



Weekly Newsletter 22nd May 2025

Diary dates

2 nd June		Back to school
4 th June	ALL	Class photographs
4 th June		NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB
5 th June	Year 2	Camp out parent meeting
10 th June		Parent Forum
13 th June	Year 3,4,5,&6	Brownlee Foundation: Mini Triathlon
16 th June	Year 3&4	Leeds Mosque
17 th June	Year 3&4	Outwood Grange- Dodgeball
17 th June	Year 4&5	London residential information evening
19 th June	ALL	Learning together morning
19 th June	ALL	Road Safety talk- In school
24 th June	EYFS, Year 1,2,5&6	Saltburn visit
24 th June	Year 2&3	Marrick Priory residential information evening
25 th June	Year 3&4	Sacred Art Day at the Cathedral
26 th June	Year 2	Campout
27 th June	ALL	Pyjamarama
30 th June	ALL	Cross Country
3 rd July	ALL	Story telling with Peter Chand
4 th July	Year 6	Leavers service at Ripon Cathedral
4 th July	ALL	Live Performance: "Anansi and the lost sun"
8 th July	Year 3&4	Stump Cross & Cold Stone Cut
8 th July	Year 5/6	Performance 1:30 & 6:00
9 th July	ALL	Primary Robins Performance of singing 2:30
9 th July		NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB
11 th July	ALL	Rock Steady Concert- 9:30
11 th July	ALL	Summer Fair
14 th July	ALL	Piano Concert 2:30
15 th July	ALL	Internal transition
17 th July	ALL	End of Year celebration
18 th July		Finish for Summer
2 nd Sept		New School Year.

Phew – what a week!

Sports Week

We've had an action-packed and exciting Sports Week filled with energy, teamwork, and new experiences!

We kicked things off with EYFS, Year 1 & Year 2 enjoying sessions on balance bikes, building confidence and coordination on two wheels.

Years 1, 2, 5 & 6 took part in an Intra-Competition led by Mr Crooks, showcasing their skills and sportsmanship in friendly competition.

Year 6 had a fantastic time on Wednesday and Thursday completing their Bikeability training, learning how to ride safely and confidently on the roads.

Meanwhile, Years 3 & 4 had the opportunity to try out both tennis and ballet, exploring different ways to stay active and express themselves.

To round off the week, Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 all had a go at cricket, with expert coaching from Mrs Wootton, learning new techniques and enjoying the game.

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who came to support Sports Day—we hope you had as much fun as we did! A big well done to Amethyst, who were crowned the Sports Day champions!

We wrapped up this brilliant week with a fantastic Family Fun session, which included yoga, ball games, hobbyhorse dressage, and orienteering—a perfect way to celebrate a week of movement, laughter, and family spirit. See some of our photos on [Facebook](#)

Staffing Update

We would like to inform you that Mrs Snodgrass will be away from school for a couple of weeks following the half-term break. During this time, Mrs Morgan, a familiar and experienced member of our team, will be stepping in to support the class.

We want to reassure parents and carers that we are committed to maintaining a stable and nurturing environment for the children. Mrs Morgan knows the class well and will ensure that routines, learning, and care continue seamlessly.

We appreciate your understanding and support.

Forest Schools

3.6.25	Year 1/2
10.6.25	Year 3/4
17.6.25	Year 3/4
24.6.25	EYFS
1.7.25	EYFS
8.7.25	Y5/6
15.7.25	Y5/6

We're excited to let you know that Forest School will continue next term and will still take place on Tuesdays.

Please check the schedule for your child's allocated Forest School days. On those days, we kindly ask that your child comes to school in their Forest School outfit, ready for outdoor learning and adventure.

To help them stay comfortable and safe, please ensure your child wears or brings trousers, even in warmer weather, as they provide better protection during outdoor activities.

Changes in wraparound payments

There is an important change how we pay for wrap around. Starting from September, all wraparound care needs to be paid for at the point of booking.

Additionally, over the summer holidays, please ensure that all outstanding balances are up to date.

Wrap around reminder

Please note that there will be no after-school wrap around care on 4th June or 9th July due to a scheduled staff training session. We kindly ask parents and guardians to make alternative arrangements for that afternoon. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the school office.

Strategic Priorities

Over the past few months, the governors have been actively engaged in setting strategic priorities for our school. This process is part of their role in providing long-term direction and ensuring the school continues to grow and improve in line with our shared values and vision.

What does this mean?

The governors have been:

- Reflecting on the school's current strengths and areas for development.
- Listening to feedback from staff, parents, and pupils.
- Considering national education priorities and local community needs.
- Setting clear goals to guide decision-making over the next few years.

Why is this important?

Strategic priorities help ensure that:

- Everyone is working towards the same goals.
- Resources are used effectively.
- We continue to provide the best possible education and support for our pupils.

What's next?

Now the priorities are finalised, they can be shared with the whole school community and we can start planning how we work towards them.

[Strategic Priorities - Sharow CofE Primary School](#)

Thank you for your continued dedication and support. Together, we're shaping a bright future for our school.

Vision

We are excited to share our reviewed Vision and Values, which reflect the heart of who we are as a school and where we are heading together. [Vision and Values - Sharow CofE Primary School](#)

This refreshed vision has been shaped by our shared experiences, aspirations, and the voices of our whole school community. It celebrates our strengths and sets a clear direction for the future—one that continues to drive our success.

Our updated values of **health, love and growth** will guide our daily practice, decision-making, and relationships, ensuring we remain united in purpose and consistent in our approach.

We look forward to exploring these together and embedding them into our culture in meaningful and inspiring ways.

Solihul training for parents

Arguing is normal in every relationship – it is also a life skill we learn throughout childhood and adolescence through our close relationships. Navigating tough times as parents together or separately can be hard. Parenting is not easy, and the pressures of everyday life can easily, and understandably, mount up and even overwhelm the closest couples.

All residents of North Yorkshire can access this for free.

[inourplace | Solihull Approach – Falling out and making up: skills for life](#)

Get Involved

This year's chosen charity is [Lucie's Animal Rescue](#). When you have a moment, please can you have a look at the Wishlist with your child and make a donation.

Once a donation has been made, we would love to know about it so we can congratulate / thank them in school.

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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



Ripon Panthers Football club had their annual end of season awards day last Saturday and we would like to congratulate both Samuel and Nicolas.

Samuel, picked up the Managers Player of the Season award for his team and Nicolas received the Players Player trophy.



Community Notices

Please see below for fliers about activities in and around Ripon

Where: @ Sharow Village Hall , Dishforth Road, HG4 5BG

When: Friday 3:15 Pick – up @ Sharow C of E school till 6pm

& Wed & Thur's in the school Holidays Half days & Full days

**NEW
2025**

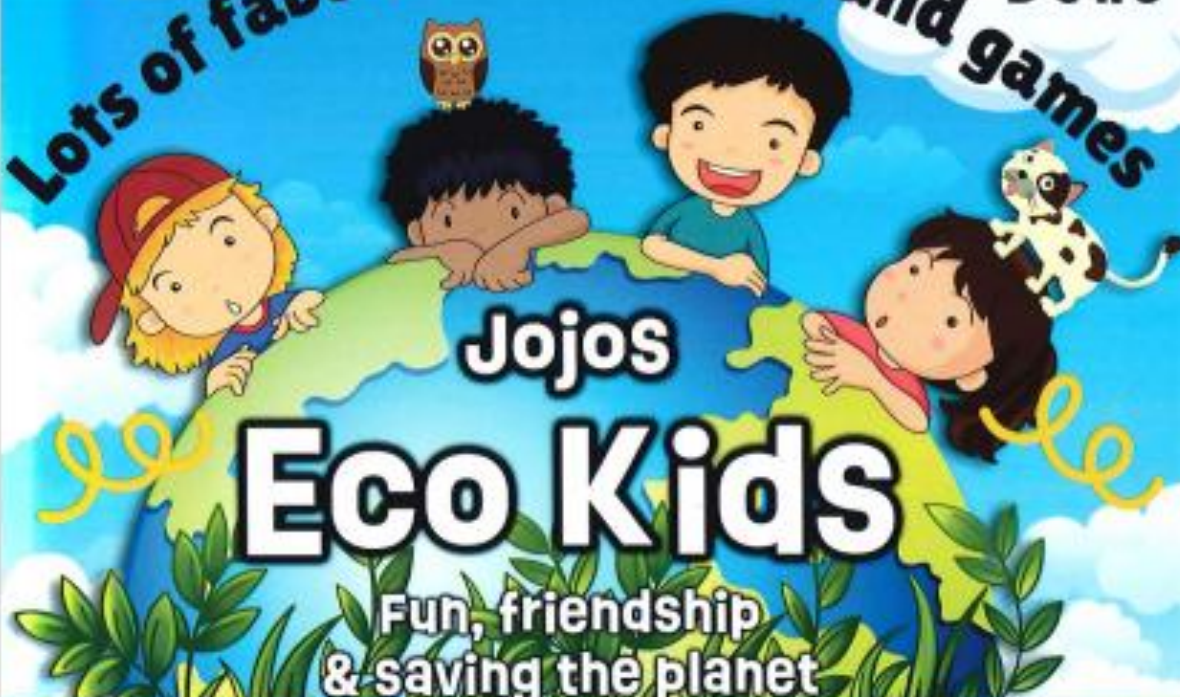
**Gardening Wild
Crafts**

**Age 5 to 10
years**

Nature

Lots of fabulous Activities and games

Dens



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jojoshouseemail@gmail.com
jojoshub.my.canva.site/jojos-eco-kids

Open night Friday 28th March 3:30 until 5pm
come meet JoJo and find out about the club



Free Summer Open Day

Get a peek behind the scenes to see what happens to your household waste

Site tours (for over 7s) will run throughout the day

Upcycling crafts

The North Yorkshire Rotters

Open to everyone

Tuesday 5 August 2025 - 10am - 3pm

Please book using this link.

All ages welcome at the visitor centre but please note no access to site tour for under 7s.



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Where it all begins...



- BOROUGHBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL
- KING JAMES SCHOOL
- WEDNESDAY 28TH MAY 2025
- THURSDAY 29TH MAY 2025
- AGES 7 TO 14YRS – 10AM TIL 3PM
- £10 MORNING / £25 DAY

Come & join us for a fun day of netball.
Prizes will be up for grabs as well as a
certificates for everyone!





St. John's Church, Sharow, HG4 5BJ

***Midsummer
Piano, Pimm's &
Poetry
with Afternoon
Tea***

Saturday 21st June 2025

2pm-4.30pm

Tickets £10

bookingsstjohns@outlook.com or
contact Caroline 07939809613.

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