Autumn Week 6 Friday 16th October 2026

# The Riccall Roundup

**Welcome to this week's Riccall Roundup!**
It was great to see so many of you at parents evening this week and I look forward to seeing the rest of you next Wednesday. We are encouraging parents to complete our survey. QR codes are posted around the school during parents evening but if you missed it this week, please go to https://forms.gle/BMTmhk51AaadBQ9B7. Thank you!

**Harvest lunch, Open afternoon and Harvest Festival**
Here is the schedule for next Thursday's events:
11:45: First sitting for parents lunch - exact timings to follow next week. **Bookings for parent meals are now closed.**
12:15 - 1:00pm - Parents OPAL play time with children (don't forget wellies!)
1:00pm - Open afternoon - spend some time in your children(s) classroom.:
2:15pm - Harvest festival at church (all welcome)
3:00pm - End of Harvest festival; children return to school
3:20pm - End of the school day (normal collection time)
Parents are able to leave at any time through the school office - there is no obligation to stay for the whole session but all parents must leave at 2pm.
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**Pumpkin Carving**
We would like to invite you or another adult member of your family to come to school and carve pumpkins in school next week.
Monday: 1:00pm Oak and Bumblebees
Tuesday: 2:00pm Cherry
Wednesday: 1:00pm Willow and 2:00pm Silver Birch
Thursday : 1:00pm - Sycamore (part of open afternoon)
Children will need to bring a medium-sized pumpkin to school on the day. Visitors should come to school office no earlier than five minutes before the start time.

**FoRS Halloween Party**
I know many children are looking forward to the party on Friday. Thank you so much to the wonderful volunteers at FoRS for their time! Tickets are now no longer available and any questions must be directed to FoRS. **All pupils are to come to school in school uniform on Tuesday.** Children in Y1 - Y3 attending the disco will need to bring their party clothes to change into at the end of the school day.

**FoRS AGM**
Friends of Riccall School's Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th November at 5pm in the school hall . It is not an understatement to say that as a school, we simply could not provide the same level of experience without the team of wonderful volunteers. Please come along to find out more!

## This week's Gold Card Winners

Nursery: **Elliott** - for growing in confidence and using this confidence to share his ideas and form friendships.

Bumblebees - **Lilly -** for showing good listening in our phonics, playing with me in the home corner and in our mark making area.

Cherry: - **Clementine -** for amazing enthusiasm and really improving in all her English learning.

Willow: - **Josh -** for being the best that he can be!

Silver Birch: - **Felicity** - Excellent effort, perseverance and growing enthusiasm in Maths.

Sycamore: **Jenna -** for showing enthusiasm and perseverance in ALL your learning.

Oak: - **Jackson** - Persevering through all areas of learning particularly writing! Super Star!

**Golden Table**
For showing excellent manners, chosen to sit on the Golden table this week was:
Luna (Y1)
Freya J (Y2)
Wilf (Y4)
Casper (Y5)




Coming up.....
Parents Evening - Wednesday 21st October
Harvest lunch, open afternoon, harvest festival - Thursday 22nd October
School reopens - Monday 2nd November
M&M Theatre visit - Thursday 5th November