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RIBBY WITH WREA ENDOWED C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

"Life in all its fullness" · Hope · Respect · Creativity · Friendship

Mrs Sharp's Message

HEADTEACHER, MRS SHARP

What a wonderful start to the new half term we have had at Ribby with Wrea! It has been another busy week, full of exciting opportunities, important learning and plenty of chances for our children to have their voices heard. On Monday, we welcomed the NSPCC into school to deliver their Speak Out. Stay Safe. programme through assemblies and workshops. These valuable sessions helped children understand the importance of speaking out about their worries and knowing which trusted adults they can turn to for help. We also shared and discussed our new child-friendly safeguarding policy, reinforcing our commitment to keeping everyone safe and happy at school. Our HALO group met with Miss Naylor to begin planning charity events, thoughtfully choosing to support Donna's Dreamhouse as our local charity and The Bethany Choir as our global charity. We look forward to seeing their fundraising ideas come to life! Our School Council also held its first meeting, and what a fantastic start it was! Children shared what they love about Ribby with Wrea, what they would like to improve and how we can gather the views of pupils across school. Together, they identified some key priorities and exciting fundraising ideas. It was wonderful to see such enthusiasm and genuine care for our school community. Elsewhere, our new Board Games Club has got off to a lovely start with Miss Naylor, providing opportunities for friendship, teamwork and fun. We also enjoyed a fantastic martial arts assembly from Shinpo Martial Arts, with the children thoroughly captivated by the exciting demonstrations! It has been particularly lovely to see our children taking such an active role in school life, demonstrating our values of Hope, Respect, Creativity and Friendship. A fantastic start to the half term!

Have a fantastic weekend!

Mrs Sharp

Key Dates this Term :

8/11 Head Boy & Girl to lay Wreaths at the Remembrance Service 10.15am
10/11 Hockey League @ Mill Farm
11/11 Miss Naylors Board Games Club@ lunchtime
11/11 SEN Coffee Afternoon 2pm
11/11 Baseball Club Starts 3.15pm
13/11 Football Trust Cup @ Mill Farm
13/11 Tempest Photgraphy Individual and Family photos 8.45am

17/11 PTFA meeting @The Tute 7pm
17/11 Hockey League @ Mill Farm
20/11 Nightingales Anglo Saxon Day

24/11 Dodgeball League @ Carr Hil
29/11 Christingle Service in Churchl

30/11-11/12 Asessment period

School Awards

Congratulations to the following pupils who received awards in assembly this week.

Stars of the Week

Mila Gorman
Fabain Hart
Lilly Bunce
Areya Wall
Kobi Iloagu
Robyn Birt
Martha O'Rourke
Oliver Geraghty
Sofia Hill
Lewis Hislop

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU ALL!

Headteacher Awards

Piper Sycamore
Verity Ryan
Camilla Hatton
Jenson Gower

Presentation Awards

Sullivan Banks
Evelyn Doherty
Amelie Taylor
Hudson Doherty
Lucy Kelso

"Life in all its fullness - our children inspire us every single day with their courage, creativity and joy!"

MRS SHARP, HEADTEACHER





This Term's Value Focus: RESPECT

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Embracing Hope and Respect as Our Christian Value Focus.

Hope encourages us to look forward with optimism and trust in God's plan, while respect helps us honor each person's individuality as beings created in God's image. We wholeheartedly encourage children to embrace these values in their learning, relationships, and faith.

At home, consider engaging in the following activities:

- Reflecting on things you are hopeful for in the future
- Writing a letter to someone you admire and respect
- Creating a gratitude jar to recognize everyday blessings
- Organizing a team activity that fosters mutual respect with friends!

Our Four School Values

Hope — We look forward with confidence and trust in God's plan. We encourage children to set goals, persevere through challenges, and believe in a bright future.

Respect — We treat every person with dignity and kindness, recognising the worth of every individual as a child of God. Respect for ourselves, others, and our environment is central to life at our school.

Creativity — We celebrate imagination, originality, and the courage to try new things. Every child is a creative being, made in the image of a creative God.

Friendship — We build a warm, welcoming community where every child belongs. We model the friendship of Jesus — inclusive, generous, and full of grace.

We warmly invite families to explore our school value of Respect together at home. Here are some conversation starters and activities for this term:

- Ask your child: "How have you shown respect to someone this week?"
- Talk about a time when someone showed you kindness and respect. How did it make you feel?
- Look for examples of respect in your community — who helps and cares for others?
- On a walk around the village, think about how we can show respect for our environment and shared spaces.
- Practise listening carefully to one another without interrupting. How does this make people feel valued?
- Read a story together and talk about how the characters show respect, kindness and understanding towards others.

Our Christian ethos runs through everything we do. We are a school family rooted in faith, hope and love, nurturing the whole child so that every pupil can experience life in all its fullness.

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full."
John 10:10

LIFE IN ALL ITS FULLNESS





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Reminders, Announcements & Upcoming Events

Clubs

New Baseball and Shinpo Martial Arts clubs are starting this term. Please sign up directly with the providers. Baseball information was emailed before half term, and Martial Arts letters have been sent home this week.

Miss Naylor's Board Games Club starts on Wednesdays at lunchtime. Children can sign up directly with Miss Naylor. She is also requesting donations of board games. If anyone can be of help, it would be very much appreciated!

Tempest Photography

Friday 13th November - Individual and family photographs. Families with pre-school children should arrive at 8.45am for family photos. Please ensure all children are in full school uniform.

Christingle Service

St Nicholas Church - Sunday 29th November, 4.00pm. Christingle collection tubes are available from the school entrance. Please do pop along and enjoy this wonderful Christmas Service.

KS1 Nativity

Please reserve up to 4 seats per family via the T2P form. Our Christmas raffle is also now live, with hampers donated by staff. Tickets can be purchased on ParentPay. You have to be in it to win it! 🎄🎁

Important December Activities & Dates

4/12 HALO Grp Bake Sale
4/12 Rock Steady concert 2.00pm
5/12 Village Light Switch On & Chritmas Fair
7/12 Fizzy Tree Theatre Club Show - Matilda @ 4.15pm
8/12 Dodgeball League @ Car Hill
10/12 Eagles Class Worship in Church @9am Parents & Grandparetns Welcome
10/12 KS1 Nativity 2.00pm
11/12 School Values Assembly
11/12 KS1 Nativity 2.00pm
14/12 Whole School Panto Aladdin - in school
15/12 KS2 Carol Service 6.00pm
16/12 Whole School Xmas Dinner
17/12 Interim Reports out to Parents
18/12 School closes @ 2.00pm
4/1 School Re-opens @ 8.40am

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THANK YOU BEN

A HUGE THANK YOU TO BEN FROM HMA TREE CARE FOR HIS VERY GENEROUS DONATION AND DELIVERY OF WOODCHIP FOR OUR WOODLAND AREA! THE CHILDREN HAVE ABSOLUTELY LOVED BEING ABLE TO EXPLORE, PLAY AND FROLIC IN THE WOODLAND AGAIN!

MUSICAL INSTRUMENT GIVEAWAY

It is with a heavy heart that Mrs Anne Thompson of the village has made the difficult decision to donate her late husband's musical instruments to a good home where they can continue to bring joy and happiness to others, just as they did for them.

The instruments available are:

Drum kit & Baby Grand piano

If you are interested or would like further information, please contact the school office.

Thank you.

PTFA WACKY HAIR DAY

Many thanks to everyone that contributed. There were some really creative hairstyles! We raised a wonderful £176.00!



