



EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Jarrow Hall

Our Year 4 pupils stepped back in time this week, when they visited Jarrow Hall. They had a great day. They were fully immersed in the Anglo Saxon world learning about Crime, Punishment, Clothing, Textiles, Food and Farming. We ate around a fire, met and fed the animals and experienced an Anglo Saxon village meeting to deliver justice. I'm sure the children will say that their highlight was putting their teacher in the stocks!



Benchball

Children from Year 3 competed in a benchball competition this week. All three teams put in an excellent effort and really enjoyed themselves. Well done, Year 3!



Multiskills

On Thursday, 30 children from year 4 enjoyed a Multiskills Festival at Temple Park. Children moved around a range of stations as a team earning as many points as possible, improving their skills in running, jumping, throwing, catching and kicking. The children behaved brilliantly, demonstrating excellent teamwork whilst having fun. Thanks to those adults who helped and supported the children.



Show Racism the Red Card

Monday 5th February is 'Show Racism the Red Card Day' at East Boldon Junior School. Show Racism the Red Card is the UK's leading anti-racism educational charity.



NSPCC

Look out for letters next week for our NSPCC event coming up later this term. We will be taking part in Buddy's Big Workout and parents will be invited to an NSPCC workshop on the morning of the 1st March.



Story Time with Jonny Duddle

Author and illustrator, Jonny Duddle will be at The Word on the 12th February to introduce his latest book *The Pirates of Scurvy Sands*. He will host an interactive talk about his work and he will be signing copies of his books. Further information and tickets are available online: <https://theworduk.org/whats-on/storytime-with-jonny-duddle/>



Local Library

You will have received a letter this week letting you all know about how the library on Boker Lane will function in the future. If you want to know more, there is an open day tomorrow morning between 10.00am and 12.00pm.

For further information about the open day contact Jackie Watson 07954585861



Let's Celebrate!

Writers of the week

Year 3 – Imogen Dunbar and Charlie Walker

Year 4 – Millie Wood and Penelope Frazer

Year 5 – Robene Bailey and Harry Quinn

Year 6 – Sadie Kellett and Anna Smith

Stars of the week

Year 3 – Jack King and Freya Morrison

Year 4 – Auden Mackie and Ethan Fuller

Year 5 – Danny Boyd and Mae Nellist

Year 6 – Thomas MacLennan and Holly Stoker

Head Teacher's Awards

We have received some amazing homework this week: giant posters; fact files; pages of maths and more. **Violet Tosh** produced an amazing replica of an Anglo Saxon Manuscript.

The pupils in Year 6 asked if they could raise money for charity by having a bake sale. Well done to **Josh Lloyd, Jonathan Newton, Millie Gralton, Francesca Hutchinson, Amelia Yeung, Samuel Pallas, Faith Lumsdon, Holly Stoker, Ella Morton, Sophia Harrion, Isabella McCord and Esther Harrison.**

Term dates for your diary

31st Jan – Y6 Festival of Maths

5th Feb – Show Racism the Red Card Day

Half Term Monday 12th – 16th February

20th Feb – Y3 Road Safety starts (6 weeks)

20th Feb – NSPCC Day 'Speak out, stay safe'

26th Feb – Girls' football match

1st Mar – NSPCC workshop for parents at 9am

2nd Mar – World Book Day

10th Mar – PTA Spring Fair

12th/13th Mar – Y4 visit to The Word

22nd Mar – Y3 Multi skills festival

29th Mar – Y3 Sporting culture festival

Easter Holiday Friday 30th March – 13th April

Child Safety Reminders:

Video/photo on social media

Please be aware that photographs or video taken at school events such as shows and assemblies should not be shared on social media



if they contain images of children other than your own. Failure to abide by this may result in parents being asked not to take photos or video in school.

Dogs

Polite reminder - dogs should not be brought onto the school premises. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter

Parking

Please take care when parking cars to pick up or drop children off at school. Children's safety is paramount. The Police visit all schools regularly to check that children are safe when arriving at, or leaving, school.

