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*Our school:
 'Excellence and happiness for all'*

Charity No.1048680

NEWSLETTER FOR ROSSETT ACRE – 10 July 2025

Forthcoming dates for your diary

Mon 14 July	Reports out – via Arbor
Weds 16 July	Chance to discuss report with teachers if there are any concerns - 3.45-6pm. Contact teachers directly to make an appointment.
Weds 16 July	Year 6 Disco
Thurs 17 July	Parent Picnic – Gates open 2.30-2.45pm. https://forms.office.com/e/5eS73R6NSJ
Fri 18 July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly for Year 6 parents – 9.15am
Fri 18 July	School closes at 2.30pm

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

“The future starts today, not tomorrow.” Pope John Paul II

YEAR 6 PRODUCTION – LAST WEEK

Year 6 did such a fabulous production of Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits last week. Starting with what can only be described as a West End performance opening song, it just went from strength to strength. Their comedic timing, projection of voice, dancing and acting skills were certainly demonstrated along with expert music, sound effects, lighting and prop management. The smiles on everyone’s faces did not fade from start to finish. Well done Year 6! We are all so proud of you. Thank you to the whole of the Year 6 team and many others for making this a show to remember.

MONDAY ASSEMBLY

On Monday we were visited by Liz from St Mark’s Church who very kindly delivered our whole school assembly. Liz showed the children how many different words had the word end in it. This was to symbolise that we are approaching the end of this school year, and it is a time for reflection. We thought about the word SPEND and how we can all make the most of our time in the Summer holidays. We thought about the word FRIEND and all the wonderful things we have done with our friends and how we can look forward to making more memories next year. Finally, we thought about the word ASCEND and how all the children will be moving on to new year groups and that our amazing Year 6 children will starting at their new schools. Thank you for joining us in school Liz.



EYFS & YEAR 6 – FANTASTIC FOOD FUN

This week EYFS and Year 6 enjoyed pasta and bread making with our school caterers, Hutchison Catering. They looked at lots of different types of pasta and then enjoyed eating it with their homemade tomato sauce, along with flatbread dough with a tasty garlic topping.

TRANSITIONS

It has been a busy week for transitions. Our Year 6 children have now all visited their new high schools, and all the children enjoyed the transition morning on Wednesday. This is a great way for the children to get to know their classrooms and adults for next year. Thank you to all the parents who joined us after school for our Meet the Teacher event.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Over the summer holidays, it would be lovely to have some photos taken of your child(ren) enjoying sports/physical activity. In September, we would like to create an 'active wall' display filled with photographs of Rossett Acre pupils (and our staff) taking part in something physical. This could be football in the garden, table tennis, horse riding, surfing, biking and so many other things; the more unique the better! Please send your photos into the school office no later than 5 September 2025. Please note, if you do send a photo in, you are consenting to the photo being displayed (unnamed) in our school Sports Hall.

ATTENDANCE

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Attendance 7 July 2025 to 10 July 2025:
97.15%

Number of pupils late at least once this week: 12

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

Today's attendance is 97.1%.

ECO – TIP

Buy a compost bin and compost your food waste

CHARITY SKYDIVE

Miss Baxter who works in our office, is raising money for IDAS and will be taking part in a charity skydive on Sunday at Bridlington. We wish her lots of luck and will find out on Monday if she went through with it!

PTA SUMMER FAIR RAFFLE PRIZES

Raffle prizes can still be picked up from the office. Please do this by Monday 14th July as there will be a redraw of any prizes not claimed on Tuesday 15th.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Kate Woodcock

Kate Woodcock
Deputy Headteacher

HOLIDAY CLUB

for primary aged children

CRAFT
MUSIC
DRAMA
GAMES

JUNGLE EXPLORERS

Wed 27th - Fri 29th August,
10:00 - 12:30 each day

Plus join us on Sunday 31st Aug for a special holiday club celebration at 10.30am

Come along (and invite your friends) as we explore the jungle and find out more about Jesus. The mornings will be packed with teaching, music, worship, drama, games and craft activities. We will be seeking to find out more about who Jesus is and how we can follow him.

Book now smch.org.uk/hc

CRAFTY LLAMAS ARTS & CRAFTS

FOR CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS
AGED 10-15 YRS OLD

EVERY MONDAY
4 - 5 PM

ARTIZAN CAFE &
CREATIVE SPACE

CAMBRIDGE RD, HARROGATE
(NEXT TO MCDONALDS)

BOOK YOUR PLACE TODAY
CALL 01423 509251 OR EMAIL
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NEW DATE

SUNDAY 13TH JULY | 2:30 PM TO 4:30 PM

JOIN US FOR LITTLE CRICKETS

SUMMER FAIR

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

TEA | CAKES | GAMES | ADOPT A TEDDY BEAR | OBSTACLE COURSES
FACE PAINT | BOUNCY CASTLE | MEET AND GREET HARRY GATOR

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT US ON :

LITTLECRICKETSHARROGATE INFO@LITTLE-CRICKETS.CO.UK



Children's Photography Competition

North Yorkshire Nature

Take a photo of something from the natural world around you - it could be an animal, river, plant, tree, insect, or a great view - and your picture could feature on a limited edition library card

For children aged 7 - 11
 Email entries to: libraries@northyorks.gov.uk
 Closing date: Saturday 13 September






Get close to nature with the Summer Reading Challenge 2025!

Children can once again sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge at their local library during the holidays. This year the theme is Story Garden and is all about firing up imagination through the power of reading and creative expression.

The challenge for children is to read 6 library books of their choice. They will be able to collect special stickers and prizes along the way – everyone who finishes will receive a medal and a certificate. Any child aged 4 to 11 can join in and the challenge runs from Saturday 12th July until Saturday 6th September.

There will also be a fantastic programme of activities in libraries all summer, many of them free, to go with the challenge – families can find out what's happening locally by contacting their library, on local library Facebook pages and on our webpages: [Summer Reading Challenge | North Yorkshire Council](#)



Corn Close Care Farm

Offering therapeutic activities for all ages and abilities on our working smallholding set in the beautiful Nidderdale countryside

Summer Holiday Activity Programme

Booking is essential and numbers are strictly limited

Please contact us to book by emailing us at:
cornclosecarefarm@btinternet.com

Summer Holiday Fun Sessions for children Y2 – Y6

10.30am – 12noon

24th July

13th August

Come and meet our animals and learn how to care for them whilst having fun and meeting new friends.

£25 per session

Be a farmer for a morning

10am – 12noon

Tuesday 29th July, Thursday 21st August

Come and join in with some jobs around the farm and learn more about farming and how to care for lots of different animals

Suitable for children Y4 – Y8

£35

Horse and Pony Care

Learn how to care for and handle horses and ponies

Level 1 – Wednesday 30th July 1pm - 2.30pm

(suitable for beginners or those with some experience, includes certificate and rosette)

Level 2 – Wednesday 27th August 1pm - 2.30pm

(suitable for beginners who have completed Level 1 or those with some experience, includes certificate and rosette)

£35



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Nature Walk and Craft

10am – 12noon

12th August

Learn more about nature and wildlife and try a nature inspired craft activity.

£35 per person (family/group concessions available on request)

Suitable for all ages from 6 years upwards.

(Includes drink and biscuit, tuition and all resources)

Woodwork Session

10am – 12noon

14th August

Come and join in with a woodworking session and make a wooden item to take home with you.

£35 per person (Suitable for Y6 – Y8)

Goat and Sheep Walks

29th July 1.30pm – 2.30pm

14th August 1.30pm - 2.30pm

19th August 1.30pm – 2.30pm

£35 pp

Meet your goat/sheep and spend some time grooming and getting to know them before we set off on our walk in the beautiful Nidderdale countryside.

Suitable for Age 6+ (family/group concessions available on request)



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Individual and Group Animal Therapy Sessions

1 hour

Spend quality time discovering the therapeutic nature of animals with our calm and friendly 4-legged friends.

Starting from £25 per person for a small group session.

Individual sessions are also available from £35

Bespoke Care Farm Sessions

We can provide bespoke sessions for you and your friends and family to come and spend time with the animals and to participate in a range of other activities of your choice

Please email us with your requirements and we will be happy to discuss your session with you and talk you through the options.

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If you would like to take part in one of our activities, but the given dates don't work for you, please contact us via email as we may be able to offer alternative dates if there is enough interest.

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