



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 05.05.2023

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Dear parent / carer

With another short week behind us, we have been as busy as ever at Roecliffe!

• Coronation Celebration at Roecliffe

Thank you to Roecliffe parents and family members who are supporting our coronation event by joining us this afternoon at school and experiencing our children taking part in coronation activities for the last part of the afternoon.

Thank you also to families for bringing cakes and buns into school for our fundraising cake stall. It was a pleasure to see so many family members with us at school today! https://roecliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/roecliffe-coronation/

Reminder - Class 3 Marrick trip meeting

Miss Ratliffe has invited all Class 3 parents to attend a brief information meeting at 3.30pm on Thursday 25th May so that we can brief parents about our upcoming Marrick Priory residential trip in July.

• Forest School at Roecliffe

We are delighted and very excited that our school has secured funding for our children to enjoy Forest School sessions during the summer term. Born of the Forest will be working with our children at Badger Wood (in Roecliffe) on Mondays starting on Monday 15th May.

15th, 22nd May and 5th June - Class 2

12th, 19th and 26th June - Class 3

3rd, 10th and 17th July - Class 1

Class teachers will be in touch with parents by email nearer the time to provide more information.

https://www.bornoftheforest.co.uk/

Menu Change

Please note next Wednesday (10th May) the main lunch will be beefburgers served with peas, sweetcorn and potato wedges instead of cottage pie.

• Supervision of children at dropoff time

Please make sure that your child is supervised in the mornings at dropoff time by an adult known to them until 8.50am when the whistle is blown. This is when staff take over responsibility for the children. Only children in Years 5 and 6 may be left unsupervised by parents on the playground 8.45 - 8.50am and the Year 5/6 children should not be responsible for younger siblings.

SATs time once again!

Our Year 6 children will be completing their end of key stage 2 SATs tests next week. They have worked very hard under the brilliant guidance and expertise of Miss Ratliffe and we are very proud of what these children have achieved already this year. Miss Ratliffe is providing a delicious SATs breakfast for our Year 6s each day next week which should calm the nerves and provide some extra energy at the start of the day! We wish our Year 6 children the very best for next week, and of course, we also wish them our school values of faith, courage and love.

FORCES NEWS

CORONATION CELEBRATIONS

F.O.R.C.E.S. will be running a refreshments stall as part of the school's Coronation Celebrations this afternoon, Friday 5th May 2.30pm - 3.30pm. Donations of cakes, buns and biscuits will be very gratefully received to our refreshments stall at school, homemade or shop bought, we don't mind, but extra brownie points for any red, white and blue decorated items! Please bring your pennies!

TREASURER POSITION

We are looking for a new treasurer for our FORCES team. This role does not require you to be an accountant but it does need someone who is organised, has a reasonable head for figures and who knows their way around an excel spreadsheet. Full training and support will be given by the outgoing treasurer and other committee members. Open to anyone who would like to be part of our team and help support our school PTA. This is a role that needs to be filled in order for our PTA to carry on the work that we do. Without a replacement FORCES will temporarily fold until a replacement is found. For further information about the role or to register your interest please email forcesroecliffe@outlook.com. Thank you.

FATHERS DAY POP UP SHOP

It's nearly that time of year again and we are looking at opening our 'Dads and Lads' pop up shop next month for the children to come and buy a gift for the special father figures in their lives. This event is currently being organised with the help of just two members of the FORCES team. We are looking for four more volunteers who can help us in the running of this event please. We need just 3 hours of your time on the morning of Tuesday 13th June to set up the 'shop' in the school hall and help the children choose their presents, which is a fantastic experience! Please email us at forcesroecliffe@outlook.com if you can help us. Thank you.

BAGS2SCHOOL

Our next Bags2school collection will be on WEDNESDAY 10TH MAY AT 9AM.

There's still plenty of time to clear out all those cupboards and wardrobes! Bags went home with children last week but if yours didn't make it home (!!) or you need any extra bags please collect from the school office.

Please do not bring bags into school prior to the collection date as we do not have room to store bags. Details of what can be included in your donations can be found at www.bags2school.com

We always need help at the events we run. Many hands make light work so if you are able to help out with any of our events please drop us an email! For up to date information about our fundraising events please join our Facebook page "Roecliffe FORCES"

Or please feel free to contact us by email forcesroecliffe@outlook.com

Winning house this week

Congratulations to North 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 work positively with others'.

Class 1 - Fenton Class 2 - Grace Class 3 - Georgina

We hope all our families enjoy the coronation celebrations and that you all have a very pleasant bank holiday weekend!

Mrs Briggs

	Diary Dates
Friday 5th May 2.30-3.30pm	Coronation Celebration
Thursday 25th May 3.30pm	Marrick Priory Residential information evening
Monday 5th June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables check week
Friday 9th June	Class Photos
Thursday 22nd June - Afternoon	Sports Day
Monday 12th June	Year 1 Phonics Check week
Monday 3rd July	E Safety Parent Presentation
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

	Term Dates
Monday 1st May	School Closed - Bank Holiday
Monday 8th May	School Closed - Bank Holiday
Friday 26th May 3.30pm	School Closes for May Half-Term

Monday 5th June	School re-opens
Friday 21st June 230pm	School Closes for Summer Break