



Ripon Cathedral and St Mary's Church Visits

This week Year 3 and 4 got the opportunity to visit Ripon Cathedral. During the day children got the opportunity to find out more about the history of the cathedral and take part in different workshops to develop their understanding of Christianity. Thank you to the parent helpers that joined help with the visit. We received a lovely letter from the team at Ripon Cathedral saying how much they enjoyed working with pupils from our school.

Also this week Y1 and 2 visited St Mary's church in Thirsk. During the visit they got to learn more about Saint Mary's. Again many thanks to the parent helpers that came along enabling this visit to take place.

Half-term

Next week is spring half-term. We hope everyone has a lovely break. Fingers crossed for some dry and less windy weather. School restarts on Monday 28th February. We look forward to seeing everyone then.

Governor Wanted!

We are still looking for a parent governor to join our governing body. This is a good opportunity to support the school in its next steps. Please contact the school office if you would like to find out more information.

Attendance

Class	% attendance this week (all pupils)
	All pupils
Reception	91.7%
Year 1	99%
Year 2	98.3%
Year 3	99.7%
Year 4	86.2%
Year 5	99.5%
Year 6	92%
Whole school	95%

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS



Dates for Your Diary

February

28th Mini Medics

March

2nd March Special Lunch

3rd World Book Day

7th Yr 5 Enrichment day

R & Yr6 Height & Weight Check

18th Red Nose Day



It's Not Fair!

Come and join us for a fun morning full of activities and find out why 'It's Not Fair!'

Games, stories, arts and crafts



Refreshments - Tea, coffee, juice

Activity book to take home

Free Donations welcome

Children up to 11 years old accompanied by an adult

Wednesday February 23rd 10-12
At East Thirsk Community Hall

For more details email thirskparishes@gmail.com

Or telephone 01845597127

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AND A

BARGAIN

AT

THIRSK METHODIST CHURCH

BY JAMES GREEN

SATURDAY 26th FEBRUARY

10 AM - 12 NOON

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AND
SALVATION ARMY



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FEBRUARY HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Creative Storytelling Mon 21 Feb 10.30 - 12

Join children's author, Dawn Trencher for a fun morning creating a group story out loud. No writing involved just bags of imagination and lots of fun! For children aged 7 - 11.

£1.50 child. Booking essential. Please contact the library: library@thirskmethodistchurch.org.uk phone: 01800 534589 or drop in to book and pay.



Drop in Lego afternoon - Tues 22 Feb 2 - 4pm



Come and try building your own Lego masterpiece with some of the thousands of Lego bricks we have in the library at our drop in Lego session. Suitable for all ages with Duplo available for very small people. FREE & no booking required.

A few events happening around us:-

These are non school events but are open to the general public

Fun & athletics for all Primary School children

Athletics Camp

only **£25** per athlete per day

Thu 24th Feb
10am-3pm
Scruton cricket pitch
Wrap around care

We operate in a COVID-secure environment

Our athletes will have a fun-packed day learning the fundamentals of running, jumping and throwing from Glen Hilton, Athletics Coach and Former England International athlete.

For more details contact Glen Hilton: hiltonglen444@gmail.com

Location address: Scruton Cricket Club, Station Rd, Scruton, Northallerton DL7 0QN

Your child will need:

- A packed lunch
- Warm clothes

The King's Men Fri 28 Jan - Thu 3 Feb 131 min

The Electrical Life of Louis Wain (Matinee Wed 9th) Fri 4 - Thu 10 Feb 111 min

Save The Cinema (Matinee Wed 16 Feb) Fri 11 - Thu 17 Feb 109 min

Sing 2 (Matinee Sat, Sun 19, 20 Mar - No SUNDAY evening show) Fri 18 - Thu 24 Feb 130 min

Belfast (Matinee Wed 2) Fri 25 Feb - Thu 3 Mar 98 min

Nightmare Alley Fri 4 - Thu 10 Mar 140 min

Death On The Nile (Matinee Wed 16) Fri 11 - Thu 17 Mar 127 min

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01845 524751
16 Westgate, THIRSK, YO17 1DS

E&OE Programme may be subject to change

Fun & athletics for all Primary School children

Athletics Camp

only **£60** per athlete

We operate in a COVID-secure environment

Starting Sat 5 Mar

10 week course
11am-12 noon
Scruton Cricket Club, Station Rd, Scruton, Northallerton DL7 0QN

Mini Movers athletes will learn the fundamentals of athletics over a 10 week course. This will include: running, jumping, throwing, baton relays and endurance running.

For more details contact Glen Hilton: hiltonglen444@gmail.com

Up coming special Lunches



World Book Day Lunch

We are to have a World Book Day Lunch on Wednesday, 2nd March 2022; Lunch will be:-



Pinocchio Pizza Slices

Where's Wally Chipped Potatoes

Jack's Magic Beans

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Individual Chocolate Muffin

Or

Strawberry Ice-Cream Tub

Children who normally bring a packed lunch are invited to join us for lunch on this day.

The lunch will cost £2.55 for children in year 3 and above

Please pay by either Parentpay or at the school office.



Easter Lunch

We are to have an Easter Lunch on Wednesday 30th March 2022 Lunch will be: -

Roast Chicken with Stuffing

Mashed Potatoes

Broccoli & Carrots

Wholemeal Bread

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Rice Krispie Easter Nests

Children who normally bring a packed lunch are invited to join us for lunch on this day.

The lunch will cost £2.55 for Years 3 and above

Payment must be brought to the office or via Parent Pay

Please DO Not send money in with your child as we have had problems with money not reaching the office.

Next terms clubs

Spring Term: March – April Clubs 2022

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch Time Club	Titans		Titans Chess Club		Titans
	Joe Wicks Fitness Club Yr1-2 3.20-4.00	Multi Sport Mr Steel Yr 3-6 3.20-4.20	Rugby Tots Yr 1-2 3.20-4.20	Quicksticks Mr Steel Yr 3-6 3.20-4.20	
		Eco Warrior Yr4-6 3.20-4.20	Netball Club Yr5/6 For 4 weeks till 16 th March 3.20-4.20		
			Glee club will re start 23 rd March 3.20-4.20		

Mini Medics

Well done to all the children that took part in Mini-Medics training earlier this week. As part of the training, pupils learnt the basics of CPR and first aid. The children taking part especially enjoyed using the CPR training manikins to practice chest compressions. A similar session is running for a different group of pupils after half term. On a similar note please remember that - in an emergency- the school does have a public use emergency defibrillator. This is located in the car park at the bottom of the water tower.



Year 3 & 4 Ripon Cathedral Visit





Yr 5 & 6 Visit to Inter Faith Centre

Yr 1 & 2 Visit to St. Mary's Church



Yr 3 & 4 Ripon Cathedral

