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*Our school:*

*'Excellence and happiness for all'*



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## NEWSLETTER FOR ROSSETT ACRE – 18 September 2025

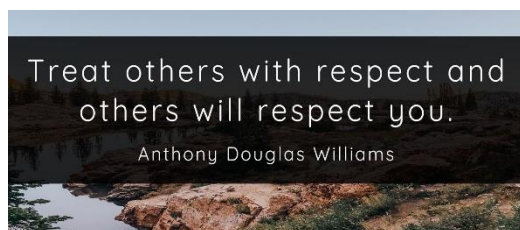
### Forthcoming dates for your diary

Tues 23 Sept	Year 4 Nell Bank Information Meeting for parents and children – 5pm.
Tues 23 Sept	Year 5 East Barnby Information Meeting for parents and children – 5.45pm.
Sat 27 Sept	<b>*NEW*</b> Rossett High School Year 6 Open Day 9.30am-12pm
Mon 29 Sept	Emotional resilience talk for EYFS parents – 6pm <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/yK1d5YhkQj">https://forms.office.com/e/yK1d5YhkQj</a> Screensafe talk for all parents – 6.30pm <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/yK1d5YhkQj">https://forms.office.com/e/yK1d5YhkQj</a>
Weds 1 Oct	Individual/sibling & pre-school photographs. Details to follow.
Weds 1 Oct	<b>*NEW*</b> KS2 Afternoon online safety/gaming & screens talk with Martin Powell (PCSO) – for children only.
Thurs 2 Oct	Harvest festival – children only.
Sat 4 Oct	<b>*NEW*</b> Harrogate Grammar School Year 6 Open Day. To book a visit go to: <a href="https://www.harrogategrammar.co.uk/hgs-year-6-open-events/">https://www.harrogategrammar.co.uk/hgs-year-6-open-events/</a>
Mon 6 Oct	<b>*NEW*</b> Year 4 Eden Camp visit
<b>Tues 7 Oct</b>	<b>Please note correct date.</b> Afternoon Tea – 2-3pm. If you would like to attend, please book using the following link: <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/R6Pncs2S3b">https://forms.office.com/e/R6Pncs2S3b</a> Open classrooms – 3-3.30pm.
Thurs 9 Oct	Whole School Flu Vaccinations. Information can be found on our website: <a href="https://www.rossettacreprimary.co.uk/latest/letters/">https://www.rossettacreprimary.co.uk/latest/letters/</a>
Fri 10 Oct	<b>*NEW*</b> Year 5 Murton Park visit
Sat 11 Oct	<b>*NEW*</b> St Aidan's Year 6 Open Day – visit their website to book a place.
Thurs 16 Oct	Open Day 1 – New Starters for September 2026 – <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-days-thursday-16th-october-and-tuesday-18th-november-2025-tickets-1667847991239?aff=oddtcreator">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/open-days-thursday-16th-october-and-tuesday-18th-november-2025-tickets-1667847991239?aff=oddtcreator</a>
Thurs 23 Oct	Children finish for October Half Term. Casual Day £1 donation.
Fri 24 Oct	Training Day for Staff (children not in).



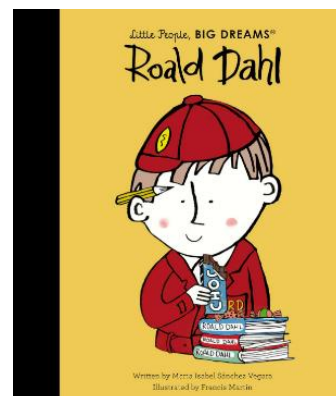
During the Monday assembly, we thought about the 'Respect' part of our RRS school rules. The children thought about what respect means and what respect looks like. They also thought about how it is important to respect our equipment and belongings as well as each other.

### QUOTE OF THE WEEK:



### DIVERSITY ASSEMBLY

This week Mrs Haslam read the story about Roald Dahl using the Little People, Big Dreams book. Through this book the children discovered the life of Roald Dahl. How he grew up in the city of Cardiff in Wales, how much he loved reading and how much he loved chocolate treats.



### A WEEK AT ROSSETT ACRE

This week has been another busy week with amazing learning happening all over school. We continue to embed our new One Life morning routine which starts the day off in a calm way ensuring we are all ready to do our best learning.

EYFS continue to settle in well, using their provision areas to build on their interactions and communication skills. They have also been making Apple Crumble! Year 1 have been working on their writing skills through Drawing Club and getting ready to start Curious Quest. Year 2 have started their learning all about the Great Fire of London and have been working on their writing skills. Year 3 have been learning about the Tudors. Year 4 have really enjoyed reading The Twits and have been using fantastic vocabulary in their writing. Year 5 have been working on their Cricket skills with a coach from Harrogate and their Netball skills with one of the Sporting Influence coaches. Finally, Year 6 have been in East Barnby – more to follow on their trip next week.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the children who received a certificate in last week's Celebration Assembly: Oscar W (RB), Rupert B-M (HH), Amelia S (AB), Dhaanish M (EM), Ted H-B (SK/BS), Finley W (JJ/CR), Yusuf K (AI/LS), Otis C-C (PA/EH), Harry M-G (JW), George W (RI), George M-G (CD).

### PARENTS EVENTS

On Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September we are holding two parent events in school; Emotional Resilience Talk for EYFS Parents at 6pm followed by a Screensafe Talk at 6.30pm.

The first one is for parents/carers of our EYFS children which will be led by Kate Newton who works for North Yorkshire Council. Kate has been working with us for a few months now looking at ways we can support children and families around attendance and building resilience.

The second event is open for all parents and carers. We have invited Anna Sarjantson back into school to talk to us again about how to be 'Screensafe'. If you missed this last year, I would highly recommend that you try to come along to this one. It was very eye opening.

Please use this link to sign up for each event <https://forms.office.com/e/yK1d5YhkQi>

## READING AMBASSADORS

Miss Dodgson has received over 50 applications from children throughout KS1 and KS2 who would like to be a Rossett Acre Reading Ambassador.

It was an absolute joy to read the children's applications and see how much they love reading. Such a lot of thought and care had been included - so many great ideas to promote reading across school. Miss Dodgson will announce who has been successful in their application in assembly on Friday September 26th, once the Y6s are back from East Barnby. Here are a few snippets to warm the cockles:

- *I love reading and want the younger children to love it too.*
- *Reading calms me down.*
- *I really started to enjoy reading in Early Years.*
- *I love learning about the world through books.*
- *I want to share my passion for reading.*
- *Reading makes me happy.*
- *I have dyslexia and reading really helped me in hard times.*
- *Reading is my favourite hobby.*
- *Reading is dreaming with open eyes.*

## HARVEST FESTIVAL

To celebrate Harvest Festival, we will be gathering food donations for our local food bank. Last year, we received a very generous amount of items and the volunteers were extremely grateful for our contributions to support the local community. There will be baskets on both school gates every day starting next week - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.

Please only donate non-perishable food and thank you in advance for your kindness.

## PUPIL PREMIUM INFORMATION

Before the summer break we sent out a letter from the Trust regarding parents' entitlement to Free School Meals. As a Trust, we want to ensure that every child in our care receives the very best possible education and support. One important way we can do this is through additional funding that schools receive through Free School Meals (FSM) and Pupil Premium (PP). A successful application not only ensures your child receives a free, healthy meal each day but also unlocks vital funding that helps improve education for all pupils.

**If you haven't already done so**, you can apply for Free School Meals via the link below:

FSM link <https://apply.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/pp-rklt>

## SPORTS HALL

Looking for a venue for your exercise class, Pilates session or club activity?

Our school sports hall is available to rent on weekdays, Monday to Thursday between 6pm and 8pm. It's a clean, spacious, and well-equipped facility — ideal for regular group sessions or one-off bookings. To enquire or make a booking, please contact the school office, 01423 561579.

## MYCLOTHING DISCOUNT CODE

MyClothing are online suppliers of our school uniform. They have issued a new discount code which is valid until 31 December 2025. If you need to purchase any uniform, log on to their website and enter the **Code: 10%myc2025**.

## ECO – TIP

**Repair or reuse things that are broken**

**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

Attendance 11 September 2025 to 18 September 2025:  
97.91%

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



Today's attendance is 97.9%. Well done everyone.

## COMMUNITY

**OPEN 8AM - 5:30PM FOR BOYS & GIRLS AGED 5-11**

**YOUR NEAREST VENUE IS:  
ROSSETT SPORTS CENTRE OR  
HARROGATE LADIES' COLLEGE**



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**OCTOBER HALF TERM  
HOLIDAY CLUBS**

**JOIN OUR ARTY | CRAFTY | SPORTY | ADVENTURE | FUN  
HOLIDAY CLUBS THIS OCTOBER HALF TERM!!  
FOR 5-11 YEAR OLDS | OPEN 8AM-5:30PM**

**JOIN OUR ENERGY PROGRAMME - 50+  
ACTIVITIES ACROSS THE WEEK WITH 2  
CHOICES EVERY HOUR!!**

**FOOTBALL CAMPS AVAILABLE AT SET  
VENUES - LED BY FA QUALIFIED  
COACHES!!**

**SWIMMING RUNNING ON SET DAYS AT  
SET VENUES - CHECK OUR WEBSITE  
FOR MORE INFO!!**

**OCTOBER HALF TERM THEMED  
ACTIVITIES INCLUDING HALLOWEEN  
DISCO, TRICK OR TREAT & MORE!!**

**OTHER NEARBY VENUES**  
ROSSETT SPORTS CENTRE (E F)  
HARROGATE LADIES' COLLEGE (E S)  
ASPIN PARK ACADEMY, KNARESBOROUGH (E)

**VENUE KEY:**  
E - ENERGY PROGRAMME  
F - FOOTBALL CAMPS  
S - SWIMMING DAYS



**BOOK NOW, PLACES GO FAST AT ALL VENUES!!  
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