



Faith Courage Love

Faith to move forward in confidence and succeed.
Courage to make a difference in the world every day.
Love one another as God loves us.

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The Hive is open!

The Hive is now fully refurbished and is ready to open its doors to all of our Roeclyffe children. This resource room will be used as a library and for group work and technology projects. Please come and have a look at this new, exciting space during your visit at parent consultation evenings.

Christmas dinner

Your child will automatically have a Christmas lunch ordered for them on Wednesday 11th December. Please let Mrs Jones know if your child does not wish to eat traditional Christmas dinner and would rather have a packed lunch that day.

Rotary Christmas Shoe Box Scheme

We would very much appreciate any donations for the Shoebox Scheme or filled shoeboxes so that we may support this worthy cause at Christmas time. The deadline for bringing donations or filled shoeboxes in to school for the Rotary Shoebox Scheme is **Friday 15th November**.

Suggestions of contents in boxes are -

Toys - For Boys & Girls

Cars, trucks, etc, balls, complete jigsaws, action figures, colouring books, pens, crayons, lego blocks, yo-yo, bubble blowers, wooden and plastic toys, building blocks, pencil case, pencil sharpener, dominoes, playdough / plasticine and cutters, fluffy toys, dolls, stickers, writing pads, skipping rope, scarf, mittens / gloves, hat, harmonica, games, playing cards.

Teenagers ~ For young people up to 18 years age

Sportswear, scarf, gloves, socks, hat, football memorabilia, writing materials, games, playing cards, tennis ball, toothbrush and toothpaste, deodorants, comb, mirror, costume jewellery, make-up, hair brush, toiletries, school stationery, clothing repair kits, sketch pad, coloured pens / pencils...

Household Goods ~ For older folk & families

Scarfs, gloves, hats, wrapped soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, disposable razors, shampoo, soap flakes, pan scourers, antiseptic cream, bandages, face or body creams, cosmetics, pens, writing pad & envelopes, T lights, candles, sewing kit, scissors...

Baby ~ Age up to 12 months

This is given to new mothers and can include baby wipes, cotton wool buds, baby shampoo, baby oil, talc powder, bonnet, booties and mitts, baby grow, knitted matinee coat, small soft toy or plastic rattle.

More information is available at <http://www.rotaryshoebox.org/> Thank you!

Nikki Mitchel Photos

Nikki will be dropping off her first orders next week. If you haven't had your login details or have misplaced them please contact her directly on her website below where she can provide you with your individual login and password.

<https://www.nikkimitchellphotography.com/home>

Thank you FORCES

Many thanks to the FORCES parents who provided us with an amazing Sparkly Nights Disco! We had lots of fun playing games and dancing the night away in our sparkles!

A big thank you to Susie Winder for arranging our Bags2School collection - the Class who brought in the most bags was Class 1 who will be rewarded with a **Non Uniform Day next week on Tuesday 12th November.**

Proposed school admission arrangements for 2021-22

North Yorkshire County Council is currently consulting on proposed school admission arrangements for community and voluntary controlled schools for 2021-2022. This consultation closes on 6 December 2019 and parents are welcome to view the consultation at the following website address.

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/current-consultations>

Congratulations to Miss Ratliffe

We had a surprise visit from Miss Ratliffe today while she was passing Roecliffe where she introduced us to the beautiful Erin Macy! We all wish Miss Ratliffe and her family the very best at this very exciting time.

Wednesday 13th & Thursday 14th November 3.40pm - 6.00pm Parent consultations

We are looking forward to welcoming you to our parent consultations on Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th Nov. Please wait in the hall and take the opportunity to look through your child's books before your appointment.

Fountains Abbey visit

Please note that this visit on 10th December has been cancelled.

Remembrance Service

Children will be marking Remembrance Day with a short service in school on Monday morning. Here they will sing songs, read poems and show art work to the rest of the school connected to poppies and remembrance.

Cross Country

Congratulations to Teddy and Ed from Class 4 who represented the school at the recent County cross country finals. Well done boys you performed amazingly and we are very proud of you.

Bubble/Mud Kitchen

We are delighted to announce that Class 1 will soon have a brand new mud/bubble kitchen built by Kirby Joinery - we will be having an opening ceremony very soon!

Parking Reminder

Again, we are having to remind parents that the layby is only to be used in the mornings for dropping off children not for parking. If you intend to stay in the playground with your children please do not leave your car in the layby.

Reception 2020 Open Sessions

The remaining two sessions for prospective Reception parents are on - **Wednesday 13th November 9.15am and Thursday 14th November 1.15pm.**

Diary Dates -

The remaining training day dates for Rocliffe for 2019-20 academic year are :-

Monday 6th Jan, Monday 1st June and Monday 20th July.

Wednesday 13th November 9.15am Reception 2020 Open Session

Thursday 14th November 1.15pm Reception 2020 Open Session

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Tuesday 3rd December - KS2 Dodgeball Competition

Friday 6th December - FORCES Christmas Fair 3.30pm at Laughing Giraffe

Wednesday 11th December Christmas Dinner

Thursday 12th December 2pm Reception and Class 2 nativity

Friday 13th December 9am Class 1 Christmas carols round the tree

Thursday 16th July - Evening Class 4 Production - Bishop Monkton Village Hall

Try to avoid the rain and have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Briggs