

What's been happening in: Year 5

Year 5 have had a wonderful couple of days working with Will and Sarah from the Local Authority talking about their physical and mental health. They have worked together in their classes discussing some interesting issues including the use of social media, smoking, drugs, climate change, and even Brexit! It was fantastic to see how knowledgeable the children are and how aware they are of the world around them. Their discussions and all their hard work culminated in them producing a rap about some of the things they believe are important to them. Keep an eye out on our Ernehale Twitter feed where we will tweet our completed masterpiece.

'It was brilliant for us all to talk about issues within the world. I liked how Sarah compared people to parts of nature. We talked about how people like lots of things in the world need sunshine. Sunshine is what makes you happy, my sunshine would be reading a good book. I really enjoyed the rap it was great fun!'

Beatrix Sampson

Our School Well-being

As part of our focus this year we are continuing to look for ways to support our mental well-being. We are currently focusing on Ernehale's 5 ways to well-being.

As a reminder these are:

Connect	Keep Learning	Give
Keep Active	Take Notice	

This week, we would like to ask your child to spend a little time helping someone else. This could be a sibling, grandparent, neighbour or friend. Talk to them about their act of kindness and discuss how it makes them feel.

Parents have been asking about online support when it comes to monitoring their children online when they are gaming. ThinkUKnow have written a pretty comprehensive article for parents and carers regarding gaming including chatting, risks, tips etc. You can view the full article here:

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/gaming>

Burn Prevention Day

A parent has asked us to share with you details about this year's burn prevention day which takes place on 16th October. As part of this we have been asked to share with you the following link which provides lots of resources, activities and key learning points for children of all ages. Feel free to click the link for more information:

<https://www.cbtrust.org.uk/>

The Really Bright Party

Our friends at St Marks Church have asked us to share with you an event that they are hosting as an alternative to the usual trick or treat! The party takes place on 31st of October and offers free admission, hot dogs and drinks! Please see the poster attached for more information.

On The Look Out

Do you have any empty (clean) jam jars at home? Maybe you have an empty lemon curd one from this morning's breakfast! Well Miss Hancock is looking for any unwanted jam jars (with lids) that she can recycle for a project that she is doing in school. Should you have any at home that you wish to donate, please bring them to the office.

Key Dates for This Term (new dates shown in purple):

09/10/2019 – Arnold Hill Year 6 Information Evening
10/10/2019 – Class 3&4 Reading Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am
10/10/2019 – Class 1 Swimming
10/10/2019 – Class 5&6 Reading Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am
14&15/10/2019 – Year 5 Beaumanor Hall Residential
15/10/2019 – Year 3 Individual Portrait Photos
17/10/2019 – Class 1 Swimming
17/10/2019 – Parents Evening
18/10/2019 – **Inset Day, School Closed**

In case you missed it this week

- Beaumanor Hall Residential Parents Evening (For parents who did not attend, booklets were sent home with your child.)
- Parents Evening Letters (Paper & email copies sent home 4/10/19)

Events for next week

- Thursday 10th, Class 3,4,5&6 Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am
- Thursday 10th, Class 1 Swimming

Ernehale Achievers

Congratulations to the following pupils for receiving this last week's Ernehale Achievers award:

Maicie Peters	Charlie Dawe	Finley Nalor
Georgia Hopkin	Reid Brown	Cora Myles-Graham
Iris Mill	Chloe Slater	

Ernehale Achievers Extra

During the weekend Abigail Dove took part in a fundraising event for the Trent Cardiac Unit, within Nottingham City Hospital. Abigail and some of her friends from the Nottingham Panthers took part in selling new 'Have a Heart' wristbands. The group managed to sell hundreds of wristbands and will be doing it again this weekend when the Panthers play Sheffield. Good luck Abigail, we hope that you sell lots more merchandise in aid of a wonderful charity!



Do you have an extra curriculum achievement to share? Please email your story, including any photos to the school office on: office@ernehalejuniorschool.co.uk

Arriving at School

Year 6 children have the opportunity to begin school for 8.45am, this is so that pupils can be ready and prepared to begin their learning for 9.00am. With this in mind, some parents have asked for the gates to open earlier to allow students to enter the school grounds. Unfortunately, this is not possible due to there being no staff members on the playground until 8.45am. We would advise for any Year 6 students to arrive promptly for 8.45am they will then be able to go straight to class for early learning.

PFA Future Calendar Dates

We would like to make you aware that the PFA School Disco, PFA Hamper day and PFA Coffee Morning have now all been planned in. More information will be communicated to parents in due course. We have also attached an updated calendar of school events reflecting these dates to this newsletter.

Key Dates for This Term (new dates shown in purple):

19/10-3/11/2019 – **October Half Term**
4/11/2019 – **School Opens, First Day Back**
5/11/2019 – Class 7&8 Reading Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am
7/11/2019 – Class 3&4 Maths Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am
12/11/2019 – Class 5&6 Spelling Open Lesson 9.00am-10.00am

All Dates Are Subject to Change

To view school holidays and inset days please click the following link:
<http://www.ernehale-jun.notts.sch.uk/calendar/>