

Elm Green Newsletter



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Summer Term Issue 4

Stay at Home VE Day Celebrations

It was good to receive so many messages and some lovely photos to show families enjoying a Bank Holiday in the sun last Friday. It seems that many cakes were baked, decorated and consumed...they look absolutely scrumptious. Please keep sending photos to admin and we will ensure there is a 'Stay at Home VE Day' display when we return!





George Fox

I am sure that the entire Elm Green community will join me in sending their sympathy, condolences and love to George's family and partner. George, aged just 21, recently lost his brave battle with cancer. Like his brother and sister, George attended Elm Green and left in Year 6 to go to Gosfield School. His easy, outgoing nature, bright smile and strong sense of fun made him a true friend to all and a very popular member of the school community. Having learnt to ride his bike at Elm Green, George regularly cycled down the lane to chat to the teachers and share his news long after he had left. We will all miss him immensely.

Keeping Grandma and Grandpa Safe

The local Coronavirus Volunteer Support Group are working in collaboration with the Danbury Contact magazine on a special edition to be distributed to all households in the village. The theme is 'Keeping Grandma and Grandpa Safe' and they would be delighted if our children could get involved in helping to brighten local residents' days during these challenging times. Should you wish to take part in this heart-warming initiative, they are looking for bright imaginative creations, particularly jokes (can be of a diverse nature and not following the theme), poetry, pictures, short pieces of writing and special messages to grandparents. However, the deadline is the end of the day on Thursday 14th May. Please send any contributions to admin@elmgreen.essex.sch.uk.



More Acts of Kindness

Freddie in 2T recently participated in a challenge organised by Barnes Rugby Club to raise money for the NHS and also in memory of a club member who sadly passed away from C-19. The 'Big Lift Challenge' involved the team, their fans and a large majority of the England Rugby Team collectively lifting 1 million Kg in weight in 1 day and donating to the NHS. The club initially aimed to raise £10,000 and actually surpassed that and raised £122,000. Freddie lifted 10kgs in total and made his own contribution to the NHS. Well done Freddie! - a great achievement.

Caring for the Environment

Jack and Anna wanted to do their bit for the environment and have wanted to go litter picking for ages - now they've got the time, they spent a morning picking up litter around the country lanes! Between them they collected 3 large bags of plastic, tin and glass. You are a great example to us all—well done!

Thank You to everyone from Mrs Milner

I would like to thank all of our teachers, teaching assistants and support staff who continue to work tirelessly and creatively. They continue to plan and deliver lessons and provide feedback to our children with a commitment to, and care that is amazing. I am proud to lead this wonderful group. Thank you to our parents for all that they are doing to support the children. As ever, at the heart of this are the children who demonstrate their talent, creativity but most importantly, their resilience amidst the daily challenges. Thank you!



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