



## Weekly Newsletter 17<sup>th</sup> January 2025

### Diary dates

30 <sup>th</sup> January	Sharow Safer Internet Day – Tim Pinto
11 <sup>th</sup> February	Pupil progress meetings- 3:30-6:30
13 <sup>th</sup> February	Pupil progress meetings- 3:30-5:00
14 <sup>th</sup> February	Break up for half term
24 <sup>th</sup> February	Return to school.
27 <sup>th</sup> February	Military Meet up 8am Breakfast
11 <sup>th</sup> March	EYFS & KS1 dance
13 <sup>th</sup> March	World book day
17 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents SATS information evening 5:00pm
18 <sup>th</sup> March	Learning together science morning till 9:00-9:30
24 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents Forum 6:00-7:00
1 <sup>st</sup> April	Y3/4/5/6 Striking & Fielding competition - Outwood
3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Easter Service 2.15pm
4 <sup>th</sup> April	Non uniform day/ FOSS Easter fair
4 <sup>th</sup> April	Break up for Easter
22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Return to school

### Year 5/6

Just a reminder that PE is on a Monday & Thursday, please can we make sure that all children come in PE kits.

### Change of Menu

Every Tuesday until February half term the lunch menu has changed. It will now be Macaroni Cheese, Cheese Sandwich, or Jacket Potato with Baked Beans.

### Pupil progress meetings

These are now available on Arbor to book in with your child's class teacher. Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 3:30-6:30 & Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> 3:30-5:30

### Service times change

We are pleased to announce that, in response to the feedback received during our recent Parent and Carer Forum, all future services will now be held at 2:15 PM. This change aims to better accommodate the schedules of our families and ensure that everyone can participate more comfortably.

We appreciate your input and are committed to making our school a supportive and inclusive community for all. Thank you for your continued support and involvement.

### **Parent and Carer Tours**

We often have visitors to school and love to show them around. They frequently comment about the calm atmosphere, polite children, and productivity. We have come to realise that you only visit when things are much busier, exciting, or unusual, and therefore, we'd like to invite you to book a school tour.

Your tour will be conducted by some of our year 5 and 6 children and can be booked through the school office. Please either phone or email Mrs Elcombe to arrange.

### **Foss**

Thanks to supporters of Sharow Primary School - Ripon has raised £1.5k so far. You can support them every time you shop online at no extra cost, and you can too this year! Sign up today to #easyfundraising and raise free donations when you shop online with over 8,000 retailers! All the big names like eBay, Argos, Marks and Spencer, John Lewis & Partners, Etsy, Tesco and Just Eat are ready to donate. Plus, sign up today and our school could win a £250 donation: <https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/sharowschool/usc8tw/s2s/72uMeock/SE870/fac ebook/>

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### **LoveReading**

As we love to read, and we want to encourage reading at home. If parents, carers, Family and friends buy books through LoveReading and LoveReading4Kids and you allocate funds to Sharow, 25% of the cover price for every book sold will come to the school so we can keep buying books which the children will enjoy and encourage them to read more.

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/school/10184>

### **Forest School.**

We always welcome volunteers to these sessions. If you have a spare Tuesday afternoon for one of more of these sessions, please get in touch with the office.

### **Consent**

We sometimes capture photos and videos of pupils to record school activities which happen on a day-to-day basis, or when on a school visit or special events. We have recently updated the consents with regarding photos and videos, please find these on the Arbor, or you may have had an email reminder to do these.

### **Wraparound Care**

Due to increased popularity, after school places **MUST** be booked to ensure that we have space. We understand that things may change last minute, in that instance phone or email the school.

### **How long should you keep your child off school**

It can be sometimes tricky deciding whether or not to keep your child off school when they are unwell

[How long should you keep your child off school - checklist poster](#)

### **Out of School Achievements**

If your child has any out of school achievements, we would love to hear about them. Send pictures and information to [admin@sharow.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@sharow.n-yorks.sch.uk)

### **Community Notices**

Please see below for fliers about activities in and around Ripon.