



Weekly Newsletter 23rd January

Date	Taking part	Event
28 th January	Year 1 &2	Ripon Workhouse Museum
6 th February	All Years	Walk to School
11 th February	All Years	Parent Consultations 3:30-5:30
12 th February	All Years	Parent Consultations 3:30-5:30
13 th February	Year 1 and 2	Year 1 and 2 Visting the Coach House
13 th February	All Years	Finish for Half Term
23 rd February	All Years	Back to School
24 th February	KS2	Dance-Outwood Ripon
26 th February	Year 3,4,5,6	Street Dance session in school
3 rd March	EYFS & KS1	Dance- Outwood Ripon
3 rd March	Families	Family Forum 6pm on Teams
5 th March	All Years	World Book Day
5 th March	Families	Learning Together Morning
13 th March		Walk to School
13 th March		RockSteady Performance
17 th March	Year 5 &6	The Great North Museum & Reform Synagogue School Trip- On Arbor
24 th March	All Years	Cross Country- Outwood Ripon
24 th March	Year 3&4	Year 3/4 Performance
25 th March	Everyone	Easter Service 2.15pm
27 th March		Easter Fair 3.15pm
27 th March		Finish For Easter 3.15pm
13 th April		Back to school

Reminder: The Gate Opens at 8:40 and closes at 8:45

What has happened at Sharow This week

Open the Book Visit

On Tuesday, we were delighted to welcome *Open the Book* into school. The team led a wonderfully engaging assembly, bringing a Bible story to life through drama, storytelling, and audience participation.

The children really enjoyed watching the story unfold and were captivated by the characters, costumes, and simple props. Assemblies like this help enrich our collective worship and offer pupils a memorable and interactive way to explore key themes and values.

What to look forward to

School Trips and Residential Visit

This term we have lots of exciting school trips planned for the children. Full details for each trip, along with the consent forms, can now be found on Arbor. Please take a moment to log in and check any upcoming events for your child.

Unfortunately, if we do not receive enough voluntary contributions, we will be unable to go ahead and may have to cancel some of these trips. Your support is greatly appreciated and helps us continue offering these valuable learning experiences.

Looking ahead, our residential for our current year 4 and 5, visiting Peat Rigg is also taking place in November. Information and payment options for the residential are now available on Arbor as well.

School Information

Breakfast Club & Afterschool Club Booking Reminder

We have noticed that a small number of children have been attending Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club without being booked in advance.

For safeguarding reasons, it is essential that all children are booked into these clubs beforehand. This ensures we know which pupils are expected to be on site and allows us to staff the clubs safely and appropriately.

Please make sure you book your child into Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club in advance and do not send them in unless a booking has been confirmed.

Reminder: Snacks for Afterschool Club

Children are welcome to bring a snack with them to afterschool club, and they will be given plenty of time at the start of the session to eat it. Please ensure that any snacks follow our school food policy. Snacks should not include crisps, sweets, cakes, or chocolate.

We would also like to remind families that we are a nut-free site due to serious allergies within our school community. Please check snacks carefully before sending them into afterschool club.

Lip Balm in School

We have noticed an increasing number of pupils bringing lip balms into school. While we understand they can be helpful, lip balms can easily be lost, shared, or become a distraction during the school day.

If your child needs to bring lip balm into school, please ensure it is either handed in to the school office for safekeeping or kept at home. Pupils should not keep lip balm in their bags, or pockets during the school day.

Primary Parents' Evening – Now Open on Arbor

Bookings for Parents' Evening are now open on Arbor.

Please log in to your Arbor account to choose your preferred appointment times with your child's teacher. We encourage families to book as soon as possible to secure a convenient slot.

If you experience any difficulties accessing Arbor or making a booking, please contact the school office and we will be happy to help.

Did You Know? Useful Features on Arbor

Arbor offers a range of tools designed to make managing school life easier for families.

Log an Absence- If your child is unwell or unable to attend school, you can record their absence through Arbor. This helps ensure the school receives the information promptly and accurately.

Supporting Parents and Carers: NYES Training Opportunities – 2026

We are pleased to share information about a range of NYES Training sessions available to parents and carers in 2026, designed to support understanding of neurodiversity and to help families better support their children and young people.

NYES are offering the following training opportunities:

- [Unlocking Autism for parents and carers of young people | NYES Training](#)
- [Unlocking ADHD for parents and carers | NYES Training](#)
- [Unlocking Autism for Parents & Carers | NYES Training](#)

These sessions aim to build confidence, knowledge, and practical strategies for supporting children and young people with autism or ADHD. They provide valuable insights into how children experience the world, alongside guidance on communication, behaviour, and emotional regulation.

Training is delivered by experienced professionals and is suitable for parents and carers at any stage of their journey. Whether you are seeking a greater understanding or practical next steps, these sessions offer a supportive and informative environment.

Online Safety: Parent/Carer Session from [Home - Knowsley City Learning Centres](#)

We are pleased to offer our next Online Safety session for parents and carers on Wednesday 28th January 2026, from 9.30am – 10.15am.

This session will focus on A Guide to Online Gaming, covering the latest trends and emerging risks. We will explore how online games work, the features children commonly use, and the potential dangers linked to online interactions, spending, and content.

The aim of the session is to help you build a stronger understanding of online gaming so you can better support your child to stay safe and confident online. We will also share practical steps you can take at home, including privacy settings, helpful conversations to have, and useful resources.

You can join the session using the link below or the video will be shared if you cannot make the session.

Join the Online Safety Session:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NWQ3Y2E5NGETYjJZi00MmFILThmODUtZGZiN2Q4MTA2OTdk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7B%22Tid%22%3A%22dcdb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2C%22Oid%22%3A%225772fa8f-9814-4199-aef2-9195804f833e%22%2C%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3Atrue%2C%22role%22%3A%22a%22%7D&btype=a&r

Out-of-School Achievements

We'd love to celebrate your child's successes outside school!

 Please send photos and details to: admin@sharow.n-yorks.sch.uk

 **Safeguarding Information**

North Yorkshire Children's Social Care

 0300 131 2 131 |  social.care@northyorks.gov.uk

Police (non-emergency): 0845 60 60 247

Referrals: Use the [universal referral form](#) or call the Customer Resolution Centre on: 0300 131 2131.

Concerns about a professional?

Contact the Duty LADO within 24 hours: 01609 533080



**DROP
IN!**



HARROGATE, KNARESBOROUGH, RIPON AND CRAVEN

Early Years SEND Drop In

TUESDAY 20TH JANUARY
TUESDAY 3RD FEBRUARY
TUESDAY 17TH FEBRUARY
TUESDAY 24TH FEBRUARY
TUESDAY 10TH MARCH
TUESDAY 24TH MARCH
TUESDAY 7TH APRIL
TUESDAY 21ST APRIL
TUESDAY 5TH MAY

12:00-1:00PM

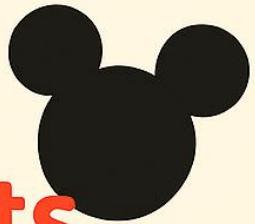
DO YOU HAVE ANY SEND RELATED QUERIES? IF THE ANSWER IS YES THEN WHY NOT BOOK A 10-15 MIN TEAMS OR PHONE CALL APPOINTMENT.

TO BOOK SEND AN EMAIL IN ADVANCE WITH A SENTENCE OR TWO AROUND WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS. REMEMBER IF YOU HAVE QUERIES ABOUT INDIVIDUAL CHILDREN THEY MUST REMAIN ANONYMOUS. APPOINTMENTS CAN ALSO BE REQUESTED FOR AN ALTERNATIVE DATE AND TIME.

TO BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT PLEASE EMAIL:
LYNNE.KILFORD@NORTHYORKS.GOV.UK



3:15 Club Theme Nights



**Thur 8th Jan
Junk Modelling**



**Mon 12th Jan
Disney Night**



**Thur 22nd Jan
Just Dance**



**Mon 26th Jan
LEGO**



**Thur 5th Feb
Story Writing & Follow
Along Drawings**

Mon 9th Feb Pizza Night

For bookings please book on Arbor - Afterschool



Sinbad & His Eighth Voyage



Ripon Arts Hub - HG4 1LQ

23rd to 31st January 2026

Evenings start at 7.30pm & Matinees start at 2pm

Tickets: Adults £10 - Concessions £8

Purchase online at:

www.ticketsource.co.uk/ripon - charity - pantomime - group

Or email us at rcpgpublicity@gmail.com or scan the QR code.

Proceeds donated to local good causes & charities.

Don't miss out!

February Half Term at RIPON MUSEUMS



Ripon Workhouse Museum & Garden

Daily: Make Your Own Match-Maker Theatre
cut, colour and craft your own theatre

Daily: Get To Work! Self-led family trail

14th & 21st Feb: The Master's Valentine's Card

21st Feb: A Very Messy Storytelling Session 11:00am & 1:30pm

18th Feb: Vile Victorian Valentine's Cards
fun craft session 10:30am & 1:00pm

Ripon Prison & Police Museum

Daily: Sketch The Suspect
create a picture-perfect match



14th & 21st Feb: Ripon Workhouse Theatre Group perform

21st Feb: 'Meet The Policeman' 11:30am, 1:30pm & 2:30pm

Ripon Courthouse Museum

Daily: St Valentine's Generation Game
a jury evidence game



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