

The Round House Primary Academy

Part of The Diamond Learning Partnership Trust

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Dear Parents & Carers

As a way of providing your child with the best opportunity to find out about the Great Fire of London, we have arranged for *History Off the Page* to spend the day with us on Wednesday 8th September (for Year 2) and Thursday 9th September (for Year 1).

On this day your child will use practical activities and drama to find out about what it was like living through the Great Fire. During the afternoon, the children will have investigated and found out about a specific job and family living in London in 1666. There will also be a story-telling session.

In September we will be asking for a £7.50 contribution. If you are going to pay your annual or termly contribution in September, then there will be no charge. Please be aware that the annual contribution section in Arbor will not be available until the start of next term.

A simple costume will help your child really feel part of the day. Please see the pictures attached for some ideas.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tracy Bryden', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mrs Tracy Bryden

Executive Headteacher

On behalf of The Round House Primary Academy (part of DLPT)

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Costume Ideas

Boy's Great Fire of London Costume

Smock – a large plain shirt with a large collar and a belt or cord round the waist.

Doublet – you could add a plain waistcoat, if you have one as a doublet.

Hose – tuck plain, dark, baggy trousers (such as track-suit bottoms) into long socks.



Girl's Great Fire of London Costume

Smock- a plain shirt with a large collar.

Kirtle- a long, preferably plain skirt.

Bodice- a man's plain waistcoat, if you have one. (Or you could wear a long, plain dress, with a belt or cord tie.)

Apron- preferably plain white. You could attach a rectangle of white material to a tie (no gathers or pockets), A belt or cord tie or plaited wool tie.

Shoes- any flat, sturdy shoes.

Coif - (for your head). A triangle of white material tied around the head to hide the hair. The long ends are tied over the hanging point, which is then tucked over the knot.

