

# Knavesmire Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

Friday 21st June 2024

### Mr Cooper and Mr Gardiner's Message

Happy Friday Everyone.

Summer has well and truly arrived - we hope you can enjoy it with your nearest and dearest this weekend.

Thank you to those that attended our quiz last weekend - we raised a fantastic £600. You will have hopefully now seen communication about our penalty shoot out fundraiser which is happening next week. It's just a bit of fun and will help towards some of the brilliant trips we run that are integral to our curriculum. Thank you for your support with all of this.

In school this week, Year 3 had a fantastic visit to Rowntree Park as part of their Forest School, Year 4 has their first Pedestrian Training session (in the dry!) and Year 5 had a York Theatre Royal Workshop. Of course there have also been many sporting events throughout the school.

A quick reminder that we have our Sports Evening on the Little Knavesmire on Friday 28th June (weather dependent, fingers crossed) We hope it will be a great evening, bring a picnic and join in from 5-6pm!

Have a fantastic weekend and we will see you next week for more fun.

Mr Cooper & Mr Gardiner



### WELCOME TO OUR NEW NEWSLETTER

We hope that the new School Newsletter format will prove helpful in better communicating information between school and home.

While ever evolving we will broadly including the following sections - please click on the links below to move directly to any section (direct links may not work on all devices):

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# WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION



## FREE SCHOOL MEALS AND THE KNAVESMIRE OFFER

If your family qualifies for free school meals (aside from the universal free school meals for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2) you will also qualify for The Knavesmire offer. This means, in addition to free school meals, families can be provided with:



- a school jumper or a school cardigan
- a school footwear voucher
- School milk
- one term free swimming travel costs
- two half-terms of free extra-curricular club participation
- free school trips
- negotiated costs for residential visits

Please come to the school office for a form so we can order your child's jumper/cardigan, shoe voucher and milk.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS ELIGIBILITY

Free School Meals are automatically applied to all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. This entitlement can be extended to children where families are in receipt of certain benefits and earnings do not exceed a threshold. These benefits include:

**Universal Credit, Income Support, Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance, Child Tax Credit (but not Working Tax Credit)**

North Yorkshire County Council have launched an online portal for free school meal applications that will give you an instant decision on whether your application is successful:

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals>

## HEALTH & SAFETY

We kindly ask that children do not use scooters or bikes on the school playground at pick up or drop off times.

# WHOLE SCHOOL INFORMATION



## SCHOOL LIBRARY

Only 2 weeks left until we will be closing the School Library for the Summer Holidays - last chance to borrow books!

We are now on the countdown to the Summer Holidays and are asking for the return of **ALL Library books ahead of the Library closure for the year on Friday 5th July**. If you have any Library books at home they can be returned to the drop-box in the School Office at any time.



## CLOTHES BANK

Our fundraising and recycling clothes bank is situated at the entrance of the car park to the rear of the school. Please click on the following link to see Mrs Wogan-Wells from Y6 explain a little more about how it all works.

<https://online.fundraiserecycleltd.co.uk/bank?bankId=KnavesmirePrimary-School>

Please use the facility to donate any unwanted clothes.

## REFUGEE APPEAL

NOW ACCEPTING ALL CLOTHING DONATIONS. Donations for all age groups will go to the refugee home in Bradford. Please drop any donations into the school office foyer. **Please make sure all donations are as good as new or new, washed and clean.** There is no capacity to wash once donated so this is really important. Underwear and toiletries including sanitary items are always needed and have to be new. Donations for men in particular are harder to get and most needed. Thank you so much!

## SCHOOL MILK

If you want to register your child for school milk, simply visit [www.coolmilk.com/register](http://www.coolmilk.com/register)

## HEALTH AND WELLBEING

### NITS

Please be extra vigilant in checking your child's hair, we have an increasing amount of cases throughout the school. For information on how to spot & treat, please click on the NHS website. Do note that in many instances, nits look a bit like dandruff!

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

### LOST PROPERTY

Please name any stuff which is likely to be discarded in the playground during the changeable weather: sun hats, sun glasses, water bottles, jumpers & rain jackets.

Check the Friends of Knavesmire Facebook page to view any valuable #lostandfound items.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/140233959376362/permalink/6818721288194229/>

## CLOTHES LABELS

If you'd like to order name labels for clothing etc, you may want to use <https://www.stikins.co.uk> as the school will receive 30% commission to put towards school funds from every order where the fundraising number is quoted. **Our Fundraising Number Is: 11349**

## SCHOOL CLASS PHOTOS

It's that time of year again for school class photos! Poyner Photography will be taking photos next week so book your weekend haircuts in now!

The photo times schedule is detailed in the pages below.

## EVENTS

### INFLATABLE RUN 2024 Saturday 29th June 2024

To find out more about this worthy cause or to take part, please click on the link:

<https://www.oscarspbtc.org/events/inflatable-run-2024/>

## COFFEE CART

Great news, the Coffee Cart will reopen this Monday! Our poor coffee machine was overworked and decided not to work any more. After many experts (school staff!) looked at our coffee machine and pondered what was wrong with it and was unable to fix it, we finally gave the machine to a proper professional. A big thank you to Archie and Sadie Till's parents who managed to get it working again.

Come and say hello to us and have a lovely brew before (or after) work on a morning. Some of our fantastic Year 5 students help to run the Coffee Cart, so please come and support us.

Many thanks, Mr Taylor

## TRIATHLON

The year 5's were lucky to take part in the Brownlee Foundation Mini Triathlon last Friday and as a school community it was amazing to see the beaming smiles from all the children as they completed the triathlon. They even got to meet Jonathon Brownlee (1/2 of the Brownlee Brothers) who is a World Champion and Olympic Champion! If your child enjoyed the triathlon or would like to get into triathlon, swimming, cycling or running please use the link below to find information for further opportunities.

<https://www.thebrownleefoundation.org/locations/york>



# TRIPS, ACTIVITIES AND PERFORMANCES

## Year 1

Trip to Harlow Carr on 01/07/24 - See email sent 10/05/24 with full details.

## Year 3

Swimming voluntary contributions - Thank you to everyone who has made payments. For anyone who hasn't made a payment for this term, we would be grateful for any more contributions to help with the cost of this activity.

## Year 4

Violin Concert on 12/07/24 - 9.15am in the school Hall

4GR to Robin Hood's Bay, 15/07/24 to 16/07/24 - Please complete google form by Thursday 20/07/24.

4GH to Robin Hood's Bay, 16/07/24 to 17/07/24 - Please complete google form by Thursday 20/07/24.

## Year 5

French Cafe Day at Millthorpe School 02/07/24

MAT Arts Fest 2024 at York Barbican on 09/07/24 - See email sent 13/03/24 for full information.

Playhouse Project at York Theatre Royal on 11/07/24 - Please pay for tickets on ParentPay ASAP. The deadline for payment has passed but we still have some payments outstanding. Please collect tickets from the School Office once you have paid, the deadline to do this was today however there is still a number of tickets in the office.

Barcelona 2025 - Thank you to everyone who has paid the deposit for this trip. The deadline has now passed.

## Year 6

Crucial Crew Workshop at York College on 12/07/24 - See email sent 02/05/24.

Treat Day Trip on 16/07/24 - See email sent 24/05/24.

Year 6 Play on 10/07/24 at 6pm and 11/07/24 at 1.30pm and 6pm - See email sent 07/06/24. Tickets are live on the booking system.

Graduation on 18/07/24 at 5pm - See email sent 07/06/24 for full information.

## Music

National Sing Up Day. 26th June is National Sing Up Day and we will be participating by singing the song 'I Belong' in a whole school assembly on Wednesday. I'm sure many children have come home singing the song so here is a link if you'd like to sing together at home: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bcr4o2zW3is>

Sing Up is a not-for-profit organisation who provide existing and original songs and resources to encourage more singing in schools.



# CLUBS



## CLUBS IN SCHOOL

The following clubs and music lesson are run in school by external organisations. Please contact them directly for more information or to book a place.

Organisation	Activity	Contact details
Ignite Sports	Ignite run sports clubs after school on a Monday and Friday and also on a Friday lunchtime.	You can sign up for these sessions on Ignite's website. <a href="http://www.ignitesportscoaching.co.uk">www.ignitesportscoaching.co.uk</a> or email: <a href="mailto:info@ignitesportscoaching.co.uk">info@ignitesportscoaching.co.uk</a>
Dance with Miss Caroline	Miss Caroline runs drama, cheerleading and street dance clubs for all school aged children on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday lunchtime and after school on a Tuesday and Wednesday.	To sign up for these sessions please follow this link <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/EcTcaRbU9c">https://forms.office.com/r/EcTcaRbU9c</a> or for more info, email Miss Caroline: <a href="mailto:dancewithmisscaroline@outlook.com">dancewithmisscaroline@outlook.com</a>
Circus Skills	Circus Stu runs a circus skills club for all school aged children. This takes place on a Friday lunchtime.	To sign up please email Stu: <a href="mailto:stuart@circusskillsyorkcic.org">stuart@circusskillsyorkcic.org</a> or go to the website: <a href="http://www.circusskillsyorkcic.org">www.circusskillsyorkcic.org</a>
Rocksteady	Rocksteady are in Knavesmire on a Wednesday in school hours. Children can choose from the electric guitar, keyboard, drums or vocals.	For more information and to sign up, go to Rocksteady's website: <a href="http://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com">www.rocksteadymusicschool.com</a>
Clare's Kitchen	Clare runs sessions for all school aged children after school on a Monday. These sessions give children the opportunity to plan, prepare & cook their own nutritional meal, then dine together.	To sign up please email Clare: <a href="mailto:clareskitchen@yahoo.co.uk">clareskitchen@yahoo.co.uk</a>
Chess Club	This club is run on Tuesday and Thursdays after school for years 1,2 and 3. The clubs are run by Larry, a parent volunteer. The club is currently full, however, Larry would love more helpers at the sessions so he can accommodate more children.	If you are interested in being a parent helper please contact Larry by email. <a href="mailto:shroud.king@gmail.com">shroud.king@gmail.com</a>

## MUSIC LESSONS IN SCHOOL

Instrument	Name	Contact details
Guitar	Steve Powell	<a href="mailto:stevepowell726@gmail.com">stevepowell726@gmail.com</a>
Piano	Carolyn Amos	<a href="mailto:carolynamos@hotmail.co.uk">carolynamos@hotmail.co.uk</a>
Drums	Alex Woolgar	<a href="mailto:alexwoolgar1@gmail.com">alexwoolgar1@gmail.com</a>
Singing	Alison Pawley	<a href="mailto:alisunr@yahoo.com">alisunr@yahoo.com</a>
Violin	Marcus Bousfield	<a href="mailto:marcus.bousfield@btinternet.com">marcus.bousfield@btinternet.com</a>
Brass	Oliver Fulwell	<a href="https://yorkmusiced.org.uk/index.php/what-we-do/york-music-centre/enrolment-form">https://yorkmusiced.org.uk/index.php/what-we-do/york-music-centre/enrolment-form</a>

# KEY DATES



YEAR	DATE(S)	ACTIVITY
<b>Nursery</b>		
<b>Reception</b>		
<b>Year 1</b>	01/07/24	Trip to Harlow Carr
<b>Year 2</b>	27/06/24	Forest School
<b>Year 3</b>		
<b>Year 4</b>	25/06/24 12/07/24 15 - 16/07/24 16 - 17/07/24	Pedestrian training Violin Concert for parents 9.15am 4GR to Robin Hood's Bay. 4GH to Robin Hood's Bay.
<b>Year 5</b>	27/06/24 02/07/24 09/07/24 11/07/24 18/07/24	Science workshop at Millthorpe 9:30-10:30 - 5U French Cafe Day @ Millthorpe School - see email sent 17/05/24. MAT Arts Fest 2024 at York Barbican - see email sent 13/03/24. Playhouse Project - all day - see email sent 02/05/24 Forest School - all day
<b>Year 6</b>	25/06/24 01/07/24  03/07/24  10/07/24 11/07/24 16/07/24 12/07/24 18/07/24	Healthy Child Screening - see email sent 16/5/24 Millthorpe Transition Evening 5-7pm parents have been sent a letter with all details from Millthorpe School. Millthorpe Transition Day 8.45am - 3.15pm parents have been sent a letter with all details from Millthorpe School. Year 6 Play at 6pm Year 6 Play at 1.30pm and 6pm Treat Day Trip at Hollywood Bowl and Puttstars Crucial Crew Workshop at York College Year 6 Graduation
<b>The School House</b>		
<b>Other</b>	27/06/24 28/06/24 26/06/24 04/07/24 05/07/24	Art Week Open Day for all year groups 2.30pm -3.15pm (3pm nursery) Sports Evening 5pm-6pm (or 5/7/24 if rained off on the 28th) CHANGE OF DATE Rocksteady Concert for Rocksteady parents. 11am Piano pupils concert for families in the Library Singing pupils concert for families in the Library 10am

# FRIENDS OF KNAVESMIRE UPDATE

Exciting things are expecting us over the coming weeks! The KPS sports evening will be held next Friday and we're all very thrilled that it's back after such a long hiatus. There will be music, food, drinks and some sweet treats - as well as some fun races and activities of course. So come, bring a picnic and enjoy the start into the weekend with family and friends. We'll be there running the tuck shop and you can support us by filling the stripy bag that should have come home in every child's book bag today and hand it into the office.

Another thing you can stock up on next Friday will be tickets for our annual Summer Raffle. The draw will take place on Friday the 12 July and if you or any family and friends would like to join in the fun and be in with a chance to win one of our amazing prizes than please buy as many tickets as you want and can. (We'll be sharing more details regarding the prizes next week.)

And lastly, we wanted to mention that if you or a family member is sponsoring the penalty shoot out that will take place in July, then please consider filling in a donation form (included in the aforementioned stripy bags that came home today) so that the school can benefit from the gift aid scheme. It takes just a moment but would help a lot.

We really appreciate your continued support and hope you have a great weekend - especially now that summer finally seems to have arrived. Fingers crossed it won't just last a couple of days.

**REMINDERS  
& APPEALS**

for the final weeks  
of this term

deadline **27<sup>th</sup> June:**

Please fill the stripy bags with some treats so that they can be sold at the KPS sports evening.

deadline **12<sup>th</sup> July:**

Please consider filling in a donation form if you collect money for the KPS penalty shootout. This way the school can benefit from the gift aid scheme.

deadline **12<sup>th</sup> July:**

Buy your tickets to be in with a chance to win one of our amazing treats & vouchers for local cafes & restaurants, family attractions & more!!!

☆ Please return everything to the office by the deadlines. Thanks ☆





# COOL KIDS CLUB UPDATE

## Mobile Phones

Children are not permitted to have their mobile phones on them whilst at KCKC. We ask that if your child has a phone, they hand it to a member of staff on arrival, and it will be returned to them when they leave.

**KCKC Bookings and Payments are Changing!! Please see the separate ParentPay comms from earlier this week, some details below:**

Did you know that over half of the children in school attend KCKC, to some extent, every calendar month? With these volumes in mind we have taken the decision to outsource the bookings and payments to a company called 'Childcare Bookings for Schools'. We have attached an introductory letter and FAQs (to the ParentPay comms) – please read through this thoroughly if you are using/planning on using this facility.

The system will be set Live in the next few weeks, first for Autumn 2024 bookings, and then for Holiday Club Summer 2024.

In preparation for this changeover we will be raising final combined invoices on ParentPay for June AND July in the first weeks of July, for payment by the end of July. Please ensure that any outstanding payments are made for KCKC by the end of the Summer Term as outstanding payments will be escalated through the new provision.

We know that 'Childcare Bookings for Schools' will make the process of booking and paying for KCKC so much smoother and transparent for parents and the school alike. They have a dedicated team who will be on hand to deal with all queries and provide any assistance needed. We will still be operating on a first come, first served basis for bookings.

We anticipate that this will make a huge difference to everyone – in fact you're probably thinking 'thank goodness'!



# YEAR GROUP MESSAGES



## NURSERY MESSAGES

Hello Nursery!

We've had a fab week in school, the children enjoyed PE on the Muga practicing their Olympic skills with different sporting activities!

In maths the children have looked at one more one less and practicing their number recognition.

The tie dying task will commence next week so thank you to everyone who has sent in T-shirts!

We have sadly said goodbye to our PGCE teacher Miss Golding who the children will miss very much!

Have a wonderful weekend,

Miss Copping and the Nursery Team ❤️

## RECEPTION MESSAGES

We've had a brilliant week! We've practiced our sports day races, made mobiles in Forest School, learnt about the Olympic torch and much more. Have a great weekend!

The Reception Team

## YEAR 1 MESSAGES

This week, we have written recounts of something we have done recently and we shared some of these in Friday's assembly! In Maths, we have been learning to recognise and know the value of different coins. In Big Idea, we have been learning how to give instructions to make a Bee-bot move in different directions so that we can make them 'explore' a map of Forest School. Next week, we will be finding out about the artwork of Raku Inoue and hope to create our own pieces of art following his style; we look forward to you coming to see our creations during the Art Week open afternoon on Thursday.

We hope you have a lovely weekend, from the Year One team

# YEAR GROUP MESSAGES



## YEAR 2 MESSAGES

This week, Year 2 have amazed us with their hard work and determination to complete their end of year Maths quizzes! We are so proud of everything they have achieved and over the next few weeks we will keep practising key skills to support their move into Year 3. In English this week, the children have had a chance to be creative and write about whatever topic they would like. They have produced some great writing; well done! In Big Idea, we have been looking at animal food chains, habitats and adaptations in science lessons. We even conducted an experiment to demonstrate how gills work and allow fish to breathe underwater! We had an amazing time in forest school this week too, listening to stories and playing games together. Next week, we are excited to go to Rowntree Park for a full morning of forest school fun! Also next week, we will be taking part in our school Art Week and creating ocean art inspired by our focus artist Eugene Seguy. If you have any wildlife magazines at home that you would be happy for us to cut up and use for collages, please bring them in by Monday. Sadly this week, we have said goodbye to Miss Cross who has been teaching in 2S this term. We thank her for everything she has done with us and wish her the best of luck in the future! We hope you have a fantastic weekend!

The Year 2 Team

## YEAR 3 MESSAGES

We are coming to the end of our tennis unit in PE and we will move on to football (linked to our Flags, Food and Football Big Idea). In English, we have continued our work on embedded clauses and punctuated a range of different sentences accurately. In maths, we have continued to tackle tricky word problems independently and in pairs. During our Big Idea lessons this week, we have compared features of villages, towns and cities. Next week, we will focus on Art Week as well as some major capital cities across Europe. Maths homework will be based on the 8x tables (paper) and spelling homework will be a selection of CEW on Spelling Shed.

Next week in swimming, all children will need to bring in a t-shirt and shorts (in addition to their usual swimming attire). They will be doing a lifesaving lesson and these extra clothing items are required to help with this.

Have a great weekend,

The Year 3 Team

## YEAR 4 MESSAGES

This week, we've finished writing our Hot Air Balloon explanation texts and have invented our own methods of transport. To practise our spellings, we played spelling games and used our inference skills to solve the mystery of the missing biscuits! Tuesday saw us undertake Pedestrian Training. The children listened to instructions and can hopefully now use these skills whilst out and about. It's been another jam packed week for Big Idea - yesterday, we were visited by the Theatre Royal, who delivered workshops focused on Explorers and today, we constructed igloos out of cotton wool and card!

Thursday was Miss Howden's last day with us; we'd like to thank her for all her hard work and the activities she's planned for the children.

Have a good weekend,

The Year 4 Team

# YEAR GROUP MESSAGES



## YEAR 5 MESSAGES

Firstly, I just want to say a huge well done to every child who completed the Brownlee Mini Triathlon last Friday - the atmosphere created by our children and the enthusiasm they showed was incredible! In case your child forgot to tell you, Jonny Brownlee was there to support the children. hand out medals and talk to our children which was a great opportunity for our children to get inspired by a World and Olympic Triathlon Champion and the face of Team GB for many years! A huge thank you to Friends of Knavesmire who paid for our coach travel.

This week, we have reflected on our time in Year 5 and wrote our self assessments of the year. In Maths, we have started to look at conversions between units and in Big Idea, we have continued rehearsing. In Pe, we have started our next topic - athletics - in the build up to sports evening next week (Friday 28th). 5H visited Milthorpe on Wednesday afternoon to take part in a science afternoon which was insightful and exciting for the children. 5U will be going next week.

Have a brilliant weekend,

The Year 5 Team

## YEAR 6 MESSAGES

This week, we said a fond farewell to our fantastic student teacher - Miss Lyons - and we wish her all the best with her career in teaching! We have been rehearsing for our play, as well as taking part in a fun sports afternoon and building sets for our Stranger Frequencies play- thank you for the shoe boxes- the sets look brilliant! Just a reminder that next week is Art Week.

You are invited into school to see the children's artwork next Thursday afternoon (27th June). Have a lovely weekend.

The Year 6 Team.

## THE SCHOOL HOUSE MESSAGES

This week has been a busy but brilliant one. The children have been learning about Henri Matisse and his 'painting with scissors' technique. They have been inspired by his piece "The Snail" and created their own abstract minibeast collage. At the end of the week, the children created their own Matisse inspired piece, based on their favourite animal habitat. They are quickly developing a large portfolio of art this half term!

Next week, it is Art Week in school and we are looking forward to welcoming parents in to see our amazing art work on Thursday (27th June) afternoon. We will be creating art in the style of Charlie Harper!

As always, if you have any questions, please come and chat to us.

Have a wonderful weekend,  
The School House Team

# SCHOOL CLASS PHOTOS SCHEDULE JUNE 2024

	MON 17	TUES 18	WED 19	THU 20	FRI 21	MON 24
AM	5H SCHOOL HOUSE	5U	3S 3T		NURSERY	ROMANS VIKINGS
PM			4GR 4GH	6K 6WW 2S 2R	1G 1H	

# COMMUNITY MESSAGES

## YORK KNIGHTS

On Sunday 30th June, York Knights play Sheffield Eagles at the LNER Community Stadium!

Your school has been invited to take part in the matchday entertainment. They will perform on the pitch with the Join the Momentum Dance Programme as part of York Knights 'Education Day'.

Children who sign up will receive tutorial videos to learn the routine at home and will take part in a rehearsal on the day to get them performance-ready!  
All students will need to be accompanied by an adult to this event.

If you would like to register interest for your child to take part in the Half-time Dance Performance please complete the Google form below

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf5BEJ\\_z9FXjzufvlza7uTYboKbHbfcqTW9pAb7PLWXnOgdww/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf5BEJ_z9FXjzufvlza7uTYboKbHbfcqTW9pAb7PLWXnOgdww/viewform?usp=sf_link)  
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Once Join the Momentum has received this, They will send over a link/code for you to order your tickets, along with the tutorial videos and any information you need about the day. Children's tickets to this event are free, Adults get a £5 discount meaning tickets can be purchased at £15 (using our code).

If you do have any further questions on the dance you can reach out to Join the Momentum directly via email [hello@jointhemomentum.co.uk](mailto:hello@jointhemomentum.co.uk).

Please note this is not a school event and it is an opportunity we have been provided with by York Knights. There will be no school staff present so please make sure, if your child is taking part, they are accompanied by a responsible guardian.

Thank you,

Miss Hall



# COMMUNITY MESSAGES

OPEN DAY  
29TH JUNE  
15:30



SOUTHLANDS METHODIST CHURCH  
97 BISHOPTHORPE ROAD,  
YO23 1NX

AGES 7-11

June 22nd  
starts at  
2.30pm



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# COMMUNITY MESSAGES



## SUMMER 2 SCHOOL SPORTS CLUBS

Day	Time	Sport	For	Cost
Monday After School	3.25pm – 4.25pm	Dodgeball	Years 3 - 6	£5 per week
Friday Lunchtime	12.30pm – 1pm	Multi Skills	Years 1&2	£2.50 per week
Friday After School	3.25pm – 4.25pm	Football	Years 4 - 6	£5 per week

Any questions please contact James Shimmin  
[info@ignitesportscoaching.co.uk](mailto:info@ignitesportscoaching.co.uk)



The advertisement features a background image of four young children smiling and leaning on the edge of a swimming pool. In the top left corner, there is a circular logo with a stylized blue and green water drop and the text "Adams Aquatics Swim School". In the top right corner, the text "Summer Crash Course" is written in a white, rounded box. On the right side, there are three yellow downward-pointing chevrons. At the bottom right, there are two contact buttons: one with a phone icon and the number "07714 917531", and another with an email icon and the address "enquiries@adamsaquatics.co.uk".



# COMMUNITY MESSAGES

## Children's Craft Club



**Thursday | 3.30-4.30pm**  
**Dringhouses Library**

Children's Craft Club is back!  
Fun, messy crafts with a different theme each week.  
Suitable for 4-10 years.  
**Drop in | Free**

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## AINSTY GYMNASTICS & TRAMPOLINE CLUB

“Small Steps to Great Heights”



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Huntington  
Rawcliffe  
Tang Hall  
Acomb

Trampoline:  
Acomb

GymPacT:  
Flip Out

PlayGym:  
Clifton

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Working on Bars, Beam, Vault & Floor  
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- **Recreational Trampoline Classes**  
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4 days a week (4 Years+)
- **GymPacT Classes**  
A fusion of Gymnastics, Parkour and Trampoline  
1 day a week (4 Years+)
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# COMMUNITY MESSAGES



## CIRCUS SKILLS CLUB

Come and learn circus skills such as juggling, diabolo, poi, plate spinning, flowersticks and slacklining!

Summer Term (7 1st half, 6 2nd half) Friday lunchtime  
for Reception to Year 6, £5/session + bursaries  
for low income families

**Time:** 12:00-12:30 KPS main hall

**Dates:** 12th April - 24th May  
7th June - 12th July

Bookings are per half term - please sign up at  
<https://www.clubenrolment.com/CSY>  
(Club location = "Knavesmire Primary School")

For any questions or offline booking please contact...

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## MESSAGES FROM THE FRIENDS OF ROWNTREE PARK

There are lots of free events and activities happening until the end of June as part of the 'Make Space for Girls' Festival. A focus on getting older girls into parks and having fun, trying new things and meeting new people. Book free places:

[www.rowntreepark.org.uk/makespace](http://www.rowntreepark.org.uk/makespace)

FREE events coming up at Rowntree Park:

Fri 21st June 5-6pm - Cheerleading

Fri 21st June 6.30-8pm - Basketball

Sat 22nd June 10-11.30am - Herbal Remedies Workshop

Sat 22nd June 1-2.30pm Drawing the Park (Art session)

Sat 22nd June 3-5pm - EmpowerHer Theatre Workshop

Sun 23rd 10.30-12.30pm History of GirlPower

Sun 23rd June 1-2pm - Botanical Beauties (Art Session)

Tues 25th June 4.30-5.30- Drama Workshop

Thurs 27th June 5-6.30pm -Art Workshop

Fri 28th June 6.30-8pm - Basketball

Sat 29th June 10-12pm - Printing session

Sat 29th June 1-4pm - Room to Roar (poetry/spoken word)

Sun 30th June 1-4pm - West Bank Park Summer Fair - come to our information stall and a chance to join Tik Tok, Street Dance and Cheerleading sessions!

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Girls use of parks drops, compared to boys, as they enter their teenage years. Older girls lose out on the mental, physical and emotional health benefits that come from enjoying parks and public spaces.

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When around water always go with friends or family. Swim at a lifeguarded venue.

### IN AN EMERGENCY



Ask for the Fire and Rescue Service when inland and the Coastguard if at the coast. Don't enter the water to rescue.



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