

6th October 2022

It was fantastic to be able to take the children to church for the Harvest Festival last week. It has been over three years since we have been able to share a service all together there and it was wonderful to see the church so full. Thank you to everyone that helped to walk the children to the service and another big thank you to everyone that donated food as part of the service. All of the food was taken to the local food banks to support families that are in need.

It has also been great to see the children go to church this week as part of our regular 'Sanctuary Week'. It is a fantastic week which leads up the family service at St John's Church on Sunday 9th October.

Thank you to everyone that has supported with the 'Bags 2 School' fundraiser. It was a great success and raised over £100. Thank you also to the parents that helped move the bags out of the school ready for collection. It was greatly appreciated!

Please keep an eye out for upcoming events as we have started holding parent afternoons. We will also be sending out booking information for the October parents evenings shortly.

As always, if you have any questions, please come ask if you see me in the mornings outside or come to the school office and they will organise a time for us to speak.

Best wishes

Mr Hope

IMPORTANT—Pupil Contact Information

It is the parent/carers responsibility to inform school of any change of address, contact numbers or emergency contact information etc. Please inform the school office as soon as possible by emailing a.nelson@ksjprimaryschool.org or admin@ksjprimaryschool.org to keep the information we hold on your child/rens file accurate.

We do not send out data collection sheets out, however if you wish to have your data collection sheet emailed over to you to check your details are right then please email your request to a.nelson@ksjprimaryschool.org

Knaresborough St John's Newsletter

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Parents Evening

We are looking forward to inviting parents into school for Parents Evening running on 18th October, 19th October & 20th October.

Please visit <http://www.schoolinterviews.co.uk> to book your appointment slot with the class teacher.

Using code u76y6

Booking will be opened at 2pm on Monday 10th October

WISDOM

1026

TRUST

1240

HOPE

1313

PEACE

1048

Open Morning—Wednesday 19th October

for all our potential new reception children starting September 2023. We look forward to seeing you all between 9.15am–11.30am on Wednesday 19th October. Tea & Coffee are being served by our lovely PTA Team in the hall from 9.30–11.15am. Come along and meet the EYFS staff.



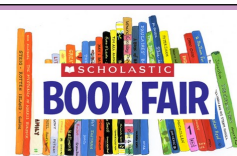
School Needs You!

Our school volunteers are a super important part of St Johns and the support they give to our children in school is valuable.

If you feel that you would like to become a school volunteer and help listen to the children read etc then please email Mrs Robinson in the school office on admin@ksjprimaryschool.org or call 01423863265 to find out more. Please note that we would require you to be available on a regular basis. Full training and DBS checks will be completed before you start.

Harvest Festival

What a lovely Harvest Festival KS1 & KS2 all had at St Johns Parish Church last week. The children enjoyed their visit and we would like to thank all our parent helpers who walked with the children to and from the church. Many thanks for all the food/toiletries donations. These have now all been sent to the 'Homeless Project'



The ever popular Scholastic Book Fair will be running in the hall from 14th to 21st October.

Come pay a visit & get some exciting new books to lose yourself in!

Please watch your child/ren and STOP them climbing and swinging off the railings around the playgrounds. These are not climbing frames and children are getting hurt.



NO CLIMBING

Autumn Terms Dates 2022

11/10 Yr3 trip to Harewood House

12/10 Yr4 trip to Harewood House

14/10 to 21/10 Book fair in the school hall

18/10 to 20/10 Parents Evenings

19/10 9.15am–11.30am Open Morning for new reception starters 2023

21/10 Wear it Pink day! £1 donation for breast cancer awareness

21/10 School closes normal time for half term



31/10 School reopens

EYFS & KS1 8.50am

KS2 8.40am

01/11 5.30pm–6.30pm Yr6 SATS & Kingswood meeting. Parents only please. Letter to follow.

11/11 Whole school flu immunisations. Opt in required.

22/11 Yr2 trip to Eureka. Info to follow

23/11 Yr1 trip to Eureka. Info to follow

01/12 3.30pm–4.30pm Christingle café at the Parish Hub

02/12 3.30pm–5.30pm PTA Christmas fair

09/12 Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children. £1 donation.

09/12 Christmas dinner day! Menu to follow

16/12 School closes normal for Christmas break



03/01 School reopens

EYFS & KS1 8.50am

KS2 8.40am

05/01 Young Voices at Sheffield Fly arena

PTA

Tea on the Terrace

This was such a lovely afternoon and we would like to thank the parents and children who came for supporting us. We raised over £300 and the children loved getting involved.

Friday 14th October—Treat Shop

We will be selling Hot Chocolate, Donuts & Second Hand Books in the school playgrounds from 3pm. Please come along and enjoy!

Please go to knaresboroughstjohnsppta@gmail.com if you would like to pre-order boxes of 12 donuts

Friday 21st October—Pre-Loved School Uniform

Please come along and support Hannah with the second hand school uniform shop in the Hall from 3pm

Thursday 20th October—PTA Meeting

We would love to see as many of you at the Mother Shipton's Inn from 7.30pm and would welcome any new ideas you may have in raising much needed funds for St Johns. We look forward to seeing you there.

Bag2School

Thank you to all who kindly donated items of clothing to raise much needed funds. The total raised was £112



BONFIRE NIGHT

Are you thinking of having a bonfire this year?! Here is some safety information!

What is proposed to be burned on the bonfire?

All material should be clean and safe, no treated wood, tyres, plastics, rubber and oil should be burned. Only burn small amounts of paper, leaves, wood and cardboard and ensure the waste is kept secure before burning. If the waste can harm health or pollute the environment it should not be burned.

Where has that material come from?

Don't be a victim of waste crime, do not accept waste from a business, commercial or industrial setting, it should be waste that has originated from your domestic property only. If you suspect illegal waste activity report it anonymously to Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 or contact Harrogate Borough Council on 01423 500600.

Is it appropriate, safe and legal to burn?

Follow the above advice and that stated in the documents below and ensure you position the bonfire in a safe area where there is no risk of other buildings, land or trees catching fire, or people being hurt. Manage the fire to ensure flames and smoke are controlled, and ensure the fire is never left unattended.

If you decide to have bonfire at home make sure you are fully aware of the information above and that stated in the following useful documents:

Legal & Safe <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/remember-remember-bonfire-night-but-make-it-legal-and-safe>

Burning waste on bonfires <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/burning-of-waste-on-campfires-and-bonfires>

Garden bonfire rules <https://www.gov.uk/garden-bonfires-rules>

Community Guide <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/celebrating-bonfire-night>



***Information provided by Environmental Health Office
(Environmental Protection)
Safer Communities, Harrogate Borough Council***



Introduction to working in schools & colleges

Would you like a career working in schools, but are unsure where to start? This 5 week FREE introductory online course will help you decide on the qualification that's right for you.

Tuesdays 8 November - 6 December 2022

13.00 - 15.00 or 18.00 - 20.00

This course will be delivered live online by one of our highly experienced teachers and it will prepare you for a future working in a school environment. You will gain confidence through having discussions and carrying out tasks to develop an understanding of which future learning pathway is right for you. Progression will be to a qualification course at level 1, 2 or 3, to be agreed with your teacher.

View the course information and enrol online by searching 'NYCC ALSS courses' and going to the Education & Training area on our website or scan the QR code shown and go to pages 2 & 3. If you'd like further Information, Advice and Guidance, please phone us on 01609 536066 and ask to speak with a Learner Engagement Officer or email: learningAdvice@northyorks.gov.uk



For more information and to book online visit our Education & Training courses

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/adult-learning-courses-search>

Call us on 01609 536066

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it's
FRIYAY

Treat Shop



School playgrounds
3pm, Friday 14th October

donuts & hot chocolate's
Secondhand book sale



yumm!





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Ts & Cs : Discount code **MUST** be applied at the time of booking. We cannot apply this discount retrospectively.

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Harrogate Autumn Half Term 2022 Multi Sports & Activity Days

Organised by Coach Gunn Limited and led by Coach Ciaran providing ACTIVE TRUSTED CHILDCARE

TUESDAY 25th &
THURSDAY 27th
OCTOBER 2022

St Robert's
Catholic Primary
School HG1 4AP

9am-4pm each day
with FREE
8am-5pm
extended hours

Open to children
aged 4-12

FULL DAY @ £24
HALF DAY @ £12



Sports & activities
include...

Multi Sports
Dodgeball
FUN Games
BOUNCY CASTLE
Lego & Let's Craft
...plus lots more
FUN & creative
activities

JOIN THE TEAM...
Junior Coaches
(ages 13-17) &
Lead Coaches (18+)
opportunities

Each day will feature the children's favourite activities delivered in a safe & secure environment making the most of the fantastic indoor & outdoor space available at St Robert's Catholic Primary School encouraging ALL attending children to have #FUNwithFriends

For further information or to make a booking please contact Coach Gunn at coachmarkgunn@gmail.com

'Coach Gunn Basketball'



07912 178917

Name of Child(ren)..... School(s)/Year Group(s)..... /.....

Parental Name(s)..... Mobile(s).....

Parental Email(s).....

Medical Information - please give details of any important medical information that we should be aware of:

I would like my child(ren) to attend Harrogate Autumn Half Term 2022 Multi Sports & Activity Days on [Tuesday 25th October 2022] - [Thursday 27th October 2022] at St Robert's Catholic Primary School (HG1 4AP) and to secure their place(s) I will make payment of £24 (Full Day) / £12 (Half Day) per child per day in advance.

Payment Method = Direct Transfer to Coach Gunn Limited (Santander) 09-01-29 67809950

Alternatively via cheque (Coach Gunn Limited) or cash

☐ I will collect my child promptly at 4pm ☐ I would like to request early drop off / later pick up

☐ My child will be collected by another person (name/relationship).....

I agree / don't agree to the publication of images of my son/daughter in the media.

Signed

Date

