

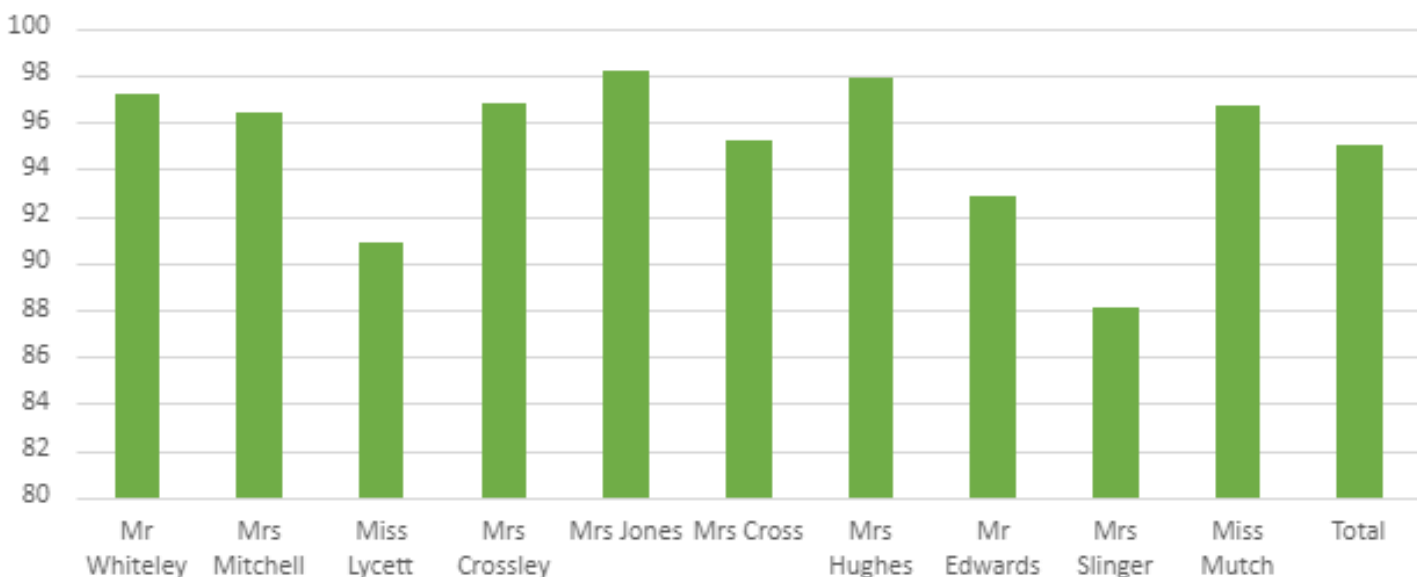
Newsletter

Friday 3rd May 2024

Class	Chosen by Teacher	Chosen by Class
Mrs Burrell	Karson-Rai H	
Mr Whiteley	Chloe A	George C
Mrs Mitchell	Oliver F	Willow J
Miss Lycett	Manha K	Ash S
Mrs Crossley	Matilde E	William K
Mrs Jones	Lilly-Mae S	TBC
Mrs Cross	Hannah B	Hayden G
Mrs Hughes	Maizee-Jai C	Amaya S
Mrs Bailey	Jovi-Max B	Frankie Y
Mrs Slinger	Blake A	Roman I
Miss Mutch	Milly P	Atlanta C



Attendance 22nd – 26th April



Good attendance means...

Being in school at least 95% of the time or 180 to 190 days

365 days in a calendar year

175 days not in school!



Our Safeguarding Team

At school we have five members of staff and a governor who make up our Safeguarding Leadership Team. Mr Peoples is our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL); he is the lead person responsible for child protection and safeguarding issues. Mrs Crossley, Mr Edwards, Mr Whiteley and Mrs Hughes are our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (Deputy DSLs); a deputy DSL supports the DSL in their role safeguarding and child protection. Mrs Jo Burnside is our Safeguarding Link Governor. The role of the Safeguarding Governor is to support the DSL as well as regularly review, ask questions and make suggestions about our safeguarding policies and procedures and to report back to the governing body.

All staff at Applegarth know that safeguarding is EVERYONE'S responsibility.

Find out more on our [Safeguarding Page](#).

For information about **Online Safety**, visit our dedicated [webpage](#).

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

OPAL - New Timber Trail

The winner of this week's Golden Welly Award is... *Lottie-Leigh P*



Pentagon Play were on site on Monday and Tuesday installing our brand new, permanent play equipment on the field. The school council identified a need for more climbing equipment. They chose the items from the brochure and managed to stick within budget! We won a grant from Tesco for £1500; raised £1000 through the athlete's visit; and the PTA have generously contributed almost all of the remaining balance. At a time when school budgets are increasingly strained, it's very encouraging that we have worked as a community team to make sure our pupils have the enriching experiences they deserve.







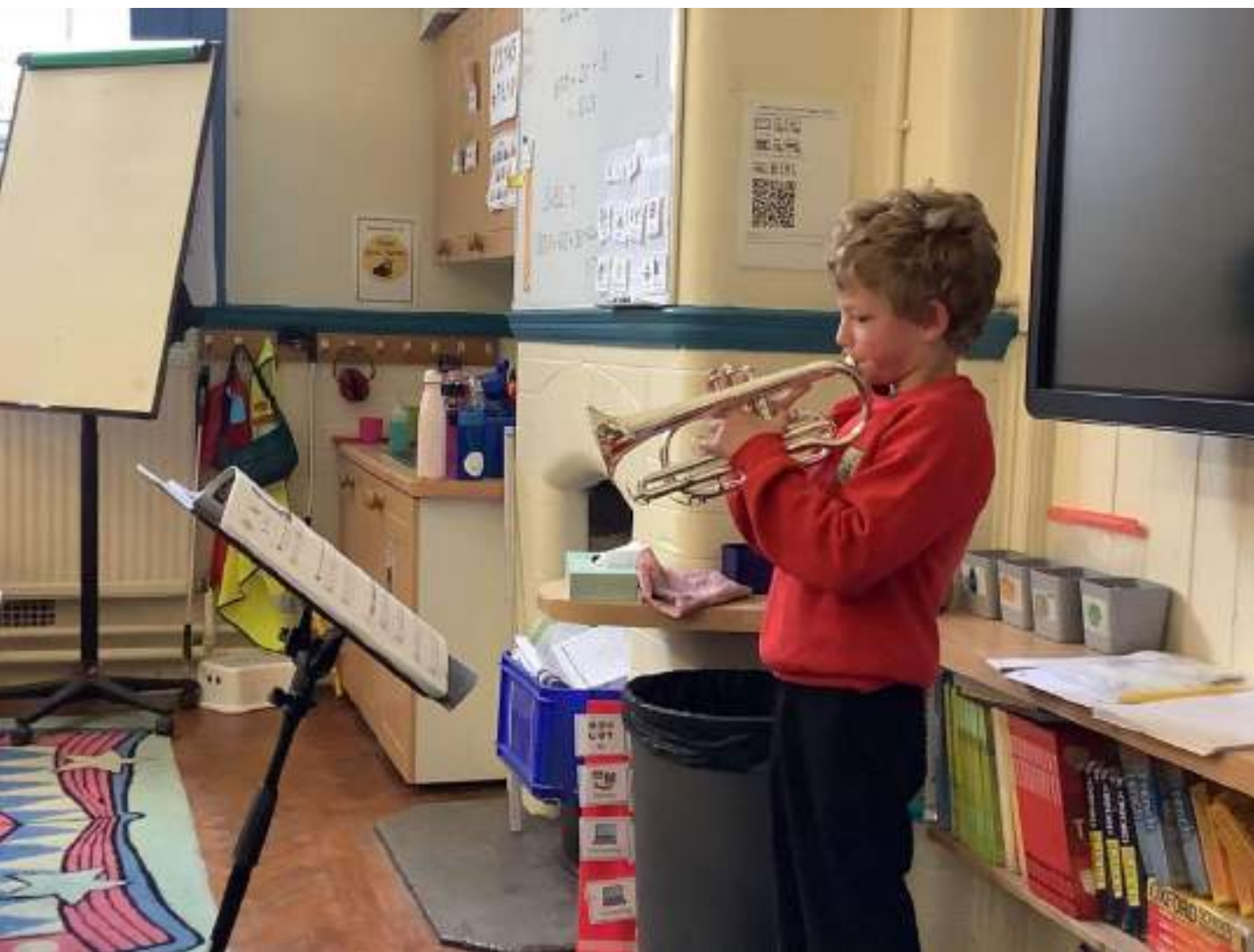
Donations

We are planning to establish a mud digging area, and we would greatly appreciate any spare spades you have. Please make sure they are in good working order without any splits or shears to the plastic, wood or metal. Thank you 😊



Cornet Recital

Toby gave children in Lower Key Stage 2 a cornet recital this afternoon. We had a lovely time singing along and naming the piece he played. What a super performance, Toby. We thoroughly enjoyed it!



School Calendar

Event	Class/Phase	Location	Date and Time
Key Stage 2 SATs Week	Year 6	Applegarth Primary School	w/c 13 th May 2024 PLEASE DO NOT BOOK HOLIDAYS
Nursery Stay and Play	Nursery Parent/Carers	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 15 th May 10:30am – 11:30am 2:00pm – 3:00pm
Carlton Lodge	Year 5	Carlton Miniott	Thursday 16 th May and Friday 17 th May 2024

Event	Class/Phase	Location	Date and Time
Pride Month	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	June 2024
Reception New Starters Welcome Event	Reception Sep 2024 Class	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 12 th June 2024 5:00pm – 6:00pm
Autistic Pride Day	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Tuesday 18 th June
Nursery New Starters Welcome Meeting	Nursery	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 19 th June 4:30pm – 5:30pm
Sports Day ***Revised dates to try to fit in with families booking time off work***	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Key stage two Wednesday 19 th June 2024 9:30am – 11:30am Reception and key stage one 1:10pm – 2:45pm
Internet Safety and Mental Health Roadshow	Year 5 and 6	Northallerton Town Hall	Thursday 20 th June 2024
Robinwood	Year 6	Robinwood , Alston	Monday 24 th June – Wednesday 26 th June 2024
PTA Summer Fair	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 28 th June 3:30pm – 5:00pm
Sports Day (contingency date)	Key stage two	Applegarth Primary School	Key stage two Wednesday 3 rd July 2024 9:30am – 11:30am Reception and key stage one 1:10pm – 2:45pm
Mr Renwick World Cup	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Wednesday 10 th July
Nursery and Reception New Starters Transition Day	Nursery and Reception Sep 2024 Class	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 12 th July 9:30am – 3:30pm
PTA Halloween Disco	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Thursday 26 th October Nursery, Reception and Key Stage One 5:00pm- 6:00pm Key Stage Two 6:15pm – 7:15pm
PTA Christmas Fair	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 29 th November 3:30pm – 5:00pm

What Parents & Educators Need to Know about SHOPPING PLATFORMS

For people looking to make purchases on their phones, several shopping apps – such as Temu – allow users to buy goods at reduced prices. Others, like Vinted and Depop, let you sell items you no longer want. As internet shopping continues to grow, however, so does the risk of scammers, hackers and breaches of privacy.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

MISSING ITEMS

Users of Vinted, Depop and Temu have reported not receiving their products despite payment being taken. Users can initially contact the seller to query a missing item, and they have between two and five days (depending on the app) to tell the company what has happened. However, once the money has reached the supposed seller, it can be quite difficult to get back.

SCAMMERS AND PHISHING

Scammers are always on the lookout for unsuspecting buyers or sellers. Common tactics include concealing shipment of an item once the payment has been processed or asking to conclude the chat and payment outside of the app, where the victim is no longer protected by the buyer protection plan. This should, naturally, be avoided at all costs.

DATA MISUSE

Apps of all kinds frequently collect our data, often asking for more information than is necessary to set up an account. Data gathered in this way is then usually sold on to third parties for marketing purposes. Lately, certain apps have been under scrutiny for using spyware to track their members' activities – but often, the user's consent to this practice has been hidden away in the terms and conditions.

FAKES OR REPLICAS

It's certainly not unheard of for poor-quality products to be falsely marketed as luxury items, using misleading adjectives or clever wording. These disingenuous sales are sometimes aided by suspiciously low-price tags, but this isn't always the case. For children and young people especially, there's a risk that the promise of getting a high-end item for a fraction of its usual price will outweigh any suspicions they may have.

SLOW REFUNDS

While all apps offer a refund if the product is damaged or doesn't match the description, it can take up to a month to be compensated for this. For many people (especially during a cost-of-living crisis) that can be a long time to be without both the product you bought and the hard-earned cash you spent on it.

MISLEADING DESCRIPTION

Some people will be able to notice when, say, a product's photo and its description don't seem to match. This isn't a reliable means of picking up on misleading marketing, however – especially not for children and young people, many of whom may not yet realise that such practices even exist. While it's illegal to advertise one thing and sell another, plenty of shrewd traders use clever wording and omissions to get around this.

Advice for Parents & Educators

ALWAYS STAY ON THE APP

It's vital that users pay for any goods through the same app on which they found them, to ensure they are covered by buyer protection. This means users can access support if the item arrives damaged, isn't as described, or doesn't arrive at all – allowing them to seek compensation for the loss. Such regulations can't protect you, however, if you didn't do the deal through the app in question.

BE WARY OF PHISHING ATTEMPTS

Scammers frequently send messages within these apps to steal personal and financial information from other users. Don't respond to these messages – and under no circumstances should you follow any links they contain. Check for spelling errors, as well as misspelling the name of the sender. Report any suspected phishing emails to the app's help centre – and notify your bank if you think your financial information has been compromised.

CHECK REVIEWS

Take time to read the reviews and comments left by other users – not just of products, but of sellers and buyers, to ensure they're legitimate and reliable. Before buying an item online, check the reviews for comments about the product's quality, the seller's communication and the delivery time. If you're selling, check the reviews of your buyer for red flags such as frequent requests for refunds or claims of 'missing' items.

KEEP SAFE AS A SELLER

Sellers can be exploited just as much as buyers. Some users may purchase an item, for example, then pretend it didn't arrive to secure a refund. Always take photos of the shipping label, along with a picture of you posting the item. Send the package's tracking number to the buyer and keep a copy for yourself, letting you investigate any future claims that it never arrived. When taking photos of items you're selling, ensure nothing personal is in the background.

Meet Our Expert

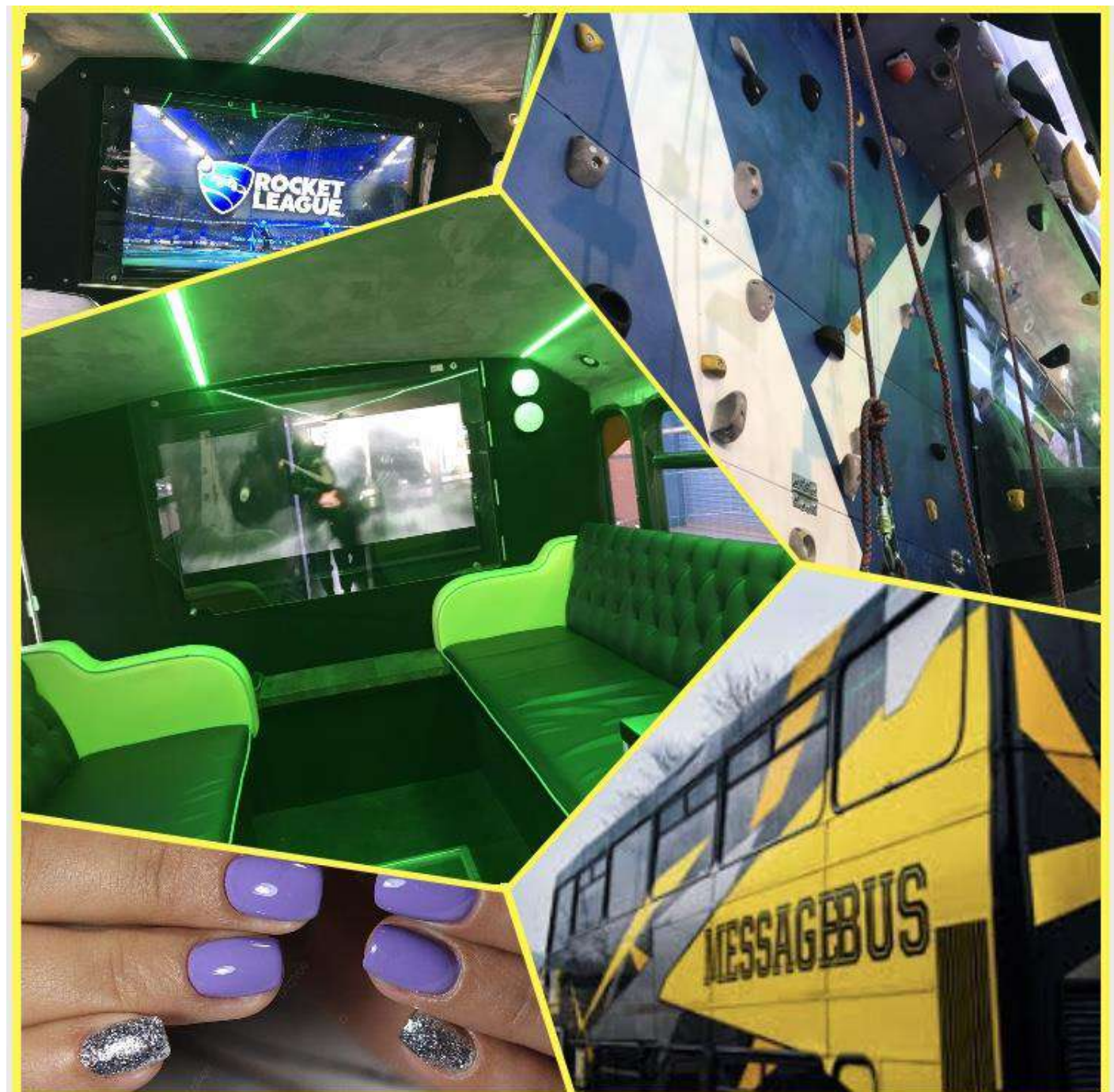
Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant at iCyberware, who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety workshops and policies for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government comparing internet use and sexting behaviours of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



#WakeUpWednesday

The National College

We're very excited to invite Y6 pupils to our Youth Event next Thursday 9th May 5pm - 7pm at All Saints Church. Join us on the Message Bus, a double decker bus jam packed with fun activities including a climbing wall, nail bar, Super Mario and Fifa gaming, cafe and cinema. Places are limited and purely on a first come basis.



We will also be having a different event each week including a Great Northallerton Bake Off, Gladiator Inflatables and movie night.

Rosedene Holiday Club

May Half Term Activities

Tue 28th: Recycled Art

Wed 29th: Baking competition

Thu 30th: Creating a vegetable patch

Fri 31st: Making bug hotels

We have limited spaces remaining,
book yours today!

✉ bookings@rosedenenurseries.co.uk

☎ 0345 450 0208

For ages
4-11

£99
for the week





Northallerton Town Cricket Club

Fri 10 May - Fri 28 Jun 2024

17:30 - 18:30

About the programme

Share ↕

All Stars Cricket provides boys and girls from 5-8 years old with non-stop fun. The activity and game based programme is suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity and cricket, while making friends in a safe and enjoyable environment.

We look forward to welcoming All Stars back to NTCC in 2024. Friday night's are junior nights and we know you will have a great time. This year's All Stars programme fee includes Social Membership for NTCC for 2 parents/carers for the 2024 season. This allows various discounts within the club and Membership Cards will be issued at the first session. £30 for All Stars programme and £10 Social Membership.

📅 Fri 10 May - Fri 28 Jun 2024

🕒 17:30 - 18:30

👤 5-8 years old

Did you know parents and guardians can get involved and play cricket with their children too? It's a great way to spend time with your child and create memories that will last a lifetime. Parent activators (helpers) will support the fully accredited lead Activator in delivering the sessions, supporting and encouraging children as they learn new skills. It's completely optional and you do not need to be a cricket expert to be involved.

Your Activator is Holly Farrow

For more information about your All Stars session contact **Dave Wake**.

T: 07778815973

E: northallertoncricketclub@gmail.com



JUNIOR CRICKET

Northallerton Town CC Junior training runs every Friday throughout the summer. We offer cricket for all ages from 4-15 years old, with boys and girls soft & hardball training. We have 9 Junior Teams competing in The Hambleton Junior Cricket League and The NYACC Junior Leagues.

8 Week All Stars Programme runs May to June.

Every Friday - April 19th to August 30th

U9 & All Stars 5:30pm - 6:30pm

U11, U13 & U15 6:45pm - 8:00pm



FREE
TASTER
SESSION



NORTHALLERTON TOWN CC
Farndale Ave, Romanby, DL7 8SN



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WOMENS CRICKET

Join us every Friday throughout the summer. Women's soft & hardball cricket training.
Open to Women and Girls aged Year 7 +.



April 19th to August 30th
6:45pm - 8:00pm



NORTHALLERTON TOWN CC
Farndale Ave, Romanby, DL7 8SN



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Children's Book Club!

2pm Saturday 25th May

We're excited to host visiting author Mike Barfield, who will treat us to a chat and reading from his fascinatingly entertaining books!

