

Ripley Endowed Primary School Weekly Newsletter

We listen, we learn, we achieve, and together we succeed.

**Please remember
we are a Nut
Free School.**

10th May 2018

News of the Week

Our Christian Value this term is:
Courage

Packed Lunches

Please remember that all packed lunches should be healthy with no chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks.

Tuck Shop

There will be a healthy tuck shop tomorrow. Children should bring no more than £1 to spend.

School Gate

Thank you to all parents who close the gate behind them when leaving the premises. Please can we remind you not to let anyone into school as you are leaving. They need to be buzzed in so Mrs Macnair knows who is coming in and out of school. Thank you.

Foundation Stage Gate

Can parents and carers of children in foundation stage please ensure that they close the wooden gates when they leave the foundation stage playground?

School Pick Up

Please remember to inform school if someone else other than you is picking your child up from school.

Parking around School

Please remember to think of others when parking around school. We had a few complaints from neighbours last year who were blocked in. We would also like to remind you not to park on the road across from the school unless you have a blue badge. This is for the safety of all our children.

Child Protection Policy

Our Child Protection Policy is available to view on our website under Policies.

School Dinner Price Increase

School dinners have remained the same price almost 5 years but due to changes in the way schools are being charged for the provision of school dinners we may have to make a price increase in September. As soon as a decision is made we will, of course, let you know.

Clubs

Please note there will be no Lego Club on 14th May. The last Boosters session is today. Gardening Club is now full, please could children bring in waterproofs and wellies in order that they can garden in all weather?

Mrs Blundell

We will be sorry to see Mrs Blundell leave at the end of this academic year due to her relocating out of the Harrogate area. Although she has been here for a short period of time, she has quickly become part of the team and will be missed.

Brass Lessons

Mr Sidwell has been coming into school for several years to teach brass. He has places available from September and if you are interested please speak to Mrs Macnair in the office. Mr Sidwell will be coming into school on Friday 18th May to give a demonstration to pupils and parents.

Class 1 Mud Kitchen

Class 1 will be having a mud kitchen installed on 24th May. If you have any herbs you would like to donate for them to "cook" please speak to Mrs Walker.

The Little Ripon Book Shop

The Little Ripon Bookshop will be bringing more books into assembly tomorrow to share with children and parents. The books will then be distributed to all classes for the children to enjoy.

Residential Photos

If you would like copies of the residential photos please bring in a disk or a memory stick and we will copy them over for you.

Sunny Weather

As the weather is forecast to be warm over the next week or so, as per the sun cream policy which we sent out recently, please remember to put sun cream on your child before they come to school and bring extra in which they can apply themselves. Please also make sure that they have a hat and drink with them.

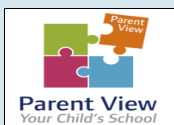
Year 6 Boosters

Year 6 have been working very hard all year, and have all been very committed to Booster sessions. As such, Mr Sadler has tried to make these sessions a bit fun. Last week, they completed a series of difficult grammar questions whilst also tackling an obstacle course of their own design!



Ofsted Parent View

We are reminding you that parents can log on to Ofsted's Parent View site to give your opinion of the school via the following link;



<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>



Dates for your diary:

SATs Week	14th - 17th May 2018
School Closes for Half Term (Non uniform for 50p and cake stall/tombola)	25th May 2018
School Re-opens	4th June 2018
Year 5/6 at Countryside Day	5th June 2018
Year 5/6 Kwik Cricket	7th June 2018
Infant Trip to Harlow Carr	14th June 2018
Year 3/4/5/6 Athletics	21st June 2018
Friends Annual Summer BBQ	21st June 2018
Year 5/6 Rounders	27th June 2018
Sports Day	5th July 2018
Back up Sports Day	6th July 2018
End of Year Disco	6th July 2018
Year 3/4 Change for Life	9th July 2018
End of Year Performance	17th July 2018 (1.30pm at the Town Hall)
End of Year Performance	18th July 2018 (6pm at the Town Hall)
School Closes for Summer	20th July 2018 (Leavers Service at 1pm and children can leave thereafter - around 2pm)

News from the Friends of Ripley School

We will be having a non-school uniform day on the last day of half term (25th May) for a donation of 50 pence per child together with a cake and tombola stall after school (donations should be brought to school nearer the time).

The annual summer BBQ will be held on Thursday 21st June at the cricket field from 6-8.30pm. More information to follow.

The End of Year Disco will be on Friday 6th July and we have managed to find a DJ.

The Friends of Ripley are hoping to hold a second hand clothes stall every term to raise funds for the school. Donations of school jumpers, skirts, trousers, summer dresses, PE kit and PE pumps would be greatly appreciated. Please bring them to the school office.

THANK YOU to those that have joined our easyfundraising page, it's the easiest way, when you are shopping, to raise funds for the school we have currently raised just over £1,000! <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/ripleyendowedschool/?v=a&u=1P1GF7> please click on the link and sign up - it doesn't cost you anything however it raises funds for the school every time you shop online.

Pupil News and Achievements



We recognise that achievements are not restricted to children's activities at school and we would love to share your child's achievements out of school, too.

Please let Mrs Macnair have any information you would like to share by Wednesday each week

Church News and Events

Please join us for morning prayers at school every Wednesday morning at 9am with Rvd Paul Harford, either in the garden or summer house depending on the weather..

If you would like any further information please contact Susanne Cosgrove (Ryan's mum) on 07936 419559.



All pupils need the correct PE kit in school. If your child needs to be excused from PE a letters is required.

You can keep up to date with our sporting activities by going onto the Sainsbury's School Games website yourschool-games.com Please

remember to return any borrowed team kit to school.

Thank you!