



NORTH RIGTON
CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL
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BULLETIN

Friday 3rd May 2024

It has been another busy week in school with lots going on across all of the classes.

We were delighted to be able to welcome Rev. Stroma into school this week who led a Collective Worship to our children based on our theme of 'service'.

During our weekly Fellowship Worship, Mrs Honey and I have also focussed on this theme. This week we looked at being secret servants to one another; looking for ways to support our classmates, family and friends by offering something to help or support them without wanting or needing something in return.

It has been wonderful to see so many secret servants around school this week who have really taken this on board— well done to you all.

Please remember that school is closed on Monday due to the Bank Holiday and we wish you all a wonderful long weekend.

Mrs Gardiner

YELLOW RIBBONS

Apples:

Emily—Respect

Noah—Independence

Pears:

Erin—Positivity

Jacob—Independence

Busy Bees:

Evelyn—Positivity

Joey—Determination

Tigers:

Matthew—Independence

Leya—Perseverance



Willow - 139

Hawthorn - 59

Rowan - 188

Maple - 162

Well done to Rowan this week!

HOUSE POINTS

Summer Term Diary Dates (more information to follow in due course)

06.05.24 -	May Day Bank Holiday (school closed)
08.05.24—	Y1 Phonics Screening information session for parents (3.30pm—4.00pm). Any children present may play some games in school whilst Miss Byrnes leads the presentation
09.05.24—	Mindfulness, yoga and wellbeing workshops led by Miss Vickers and Mrs Gardiner
13.05.24 to 16.05.24 -	Year 6 SATs Week (Y6 children are welcome to attend an informal breakfast club with Mrs Gardiner from 8.20am during the SATs test days)
20.05.24 to 24.05.24 -	Tigers Activity Week (further information was sent out this week so please check your inbox)
24.05.24—	Break up for half term at 3.30pm
03.06.24—	Training Day (school closed to pupils)
04.06.24—	2024 New Starters meeting for parents—3.45pm
07.06.24 -	Class photographs (full school uniform required on this date)
11.06.24 -	Busy Bees - Countryside Live trip
12.06.24 -	The Great Ogden Trust Science Share (selected pupils only) Sadie the Music Lady—Recital in the school hall 2pm (parents of those performing are welcome to attend)
14.06.24 -	FONR Mount Everest event
17.06.24 to 28.06.24—	Tigers production fortnight in collaboration with Harrogate Theatre
18.06.24 -	Busy Bees Sacred Space trip
19.06.24 -	FONR - Tigers market place event
25.06.24 -	Crucial Crew trip (Year 6 only)
26.06.24—	World Wellbeing Week
26.06.24 -	Pears trip to Kith Homestead
28.06.24 -	Busy Bees trip to Kith Homestead Tigers Production (10.00am and 2.30pm in the school hall)
01.07.24—	Sports Day supported by Harrogate Town
03.07.24 -	Tigers trip to Kith Homestead
04.07.24 -	Apples trip to Kith Homestead
05.07.24 -	Year 6 Special Service at Ripon Cathedral
08.07.24 -	Reserve Sports Day supported by Harrogate Town
11.07.24 -	School transition morning 2024 New Starters drop in Stay and Play 9.30am—11.00am
19.07.24 -	Y6 Leavers Service—10.00am in the school hall Break up for summer holidays at 3.30pm

Celebration Worship Weekly Music

During our Celebration Worship today, our children enjoyed listening to 'Shine Jesus Shine':

[Shine Jesus Shine \(worship video w/ lyrics\) \(youtube.com\)](#)



Reader of the Week and Golden Writer Awards

Congratulations to our Readers of the Week, Harry K (Y5), for showing love and enjoyment of reading.

Golden Writer Award this week goes to Hugo K (Y5) for showing such enthusiasm when writing for pleasure.

The children have enjoyed a trip to the North Rigton Shop to choose their prizes with Mrs Gardiner. Well done!



North Yorkshire Online Safety Webinar for Parents

Please find below the link to access the parent/carer session scheduled for **Wednesday 8th May 2024 – 4pm – 4.45pm.**

****This session is a repeat session (last delivered Jan 2024) so if parents/carers attended that session, then they don't need to attend again****

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NzE3NDQzZTAZGRIZC00YjJLTkyZTYtNzBjMmIxYzcyNGZk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7B%22Tid%22%3A%22dcdb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2C%22Oid%22%3A%225772fa8f-9814-4199-aef2-9195804f833e%22%2C%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3Atrue%2C%22role%22%3A%22a%22%22%7D&btype=a&role=a

Attendees do not need to register, they simply click on the link at the above time to access the session. **Cameras and voice/audio will be switched off for all attendees.** Attendees can ask questions by typing in the Q&A box, but this will be explained during the session.

The event will be streamed using Teams. Attendees can watch the live event in:

- **Teams app—desktop (Windows or Mac) or mobile.** (The Teams app is free to download if attendees would like to do that beforehand).
- **If they don't have Teams they can access it via one of the following browsers - Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge or Firefox.**

As a reminder, this session (and all our virtual sessions) will be recorded and will be subsequently shared so if somebody can't make the live session then they can watch it back at a time that is convenient to them.



Rail Safety Videos

Please see the below links which take you to a 15 minute video regarding rail safety. There are two videos, one aimed at KS1 and the other with a KS2 focus. They require a log in but are free of charge to watch.

We will cover these as part of our PSHE and safety units in school, but wanted to share these with you at home as it is hugely beneficial for the message to be shared with the whole family, especially as many of our children live close to the railway.

KS1— <https://learnliveuk.com/ks1-primary-school-safety-talk/>

KS2— <https://learnliveuk.com/network-rail-primary-school-safety-talk>

Design a Healthy City

Submit your pictures by June 10 and you could win £1500 worth of outdoor learning equipment for your school!



A 'healthy city' is a place where life of all kinds can bloom; where nature grows alongside - or on! - high-rise buildings. It's a bustling, clean, and happy place where our bodies and minds are nourished.

But what does a healthy city look like?

The challenge:

Create a picture that shows what you think a 'healthy city' could look like. Your picture could be a cityscape or a map. You might want to zoom right in and draw a particular part of your city. You could even draw a new invention that will make your city healthy. Get creative!

Here's a few thoughts to inspire you:

- How would people travel in a healthy city?
- How will nature and wildlife be supported?
- What will people eat and how will they get their food?
- How will people reduce waste?
- Where will people live?
- How will your city's community stay healthy?

The prize:

Our panel of expert judges will choose 3 winning entries. Each winning entry will receive a £1500 voucher to spend on outdoor learning resources for their school from educational supplier YPO.

How to take part and submit your ideas:

1. Print out the [A3 picture template](#) for everybody that wants to take part.
2. Explain the challenge to your participants.
3. Allow your pupils to get creative and design their healthy cities!
4. Scan/photograph all of your creations and **submit them to healthycities@bupa.com by June 10**. Don't forget to include the name and postcode of your school in your email.

Winners will be announced 26th June - the start of World Wellbeing Week.



Design a Healthy City Competition

Please see the above 'Design a Healthy City' competition. If your child would like to enter, entry forms are available to collect from Mrs Gardiner's office. We are reducing our paper waste by making the choice not to send entry forms home with every child as some may choose not to participate.

Entries need returning to Mrs Gardiner by **Wednesday 5th June** so that all the entries from school can be submitted together. Best of luck to those who enter!

North Rigton Eco Club: 2024-2025

In September we will be launching a new Eco Club in school. The club will centre around finding ways to make our school site more conducive to biodiversity, helping to teach others about ways we can be Advocates of Change and also promoting awareness of key issues our world is facing with regards to climate change.

We are looking for volunteers to help run this club in the next academic year. If you are passionate about our environment or are interested in supporting a small group of students, please contact the office to express your interest and availability to Mrs Gardiner.