

SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Thursday March 29th, 2018

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School News

- Parent's Evening went well, thank you for all your positive feedback.
- We had a super-efficient full school fire drill this week, the first with the new classroom and everyone was out and accounted for in a record 1 minute 10 seconds! Thank you to all the children for being so well behaved and staff for co-ordinating it so efficiently.
- Joseph Curtois in Class 3 has put together an extensive project to create a skate park in Slingsby. He has
 presented this to Slingsby Parish Council this week, where it was well received. If anyone would like to view the
 project, please ask in the school office.



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Scarecrow Weekend – 5th, 6th, 7th May. 5 weeks to go! Entry forms for scarecrows are attached. Closing date is Monday 30 April 2018. Hopefully now you have some idea of what scarecrow you're going to make. Here are some more tips to help you through!

- 1. Make it colourful
- 2. Use props to enhance your scarecrow
- 3. If you use mod roc add a coat of varnish to make it waterproof (remember it's Mayday weekend!!)

4. Consider how you are going to transport your scarecrow to where it will be displayed when designing it. Happy scarecrow making!!

If you are having a spring clean and have any pre-loved children's items you would like to donate to the pre-loved May Day stall please bring items into school after the holidays.



York Junior Triathlon

There is a triathlon event, especially for children from age 8 up to 16 at York Sports Village on Sun 8th July 2018 from 11am. It's a fun day out for the family and can give children a focus to help encourage them in getting fit and training for a specific event.



Accounts

Thank you to all those parents who have settled their February accounts. An amount of <u>£440.70</u> still remains outstanding for Dinners and Clubs for February and require <u>payment within 28 days</u>. March accounts will be issued the first week back.



Absence Letters

In order to comply with Child Safeguarding requirements, we would like to remind parents that a written note explaining the absence of your child must be sent to the office on the day of their return. Reminders have been sent out in book bags for outstanding absences in March. Forms are now available in the trays in reception.



A message from Sally

Just to let you all know, as the new cook has been unable to start before Easter, I shall be here for two weeks at the start of the new term and will be finishing on Friday 27th April. Thank you for all your kind messages!

Also can those with dietary requirements please confirm them in writing to the office so that we can ensure our records are up to date for the new cook.



Changes to Menu first week back

We will be having a delicious new summer menu on our return, details to follow. The menu for the first short week will be as follows:- Tuesday – Sally's Sausages. Eves Pudding & Custard

Wednesday – Lasagne. Fresh Melon & Pineapple Thursday – Chicken Fajitas. Chocolate Cornflake Pudding & Fruit Friday – Breaded Salmon. Oat Cookie, Cheese & Apple



Breakfast Club

We have a new Breakfast Rangers leader starting after Easter, Mrs Dodd. Mrs Dodd is Ellie and Tom's mum and also one of our super lunch time assistants so she knows the children well. Mrs Dodd is highly experienced at working with young children and has lots of play activities planned to keep our Breakfast Rangers busy!



Happy Easter everyone! We will see you back in school on Tuesday 17th April 2018.

