



Riddings Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers

The Y6 team would like to say a big thank you to the Year 6 children for all their hard work and effort this year. We also appreciate your support and willingness to encourage them to make the most of everything offered.

The year is not over yet and we still have quite a lot of Year 6 events happening. Hopefully, by listing them here, you can keep the dates and events in mind as we speed towards the end of the year.

Week beginning 15th June

Monday 15th June - Sports day

Week Beginning 22nd June

Monday 22nd-25th June – Tibshelf Transition Day

Thursday 25th June – Non-Uniform day – Tombola/raffle prize donation

Thursday 25th June – David Nieper transition day

Friday 26th June – Inset day

Week beginning 29th June

Monday 29th-30th June – Selston high Transition Day

Friday 3rd July – whole school trip

Week Beginning 6th July

Thursday 9th July – Friday 10th July – Swanwick Hall Transition Day

Week Beginning 14th July

Monday, 13th July – Tough Runner Obstacle Course – all children

Children will need to bring a full change of clothes that they're happy to get wet, muddy and/or bubble-covered in! A towel would also be good :) We would like to offer any adventurous parents the chance to join your child/ren from 3:00pm until the end of the school day.

Tuesday, 14th July – Wednesday 15th July – Gross Busters

*Actors to arrive from 5:30, choir from 5:45 – **Show time at 6pm** – tickets £2 from the school office from Monday 29th June 2026 please as we need to know numbers. We are very grateful to everyone for organising costumes and props for their own child and for others – the ticket price will go towards the cost of script, licence etc. and helps to fund the coach for next year's Young Voices Concert*

Sunday 19th July –Riddings Summer Fair

Week Beginning 20st July

Monday 20th July – Film Afternoon -Children can bring cushions, cuddly toy. Popcorn etc.

Tuesday 22nd July –Forest school

Children will need to bring forest school Kit

Wednesday, 23rd July – Last day – all children

From 8:15 am Y6 breakfast – parents Invited

10 am – Leavers' Service at Church – parents Invited

Takeaway/picnic style lunch and shirt signing – outside if the weather is good

From 2:30 pm – Coffee and Cake – parents invited

We will start with breakfast as always before we have our formal Leavers' Service in Church

Children need to wear full school uniform for this but may bring their Young Voices t-shirt (or an extra one) for signing afterwards if they wish.

As we always do on the last day of the school year the school kitchen team will be offering a take-away/picnic lunch which is always popular.

We have a coffee and cake session at the end of the day as a lovely way to finish the year.

Whether you joined us for breakfast or not, we hope some of you will be able to join us for something sweet and a final goodbye.

Year 6 is very busy in the last few weeks, and we understand that not all of you will be able to attend all the events but – by offering a range – we hope that all of you will be able to join us for something.

We hope our children, families and staff will be able to enjoy these last weeks at RJS and that the events will mark both a lovely end to their time at Riddings Junior School and a great beginning to the next stage of their lives.

Thank you!

The Year Six Team