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SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 29th September, 2017

Parents Forum and Foss

Parents Forum 6pm and Foss at 7pm – Please join us and help to support your child’s school. A letter has gone out this week with more details.



Monthly Accounts

Monthly accounts will be out Monday 2nd October. We would appreciate prompt payment please as these are a month in arrears. **Failure to settle these accounts will lead to the NYCC debt recovery process.**



Dates- where applicable letters to individual classes will follow

Friday October 6th – Skipping Workshop – ropes available to buy on the day - (child and adult)

Parents Evening – October 11th and 12th

Thursday October 12th – Visit from Team GB/Olympic athletes

Tuesday October 17th – Class 3 Music day at Ampleforth College.

Friday October 20th – Harvest Festival (Shoebboxes and collection for postage) BREAK-UP

Monday October 30th – Back to school

Wednesday November 1st for 4 weeks – Satnam Singh Indian Drumming and Bollywood Dancing with a special assembly in the Village Hall at 3pm.

Thursday November 2nd – School Open Day

Thursday November 9th – KS2 Football tournament at Leavening

Thursday November 16th – Class 1 Vue Cinema York – Aladdin plus Children in Need Day (wear something spotty)

Monday November 20th – Individual school photos 1pm. Younger or older siblings can also attend for a family picture at 2.30pm

November 27th – FOSS AGM venue TBC 7pm.

December 6th Class 1 and Class 2 visit to Hope Central, Malton

Friday December 8th – Panto in Slingsby Village Hall 1.30pm. Extra tickets will be available for this event.

Wednesday December 13th – Christmas Play KS1 2pm and KS2 6pm

Thursday December 14th – FOSS Christmas Party 3.30pm

Friday December 15th – Christmas Jumper Day – wear a Christmas jumper or decorate your own.

Monday December 18th – Choir singing at Omega Barn

Wednesday December 20th – Christmas Lunch

Friday December 22nd – Christmas Service in Church 1pm



Mr and Mrs Taylor

A huge thank you to Mr and Mrs Taylor and all their colleagues at Pearson and Ward Solicitors for completing the gruelling Yorkshire 3 Peaks Challenge this weekend on behalf of the Charlie Mortimer Fund. Mr Mortimer met them at Ribbleshead Viaduct and fed them cake! Also, many thanks for the kind and generous donations that you have given. Please could you let Sam Taylor have any money owing and she will mark it as paid on the sponsor form in the foyer. This money will be put towards making more hospice bags.

<http://www.charliemortimerfund.org.uk>



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Smiles for Stanley

We received an email this week asking for support for a fundraising campaign. Please find the details below:

Hello

In April this year my 18 month old son, Stanley, was diagnosed with stage 4 high risk neuroblastoma that requires 18 month intensive treatment including high dose chemotherapy, invasive surgery, stem cell transplant, radiotherapy, immunotherapy and cis-retinoic acid therapy. After all this exhaustive therapy there is still a 50% chance of relapse from which there is only a 10% survival rate. There is a clinical trial in America that significantly increases these odds in Stanley's favour so in association with Solving Kids Cancer we are raising funds to access this life saving treatment.

Website- www.solvingkidscancer.org.uk/journey/stanley

Just giving- www.justgiving.com/campaigns/charity/solvingkidscancer/stanleyappleton

We wish little Stanley and his family all the best and hope that they can raise funds to help.



Lunch times

Due to our higher numbers, Miss Coleman is our new dinner lady with responsibility for co-ordinating lunchtime sports and games and she has been teaching the children a variety of games. The children do not have to join in if they do not wish to, they are free to choose, but a high number have been enjoying playing games and sports together. All the staff are enjoying seeing those children who wish to participate learn new games and play together. The children may choose whether they 'dip in or out' of these activities, so there are no worries if they want to join in one day but not the next.



Class 2

Mrs Jordan is asking for all children in her class to bring a water bottle to school each day. It is very important to drink lots of water and all the children in school are free to have a drink when they wish. There is, however, the old saying 'you can take a horse to water but you can't make him drink!'

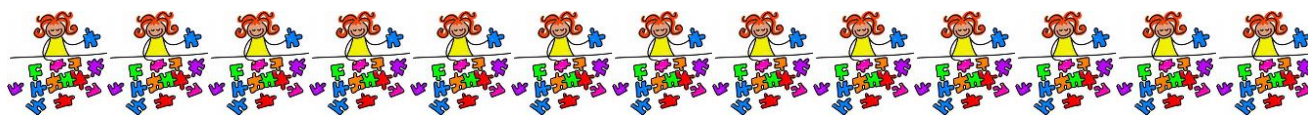


Breakfast Club

Mrs Massey has asked if there are any families who could spare a jigsaw or a game they would kindly donate to Breakfast Club as they are a bit short of such items! If you can help, please drop them off in school. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Congratulations to Lucy Raines for coming up with the winning new name for our breakfast club which will now be called Breakfast Rangers!

Every day from 8am to 8.30am we offer a delicious choice of cereal, fruit, wholemeal toast and pitta bread and in addition we will be offering Melon Mondays- Juicy watermelon slices, Eggy Tuesdays- Hard boiled eggs, Fruity Wednesdays – Five fruit kebabs, Muffin Thursdays – Home baked muffins and Pancake Fridays – Scotch pancakes with melted butter. In the colder months we will also be doing porridge. There is no need to book in advance and it is £3 pp.



Halloween Party

Friends of Slingsby School are hosting a Halloween Party for all children aged 12 years and under on Tuesday 31st October from 4.30pm-6pm at Slingsby Village Hall. Tickets cost £3.50 each and are available from Slingsby School or on the door. Tickets include a hotdog, fries and drink, as well as spooky fun and music from DJ Frankensmith. Bring along a carved pumpkin for the chance to win a prize. There will also be a sweetie tuck shop available so remember to bring some extra pennies.



Bag2school Collection

Friends of Slingsby School has organised a clothes and shoe collection with bag2school to raise funds for Slingsby School on Friday 1st December. Bag2school help divert unwanted textiles away from landfill to those in need. For more information on the scheme visit www.bag2school.com. Bags need to be dropped off at school before 9am on Friday 1st December or left outside your house (Slingsby village only) on Thursday 30th November for us to collect in the afternoon/evening.

