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Robinwood assembly

Y6 treated us to an assembly full of re-enactments recounting their residential trip in October. It was obvious that they had a fantastic time and learnt a great deal about problem solving, teamwork and peer support. Well done Y6!



PARKING!!!

Despite repeated requests about safer parking, cars continue to be parked irresponsibly on East Avenue. Where there are Keep Clear markings, yellow zig zags and double yellow lines, stopping and parking is NOT allowed and is in fact illegal. A parking ticket can be given for this offence.

Please find below the information published by the council:

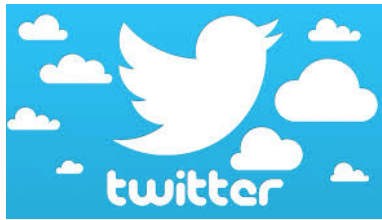
The Council's Civil Enforcement Officers enforce all yellow lines and other waiting restrictions throughout the borough helping to manage Stockport's roads by:

- Keeping Stockport Moving, as main roads will be kept clear of illegally parked vehicles;
- Improving Road Safety, by deterring parking on yellow lines around junctions, bus stops and schools;

A higher charge, £70 (reduced to £35 if paid within 14 days) will be made for unlawful parking which causes the most disruption and danger to road users e.g. parking on a yellow line.

I am currently putting out repeated requests for the civil enforcement officers to patrol East Avenue and issue parking tickets. I would urge parents to do the same. Cars should NOT be parked up on the kerb as this is extremely dangerous for passing pedestrians, which include OUR pupils. Please support the school in clamping down on this ILLEGAL parking and phone the council on 0161 217 6111.





Follow us @EtchellsPS

We now have 126 followers on our Twitter feed which is a fantastic number. For those of you who may not be aware, we use Twitter in school to share good news, communicate important messages and most importantly, to celebrate and share the excellent work the children are doing in school. It is easy to download the Twitter app onto your phone, sign up and follow us alongside your favourite celebrities!! We are careful not to follow anyone ourselves as this is not why we use this form of social media. Nor do we actually enter into communication through Twitter - instead, we ask you to email, phone or refer to our website.

It really brings the Twitter feed alive when parents post photos and comments about school or what the children have been doing at home. If you would like to be 're-tweeted' you need to include @EtchellsPS in your tweet and then it will be visible to us. Go on, have a go and let's try and raise our followers to 150!



Tom and Alisha, our Head Boy and Girl, proudly represented the school on Sunday by laying the Etchells wreath at the memorial in Heald Green. Many thanks to Mrs Mallinson also, who accompanied them.

Christmas Fair Update

Today you will receive a letter with your child asking for help on one of the stalls for the Christmas Fair. We are just asking for 30 minutes of your time. Everything is organised and almost ready to go - we just need lots of helpers to run the stalls in order to keep queues down and to help us offer a wide range of activities, games and refreshments. PLEASE sign up and return the slip asap and lets make this fair a success!!

Next Friday will be the second of our dress down days. Please come to school in normal school uniform but we would like to see silly socks! These might be christmas socks, stripy socks, football socks, odd socks or just your favourite crazy socks! In exchange, we are asking for voluntary contributions of a cuddly toy which will form the lucky dip stall. Please ensure all cuddlies are washed before bringing to school. Many thanks for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Cathy Beddows

and the Etchells staff

