, Abigail, Florence & Abigail

Year 6 - Theo, India, Mason, Max & Joel

#### **Gold Awards**

Congratulations to Our Golden Winners: Matilda, Ryan (Y4); Bella (Y5); Troy (Y6) who were chosen by the cooks and lunchtime supervisors to win the Gold Award bags for excellent behaviour at lunchtimes.

#### **Head Teacher Awards**

Rafe (Y3), Guy (Y4), Joe and Vinnie (Y5) have all impressed Mr Shenton by following our school values. Well done!

#### Term dates for your diary

Please keep an eye on this section, as we regularly add events to the calendar (new dates in bold).



Autumn term:

2<sup>nd</sup> September – 24<sup>th</sup> October 4<sup>th</sup> November – 19<sup>th</sup> December

15 Dec: Y3 and Y4 Christmas Party

17 Dec: Y4 Winter Warmer

18 Dec: Y5 and Y6 Christmas Party

18 Dec: Y3 Winter Warmer

19 Dec: Carol Service at St George's (2pm)

19 Dec: Last day of term

Spring term: 5<sup>th</sup> January – 20<sup>th</sup> February 2<sup>nd</sup> March – 2<sup>nd</sup> April

19 Jan: Energy Saving Week

22 Jan: Y4 Parents' Curriculum Event 29 Jan: Chinese New Year Dinner 9 Feb: Children's Mental Health Week 10 Feb: Safer Internet Day Workshops

12 Feb: PTA Discos

5 Mar: World Book Day (dress up optional)

9-10 Mar: Parents/Carers' Meetings 19 Mar: Y6 visit to Safety Works

20 Mar: Comic Relief (dress up optional)
27 Mar: Y4 visit to Jarrow Hall TBC

31 Mar-2 Apr: Y5 residential

## **Child Safety Reminders:**

#### **Parking**

South Tyneside Council have installed cameras on North Lane. Please do not park on the School Keep Clear road markings or beside our school gate.

Keep our school a safe place.

Thank you

#### Dogs

Unfortunately, as much as we love our four-legged friends, we do not allow dogs on site (apart from guide dogs).

