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1. Hello from the team 😊



Hi I'm Anna (Yr.5 Wensley).
I hope you enjoy this special project!
Thank you to all my friends who
helped me make this all possible!

Hi, I'm Sophia
(Yr.5 Wensley), I
helped with the
survey. Enjoy!



Hello, I'm Peggy (Yr.5
Ribble). I love sheep,
fluffy toys and other
things. I'm also a
librarian.



Hello, I'm Angelina (Yr.5
Wensley). I helped with
the survey. Go to page 7
and check it out!!



Hi, I'm Scarlett (Yr.5 Wensley). It
has been a GREAT school year!!



2. Messages from Year 6 😊



I will miss everybody!
- Rubi

I'm going to miss all my
school FRIENDS a lot
- Tilly and Charlotte



I'm very sad to be leaving. I've
been in school for 8 years! I have
the most wonderful friends and
we will always be together no
matter what! - Mina



I loved the residential. I'm
really looking forward to the
Leavers' Party - Violet

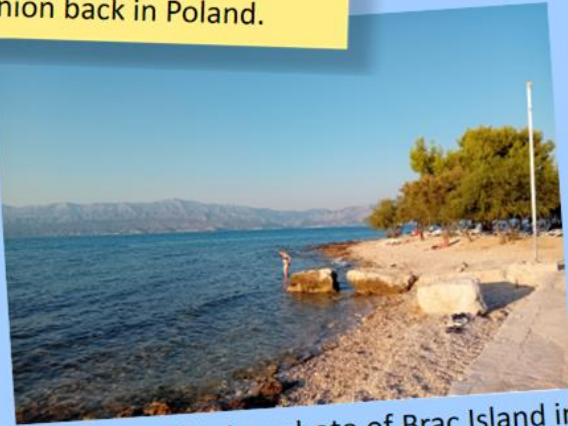


We know you will make amazing students at secondary.
May God be with you on your journey.
We BELIEVE in YOU !!
- Trinity News Team

3. Photos from YOU – Holiday



Hi I'm Kacper!! Here are some photos of me from my First Holy Communion back in Poland.



This is a photo of Brac Island in Croatia - by Mrs Griffiths

A BIG THANK YOU to you all for kindly sharing the lovely photos of your holiday with us.

3. Photos from YOU – Holiday



I was in the beautiful Borghese Gardens in Rome



Hi I'm Scarlett. This is the Colosseum in Rome 😊



This picture was taken at the hotel, The Grand Floridian, Disney, Florida – by Jasmine

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4. Know our STAFF

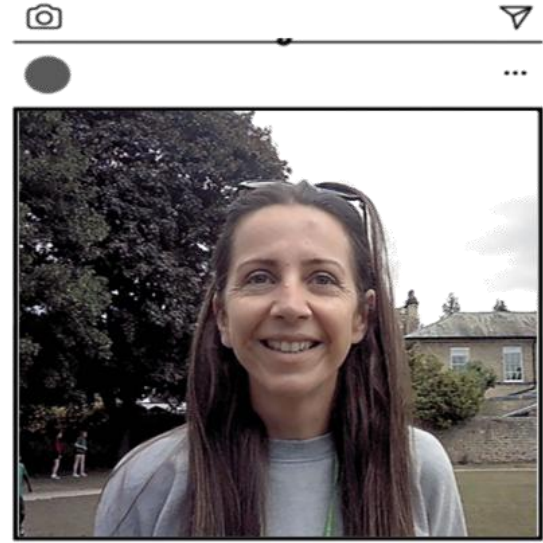


Hello, my name is Pete and here are some of my favourite things :

- Film: Hamburger Hill
- Hobbies: Walking
- Colour: Green
- Shape: 20p shape
- Singer: Neil Diamond
- Sport: Badminton & Boxing
- Transport: Train
- River: Rhine
- Country: Poland
- Breakfast: Muesli
- Drink: Tea
- Celebration: Birthday



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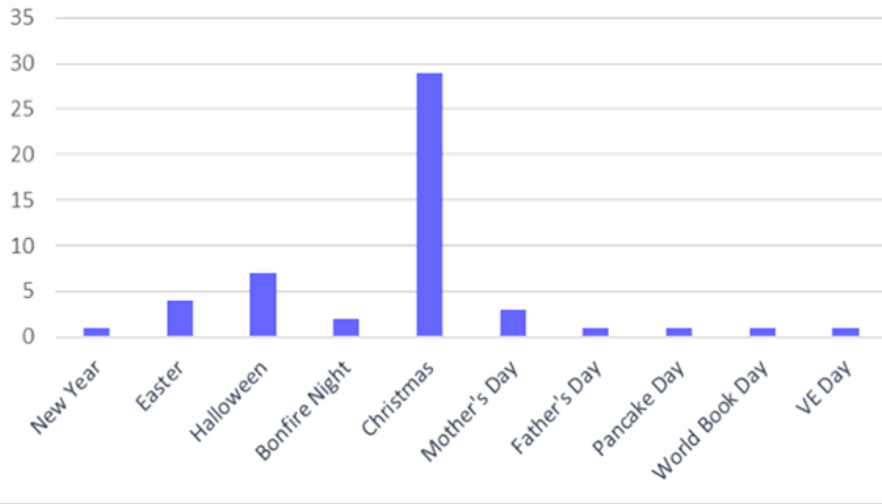
Hi, I'm Mrs Vicars. I'd like to share a few of my favourite things here with you:

- Film: Armageddon
- Hobbies: Reading, Paddle Boarding
- Colour: Emerald Green
- Shape: heart shape
- Singer: Grey Bird
- Sport: Walking & Paddle Boarding
- Transport: Car & Plane
- River: Una
- Country: Bosnia
- Breakfast: Pancakes & Fruit
- Drink: Water
- Celebration: Birthday & Christmas



5. What do you THINK?

What is your FAVOURITE CELEBRATION?



Total no. of people: 50

The most popular celebrations are ...

1st : Christmas (29 votes)

2nd : Halloween (7 votes)

3rd : Easter (4 votes)

Thank you
for all your
votes!



CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD



Since Christmas has been voted as the most favourite celebration, we've decided our linked around the world topic will be about Christmas (*I know it's summer right now though, but that's what you guys chose 😊*)



AUSTRALIA

Christmas is celebrated in our winter but their summer. People go to the beach or have a barbecue Christmas dinner. In Sydney, there's a 3 floors high giant Christmas tree in Queen Victoria Building.



GERMANY

Winter Markets sell hand crafted ornaments, mulled wine & tasty treats like gingerbread.



UNITED STATES

Cold & White Christmases are usually expected. Ice skating at Rockefeller Plaza in New York is very popular.



Source:

'Learn about Christmas Around The World With Ozzie | Christmas Educational Video For Kids With Ozzie' (YouTube)

CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD



MEXICO

Vibrant Los Posadas lasts 9 days with a re-enactment of Mary & Joseph. Families come together for processions, songs and gatherings with a tradition of a piñata with candies & fruits inside.



JAPAN

Heartwarming light displays are everywhere and it's a fun tradition to have a Christmas meal at KFC.



HONG KONG

Tall skyscrapers are uniquely covered in colourful Christmas lights with cheerful greetings and festive designs visible across the Victoria Harbour.



DID YOU KNOW?

- Christmas has been celebrated for over 2000 years.
- Stir Up Sunday is the day before Advent. This is because on that day you stir your cooking pot to make the Christmas pudding to be eaten on Christmas day.
- The First Christmas trees in Europe were hung upside down!!

6. Our ANIMAL friends

Why are there so many **GREENFLY** around?

You may have been wondering why they are so many greenflies buzzing around. (and yes, they are sooo annoying) But please, give them a chance and take the time to learn a little bit more about our crowding invaders.



SPRING

- Aphids feed and reproduce. they have a mouth piece called a stylet, and they use it to pierce the plant and eat the sweet sap from inside. Ants feed of the extra sap produced by greenflies which becomes honeydew and in return, protect the aphids. The extra sap attracts mold and diseases. This means plants could die. Sometimes feeding will lead to an allergic reaction to the plant.
- Aphids go through four nymph phases and molt each time. A telltale sign of successful growth is the white skins they shed.
- Dots on the greenflies are not actually markings, they are eyes – the eyes of the babies inside of them!

SUMMER

- A mother gives birth to a female clone of itself, who is actually born pregnant. So when an aphid gives birth, she is giving birth to her daughter and granddaughter! It takes her 20 minutes to give birth, and she can give birth up to 10 times a day!
- When the plant is dead, aphids need a new place to stay. After many generations, the mother will switch gears and give birth to WINGED greenflies so they can move to the next plant.

AUTUMN & WINTER

- The mother switches gears AGAIN and gives birth to both male and female greenflies. Now, their only job is to mate and lay eggs. These eggs can survive harsh, cold winters. Then, the cycle starts again in spring!

Did you know?

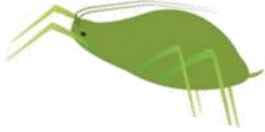
An aphid is another name for a greenfly.

SOURCE:

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/biodiversity/aphids>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/articles/c87p7g8vn0jo>

6. Our ANIMAL friends



Let's hear what the BBC has to say:

On the subject of what to do to keep numbers down, Mr Patel told BBC Radio Humberside it was best to let "nature do its job".

"They are there for a reason, so we don't want to be getting out the pesticide - killing everything," he said.

He advised planting things like lavender, marigolds, chives and garlic, along with peppermint oil and rosemary oil.

"Most insects hate these things, so if you have ants coming into your house, try and be kind and use peppermint oil, or white vinegar.

"White vinegar left in bowls can even stop things like mice, squirrels and foxes," he said.

To get rid of aphids without killing them, the best thing to do would be to plant strong smelling herbs like onions, garlics or chives. You can make a repellent by mixing washing up liquid water and vegetable oil.



Also, you could put ladybirds near the infected plants to let the aphids be eaten naturally or spray them off with water.

7. Health & WELLBEING

Nowadays children don't play games, or go outside. Instead it's all about Fortnite and Roblox, iPads and iPhones, messages and Instagram. But no one ever seems to use much creativity to have fun.

So here are some of our ideas and tips to help reduce screen time and increase fun! - Editor



Go to the trinity news display board (outside the girls' toilets) to submit your prank idea! The deadline will be the end of September. We would love to see your funny ideas! (and test them over the summer!) ☺☺

7. Health & WELLBEING

- Always remember to give your eyes enough rest after screen time!
- Tell your guardian if your being bullied online or strangers ask you for personal information.
- Remember, online friends feel much closer than they do in real life. (Don't share too much information.)

At the mention of screen time, look out for a possible fun book written by a year 6 member to be released next year. It will be called The Modern Day, all about the internet and how to get the best out of social media and devices. 😊



Chaticorn

It has been proved by research that not getting enough sleep can lead to depression. And some things on the internet can get stressful. The blue light from screens can really make a difference to good sleep.

Message Me

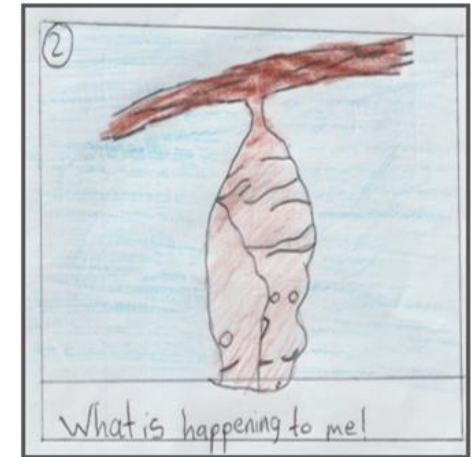
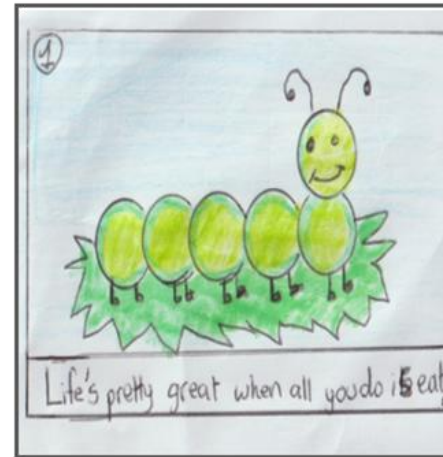
Today's youth spend less time with family compared to before devices had so many cool abilities. Instead, many people use social media to chat. Even though this means you can make friends easily, spending time with someone online does not make you as happy as you would be when you see someone face-to-face. Also, people who do not have devices can feel left out or treated differently.

Being on screen means that most people don't get enough exercise and get glued to having their phones all the time.

"Physical activity and time spent outdoors help release endorphins, which can help alleviate symptoms of depression. They can also provide a sense of accomplishment and confidence." – Johns Hopkins Medicine.

Explanation: Being outdoors helps release a good chemical in the brain that can stop depression. As well as keeping you out of the blues, outdoor time gives you confidence and joy for your day.

8. Your COMIC STRIP



TITLE: 'The Amazing Transformation'

BY: Angelina (Yr.5 Wensley)

9. SUMMER FUN in Ripon

SOURCE: <https://visitripon.co.uk/summer/>



Summer Activities for Children and Families

Children & families fun activities with the theme of SEAS & TREES !

Date: 22 July – 26 August (Tuesday mornings)

Venue: Ripon Cathedral

Time: 10:30am – 12pm

Admission: £3 per child
(including crafts & refreshments)

Details: <https://riponcathedral.org.uk/>



NEWBY HALL & GARDENS

Aldbrough & Boroughbridge Show

27 July (Sunday)

- A family day out to explore local farming practices, livestock (i.e. cattle, sheep), vintage vehicles and produce grown in the local area.
- There will also be horse and donkey classes.
- 10am – 4pm
- Under 12 yrs FREE;
- 12 yrs – 17 yrs £5
- Adult £12.5 online
- More info:



<https://www.newbyhall.com/event/aldborough-boroughbridge-show-2024/>

Twelfth Night – Open Air Theatre

15 August (Friday)

- Garden access from 12nn
- Performance starts 7pm
- Adult £18; Child £10
(Free entry under 4 yrs)
- Bring your own picnic & chairs
- More info: <https://www.newbyhall.com/event/hamlet-lord-chamberlains-men-newby-hall/>





**National
Trust**

SUMMER OF PLAY 2025
19 July – 31 August

Fountains Abbey & Studley Royal



All Summer of Play activities are included in standard admission:

- Interactive circus skill workshop (22 Jul – 26 Aug)
- Smoking Apples Theatre is presenting 2 separate performances (23 July & 20 Aug)
- Environment themed craft workshops (28 Jul – 31 Jul)
- Teddy bear zip wire (6 Aug & 27 Aug)
- Live music performance by Spa Sax which are a saxophone ensemble based in Harrogate (30 Aug)

Brimham Rocks

A variety of taster day events available on Tuesdays & Thursdays:



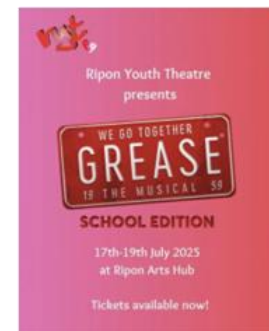
- Climbing and abseiling taster days
- Rock explorers
- Dry stone walling
- Geocaching taster days
- Orienteering taster days



AND MORE ...

Ripon Youth Theatre presents Grease, The Musical School Edition

Date: 17 – 19 July (Thu – Sat)
 Venue: Ripon Arts Hub
 Time: 7pm
 Admission: £16
 Details: <https://www.raos.co.uk>



Ripon Rugby 7s Festival

Date: 19 July
 Venue: Ripon Rugby Club
 Time: 10 am – 9pm
 Admission: £5
 Details: www.riponrugby7s.co.uk



Nature Detectives Summer Workshop

To learn about British wildlife through drawing, painting and hands-on making.

Date: 18 August
 Venue: Holy Trinity Church
 Time: 10:00 am – 1 pm
 Age: 8 – 12 years old
 Admission: £18
 Details: <https://www.rachelgrace.art/shop/p/nature-detectives-summer-workshops>



Bank Holiday Family Day

Lots of free fun activities for children, including Balloon Modelling, face painting, bouncy castle, magic show and more.

Date: 25 August
 Time: TBC
 Venue: Ripon Race Course
 Admission: From £7
 Details: <https://ripon-races.co.uk/fixtures-times/>



St Wilfrid's Procession

Entertainment, rides and traditional marching bands & dancers

Date: 2 August
 Venue: Ripon Market Square
 Time: 12:30 pm – 5 pm
 Admission: **FREE**
 Details: <https://visitripon.co.uk/event/st-wilfrids-procession-3/>



Ripon Spa Garden Super Summer Saturdays

Giant bubble performers and great entertainment

Date: Sundays in August
 Time: 10 am – 2:30pm
 Venue: Ripon Spa Garden
 Admission: **FREE**
 Details: <https://visitripon.co.uk/event/super-summer-saturdays/>



FREE EVENT



FREE EVENT

Beach Week - Ripon Walled Garden

Sandcastle building, lively music, arts & crafts, ice cream and more!

Date: 9 - 15 August
Venue: Ripon Walled Garden
Time: 9:30 am – 4 pm
Admission: **FREE ENTRY**
Details: <https://visitripon.co.uk/event/beach-week-at-ripon-walled-garden/>



Free Fairground & Jazz Band

Date: 16 & 23 August
Time: 12 nn – 6 pm
Venue: Ripon Market Square
Admission: **FREE**
Details: <https://visitripon.co.uk/event/super-summer-saturdays/>



3 Days FunFest 2025 (by RiponTogether)

Date: **11 August**
Venue: **Ripon Ruby Club**
Details: Ruby taster sessions, 5 a side football, face painting, circus skills training, inflatable assault course etc.

Date: **12 August**
Venue: **Bishop Monkton Village Hall & Playing Fields**
Details: Inflatable assault course, cricket, football, tennis, pop-up photo booth, children's play area, drawing & craft etc.

Date: **13 August**
Venue: **Ripon Spa Park, Holy Trinity Church & Spa Gardens**
Details: Music taster sessions, 5 a side football, face painting, pop-up youth club, crazy golf, bowling taster sessions, bouncy castle etc.

** Admission: **FREE**

** Age: 6 – 18 year olds

(under 11's will need to be accompanied by a parent or carer)

** All days must be booked in advance via: www.ripontogether.com.



10. GAME on !



GUESS THE COUNTRY

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Please enjoy these tricky dingbats! Hint: try saying the images over and over to help or think of more than one thing that the emoji could represent. For example, the water in a cup coming out does not mean liquid or glass but it actually is the symbol for 'pour'.

THANK YOU SO MUCH to all of you who participated or helped out with making TRINITY NEWS possible AGAIN!! Hope you enjoy reading this and look forward to seeing you all next time 😊

ANSWERS: 1) Canada 2) Japan 3) Spain 4) Peru 5) Ukraine 6) Belgium 7) Iceland 8) Finland 9) Thailand 10) France 11) Germany 12) Singapore