



NORTH RIGTON

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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BULLETIN — Friday 15th September 2023

We have had another wonderfully busy week in school, with lots going on.

We have welcomed three new members of staff. Miss Kate Burrows and Miss Jade Roberts have joined us as Teaching Assistants, working across each of the classes, and Ms Kate Buckley will be part of our administration team in the office. As we continue to strengthen links in our Fellowship, we are pleased that our new members of staff will be working across both schools.

We have started rehearsals for our Harvest Festival, which will be held on Friday 29th September at 9.15am, in the school hall. Our theme will be Harvest Around the World, we do hope you can join us for this.

Many of our clubs started this week. We've welcomed children to Dancing, Gardening and Multi-Sports Clubs and we had a visit from Harrogate Theatre to share the activities that they will be offering us. It was good to see children from All Saints joining in with our clubs at North Rigton. If you've not signed your child up to any of the after-school activities we offer, please get in touch with the office to see if there are any places still available.

You may have seen recently that the DfE is concerned about the number of children who are absent from schools, all across the country. If you are concerned about how much time your child has off school, please do not hesitate to get in touch as we have procedures that can help. We do contact families, who have children with repeated absences, to offer our support. If your child is unwell and you are not sure whether they should be in school this information may help: [Is my child too ill for school? - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk)

Please remember to park considerately when dropping off and picking up your children from school. Please do not block neighbour's driveways and do not park too close to the pub entrance/exit. Parking around the roads near to school has caused jams this week so please think carefully about where you leave your car and treat pedestrians and other road users with respect and kindness. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Andrews



Diary Dates:

- 29.09.23** – Harvest Festival 9.15am—all parents are welcome to join us in the school hall
- 03.10.23**—Busy Bees Apple Morning at the Great Yorkshire Showground
- 06.10.23** – Fire Safety Talks for the whole school
- 19.10.23** – Mini Medics First Aid Workshops for KS1 and KS2
- 25.10.23 & 26.10.23** – Meet the Teacher Appointments (more information to follow)
- 21.11.23** – Y5/6 Fellowship Classes to the St Aidan's production: The Little Mermaid (more information to follow)
- 30.11.23** – Y3/4 Road Safety Talk with the British Horse Society
- 05.12.23** – Y5/6 WW2 History Day (more information to follow)
- 06.12.23**—Fellowship Trip to the Pantomime (more information to follow)
- 07.12.23** – KS2 Theatre Club performance at the Harrogate Theatre (more information to follow)
- 13.12.23** – Apples and Pears Nativity at St John's Church (more information to follow)
- 14.12.23**—KS2 Carols around the Tree at school (more information to follow)





Parents in the Playground:

A reminder that in the morning, school staff will come out at 8.50am to blow the whistle, signalling that the children should line up ready to enter school. Please ensure that you stay with your children until this point as we do not have staff supervision until this time and children remain under the responsibility of their parents.

If you are travelling to school by car, please walk your child/children to the school gates so that they have safely entered the premises.

NYCC Music Service Assembly:

On Thursday, we had musical visitors from NYCC, they shared with us all the exciting music lessons that they can offer. If your child would like to start music lessons with NYCC, they can offer tuition within school. Please look out for further information from them.



YELLOW RIBBON AWARDS...

Apples:

Tenzin—Positivity
Cassia—Independence

Pears:

Anya—Independence
Toby—Perseverance

Busy Bees:

Harry G—Being a super role model
Joey—Positivity

Tigers:

Nathan—Independence
Gaby—Perseverance



HOUSE POINTS ...

Willow— 26 Hawthorn— 48

Rowan— 36 Maple— 34

Well done to Hawthorn this week!

AUTUMN TERM CLUB REMINDERS ...

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| Monday: | Street Dance led by Mrs Gotts-Smith | KS2 |
| | Gardening Club led by Miss Ellis | KS2 |
| | Recorder Club (lunchtime) led by Mrs Littlewood | KS2 |
| Tuesday: | Multi-Sports led by Mr Overton from Harrogate Town | KS1 |
| Wednesday: | Sporting Influence Competitions for KS1 and KS2 —Information to follow | |
| | Choir led by Sadie the Music Lady (lunchtime) | KS1 |
| Thursday: | Harrogate Theatre Club led by Niki Alderson | KS2 |
| | Fellowship Tennis HELD AT ALL SAINTS (early pick up required) | KS2 |
| | Hockey Club led by Megan from Harrogate Hockey Club | Y3/4 |
| Friday: | Lunchtime Choir led by Peta Kendall (Peta also has her ukelele and string tuition each Friday) | KS2 |

Thursday
21st Sep
18:30 - 20:30



Anxiety Explained

Whether it is your anxiety or your children's, what exactly is it and how do we manage it?

Thursday
28th Sep
18:30 - 20:30



Supporting a Child with ADHD

interactive session explaining what ADHD is and offering a range of interventions that can make lasting differences.

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