# Applegarth Primary School Newsletter

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### Friday 18th October 2024

Although we are nearing the end of term, there is still lots to look forward to next week.

All children will take part in the Stu Warren Golf experience on Monday and will need their PE kits please.

Poppies from the Royal British Legion for Remembrance go on sale from Monday in the office. Items have various prices up to £2.

On Thursday, we will be celebrating Harvest Festival in All Saints Church at 10:00am and parents are welcome to join us.

The Halloween Discos are taking place on Thursday evening - last chance to get your tickets from the school office!

Please support the fundraising event for our school held at Northallerton Working Men's Club - all proceeds raised from their BeeGees night will go to our school. As well as the BeeGees tribute act, they will be running a game of bingo and a raffle as part of the event. If you would like tickets (£6) for a fun night out, we have some to sell in our office. There are also raffle tickets at £1 per strip.

School also receives additional funding through pupil premium for children who are entitled to free school meals. It is important to check your child's eligibility for this scheme as this will give them access to pupil premium funding and holiday activities. All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to universal infant free school meals which is a different scheme and does not attract pupil premium. If your child is within these year groups, you still need to check if you are eligible for the general scheme so that they have access to the other funding. You can check if your child is eligible here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals">https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals</a>

Mrs Maxwell

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October is the last day of school this half term and we will return to school on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November.



Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October
At All Saints' Church, Northallerton
At 10:00am
Hambleton

If you would like to donate any tine or packets of food for our collection they can be brought into school Monday to Wednesday.

All donations will go to the local foodbank to support local families in reed.

### Football Triumphs and Debating Fun!





Our Year 5/6 Boys Football Teams did us proud in a local tournament on Wednesday, with the A team winning 1<sup>st</sup> place!









On Thursday, a team of Year 6 pupils took part in a debate at County Hall!

### Reception New Starters 2025 Open Events



If your child is due to start school in September 2025
we would like to invite you to a tour of the school.

Monday 14th October 2024 3.30pm - 5.30pm
Wednesday 23rd October 2024 3.30pm - 5.30pm
Tuesday 12th November 2024 9.15am - 10.30am
Wednesday 20th November 2024 9.15am - 10.30am
Please ring to book in for the open event T: 01609 773521
Or email: admin@applegarth.n-yorks.sch.uk





### **SAFEGUARDING NOTICES**

### Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility

Please can parents avoid walking through the school car park with children as this is a health and safety concern. We are also aware of the issues with the gate opening times causing crowding on the public footpath which we will endeavor to improve on.

Just a friendly reminder about parental conduct around our school; we love seeing you everyday but have been made aware of some unkind comments being made within earshot of children between adults. We would like to work together to ensure that our playground is a safe place at all times.

All staff at Applegarth know that safeguarding is EVERYONE'S responsibility. Find out more on our <u>Safeguarding Page</u>.

For information about Online Safety, visit our dedicated webpage.

You can also report any concerns you have to our welfare email: dsl@applegarth.n-yorks.sch.uk

IMPORTANT – <u>We are a 'NO NUTS'</u> school due to several children having severe allergies. Please check ingredients carefully and do not send in snacks/lunchbox items that contain nuts.



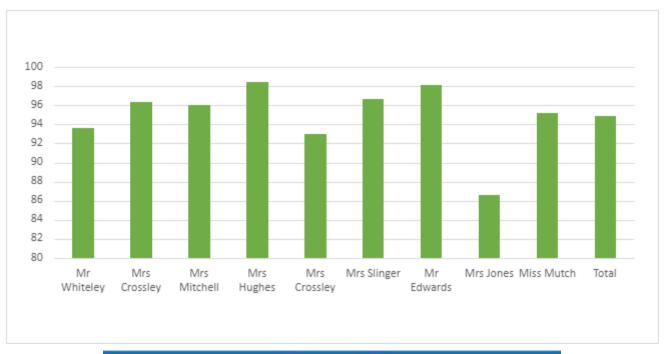
## Awards

### The winner of this week's Golden Welly Award is Charlie!

Class	Chosen by Teacher	Chosen by Class	
Mrs Burrell	Elliot		
Mr Whiteley	Beatrix	Jimmy	
Mrs Crossley	Aria	Chloe	
Mrs Mitchell	Jennifer	Ava	
Mrs Hughes	Adelina	Henry	
Mrs Cross	Phi Uyen	Ariana	
Mrs Slinger	Charlie	Betsy	
Mr Edwards	Toby	Freddie	
Mrs Jones	Layla-Rose	Eleanor	
Miss Mutch	Jessica	Erin	



### Attendance w/b 7th October





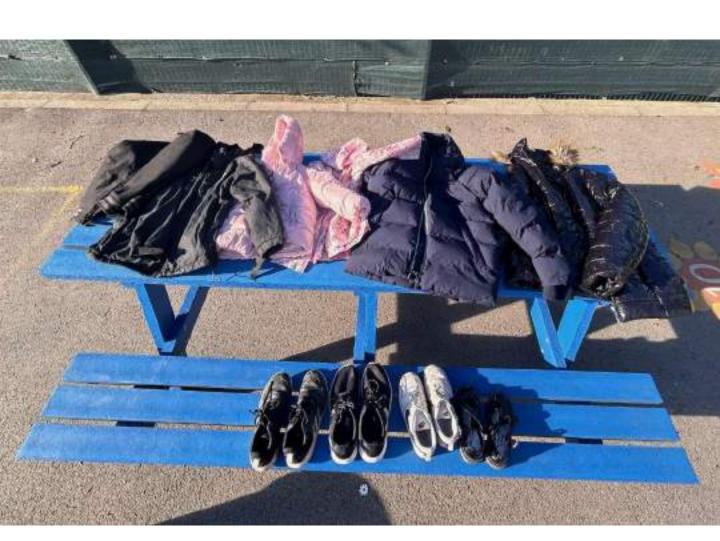
We could like to remind you that school closes for half term on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October at 3.20pm. Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October is a Staff Training day. We return to school at 8.50am on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November.

### **Lost Property**

Thank you for checking the lost property during the Parent/Carers Evenings and reclaiming misplaced items.

We will now add the unclaimed uniform to our pre-loved rail.

There are still a number of coats and shoes which have not been claimed. Please have a look at the photo below to see if any of them belong to your child(ren). We will keep them until half term and then any unclaimed items will be donated to one of the charity shops.









## **Parent ADHD Session**

A Wellbeing in Mind Team & CAMHS
webinar to provide information,
resources, practical ideas, and
strategies to support
children & young people with ADHD

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 5.30 – 6.30 pm

To Join the Meeting Click on the LINK below Microsoft Teams

Join the meeting now

Meeting ID: 357 929 456 384 Passcode: TsDvW4

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Wellbeing in Mind Team — Team of NHS staff working with schools to provide advice, support, and training on wellbeing issues, as well as forming a link between school and other services supporting young people. This work includes direct support for young people experiencing mild to moderate mental health, such as anxiety and low mood, support to utilise online resources and develop skills, as well as classroom-based educational sessions in conjunction with the school's pastoral team to improve knowledge and understanding about wellbeing.

# **Governor Vacancies**

Applegarth School has **two vacancies for parents on our governing body** and are seeking nominations. Please let the office know if you are interested.

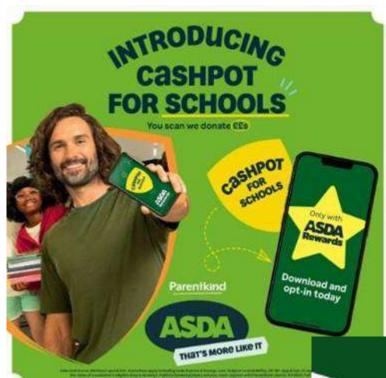
# Can you help?

We also have two co-opted vacancies, which are usually for members of the community who want to support the school.

If you know of anyone who has any financial expertise, please could you point them in our direction!



## **ASDA Cashpot for Schools**



Please support our ASDA Cashpot for Schools appeal.

It is really easy to access on your ASDA Rewards app and a great way for us to raise money for our school.

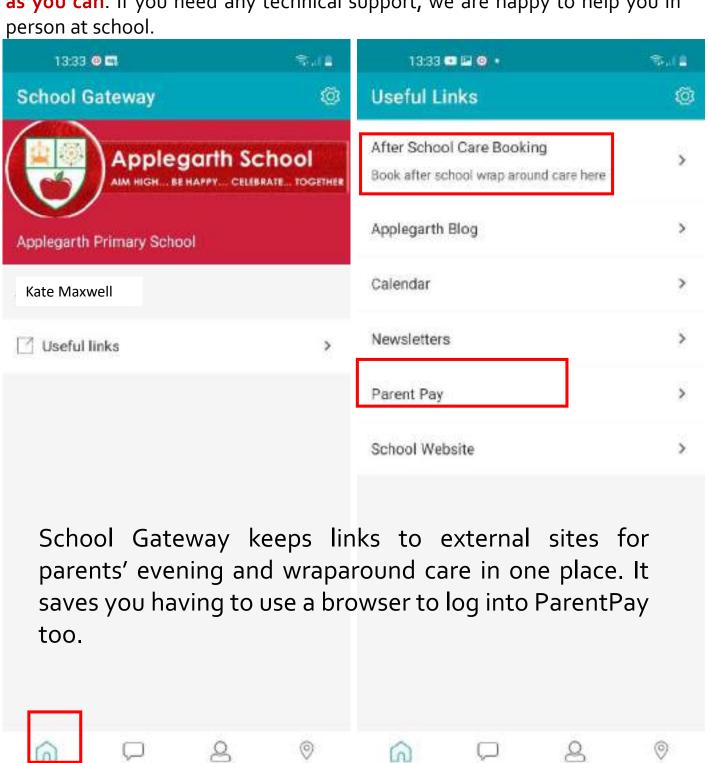
There are only 6 weeks left of the appeal so please help while you can!



### School Gateway App

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A reminder to sign up to the School Gateway App (all classes INCLUDING NURSERY) if you have not done so already. It has everything you need all in one place. Staff use the app too, and have found it simple and incredibly useful. As I have mentioned, it saves the school hundreds of pounds a year if you sign up because we don't get charged for app notifications (but we do for texts). There are still some people left to sign up- please do so as soon as you can. If you need any technical support, we are happy to help you in person at school.



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School Calendar						
2024/2025 Academic Year						
Event	Class/Phase	Location	Date and Time			
Reception New Starters 2025 Open Event	Reception New Starter Parents	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 3:30-5:30pm Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November 9:15-10:30am Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November 9:15-10:30am			
Harvest Festival	Whole School	All Saints Church	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October, 10am			
PTA Halloween Disco	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October Nursery, Reception & KS1 5:00pm- 6:00pm KS2 6:15pm – 7:15pm			
Break up	<mark>Whole</mark> School	Applegarth Primary School	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October			
Staff Training Day	<mark>Whole</mark> School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October			
Workies BeeGees School Fundraiser	Parents/ Carers /Friends	The Workies, Northallerton Working Man's Club	Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November, 7pm			
School Reopens	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> November			
School Photographs	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> November			
Anti-Bullying Week	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	w/c Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November			
Odd Socks Day (children to come into school wearing odd socks)	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November			
Children in Need-Wear Something Spotty/ Pudsey	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November			

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**School Calendar** 

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Event	Class/Phase	Location	Date and Time
PTA Christmas Fair	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> November
Key Stage 2 Carol Concert	Years 3 - 6	All Saints Church TBC	Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December 10:00am – 11:00am
Key Stage 1 Nativity	Years 1 & 2	Applegarth Primary School	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> December 6:00pm – 7:00pm Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December 10:00am – 11:00am
Key Stage 2 Panto	Years 3 - 6	Applegarth Primary School	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December 6:00pm – 7:00pm Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 6:00pm – 7:00pm
Reception and KS1 Theatre Visit	Reception Year 1 Year 2	ARC Stockton Arts Centre	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December
Reception Nativity	Reception	Methodist Church, Northallerton	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December 10:00am — 11:00am
Christmas Jumper Day	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
Christmas Dinner	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
Break up	<mark>Whole</mark> School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December
Staff Training Day	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January
School Re-	Whole	Applegarth Primary School	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January



## RESPECT

#ANTIBULLYINGWEEK



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From

MONDAY 11TH to FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER 2024

### **CALL TO ACTION**

From playgrounds to parliament, our homes to our phones, this Anti-Bullying Week let's 'Choose Respect' and bring an end to bullying which negatively impacts millions of young lives.

This year, we'll empower children and young people to not resort to bullying, even when we disagree and remind adults to lead by example, online and offline.

Imagine a world where respect and kindness thrives — it's not just a dream, it's in the choices we make. Join us this Anti-Bullying Week and commit to 'Choose Respect'. What will you choose?

### WHAT IS BULLYING?

Anti-Bullying Alliance's Definition:

The repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an imbalance of power.

Bullying can be physical, verbal or psychological.

It can happen face to face or online.



The Early Help team and the Service Children's Champion would like to invite you to a free webinar



Our free webinar
is open to all
families of
neurodiverse
children

Understanding
Emotional and Sensory
Regulation for your
Neurodiverse/Service
Children
21st October 18:0019:00

Join us on Teams for this session by clicking the following link or scanning the QR code below on the day/time of the webinar.

pre-book

No need to pre-book, our webinar is open to all families of neurodiverse children. No diagnosis needed.

### Understanding Emotional and Sensory Regulation for your Neurodiverse/Service Children 21st October 18:00-19:00

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### Thursday 24th October

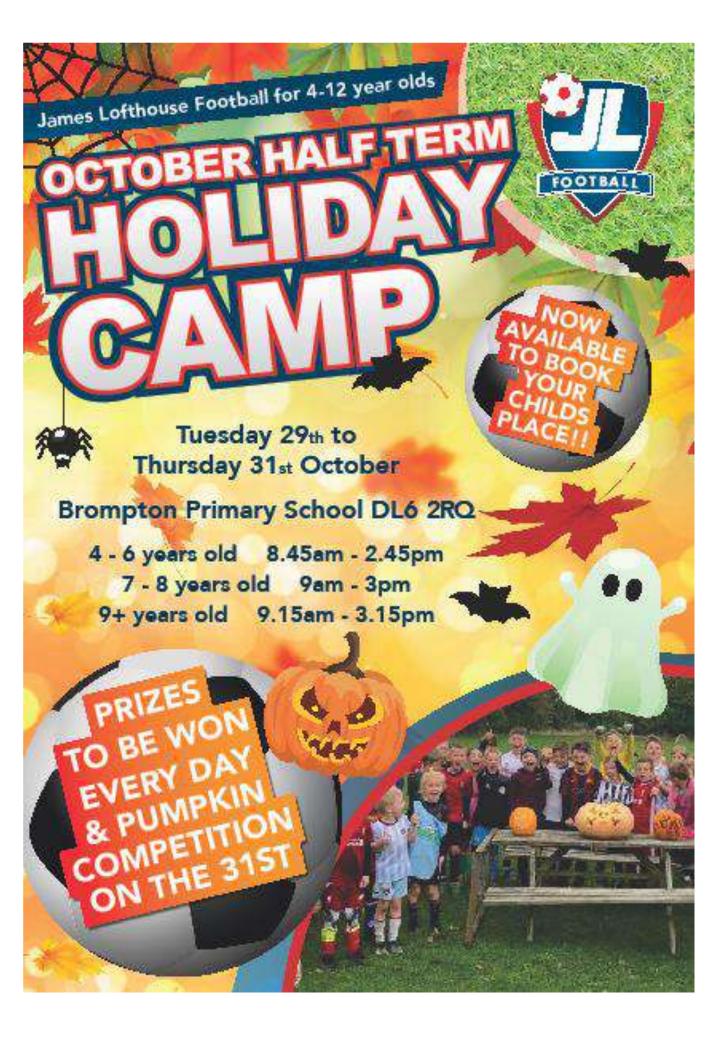
Nursery, Reception & Key Stage 1: 5pm-6pm Key Stage 2: 6.15pm-7.15pm

£5 Per Ticket- includes entry, hot dog, drink, sweets and tattoo

Wristbands can be purchased from Reception until 18th October. Please let us know if you would like a vegetarian hot dog. Children may also bring their own water bottle.

COSTUMES ENCOURAGED











## A MUST-SEE EVENT THIS AUTUMN

A spellbound evening with light, music & performances.



Tickets October | 12th, 13th, 19th, 20th, 26th, 27th, 30th, 31st November | 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Tickets available from 4pm

01833 660202 | www.raby.co.uk/whats-on







STEPPING INTO CHRISTMAS WITH

# Musicality

Conductor Andrea Rhodes Accompanist Gillian Ash

TRADITIONAL CAROLS, SEASONAL SONGS AND FESTIVE FUN!



MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT RAFFLE REFRESHMENTS

Saturday 30 November, 2pm

All Saints' Parish Church Northallerton (Nearby pay and display parking) Disabled access to church & easy access toilets



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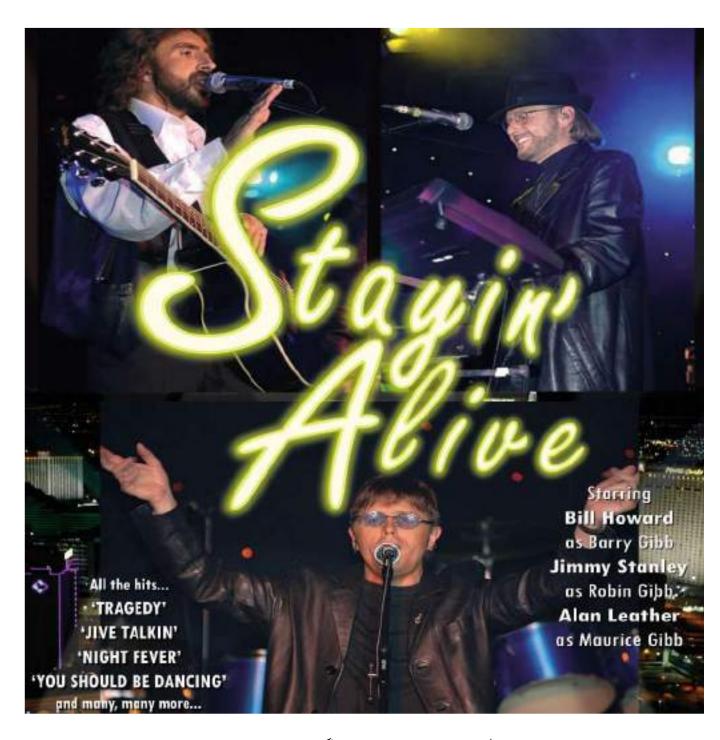
Full Price: £10 Concessions (under 18, over 65, unwaged): £7 Under 5s: £3

Book your tickets now by contacting our ticket office on 07876 705550 or FotF shop, ground floor, Friarage Hospital or on the door

You will be supporting Friends of the Friarage Eye Appeal 2024

Friends of the Friarage a Charitable Incorporated Organisation registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales Charity Number 1160941

### **Workies Charity Night**



### SATURDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER

IN AID OF APPLEGARTH SCHOOL

TICKETS £6

AVAILABLE NOW!!

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# Halloween Trail 5th October to Strd November

Spooky season is nearly upon us in the Arboretum marking the start of our Halloween trail which opens 5th October and runs daily until 3rd November. Put on your cloak, grab your broomstick and head out into the Arboretum in search of spooky creatures. You'll stumble across tombs and skeletons and many more Halloween frights.

Standard admission applies.





Take a wintery walk through the Arboretum towards the cosy cabin nestled deep in the woods where the elves will be waiting to welcome you into an enchanted winter woodland. Grotto tickets are priced at £12.50 per child and includes entrance into the Arboretum.

Standard entry applies to the Arboretum.



To make a booking on any Event or Workshop, please visit our website: www.thorpperrow.com



What's coming in your area...



# Halloween Family Fun Event

# Wednesday 30th October

East Thirsk Learning Resource Centre Hambleton Place, Thirsk, Y07 1SL

Under 5's 1pm till 3pm 5 Over & 4pm till 6pm

(Parents must stay and supervise own children) Crafts, Trails, Competitions

Booking Essential, please contact either

Charlotte.ripley@northyorks.gov.uk or 07974902845 Laura.Farrington@northyorks.gov.uk or 01609532896

# Bringing Technology & Sustainability Together Free Family Learning session

Saturday 19th October 10:30am - 12:30pm Richmond Library

Bring your children to an exciting session of discovery and fun at our library! With Green Libraries week and Get Online week we will be exploring the wonders of nature and sustainability through interactive activities. Plus, you can dive into the world of technology with VR headsets and Makey Makey kits.

It's a fantastic opportunity for you and your children to learn, play, and create in a safe and engaging environment. Children must be accompanied by adults at all times.

Celebrate Green Libraries and Get Online week with us!

Remember to bring ID with you to enrol on the day!

Book your place on-line or call Abby on 01609 533906 or email abby.armstrong @north yorks.gov.uk



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Adult 1/2 Learning





# What's on...

### at Northallerton library

### October 2024

#### Tuesday, 1 October

Slipper Social, 10am-4pm, to celebrate
 International Day of Older Persons. Drop in to pick
 up a free pair of slippers designed to help to prevent falls.
 Enjoy refreshments, try activities and talk to a range of local organisations offering support and advice.

#### Saturday, 12 October

Green Fingers, 10.30am, an hilarious musical for children, aimed at 5 to 9-year-olds.
 It's Green Fingers' first day at school, and so far nobody has spotted his bright green hands. Admission is free. Booking is essential, as places are limited.

### Regular events

#### Monday

 Scribblezone, 4-5.30pm, art group for aspiring artists aged 11 to 19, £3 per session. Held fortnightly during school term time, October dates 7th and 21st.

#### Tuesday

- Breastfeeding support group, 10-11am, weekly drop-in for new and expectant mums to meet other breastfeeding mums.
- Poetry Group, 10.30am-noon, poetry discussion, last Tuesday of the month.
- Stay and Play, 2-3pm, play session for under-5s and their parents or carers.

#### Wednesday

- Memory Cafe, 10.30am, with Dementia Forward (fourth Wednesday of month)
- Lego Club, 3.30-4.30pm, drop-in for children aged four to 11. Children eight or under must be supervised.

#### Friday

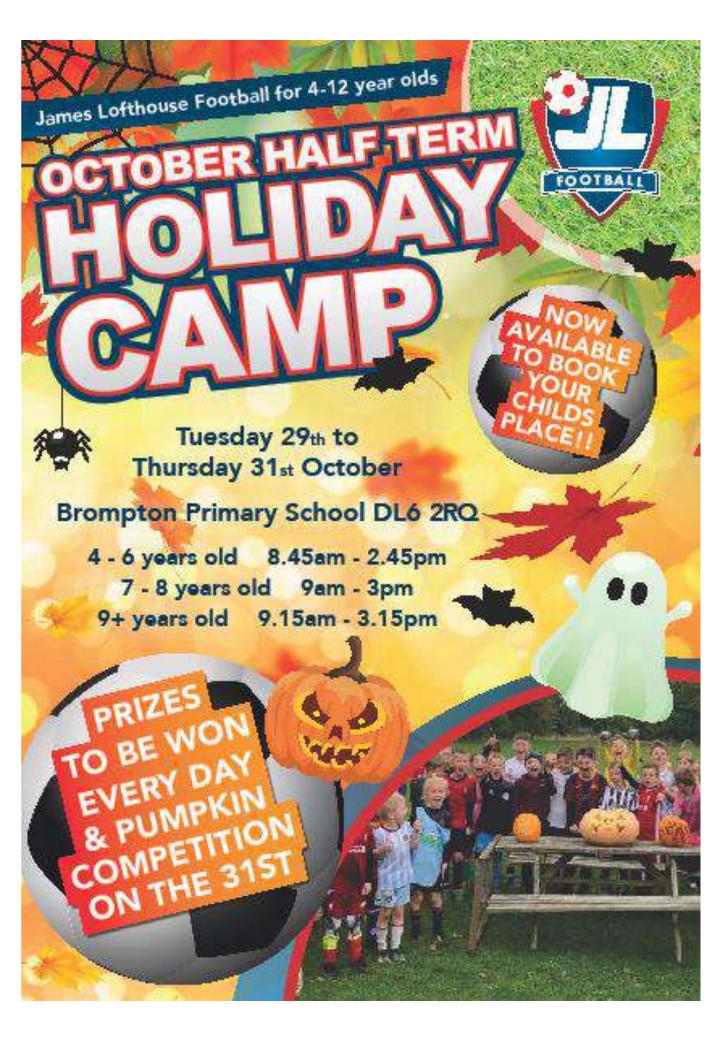
- Storytime, 10-10.30am, story time with rhymes, colouring and crafts for under-5s.
- Primetime, 10-11am, seated indoor games. Booking required, £4.

#### Saturday

Code Club, 10-11am, for children aged eight to 11 interested in learning how to code.
 Booking required. Meets fortnightly, October dates 5th and 19th.

For more information and to book, phone 01609 533832 email northallerton.library@northyorks.gov.uk Follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/northallertonlibrary





We have an event on 28<sup>th</sup> October during half term for Nature Rangers. We hope that you and your families and students can join us for owl related activities.

- Monday, 28 October 2024
- 10:00 am to 3:00 pm
- Yorkshire Arboretum YO60 7BY

Indoor and outdoor activities to explore the arboretum and learn about the plants and creatures that we share it with. There will be a chance to experience crafts, plus walking, collecting, and exploring the grounds. There will be hands on activities, so bring a bag to take your creations home with you. We recommend bringing a packed lunch or plan to eat at the Arboretum Café.

Our Nature Rangers Day is suitable for children aged five to eleven.

£15 per child. Children must be accompanied by an adult who can attend free of charge. Please bring outdoor clothes and footwear

Booking essential by email on <a href="mailto:visit@yorkshirearboretum.org">visit@yorkshirearboretum.org</a> or by calling 01653 648598

Charity Number: 1044931

Hope to see you there,

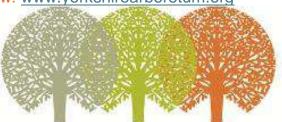
Kathryn Hardaker Education and Outreach Officer Yorkshire Arboretum

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INSPIRATION EDUCATION CONSERVATION

# THE YORKSHIRE ARBORETUM



Fun & exercise for children of all ages

# Camp



**Tues 29 Oct** 

10am-3pm

Knayton Sports Hall

Wrap around care

We operate in a COVID-secure environment

Along with Matty Brown, former North East Premier League batsmen and Level 1 coach, the kids will have a fun-packed day learning the fundamentals of cricket and athletics with Glen Hilton, athletics coach and former England international athlete.

Your child will need:

- A packed lunch
- Plenty of fluids

For more details contact Glen Hilton:

hiltonglen444@gmail.com



2024

ANNUAL BONFIRE & FIREWORK

DISPLAY

# TUESDAY 5 NOVEMBER THE APPLEGARTH

Timings:

6.30PM - BONFIRE LIT 7:00PM - FIREWORKS

Hot food, desserts, rides and light up toys

DJ MURRAY MINT DANCE & DJ SHOW PROVIDING AN 80'S DANCE SHOW TO GET THE NIGHT GOING!

Parking available at...

THE AUCTION MART - CROSBY ROAD CAR PARK
- THE FORUM - HIGHSTREET - NORTH YORKSHIRE
COUNCIL CIVIC CENTRE.

This Event is Sponsored and Supported by

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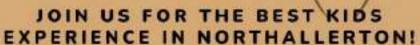
### ENJOY THIS HALF TERM WITH US

FOOTBALL PITCH / SOFTPLAY / DELICIOUS FOOD

OPEN EVERY DAY

# TOBER HALF

2024





# THIS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PLEASE BOOK AHEAD

GO TO CRAZYKINGDOM.CO.UK AND CLICK "BOOK YOUR VISIT" Or scan the QR Code





### Catterick Library & Information Centre

Monday 28th October, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

- Create spooky Halloween crafts using basic, sustainable materials.
- Suitable for both beginners and experienced crafters.
- A great opportunity to bond with family while making eco-friendly decorations.
- All materials provided, with guidance from our friendly teachers.
- Take home a collection of unique, spooky crafts to proudly display.



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Email: AdultLearningService@northyorks.gov.uk





This course is free to learners using public funding, therefore you will be asked to complete an enrolment form if you wish to attend. If you want to attend the course but do not want to complete an enrolment form, there will be a fee.





M6 THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS

### A TIGER'S TALE

Wed 30th Oct 2.30pm £10 / u16 £8

Written by Mike Kenny | Directed by Gilly Baskeyfield Music by James Atherton

M6 Theatre presents a fantastical production by the award-winning playwright Mike Kenny. Based on the extraordinary story of Fenella. the Holmfirth Tiger, A TIGER'S TALE is a high spirited beloncing act of circus, puppetry, live music and song. From a circus train in South Africa, to a steamboat on the Atlantic Ocean and enward to West Yorkshire, a ramshackle travelling troupe tell us the unbelievable true story of a family of acrobats and their adopted tiger cub. Join Titch, Ma and Paron. their riotous adventure into a world where 'all the best stories end with a surprise.' For ages 4-11 and family audiences,



FAMILY FILM

### 200% WOLF

Thu 31st Oct 2.30pm £8.50 / u16 £5.50

Cast: Ilai Swindells, Elizabeth Nobben, Jennifer Saunders

When Freddy Lupin's wayward wish transforms him into a werewolf and deposits a mischievous moon sprite on earth, Freddy must restore the cosmic order before the earth and moon collide.



### LIGHT UP THE SKY **CREATIVE ART WORKSHOPS**

Sat 2 Nov 5-7yrs, 9am-10.30am - £10 8-11yrs, 11am-1pm - £20 / 12-16yrs, 2pm-4pm - £20

Embark on a captivating 'Light up The Sky' creative workshop this half term, where local artist Nicola Hutchinson will guide you through an enchanting journey of art and imagination. Soar through the night sky and immerse yourself in a world of vibrant hues and celestial madic as you create your own dazzling night sky full of shooting stars and radiant fireworks that will illuminate your work with a burst of artistic brilliance. These exciting workshops are designed for children and young people aged 5-16, with three classes tailored to different age groups. With a variety of art materials provided these popular sessions offer the chance to learn new skills and techniques in a relaxed, fun setting. All levels and abilities are welcome, please dress to get messy! Snacks and drinks provided

