



SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday November 30th, 2017

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FOSS

- Tickets for the Christmas draw are selling at an unprecedented rate and a number of parents have asked for additional tickets. Could we ask that if you have any tickets that you are unable to sell that these are returned to school as soon as possible to enable us to redistribute them / sell at the Christmas productions?
- Christmas Party, Thursday 14th December 3.30-5.30pm.

FOSS are once again organising the children's Christmas party in the village hall. Magic Mike will provide the entertainment and there will be a special visitor bearing gifts. We do ask that each child fetches a plate of food to share with their classmates. A list of suggested foods is on the FOSS notice board in the foyer – please sign up to one item for your child's class. If your child has a food allergy / intolerance may we suggest that you provide them with a plate of suitable food? Food can be brought to the village hall for 3.30pm or to school on the morning of the party in a suitable container.

Any help on the day of the party would be much appreciated – please see Sarah Rayner or Liz Wilson or email friendsofslingsbyschool@hotmail.co.uk.



School News

- Could we please ask parents and grandparents who drop and pick up children from school not to block the staff carpark or to park in it? A number of times this week staff has been unable to park as there has been a vehicle blocking the entrance. Due to the high volume of cars at dropping off and picking up time it is vital that staff have access to their carpark at all times.
- Ms V Wray was the only nomination received for Parent Governor, therefore she is duly elected. School are very much looking forward to working with her.
- **SNOW! – In the event of inclement weather and a snow closure we will inform parents by sending a text message. We will also endeavour to get through to Radio York, not always easy if a lot of schools are closing! Our advice would be, if in doubt, wait until you are certain before setting off. A decision to close school is never taken lightly but we do have to consider the distances some staff travel, whether it is safe for them to do so and also staff pupil ratios if staff are unable to get in. As always, we appreciate your understanding in this matter. Please could you ensure your child has a pair of named wellington boots and a spare pair of socks or tights in a plastic carrier bag, in school so that they are able to go out into the snow to play!**

