

Crayke Church of England Primary School

FOLLOW YOUR PATHWAY AND WE GROW TOGETHER WITH CONFIDENCE

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Dear Parents and Carers,

NEWS FROM SCHOOL THIS WEEK

SATs – Thanks

In my haste to share Mrs Rayner's outstanding dance moves with you last week, I omitted some important messages of thanks, for which I apologise. To Mr Brown, who has been a massive support to Year 6 children throughout the year delivering weekly booster sessions. To governors Mr Porter, Mr Wilson, Mrs Dawson and Mr Champion who oversaw the administration of the SATs routine each day. To Mrs Shirley who did a wonderful job teaching Year 5 each morning enabling other Oak staff members to be involved in the SATs invigilation. To Mrs Bacon who undertook all the admin duties associated with packaging up the papers and making sure that all the test materials remained secure. To Apple, who baked delicious looking cupcakes and a wonderful cake ready for the SATs party at the end of the week. To all the children in school who were really respectful of Year 6 and moved around school quietly and calmly to enable optimum conditions for Year 6 taking their tests. Thank you everyone!

Bikeability

Well done to all 12 children who participated in this during the week. It was great to hear about how your confidence grew throughout the day.

Recycling

We now have the facility to recycle empty printer cartridges and toners and to raise funds for school in the process. If you have any "empties" please drop them into this box which will be outside the front door during school hours.

Thanks to Miss Griffin for organising this as another way of raising money for our school!



Auditions – Key Stage 2 Production

Well done to all children in Oak class who did a superb job of auditioning this week and in showing respect and understanding towards each other during the process. I know Mrs Rayner was faced with some difficult choices! We look forward to sharing our production of "Hagbane's Doom" with you towards the end of term – dates can be found on the date list.

Artbytes Competition

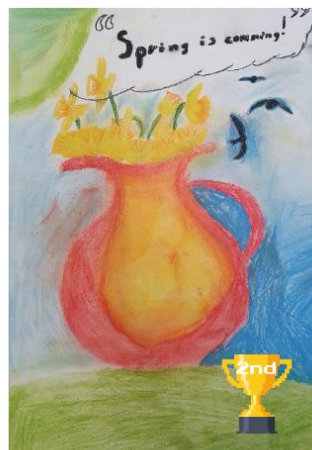
Judging has now closed and I am delighted to announce that Isaac has the winning entry from our school! All three finalists, and their families, have been invited to the awards ceremony in Leeds in early June, when we will find out if any of our entries have been successful in the regional or national competition. Fingers crossed!

The ceremony is being live-streamed from Leeds Art Gallery on **Wednesday 7 June** from 3pm until 4pm. I am proposing that we show this on the screen in Oak class. If any children in Oak would like to stay at school to watch the awards being presented, they are welcome to stay until 4pm. Survey link to follow.



Abandoned building

Isaac
photography, 10cm, 15cm



Spring Is Coming

Isabelle
pastels, 42cm, 29cm



Daffodil

Toby
felt tip pen, 30cm, 21cm

Behaviour Update

Ready...Respectful...Safe

We expect high standards of behaviour at Crayke School and we know that the vast majority of children try to be the best that they can be at all times, embracing our school values and working hard. We have refreshed our school rules with the children to ensure consistency. They are now summed up in these three words – Ready...Respectful...Safe. Please support us with this by asking your children about these rules and about what those behaviours look like.

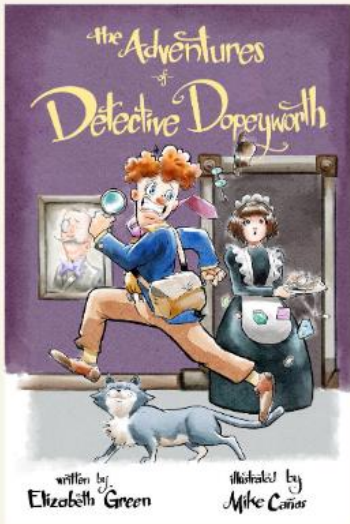
We have also developed a new initiative across school which is causing great excitement – the class Recognition Boards. On these, children's names are displayed when they have done something to demonstrate our school values and/or our rules. This has helped children to recognise and celebrate each other's strengths, which is a really important part of our school family.

Work is still ongoing to support and further enhance positive behaviour across school and I look forward to providing further updates for you in the coming weeks.

UPCOMING EVENTS – New this week

Author Visit – Tuesday 23 May

Message from Mrs Helfferich




written by Elizabeth Green illustrated by Mike Canas

Tuesday 23rd May 2023

AUTHOR ELIZABETH GREEN

Elizabeth will be joining us in school to talk about her book *The Adventures of Detective Dopeyworth*



Signed copies will be available to buy on the day. £7.00 for a paperback. Also available to purchase on Amazon

Elizabeth Green, a local author, will be visiting school on Tuesday morning to work with children across school. Elizabeth wrote a story after receiving a typewriter for Christmas when she was 14 years old. 40 years later she found the forgotten story in her parents writing desk and, after a bit of a rewrite, she decided to share 'The Adventures of Detective Dopeyworth' with the world. Elizabeth lives in North Yorkshire with her husband, 2 dogs and 2 cats. She is currently writing a story about owls which is being published on 17 June, suitable for the younger years. She will be reading the owl story to Apple and Beech on Tuesday. Signed copies of the book will be available to buy. If your child would like one, they need to bring £7 cash in a named envelope on Monday. Thanks to Mrs Helfferich for organising this opportunity.

Skellig Performance – Oak Wednesday 24 May

Children in Oak have been invited to a performance of Skellig at Ampleforth next week. Children will travel there and back by coach after an early lunch. A snack will be provided for the children during the performance. Apologies for the short notice but please complete the consent form for this visit before the end of Monday. <https://forms.office.com/e/UyZB6Jeysj> We also request a voluntary contribution of £5 per child towards the cost of travel for this visit, payable via ParentPay. Please do contact me if you require any further information.

Swimming – Apple and Beech Class

Children in both Apple and Beech class will start their swimming lessons on **Thursday 8 June** for a 6 week period at Thirsk Pool. The half hour session will run between 10.45am and 11.15am and we will be using money from our Sports Grant to fund the lessons and also the cost of coach transport to and from Thirsk. The bus will leave school at 10.00am and arrive back at approximately 12.00 noon in time for lunch.

Please can you provide your child with a suitable snack for eating on the bus whilst travelling to Thirsk i.e. a small packet of dried fruit, cereal bar, etc (not fresh fruit, as it is not easy to dispose of apple cores, banana skins, etc on the bus).

As it is only a short journey, children will not be permitted to take any additional items on the coach i.e. games, cards, etc.

If your child has long hair, please send them with their hair tied back for the session.

Please can you complete the online consent form using the link below by **Thursday 25 May**.

<https://forms.office.com/e/8N4PNggs77>

Sports Week – w/c 19 June

Mrs Helfferich is busy planning a variety of activities for the children during Sports Week – further information to follow.

Football Match - Wednesday 28 June

Save the Date: Children in Year 5/6 are invited to take part in a football match after school on Wednesday 28 June vs Ralph Butterfield Primary. Further information to follow.

Careers Week – Oak w/c 17 July

As part of our PSHE topic on the world of work this term, I would like to give children in Oak class the opportunity to learn more about different jobs. If any parents/carers would be willing to support with this by coming in during the week to share information about their job, we would love to hear from you. Survey to follow.

UPCOMING EVENTS – Reminders

Forest School sessions – Reception and Year 1

As part of transition from EYFS to Key Stage 1, and to enable Year 2 children to do their SATs tests, Mrs Helfferich will be running some Forest School sessions for children in Reception and Year 1 on the following mornings: **Tuesday 23 May, Wednesday 24 May, Thursday 25 May**.

Please can ALL children in Apple Class and Year 1 have their Forest School kits in school for the above days – thank you.

New starter survey – Reception 2023

Parents of new starters in Reception were emailed last week with information about the information evening and new starter visits. In the meantime, to support our planning of the visits to feeder settings, please can parents of Reception new starters please complete this survey as soon as possible and no later than **Friday 26 May**: <https://forms.office.com/e/5zWxfmDxFk> Thank you to those parents who have already completed this.

Pentecost Event at St Cuthbert's Church – Monday 22 May

We are delighted to have been invited to a Pentecost themed event at church on the afternoon of 22 May. Children in Holly and Oak class will be attending and will experience a variety of different activities led by a local team of volunteers. As we will be back in time for the end of the school day and the visits falls within our local area, specific consent is not required for this event. **Given the unpredictability of the current weather, please ensure your child has a coat in school this day.**

Should anyone wish to contact me to discuss further please do not hesitate to do so.

IMPORTANT: Robinwood Residential Autumn 2023

As per previous communication, we are aiming to take Year 5/6 children (current Year 4/5) to Robinwood for a residential visit on the weekend of **6-8 October 2023**. To ensure that the visit is viable, please can parents of children in current Year 4 and 5 complete this survey as soon as possible and no later than **Friday 26 May** <https://forms.office.com/e/27QdFqvcZ4>

A parent meeting will be held in due course to provide further information about the visit. However, should you wish to find out more in the meantime please visit:

<https://www.robinwood.co.uk/activity-centres/dobroyd-castle/>

Also, please see this typical programme outline to give you a flavour of what to expect:

Typical 3 Day Programme	Day One	Day Two	Day Three
<p>Around 24 hours of high-quality activity sessions packed into a 3 day course. We ensure your group gains the most possible from every moment spent at Robinwood.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrivals are typically about 11.00am • Lunch • Giant Swing • Raft Building • Crate Challenge • Evening Meal • Trapeze • Quest • Hot Chocolate and Review 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breakfast • Zip Wire • Canoeing • Archery • Lunch • Nighline • Piranha Pool • Caving • Evening Meal • Team Challenge • Hot Chocolate and Review 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Breakfast • Dungeon • Climbing • Challenge Course • Lunch • Departures are typically about 2.30pm

Wow Walk to School Challenge Weekly Update

Message from Mrs Helfferich

Due to it being National Walk to School week we have altered our recording for this week so results will be announced next week.



Upcoming Meetings

Thank you to those who attended the meeting last night. Plans for the fair are well underway! Further meetings to finalise the Summer Fair have been arranged for the following dates. Each meeting will be at 3:45pm in the School Hall.

8 June
22 June

Everyone is welcome.

Summer Fair **Saturday 24 June**



STANDING ITEMS

Cost of Living Crisis

We are very aware that costs continue to rise and look set to do so for some time. If you are encountering financial difficulties, we may be able to signpost support. Please get in touch. If your circumstances have changed and you think your child may be eligible for free school meals, it has never been easier to apply. There is no stigma attached to this, it is not highlighted to the children in any way, and the school gets valuable funding too. If you would like a confidential conversation about whether you may be eligible for free school meals, please do not hesitate to speak to me. To apply directly please use this weblink: <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals>

Reception places available for September 2023

Due to a lower number of sibling than usual, we anticipate that we will have some spaces available in our Reception class in September 2023. Although the deadline has now officially passed for applications of places to North Yorkshire County Council, if you know of any parents who may be interested, please do ask them to contact school.

Online Safety

We recognise the importance of online safety and also understand that it is a fast paced, ever changing online world where parents can struggle to keep up with the technical knowledge and understanding demonstrated by their children. The National Online Safety organisation produce regular guides for parents – this week they have produced a leaflet entitled “**Looking after your wellbeing online**”. Please see the attached leaflet which is also available on the Online Safety section of our website. Should you wish to access any of the other online safety parent guides available on a whole range of topics including what parents need to know about Amazon Fire Tablets, Google Chromebooks, and ways to champion equality online, please have a look at this weblink: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/guides>

Should you wish to access more information about how to support your child/ren with online safety at home, this course is available which explains in detail the risks they might be exposed to and what you can do to support them. <https://info.nationalonlinesafety.com/myleene-uk>

Our Safeguarding Team

At Crayke, we have three members of staff and a governor who make up our Safeguarding Leadership Team. I am the Designated Safeguarding Lead, which means that I am the lead person responsible for child protection and safeguarding issues. Mrs Rayner and Mrs Helfferich (in Mrs Chandler’s absence) are our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (Deputy DSLs); a deputy DSL supports the DSL in their role of safeguarding and child protection. Mr Hugh Porter is our Safeguarding Link Governor. The role of the Safeguarding Governor is to support the DSL as well as to regularly review, ask questions and make suggestions about our safeguarding policies and procedures and to report back to the governing body. All staff at Crayke know that safeguarding is EVERYONE’S responsibility. Find out more on our dedicated website Safeguarding page: <https://craykeschool.org/safeguarding/>

You can also report any safeguarding concerns to our DSL email: dsl@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk Please also be aware that as a school we subscribe to Operation Encompass, whereby we are notified of any incidences of domestic violence where a pupil at our school has been present.

PE Kits

PE Kits w/c 22 May	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
APPLE (CH)		Forest School	Forest School	Forest School	X
BEECH (LD)		Y1 Forest School	Y1 Forest School	Y1 Forest School X	X
HOLLY (EW)		X			X
OAK (LR)				X	X

Please do ensure that on PE days, the children wear their hoodies, school jumpers or cardigans alongside white or blue t-shirts and black or navy shorts or jogging bottoms.

Stars of the Week

	Apple	Beech	Holly	Oak
Stars	Cameron Colman	Grant Colman	Brooke Smith	Leonard Liddell
		Amber Brown	Scarlett Woodhouse	Isaac Copley
Gold Awards for Sport	Honor Howland	Tabi Copley	Joah Brown	Sienna Jagger

Attendance and Punctuality

This week's attendance figures: 95.8% School Target: 96%

Apple (CH): 90%	Beech (LD): 99% 11 lates (5 children)
Holly (LC): 94.8% 1 late	Oak (LR): 96.8% 4 lates (2 children)

Attendance

We strive for high levels of attendance at school. Please try, wherever possible, to book holidays out of term time. The impact of even one day's absence on your child's learning is huge. Also, please try to book medical appointments out of school hours if possible as this also minimises the time missed. If your child is very unwell and unable to attend school, please inform the office by phoning **01347 821767 no later than 9:15am**. Thank you for your support with this important matter.

Punctuality

It is very important that the children arrive to school on time so that:

1. They take part in all of the learning opportunities for the day with complete focus and without interruption from late arrivals.
2. Teachers can teach the best possible lessons without complete focus and without interruption from late arrivals.

Do I need to keep my child off school?

Whooping Cough				
48 Hours after commencing antibiotics				
Chicken Pox	Conjunctivitis	Diarrhoea & Vomiting	Glandular Fever	Hand, foot & mouth
Until all spots have crusted over	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	48 hours from last episode	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed
Measles or German Measles	Mumps	Scabies	Scarlet Fever	Slapped Cheek
4 days from onset of rash	5 days from onset of swelling	Until after first treatment	24 hours after commencing antibiotics	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed
Impetigo	Flu	Head Lice	Threadworms	Tonsillitis
Until lesions are crusted & healed or 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics	Until recovered	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed

Public Health Agency

Extra-Curricular Clubs – Summer Term

Some clubs have limited capacity and places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. In the event of a club being fully booked, your child's name will be added to a waiting list and you will be advised if a place becomes available. Booking is not required for before school or lunchtime clubs. For after school clubs run by school staff (in red type; denoted with *) please email Mrs Bacon on admin@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk to book a place.

Before School Clubs

Club	Leader	Day and Time	Group
Run a Mile	Mrs Jackson	Monday, Tuesday Thursday & Friday 8:30am	All welcome – parents and carers included!

Lunchtime Clubs

Club	Leader	Day	Group
Skipping	Mrs Helfferich	Monday	All
School Council	Miss Walker	Tuesday	Successful candidates
Games	Miss Clarke	Friday	Max. 20 (list kept in school)

After School Clubs

We respectfully ask you to check the collection time below carefully and to collect your children promptly at the end of clubs. **Clubs will run unless you are notified otherwise.**

Monday	Craft* (£10 pay via ParentPay) 3:30 – 4:15pm Years 1 – 6 Mrs Seligman and Miss Sherry		
Tuesday	Indoor Multi-Sport (fee paid direct) 3:30 – 4:30pm Years 1 – 6 Mark Cromack		
Wednesday	Spanish* (no charge) 3:30 – 4:15pm Years 2 – 6 Mrs Aristizabal		COMING SOON (fee paid direct) Athletics Club 3:30 – 4:30pm TBC
Thursday	Forest Schools* (no charge) 3:30pm – 4:15pm Year 1-6 Mrs Helfferich	Chess* (no charge) All abilities; Beginners welcome 3:30pm – 4:15pm Year 1-6 Mrs Seligman	Phonics Drop In (no charge) 3:30pm – 4:15pm Year 1 (and Year 2 by invitation) Mrs Dobson and Miss Ford Children must be accompanied by a parent/carer

PLEASE NOTE – DUE TO THE POPULARITY OF CRAFT CLUB & FOREST SCHOOLS, PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO CHILDREN WHO HAVEN'T ALREADY ACCESSED THESE CLUBS IN THE CURRENT ACADEMIC YEAR

Lunch Menu

SUMMER TERM 23	Week 1 Served w/c 5 th Jun, 26 th Jun, 17 th July	Week 2 Served w/c 12 th Jun, 3 rd Jul	Week 3 Served w/c 22 nd May, 19 th Jun, 10 th Jul
Monday	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Medley of Summer Vegetables Garlic Flatbread Raspberry & Apple Doughnut Muffin Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Nuggets and Ketchup Potato Wedges Sweetcorn & Peas Homebaked Bread Berry Sponge Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Pizza Potato Wedges Coleslaw & Peas Summer Drizzle Cake Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt
Tuesday	Hotdog and Ketchup Diced Potatoes Cucumber Sticks & Grated Carrot Summer Mousse & Shortbread Bite Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	BBQ Chicken Wrap with Vegetable Rice Veggie Sticks Tortilla Wrap Oat Biscuit & Cheese Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Beef Enchiladas with Rice Broccoli & Sweetcorn Crusty Bread Cheese & Biscuit Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt
Wednesday	Cottage Pie Broccoli & Carrots Crusty Bread Cheese & Crackers Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Roast Gammon Baby Potatoes Gravy Medley of Summer Vegetables Sliced Wholemeal Bread Summer Crumble & Custard Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy Mashed Potato Summer Cabbage & Carrots Homebaked Bread Waffle Finger & Ice-cream Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt
Thursday	Chicken Korma Rice Cauliflower & Green Beans Naan Bread Chocolate Orange Sponge & Chocolate Sauce Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Spaghetti Bolognese Garlic Bread Carrots & Peas Chocolate & Vanilla Swirl Muffin Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Meatballs & Pasta Cauliflower & Green Beans Pitta Bread Cornflake Crispie Fresh Fruit Yoghurt or Fruit Yoghurt
Friday	Fish Fingers Chips Baked Beans & Peas Wholemeal Bread Fruity Flapjack Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Crispy Fish & Chips Mixed Summer Salad Sunflower Seed Bread Jelly & Ice-Cream Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Battered Fish & Chips Ketchup Peas & Sweetcorn Sliced Wholemeal Bread Custard Cookie with Apple Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt

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Dates for your Diary – Summer Term 2023

We have tried to give you as much notice as possible about upcoming events, and will try wherever possible not to have to amend them.

Day	Date	Event	Who	Where
Monday	22 May	Pentecost event (afternoon)	Holly and Oak	St Cuthbert's Church
Wednesday	24 May	Visit to Ampleforth's Production of Skellig	Oak	Ampleforth College
HALF TERM				
Monday - Wednesday	5-7 June	Residential	Year 5	Carlton Lodge
Thursdays	8/15/22/29 Jun; 6/13 Jul	Swimming	Apple Beech	Thirsk Pool
Thursday	8 June	CHASA meeting 3:45pm	All welcome	Hall
Monday	12 June	Launch of Wraparound Care – Tiddlywinks@Crayke	Open to all	School site
Wednesday	14 June	New starter parent meeting 17:30	Reception '23 parents	Hall
w/c 19 June		Sports Week	All	Hall and outside
Wednesday	21 June	Whole School photograph	All	Field
Thursday	22 June	CHASA meeting 3:45pm	All welcome	Hall
Friday	23 June	Football match v Alne	Year 5/6	Field
Saturday	24 June	CHASA Summer Fair	All welcome	School grounds
Wednesday	28 June	New starter visit 1 of 3 9:30 – 11:30	Rec new starters	Apple Class
Wednesday	28 June	Football match vs Ralph Butterfield after school	Oak	Field
Friday	30 June	Rounders Festival Competition	Cluster schools Y5/6	Field
Monday	3 July	Transition Visits	Year 6	Outwood
Tuesday	4 July	Transition Visits	Year 6	Outwood
Tuesday	4 July	Visit to Askham Bryan Wildlife & Conservation Park	Beech Class	Askham Bryan, York
Wednesday	5 July	New starter visit 2 of 3 13:15 – 15:15	Rec new starters	Apple Class
Friday	7 July	Sports Day – First choice	All	Outside
Monday	10 July	KS2 performance dress rehearsal	KS2	Hall

Tuesday	11 July	KS2 performance 2:00pm	KS2	Hall
Wednesday	12 July	New starter visit 3 of 3 9:30 – 12:30 (incl. lunch)	Rec new starters	Apple Class
Wednesday	12 July	KS2 performance 6:00pm	KS2	Hall
Friday	14 July	Reserve Sports Day	All	Outside
w/c 17 July		Careers Week	Oak	Class and hall
Thursday	20 July	Colour Run – Total Warrior	All	Outside
Friday	21 July	Leavers service (time tbc)	All	Church

Autumn Term – Friday 6 – Sunday 8 October – Year 5 and 6 Residential Visit to Robinwood

Term Dates – Academic Year 2022/2023

Summer Term Tuesday 18th April to Friday 21st July 2023

Half Term Monday 29th May to return on Monday 5th June

INSET Days (School Closed to pupils) –

Monday 24th July 2023

Tuesday 25th July 2023

Judi Jackson
Headteacher

headteacher@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk

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Church News

Message from the Family Service Team



Family Service @ Crayke

In June and July, we will be back to Family Service as usual on the first Sunday of the month.

Looking forward to seeing you!

The Family Service team

Community News



**EASINGWOLD
CRICKET CLUB**
- FOUNDED 1829 -

All Stars & Dynamos Junior cricket coaching is back! Learn new skills, practice activities, make new friends and have lots of fun! See below for how to register & order your ECB goodies.

**BOOK
YOUR SPACE
ONLINE NOW!**



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Nursery, Pre-School & Out of
School Clubs

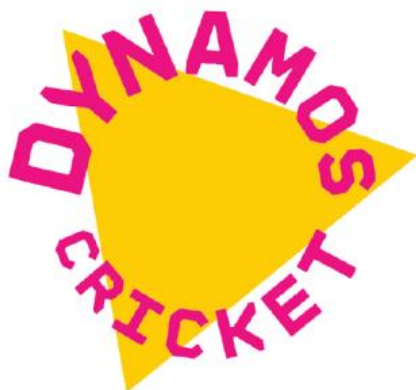
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EASINGWOLD CC
19TH MAY - 7TH JULY 2023
6PM - 6:45PM

All Stars Cricket for boys & girls 5-8 years old. The activity and game based programme is suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity & cricket, while making friends in a safe & enjoyable environment.

8 week program £45 + personalised All Stars participation pack
BOOK ONLINE TODAY
www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars

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ONLINE NOW!**



EASINGWOLD CC
19TH MAY - 7TH JULY 2023
6PM - 7PM

Dynamos Cricket for boys and girls 8-11 years old. Each week there will be a focus on a different cricket skill to build their confidence and ability, before they take part in a 60-ball countdown cricket match. Dynamos Cricket will help grow your child's love of the game!

8 week program £45 + personalised Dynamos shirt, Topps Cricket Attax cards & exclusive access to Dynamos app
BOOK ONLINE TODAY
www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamoscricket

For more information please contact Paul Skilbeck
07794 315321 | paulskilbeck@yahoo.co.uk

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SKIP2BFIT



MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMP

Book using the below link
skip2bfit.pembee.app
Call: 07771202447
Email: info@skip2bfit.com

Tuesday 30th May
Wednesday 31st May
Thursday 1st June
8:30am - 3:30pm
Easingwold Primary School

**£25 per day for first child
20% discount for additional siblings**

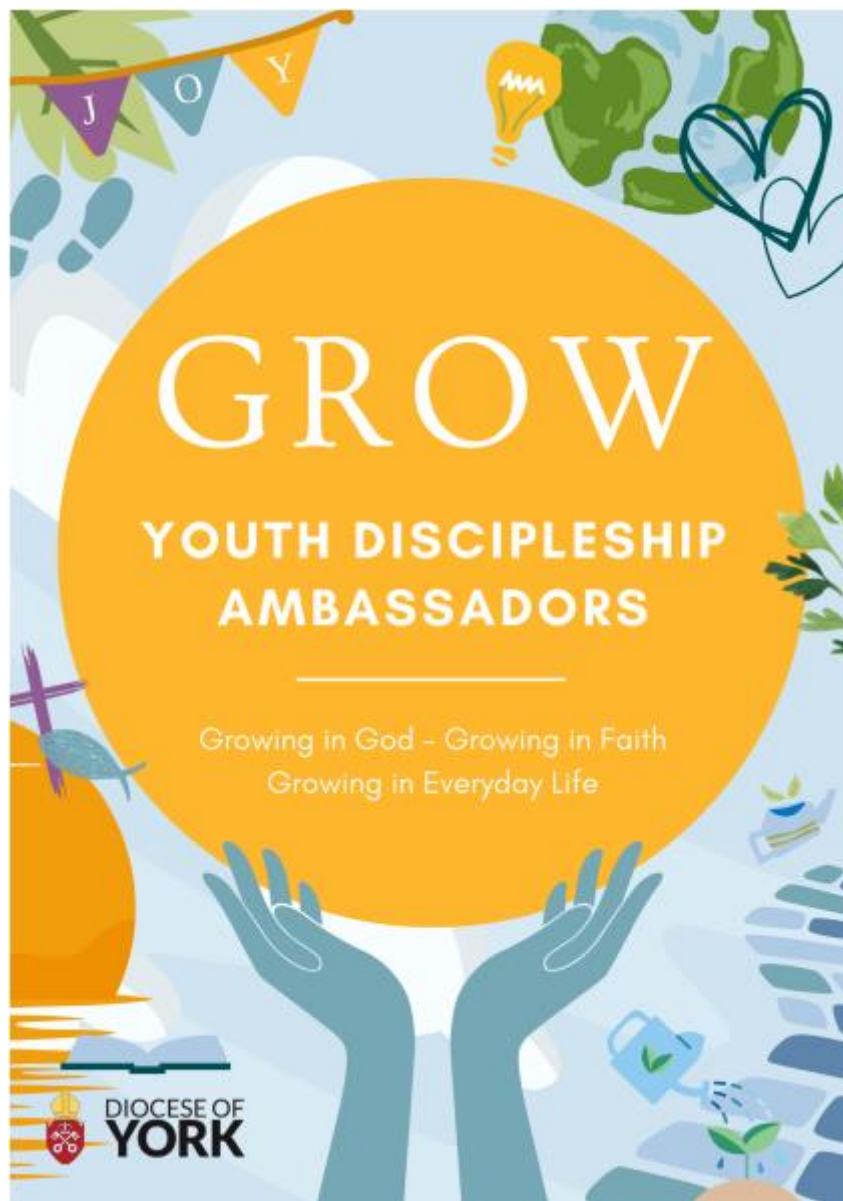


Multi-skills activities include...

- Obstacle
- Box2bfit
- Dodgeball
- Water Fights (weather depending)
- Fun & Games (weather depending)
- Football
- Flag Rugby
- Rounders
- Quick Soccer
- Multi Skills
- Art & Craft
- Smoothy Making
- Free Play



Ages 5-11 welcome



The Diocese of York has launched a new discipleship programme for young people. **GROW: Youth Discipleship Ambassadors** invests in young people as disciples through an academic year, exploring themes such as community, love, generosity, worship and sharing faith, shaped around our [diocesan Rhythm of Life](#).

Young people taking part in the programme will meet in small groups for input days spread over the year facilitated by GROW Leaders, and with the support of a mentor and their church, will complete a set of tasks and challenges – all deeply rooted in how we Live Christ's Story.

At the end of each programme, young people will be commissioned in a special service as Youth Discipleship Ambassadors.

For more information see: https://dioceseofyork.org.uk/news-events/news/diocese-launches-grow-youth-discipleship-ambassadors-programme/?fbclid=IwAR2xRxTbaZc1ap1IS0Qnl-46ZGpWQqt2e_QvSJ94NXjgSzUoIMmRFjrTB6c

Community News (cont.)

Youth Church @ Ampleforth meets from 6:30pm to 8:00pm on a Sunday evening, alternating between the village hall and St. Benedict's RC parish hall. We aim to explore faith through fun, fellowship and food and the group is for those who are aged 11+. This term we are particularly inviting Year 6s to come and join us to try out a session or two. Please do get in touch with Lucy for further information:

lucy.willshaw@outlook.com.

Youth Church@Ampleforth for young people in the Valley and beyond...

Summer 2023



Sundays in term time 6.30 - 8.00pm

Meals with Jesus

21 st May	Tea with Zaccheus	St Ben's Church Hall
27 th May & 4 th June	Half Term - no meetings	
11 th June	Lunch with Levi	St Ben's Church Hall
18 th June	Supper with Simon	St Ben's Church Hall
25 th June	Meal with Mary and Martha	Ampleforth Village Hall
2 nd July	The Great Banquet	St Ben's Church Hall
9 th July	End of term	Start at St Ben's & end at Ampleforth Village Hall

During the summer term we may go out to play games at the park, but we will always start and finish at the hall shown.