

# Rufford Park Post



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## Headteacher's news:

It has been a very exciting week.

On Tuesday, our Y4 children visited Nell Bank for their 1 night residential. They had an excellent time and represented the school and themselves brilliantly. Many thanks to Mr Dring and the rest of the staff for their time and efforts on the trip. Please [click on this link](#) if you would like to see the photos.



On Thursday, it was World Book Day and the children came dressed as someone who inspires them. KS2 enjoyed listening to the author Phil Earle in the morning (KS1 have an author visiting next week) and the children also visited other classrooms for a story swap.

In sporting news, our U11 footballers were victorious (4:1) in a league game against Ss Peter and Paul - well done!

I hope you have a lovely weekend.



In assembly this week, I spoke to the children about the patron saint of Wales - St David. As well as learning a little bit about Wales (a mini geography lesson), we talked about how St David believed in the importance of giving our attention to the little things in life: *'It's the little details that are vital. Little things make big things happen.'*

Thank you for your donations and for supporting the Bake Sale last Friday. The **FORP** raised £111 which has been 'topped up' to £150 following a very generous donation from a company that one of our parents - Kelly Chadwick - works for. The next Friends event will be the [Easter Egg Scramble](#) which will take place on Thursday 28 March.



We have been successful with an application to **Tesco Stronger Starts** and our project - 'to improve outdoor play at Rufford Park Primary School & Nursery' - will take votes in local stores from the first week in April until the end of June 2024.

Please post a token for our project if you shop at the following stores:

- Leeds Bramley Tesco
- Leeds Cookridge Tesco Express
- Moortown Leeds Tesco Express
- Leeds King Lane Tesco Express
- New Rd Horsforth Tesco Express
- Horsforth Leeds Tesco Express
- Collingham Main St Tesco Express
- Stanningley Tesco Express
- Leeds H/Gate Road Tesco Express

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Mon 11 Mar: Parents' Evening later finish
- Wed 13 Mar: Parents' Evening until 6pm
- Tues 19 Mar: Oliver Performances 1 & 2:  
13:30 and 18:00
- Wed 20 Mar: Oliver Performance 3: 18:00
- 25 - 28 Mar (M-Th): Scholastic Book Fair
- Wed 27 Mar: FREE second hand uniform store open after school in the hall
- Thurs 28 Mar: [Easter Egg Scramble](#) and school closes for Easter
- Mon 15 Apr: School opens for Summer 1

Click below to see what has been happening in your child's class this week:

- [Nursery](#)
- [Reception](#)
- [Y1 Pear](#)
- [Y1/2 Lime](#)
- [Y2 Cherry](#)
- [Y3 Willow](#)
- [Y3/4 Cedar](#)
- [Y4 Beech](#)
- [Y5 Oak](#)
- [Y5/6 Ash](#)
- [Y6 Maple](#)