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'Excellence and happiness for all'





NEWSLETTER FOR ROSSETT ACRE - 22 May 2025

Forthcoming dates for your diary			
Fri 23 May	TOMORROW Walk to School Day		
Fri 23 May	Doughnut sale 3.30pm		
Fri 23 May	Close for half term		
Mon 2 June	School opens at the usual time		
Fri 6 June	Show – Theme: Environment, Nature and Sustainability		
Weds 18 June	Miss Harrison's Class Assembly 9.10am – Approx 20 minutes		
Thurs 19 June	Miss Barker's Class Assembly 9.10am – Approx 20 minutes		
Thurs 19 June	Year 3 & 4 Sports Day – Time TBC		
Sat 21 June	PTA Summer Fair 1pm		
Mon 23 June	New Starters Taster Session		
Weds 25 June	EYFS & KS1 Sports Day 1.15-3.30pm		
Weds 25 June	Year 4 Nell Bank Residential		
to Fri 27 June			
Fri 27 June	*NEW* Walk to School Day		
Mon 30 June	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day at Rossett School – Time TBC		















QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"It always seems impossible until it's done" Nelson Mandela.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the children who received a certificate in last week's Celebration Assembly: Lawrence J, Daisy J (AC), Ethan R (SK/CN), Vivienne W (RB), Sophia H (HH), Ted H-B (ZM), Oliver S-B (KM/BS), Benjy K (JJ/CR), Isadora R (EW), Euan M, Ollie N (AI/LS), Etta T (PA/EH), Annie W (JW), Bobby S (RI), All of Year 6 (CD), The Rossett Acre Family (TM).

Congratulations to the children who were on the Top Table last week: Albie M (EYFS), Ivy S (Yr 1), Lilly F (Yr 2), Leo D (Yr 3), Luke D (Yr 4), Seth C (Yr 5), Esmée M (Yr 6).

ATTENDANCE

MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Attendance 16 May 2025 to 23 May 2025: 95.56%

Number of pupils late at least once this week: 10

Remember: The gates open at 8.40pm and school starts promptly at 8.50am.

Today's attendance is 93.5% which is very low. Let's see if we can get this up next term.

TRACTOR VISIT

Children were surprised this week when a tractor turned up at lunchtime! Parents entered the Tractor Fest/YourHarrogate competition with Maisie R (Y1) being selected as the lucky winner. The state-of-the-art 10 foot John Deere tractor, was kindly supplied by Ripon Farm Services.







KS1 OUTDOOR LEARNING DAY

Year 1

We've had an exciting Outdoor Learning Day! We spent the morning doing Maths and English outside. Using our Enrich Orienteering course, we found control markers and doubled the biggest numbers. Next, we continued our learning of fractions through sharing out numbers with bean bags and discovered which numbers could be quartered and which could not. Later, we wrote and drew about our experience outside through our five senses.

In the afternoon, creativity flowed as we gathered natural materials to make crazy hair for our faces! It was a fantastic day full of learning and fun.

Miss Barker



Year 1

We had a brilliant day taking all of our learning outside. For maths, we started off the day following the school orienteering trail to practice doubling numbers. We then looked at quarters - finding quarters of an amount using hoops and then drawing quarters using chalk. In English, we used our fives sense to write about the school environment. In the afternoon, we made some lovely self-portraits using natural resources that we collected from around school.

Miss Harrison



For our outdoor art lesson this week in Year 1, we used natural resources we found outside to create our own self-portraits with crazy hair!

Year 2

Year 2 enjoyed our outdoor learning day on Wednesday. We completed all kinds of activities from measuring a castle on the playground to using our orienteering course to help consolidate some spelling rules. The children all had a great time and behaved excellently.

Miss Murray







FOREST SCHOOL

Year 3 took part in an Outdoor Art activity as part of their Forest School Session this week. The children looked at the work of Andy Goldsworthy and created their own work inspired by him.

















Year 5 have spent Art week outside creating African animals using natural materials.

It's been wonderful!!!



As part of Art Week, Y6 have been learning about the life of Japanese artist, Yayoi Kusama, and have been trying to emulate her work for themselves.



YEAR 5 DODGEBALL COMPETITION

On Tuesday, a team of our Year 5 children did an amazing job at their Dodgeball competition against other Harrogate schools and won the tournament! All players got stuck in and worked well as a team.

Special mentions to Liam H for supporting his teammates and taking leadership and Max H for showing fantastic resilience and determination. Well done to George N, Charlie J, Seth E, Bobby S, Pearla B, Stanley M, Max H, Liam H, William T, Seb B, James B. Thank you to Miss Illingworth and Miss Smith for accompanying the children.



SUMMER FAIR SATURDAY 21 JUNE

The PTA is thrilled to announce that this year's Summer Fair will feature a Petting Zoo! This will include goats, a pony, donkey, bunny rabbits, guinea pigs and alpacas! This has been made possible, thanks to some amazing sponsorship from Myrings Estate Agents.

We will also have beer on tap!! Which has been so generously provided by Starling Independent Bar Café Kitchen. If beer isn't for you though, don't worry there will plenty of Pimms and soft drinks too.

If you can, or someone you know can help sponsor some other elements of our fair including the entertainment from Rascals and the giant inflatable - please get in touch: rossettacrepta@gmail.com

PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME

The volunteer sign up sheets are now ready. It is so important to the PTA, the school and the Summer Fair that we have as many parents as possible to support this event. The Fair cannot run without you. So, click on your year group and volunteer your time. Thank you.

RECEPTION

YEAR 1

YEAR 2

YEAR 3

YEAR 4

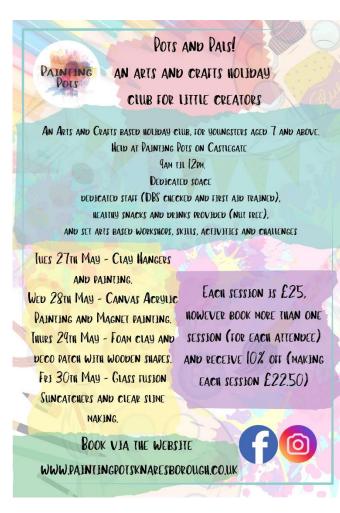
<u>YEAR 5</u>

YEAR 6

PLEASE SIGN UP FOR A HOUSE BOARD

Myrings has offered to promote the Summer Fair with some additional house boards. Please sign up for won to help us spread the word to our wider community. https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/L82BG7H











Little Crickets Pre-school

Little Crickets Pre-school are holding their annual fundraising Afternoon Tea and would like to invite all our families past, present and future.



Please join us for a wonderful afternoon hosted by Little Crickets PreSchool





The Green Hut 10:00am to 2:30pm

Adults £12:50 Children £7:50 Cake & Coffee £5:00

BOOK A TABLE

Name:	 No. of Adults:	
Time:	 No. Of Children:	

For more information call us: 01423 561352 or contact Diane direct on: 07722 301520

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Kate Woodcock Deputy Headteacher

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