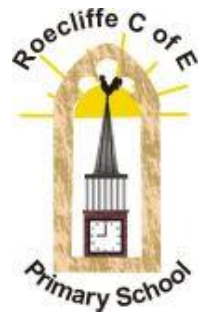




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Faith Courage Love

Faith to move forward in confidence and succeed.
Courage to make a difference in the world every day.
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03.05.2024

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Dear parent / carer

We hope you enjoy this week's newsletter!

- Nursery Phunky Foods workshop

Nursery children had a fantastic time with Beth at Phunky Foods this week trying more new fruits and making a tasty treat.

<https://roecliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/five-a-day/>

- Messy Play sessions come to Roecliffe!

We are excited to announce that Roecliffe will be providing weekly Messy Play sessions in September for babies and toddlers 9 months to 4 years old!

Join us for a free trial session on Tuesday 21st May and Thursday 4th July at 10.30-11.30am!

If you know any parents/ carers who have babies or children who may also wish to 'get messy', please let them know!

We are currently taking bookings for the trial sessions - just call us on 01423 322302 or email Vicky at office@roecliffeschool.co.uk

- Safeguarding snippet

All schools in the UK have recently been sent information from the National Crime Agency, raising awareness of the recent rise in reporting of financially motivated sexual extortion (a type of online blackmail often known in the media as 'sextortion'). Children and young people worldwide are being targeted. This type of crime involves an adult offender (often from an organised crime group based overseas) threatening to release nude or semi-nude images and/or videos of a child or young person, unless they pay money, or meet another financial demand, such as purchasing a pre-paid gift card.

Child victims may report being:

- contacted by an online account that they do not know but appears to be another child or young person. They may also be contacted by a hacked account of a child or young person they do know and the communication feels unfamiliar

- quickly engaged in sexually explicit communications, which may include the offender sharing an indecent image first
- moved from a chat on social media, an online platform or game to a private messaging app that is an end-to-end encrypted chat platform
- manipulated or pressured into taking nude or semi-nude photos or videos
- told they have been hacked and the offender has access to their images, personal information and contacts (whether this is true or not)
- blackmailed into sending money or meeting another financial demand (such as purchasing a pre-paid gift card) after sharing an image or video, or the offender sharing hacked or digitally manipulated/AI-generated images of the child or young person and making the threat of sharing them wider

If parents and carers would like further information, please find attached the parent / carer from the National Crime Agency.

- **Boroughbridge Academy of Music**

Boroughbridge Academy of Music is no longer able to join us in school to talk to us about music lessons so please find leaflets attached in our newsletter for further information.

- **Class 3 'Cakes for the Weekend Sale'**

Well done and a huge thank you to the Class 3 children and their parents / carers who brought delicious cakes and buns into school today for their 'Class 3 Cakes for the Weekend' Sale to raise funds for the children in our school.

The Class 3 children have promoted their sale with posters and priced up their buns and cakes ready to sell their goods to our Roecliffe families at collection time today. So, bring your pennies and enjoy a cake for the weekend!

- **Class 1 Athletics Tournament**

The Reception and Year 1 children were amazing athletes at a Sporting Influence tournament at Staveley CE Primary School this week. We are very proud of their efforts and the children had a fantastic time!

<https://roecliffe.n-yorks.sch.uk/sporty-superstars/>

- **Congratulations to Mrs Horn**

We are delighted to announce that Lucy Horn's baby daughter, Primrose Ella, arrived safely on Friday 19th April and Lucy and her gorgeous girl are both very well.

- **FORCES News**

CAKES FOR THE WEEKEND - TODAY!

This afternoon will be our first 'Cakes for the weekend' sale and first up is Class 3.

The idea of this inter class competition is to see which class can raise the most money selling their goodies whilst also being a good life lesson in how to advertise, price, and sell the finished product !

For example, if you decide to make some simple fairy cakes you might charge 25/30p for each cake however, if you've made some Rocky Road you might want to charge a slightly higher price of 50p/£1 for each slice.

Think about offering 'deals' e.g buy one cake for 30p or buy 4 for £1 or maybe buy one, get one free offer.

But remember, price your items too high and they may not sell so be ready to lower your prices if demand is low so you're not left with lots of 'stock' at the end of the sale.

Pupils can design their own price tags to make the items more attractive for sale or maybe you'd like to 'tell' people how much your items are, a more personal way of selling. It's entirely up to you how you manage YOUR sale!

So, Class 3 will kick off the sale this afternoon and everyone else please remember to bring your pennies to buy some goodies to take home for the weekend.

The sale dates for Class 2 and Class 1 are:

Class 2 - Friday 7th June

Class 1 - Friday 12th July

The class who raises the most money will receive a treat towards the end of term.

We will be asking you in the next few weeks what you would like to see us spend the money on that we make from these bake sales, and indeed all the other money F.O.R.C.E.S has made, so get your thinking caps on and feel free to email us on forcesroeclyffe@outlook.com as we're always very grateful for your options and ideas.

Good Luck everyone!

UPCOMING FORCES MEETING

We are looking at arranging a F.O.R.C.E.S meeting in the next couple of weeks, hopefully before we break up for half term. Watch this space for details of the date and time, everyone is more than welcome to come along.

Thank you
F.O.R.C.E.S

- This week's winning house

Congratulations to children in North house for achieving the most house points this week!

- Positive Learning Behaviour Awards

A huge well done and congratulations to these children for being chosen to receive the Positive Learning Behaviour Award:

Class 1 - Jack

Class 2 - Laertes

Class 3 - Charlie

We hope that all our Roecliffe families enjoy their Bank Holiday weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday!

Mrs Briggs

Diary Dates

Friday 10th May	Class 1 trip to Monk Park Farm
W/C 13th May	Year 6 SATS Weeks
Mon 10th - Thurs 13th June	Class 3 trip to France
Thursday 28th June	Sports Day 1pm
Wednesday 10th July	Class 3 Production - Bishop Monkton Village Hall
Friday 5th July	Back-up Sports Day 1pm

Term Dates 2023-24

Autumn Term

Friday 27th Oct	School Closes for half-term
Monday 6th Nov	School Reopens
Friday 22nd Dec	School closes for Christmas 2.30pm

Spring Term

Monday 8th Jan	Training Day - School Closed
Tuesday 9th Jan	School Opens for Spring Term
Friday 9th Feb	School Closes for half-term
Monday 19th Feb	School Reopens
Friday 22nd Mar	School Closes for Easter

Summer Term

Monday 8th Apr	Training Day - School Closed
Monday 9th Apr	School Opens for Summer Term
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Friday 24th May	School Closes for half-term
Monday 3rd Jun	School Reopens
Friday 19th July	School Closes for Summer 2.30pm
Monday 22nd July	Training Day - School Closed

Term Dates 2024-25

Autumn Term

Monday 2nd Sept	Training Day - School Closed
Tuesday 3rd Sept	School Reopens
Friday 25th Oct	School Closes for half-term
Monday 4th Nov	School Reopens
Friday 20th Dec	School closes for Christmas 2.30pm

Spring Term

Monday 6th Jan	Training Day - School Closed
Tuesday 7th Jan	School Opens for Spring Term
Friday 14th Feb	School Closes for half-term
Monday 24th Feb	School Reopens
Friday 28th Mar	Training Day - School Closed
Friday 4th April	School Closes for Easter - 2.30pm

Summer Term

Monday 21st April	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 22nd April	School Opens for Summer Term
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday
Thursday 22nd May	School Closes for half-term
Friday 23rd May	Training Day - School Closed
Monday 2nd June	School Reopens
Monday 21st July	School Closes for Summer 2.30pm
Tuesday 22nd July	Training Day - School Closed