

Monday 15 November

Year 6 safety talk

What is Sign up for Sam?

On May 28 the Haycock family was changed forever. 16-year-old Sam Haycock left his home for his last day of secondary school and should have been back at home by 4pm. He sadly never made it back. After school, he and a few friends decided to celebrate finishing Year 11 by taking a swim in the Ulley Reservoir. Sam got caught up in the current and tragically lost his life.

'Sam's Army', set up by Sam's parents and friends, aims to spread the word as far as possible and make change happen. We want South Yorkshire to be a safe place, where everybody knows the risk before they enter the water, and are reminded of them with clear signage to ensure what happened to Sam doesn't happen again.

Sam's dad, Simon, will be coming into school on Monday 15th November to talk to the year 6 children about the dangers of swimming in open water.

Children can bring £3 on the day and will be able to purchase a wrist band and sweets to help raise as much money as we can to help #Samsarmymission.

If your child would like to purchase a wristband and sweets to help support the cause, please send them in with £3 on Monday 15th November.

