

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS

Hello,

I hope you had a lovely half-term holiday with your children.

The children have come back to school with great enthusiasm and a positive attitude towards their work. The reception class children enjoyed a visit this week to Gibside, and the Year 1 children have enjoyed exploring the grounds of Belsay Hall. Both visits were a great success and many thanks to the adults who joined the children on the visit.

I am really looking forward to watching the Year 4 assembly this week. The children have been working extremely hard preparing for the event, I am sure their families are in for a real treat. There are lots of exciting plans for the next six weeks for the children to look forward to as we work our way to the end of the academic year; we hope for some good weather in order for our plans not to be spoilt.

Let's celebrate success

I would like to congratulate the Emmaville Boys football team who are the 2023/24 Blaydon and District Football League winners. As I always say, 'Jolly Well Done!' A huge shout out to Mr Elliott who has coached the boys and to Mr Harrison who has supported them at all of their games.

Safeguarding

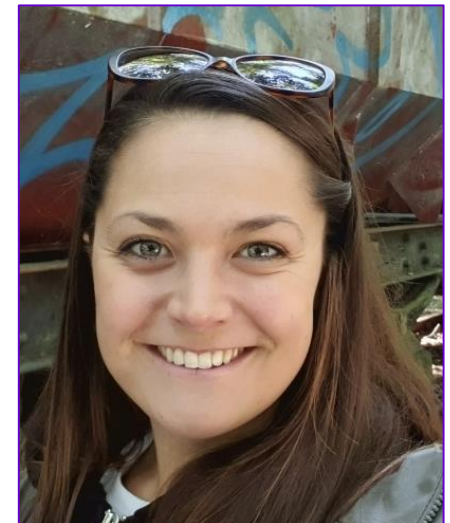
We have been asked by the Police, to ask that you contact them if you see anything suspicious or of concern taking place in Crawcrook Park. On two occasions this week, the Police have been contacted by members of the public who have raised concerns.

Staff news

Finally, we welcome Giovanna Stirling who has recently joined Team Emmaville. Giovanna will be working along side Terri Harrop and Julie McKie in the school office. Rachel Common has also joined the team, Rachel will be working as a Teaching Assistant. We are delighted to have them work with us.

Fingers crossed that the sun shines this weekend and I wish you all a relaxing weekend.

Avril Armstrong



Friday 7th June '24

- Monday 10th June, 6pm - Open Evening for Parents/Carers whose children will be starting in reception class at Emmaville in September
- Wednesday 12th June - Prayer Space sessions
- Thursday 13th June - Prayer Space sessions
- Monday 17th June, 9.15am - KS2 Sports Day
- Monday 17th June, 12.45pm - KS1 Sports Day
- Tuesday 18th June - Friday 21st June - Year 6 Residential Visit to London
- Tuesday 18th June, 2.30pm - KS1 & Y3 Open the Book Assembly
- Wednesday 19th June, 10am - Reception Children's Sports Day
- Wednesday 19th June, 1.30pm - Nursery Children's Sports Day
- Wednesday 19th June - Y4 pupils will have the opportunity to participate in Primary Enterprise World workshops 4
- Thursday 20th June - Y5 pupils will have the opportunity to participate in Primary Enterprise World workshops
- Friday 21st June, 2.30pm - The Year 3 pupils would like to invite their parents to their class assembly
- Friday 28th June - Pupils from Y3 - Y6 to represent the school at Gateshead Athletics Festival
- Tuesday 2nd July - Thursday 4th July - Year 6 Transition Days at Thorp Academy
- Tuesday 2nd July - Step up Morning
(This is when the children will spend the morning with their new teacher who will be teaching them in September.)
- Thursday 4th July, 2.30pm - The Year 5 pupils would like to invite their parents to their class assembly
- Friday 5th July - School closed for occasional day
- Monday 8th July - Wednesday 10th July - Y5 pupils to attend High Adventure Residential Centre in North Yorkshire
- Monday 8th July - Friday 12th July - Enrichment Week - Olympic Values
- Tuesday 9th July - KS1 Godly Play sessions
- Monday 15th July - Activity Day for the winning House Team
- Monday 15th July, 7pm - Year 6 Leavers Performance
- Friday 19th July - School closes for the summer holiday
- Monday 2nd September - School reopens

SPORTS DAY



STEPUP

Invitation



End of the show
show!

Please keep reading the weekly news bulletin as more items may be added to the list as the term progresses.

School Attendance - Week Ending 24.05.24

Year 6: North America	88.7%	South America	90.5%
Year 5: Antarctica	93.5%	Oceania	90.6%
Year 4: Africa	92.3%	Asia	89.1%
Year 3: Northern Europe	89.7%	Southern Europe	98.2%
Year 2: Northern Ireland	89.2%	Wales	90.7%
Year 1: England	92.6%	Scotland	99.1%
EYFS: Gateshead	91.7%	Newcastle	100%
Crawcrook	90.8%		

Whole school
attendance
92.0%

Congratulation to Newcastle for 100% attendance last week.



HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
JACK!

We would like to share this email which we have received from Ewan's mum:

Good Morning,

We wanted to say a BIG thank you to you, Mr Saddington and the other teachers who arranged for the Y4 and Y5 children to make birthday cards for Jack's 101st Birthday today.

This morning I took Ewan, Ethan and Theo to deliver them to him. Jack and his family were blown away by the amount of cards from Emmaville alone.

Ewan thinks he will still be reading all of his cards when he's 102!

Thank you again.

Emma x

"If I am thinking correctly," said Pooh,
"a new baby is probably undoubtedly the grandest gift that could ever be."
"A grand gift indeed."

Congratulations to
Arianna (Crawcrook Nursery) on the birth of her baby brother Ernie.



**Children's
Cancer North**

At the end of half term, our non uniform day
raised an amazing £380.00.



Reception - Year 6

On Friday 21st June, if your child would normally have a packed lunch and would like to stay for the picnic lunch, please let the school office know by email: emmavilleprimaryschool@gateshead.gov.uk stating if they require the vegetarian option.

We ask that you let the school office know by **no later than the morning of Wednesday 12th June**. This will enable our cook to finalise the food orders for the lunch.

The cost of the lunch for children in Y3 - Y6 is £2.50 and this should be paid for through the Parentmail app.

Your Local Waste and Recycling Visitor Education Centre

National Picnic Week 18th - 26th June 2022

Tips for making your picnic sustainable:

- Use reusable containers, plates and cutlery
- Take drinks in reusable bottles
- Use cloth napkins
- If food needs wrapping, use foil - recycle any foil that's not contaminated
- Take leftover food home and make use of it
- Carry items in reusable bags
- Leave no trace - take your rubbish home with you



To find out more about National Picnic Week go to <https://www.nationalpicnicweek.co.uk/>

To book a tour or an education session for your school or community organisation please contact anne.malabar@groundwork.org.uk or call Anne on 07790 592720
The Waste and Recycling Visitor Education Centre, Springwell Road, Gateshead NE9 7XW





Y3/4 Quadkids Competition

On Wednesday 5th June, a group of 10 Year 3 pupils and 10 Year 4 pupils took part in a Quadkids Athletics Competition at Kingsmeadow School... and we had such a good time! All the children took part in 5 events, earning points for their team where applicable:

- 50m Race
- 400m Race
- Standing Long Jump
- Vortex Howler Throw
- Speed Bounce (non-scored)

All the children were brilliant and some of us even place 1st, 2nd and 3rd in our events. The children were fantastic support to their fellow Emmavillians and the other schools; motivating their peers to keep going and congratulating them as they crossed the finish line. Overall, Emmaville A came 4th and Emmaville B came 5th. Altogether, there were 15 schools taking part, so we think this is a fantastic achievement.

Very well done everyone, we are so proud of you!

Miss Rochester



Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Erin (Asia)

For great improvement in learning her times table facts. Well done Erin.

North America - Ellie

For wowing us all with her athletic ability.

South America - Tilly

For an amazing start in South America and having the confidence to give a speech to the class.

Antarctica - Lilly-ann

For amazing effort in English.

Oceania - Ethan R

For developing a hard working attitude in lessons.

Africa - Charlotte T

For great contribution in class and working hard within all of your subjects.

Asia - Erin

For working so hard on her tables and mastering 2 in 1 day.

Northern Europe - Scarlett

For trying her best and being helpful to others.

Southern Europe - Sienna

For her outstanding contributions and enthusiasm for learning across all subjects.

Northern Ireland - Olivia

For her amazing oracy speech about her favourite outdoor activity!

Wales - Josie

For her contribution and enthusiasm in Language and Literacy.

England - Izzy

For her amazing attitude to learning.

Scotland - Ember

For her amazing manners and super listening.

Gateshead - Harry T

For his fantastic writing about 'Six Dinner Sid.'

Newcastle - Frankie

For trying so hard in phonics.

Crawcrook Nursery - Jack S

For fabulous re telling of our Talk for Writing story 'Come on Daisy!'

School Cook - Macy (Northern Ireland)

For beautiful manners at lunchtime.