



**NORTH RIGTON**  
CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL  
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# BULLETIN

## Friday 16th May 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Very well done to our Year 6 children who have successfully completed their SATs this week, we have been very proud of their attitude and commitment. After all their hard work the Year 6 children, along with their Year 5 classmates, are now every much looking forward to their residential at Newby Wiske next week. Please note that due to staff being on the residential next week, this is the final Bulletin for the half term.

Have a lovely weekend,  
Mrs Andrews and Mrs Gardiner



### YELLOW RIBBONS

#### Apples -

Wilf - Dedication

#### Busy Bees—

Pieter - Respect

Harry - Independence

#### Pears—

Toby - Perseverance

Teddy - Enthusiasm

#### Tigers—

Teddy - Perseverance

Grace - Independence

All Year 6 for amazing focus and perseverance in their SATs



### HOUSE POINTS

**Willow - 61**

**Hawthorn - 34**

**Rowan - 61**

**Maple - 60**

**Well done to Willow & Rowan  
this week!**

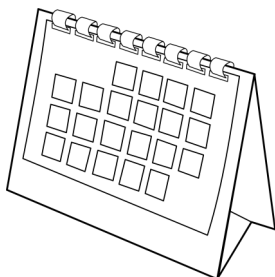
**Sporting Ribbon** - Albert ( R) For bringing such positivity to the lesson and showing great listening skills and sharing.

### WHITE RIBBONS

Sophie, Niamh, Tuesday & Ruby (Y4) for showing independence and koinonia when remembering to collect fruit and vegetable waste for the compost worms.

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

21.05.25—23.05.25	Tigers class trip to <b>Newby Wiske</b> Residential (please note that drop off on the 21st is at the Odeon)
23.05.25	Break up for half term
02.06.25	Teacher Training Day—School closed to pupils
06.06.25	Class photos—full school uniform to be worn on this date, please
09.06.25	New Apples 2025 starters parent information meeting—3.45pm in Apples classroom
09.06.25—13.06.25	Year 1 Phonics Screening Assessments
11.06.25	Eco group to Kith Homestead (Pt 4/4)



17.06.25	Sports Day—Parents welcome to join us on the school field from 1.30pm
20.06.25	FONR Summer Disco at Almscliffe Hall (5.30pm—7pm)
25.06.25	Y5/6 Production in the school hall—performances at 10.30am and 2.00pm (Heroes of Troy)
30.06.25	Y6 trip to Crucial Crew
01.07.25	Y6 trip to Ripon Cathedral
02.07.25	Tigers class trip to Kith Homestead
03.07.25	Apples class trip to Kith Homestead
04.07.25	Pears class trip to Kith Homestead
08.07.25	PC Bex Moorhouse to visit school to discuss her role in the Police and summer safety tips
09.07.25	Busy Bees class trip to Kith Homestead
10.07.25	Whole school moving up morning (transition morning) New Apples 2025 starters stay and play—9.30am—11.30am
11.07.25	End of year reports sent home via email
14.07.25	Hello/Goodbye picnic on the school field—1.00pm—parents and carers invited (more information to follow)
18.07.25	Y6 Leavers Service—10am in the school hall Y6 Games Afternoon led by parents Break up for summer

### Reader of the Week and Golden Writer Awards

Congratulations to Ruby (Y4) who has been awarded our Golden Writer Award for using excellent vocabulary and language.

A huge well done to Hettie (Y1) who was chosen as Reader of the Week for beautiful reading

Both children have enjoyed a visit to Mrs Gardiner's stationery shop to choose their prizes. Well done!

Reader  
of the  
Week



### **FONR Message**

Dear Parents,

You may have seen the message that FONR (friends of North Rigton) are looking for new members for the new school year in September 2025 to continue fun events for the children and support the school financially.

The current committee will be stepping down at the end of August. Therefore, we need at least 3 new parents to take FONR forward for it to continue.

If you are interested, please speak to Sam, Becky, Sarah or Mrs Gardiner.

Thank you!

FONR



### **FONR Updates**

\*\*\*FONR Event Reminder\*\*\* Nidderdale walk 18.5.25

Join FONR, make a donation for those taking part or make up your own walking group to have fun, exercise and raise money for school all at the same time 🙌.

\*\*\*All money raised will be going towards the new outdoor classroom 🏡\*\*\*

FONR and friends will be walking the 4 mile route with children and anyone is welcome to join, please do as the more the merrier!

There are lots of pre planned routes available at different lengths for all abilities and ages to get involved and raise money for your chosen charity. Please get your stomping shoes on and join us in raising money for school!

All donations or sponsorship can be made via schools just giving page, link here: [https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/amanda-foster-3?utm\\_medium=CR&utm\\_source=CL](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/amanda-foster-3?utm_medium=CR&utm_source=CL)

If 10 people sign up to the walk and choose 'Friends of North Rigton' as their chosen charity, half of the sign up fee will also be donated to FONR.

Follow this link to sign up and we'll look forward to seeing you there! <https://www.nidderdalewalk.com>

### **Bed Race Team— A message from the North Rigton Dads!**

We are reaching out to share an exciting opportunity to make a real impact in our community. A group of Dads from North Rigton School has formed a team to participate in The Great Knaresborough Bed Race on June 14th, and we're on a mission to raise funds for our school's Parent Teacher Association. Every contribution will go towards acquiring much-needed sports equipment for the new outdoor discovery classroom that can enhance our children's learning and play.

Your support would mean the world to us and to the students who will benefit from improved resources. We genuinely appreciate any amount you can contribute to help us achieve our goal. Together, we can ensure that our kids have the tools they need to thrive both academically and athletically.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to help make a difference!

<https://gofund.me/046074ba>



### Staffing for September

Please find attached the below information with regards to the teaching staff structure in place for September:

Headteacher—Mrs Amber Andrews

Assistant Headteacher—Mrs Sophia Gardiner

Apples—Miss Kate Burrow

### Pears—Miss Millie Ellis

**Busy Bees—Miss Karen Ellis (Mon, Tues, Weds) and Mrs Jo Butler (Thurs, Fri)**

Tigers—Miss Chloe Lewis

Fellowship SENDCo Team—Mrs Elisabeth Porter and Mrs Sophia Gardiner

Mrs Butler is a fully qualified teacher who has worked with us for many years in lots of different roles. We are truly delighted that she will be joining the teaching team in September.

**Our new Outdoor Discovery Classroom and improved playground facilities—coming autumn 2025!**



If you'd like to make a donation towards our new build, or contribute to the purchasing of resources to fill it, please scan the QR code below:







ALL WELCOME!

# North Rigton VILLAGE GALA

*in the Community Garden*

**S A T U R D A Y**

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**JUNE 14, 4.30 - 11.00pm**

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**MUSIC . FOOD . BAR**

**PIZZAS . HOT DOGS . CAKE**

**CHILDRENS GAMES**

**RAFFLE . TOMBOLA**

**DOG SHOW . DANCING**

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