



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.

Parent Newsletter 10.03.2023

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Dear parent / carer

The snow has brought an 'interesting' twist to the end of another very busy week at Roedcliffe!

We certainly made the most of the white stuff whilst it lasted!

<https://roedcliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/snow-day/>

- Star Jump Challenge

This half term our Positive Learning Behaviour is 'I challenge myself' and our children certainly worked hard in challenging themselves in our Star Jump Challenge on Thursday! All of our children completed as many star jumps as possible in one minute and younger children worked with older peers to count up their star jumps. Congratulations to Freddy S in Class 2 and Jack D in Class 1 for achieving the most star jumps in one minute - both children have won a Phunky Foods water bottle!

<https://roedcliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/star-jumpers/>

We look forward to another round of Star Jump Challenge in the near future to see if we have improved our score from this week.

- Healthy Schools Food and Active Learning remote sessions

On Tuesday Class 2 and Class 3 children took part in a North Yorkshire Healthy Schools remote event to learn about how to create a healthy meal and some active learning activities. These children prepared a fruit and yoghurt snack and took it home to enjoy!

- Science week (13th - 17th March)

Next week is National Science Week!

Please bring to school any clean cardboard or paper recycling which you may have at home, so that your children can participate in a whole school activity for Science week, next Friday.

Next week we will celebrate Science week with a competition where children are encouraged to showcase experiments, investigations and demonstrate scientific understanding and knowledge. The children's findings can be presented in any way they feel is most appropriate. For example they could build a model, create a presentation or even a video of themselves carrying out an experiment, alongside explanations of the science and how the concept illustrates 'Connections'.

This is a great opportunity for children to show what they love about science and for parents and caregivers to collaborate with the children.

You can enter the competition by uploading photos, videos, and slides to your class's folder. A letter has been emailed out to parents this week with details of folders and links to these on Google Classroom.

Alternatively, children can bring their entry into school up until the **16th March**.

There are lots of ideas for activities on the following websites:

<https://www.rigb.org/learning/activities-and-resources?type=28>

<https://learning.sciencemuseumgroup.org.uk/learning-resources/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lTxvhITF0p0>

We look forward to seeing all your science activities and finding out what you love about science!

- Thank you!

A huge thank you to all our children and their families for contributing sponsorship money to last week's Readathon event. We are delighted with the amount of children who have taken part and the amount raised so far. Please make sure that you bring your Readathon sponsorship money to school by Wednesday 15th March.

- FORCES News

MOTHERS AND OTHERS SHOP

Our popular 'Mother's and Others shop' will be returning for just one day only on **TUESDAY 14TH MARCH**. Letters have gone out with your children in hard copy form and via email. The cut-off date for orders is today (Friday 13th March) to enable us to shop for gifts in plenty of time. Even if you have paid by BACS we still require your completed order form so we have the correct information for the gift tag.

CHOCOLATE BINGO

Eyes down for Chocolate Bingo ! This popular event is returning on Friday 31st March from 2.30pm - 4pm.

More details to follow in next week's newsletter.

We always need help at the events we run. Many hands make light work so if you are able to help out with our Mothers and Others shop on the morning of Tuesday 14th March please drop us an email !

For up to date information about our fundraising events please join our Facebook page "Roecliffe FORCES" or feel free to contact us by email forcesroecliffe@outlook.com

Menu Change

On Monday 13th March please note the main lunch option will be mediterranean cannelloni instead of the pasta parcels.

Winning house this week

Congratulations to East for achieving the most house points this week!

Positive Learning Behaviours (PLB) Awards

Congratulations to these superstar children who have been awarded the PLB award this week. Our PLB which we are focussing on this half-term is 'I challenge myself'.

Class 1 - Georgie

Class 2 - Max

Class 3 - Temp

We wish you all a very enjoyable weekend!

Mrs Briggs

Diary Dates

Monday 27th - Thursday 30th March

Parent Consultations

Monday 27th - Tuesday 28th March

Year 6 Bikeability

BAGS2SCHOOL

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Friday 31st March 9:15am

Easter Service at St Mary's Church (parents welcome)

Tuesday 9th May -Friday 12th May

Year 6 SATS

Monday 12th June

Year 1 Phonics Check week

Thursday 6th July

Class 3 Production

Friday 7th July

Year 6 Leavers Service - Ripon Cathedral

Wednesday 12th July -Friday 14th July

Class 3 residential trip to Marrick Priory