



SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Thursday July 4th, 2019

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School News

- Class 3 had a fantastic trip to Blakey Ridge with the North Yorkshire Moors Discovery team. They learnt about the role of the Game Keepers and watched a demonstration with the dogs and their retrieval skills. They also met the Police and Mountain Rescue, learnt about their role and heard all about the animals and birds of the moors.
- A number of Year 1 & 2 pupils attended a Multi-skills Event at Terrington Village Hall on Monday.
- On Tuesday, Simon Carson came to school and ran a Goal in a Day session with Class 4 which the children all thoroughly enjoyed.
- Mrs Smurthwaite attended a Cookery Skills course on Tuesday. Attending this course means that school can now apply for Healthy Pupil Capital Funding which is money levied from the soft drinks industry to improve sports facilities and promote healthy living.
- New Starters have their 4th visit tomorrow. The children are all settling in really well.



Menu Change – Fri 12th July

Ms Wright will be serving up Sizzling Sausages instead of Margarita Pizza on Friday 12th July. The pudding will remain the same.



No After-School Clubs – Wed 17th and Fri 19th

Reminder - there will be **no** after-school clubs Wednesday 17th July or Friday 19th July.



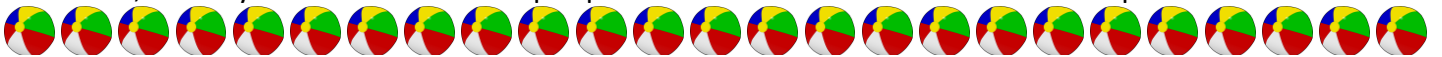
Slingsby School Sports Days – Weds 17th July

On Wednesday 17th July we will be having Slingsby School Sports Day. The event will start at 1pm on the Sports Field. All families are most welcome to bring a picnic and cheer the children on.



Sandsend Beach Days

Due to the number of children in school, this year Class 1 and Class 2 will be going to Sandsend on Tuesday 16th July and Class 3 and Class 4 will be going on Monday 15th July. There will be nominated helpers to escort the children to the toilet and can we ask that parents do not remove their children from the school group at any point. As this is an extra-curricular visit, we are not permitted to charge for this visit, but we are able to ask for a voluntary donation of £6 per child payable via Parent Pay, to cover the costs. If we do not receive sufficient donations, we may have to cancel the trip. Up to date we have received 12% of the trip costs.



FOSS- Please see the latest FOSS minutes on the school website

Selling ducks - Your duck sales forms must be returned to school by **Monday 8th July**. There is a shiny trophy for the student/family who sells the most so keep selling those ducks! Use a new line for each duck sold.

Non-uniform day - On **Wednesday 10th July** there is a non-uniform day with the forfeit being a tombola

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prize (one per family). Ideas include chocolates/sweets, baked goods, homemade jams and condiments, craft packs, games, gardening items, hair clips/ribbons, lego or books. There will be a collection box in the foyer.

Cake donations - We will be asking for donations of cakes, biscuits and tray bakes for the refreshments stall to be brought in on **Friday 12th July**. If you think you can help with this, please pop a reminder in your diary.

Volunteers - Please stop and look at the volunteer rota in the foyer on your way in or out of school. We need every spot filled to help make the Duck Race a success. It's our biggest fundraiser and it's for your school and your children.

FOSS Meeting – A copy of the minutes of the FOSS meeting is pinned to the notice board in the entrance hall. They are also available on the school's website <http://www.slingsby.n-yorks.sch.uk/staff/foss/>



Entertainments' Evening – Thurs 18th July at 5:30pm

Don't forget we are holding a fun night of music and entertainment on July 18th at **5:30pm** in Slingsby Village Hall. This is an evening where we encourage all our families (adults and/or children) to participate. Everyone is very warmly welcomed to perform on the night. If you would like to perform and have not yet volunteered, there are spare forms available from the school office. If you are able to provide nibbles that would be very much appreciated and you can also indicate what you might bring on the form. Thank you.



Slingsby Produce Show Update

The Slingsby Produce Show Committee are hoping that your marrows and pumpkins are growing well and would love to receive some updates. Also, ahead of the summer, don't forget that there are many categories for everyone to enter including writing, art, baking, flowers and fruit and vegetables which you can start working on now!



Lifestyle 2019 Challenge with North Yorkshire Police

The popular Lifestyle Challenge competition is back. It is open to all 10-17 year olds who are resident in North Yorkshire and the mission is to get a group of friends together, think up a project and do it over the summer holidays. Please see the attached link for more details <https://northyorkshire.police.uk/what-we-do/public-campaigns/lifestyle/>



Uniform – Cut-Off Date

We would just like to remind parents that SchoolShop's cut-off date for Back to School orders is 7th August 2019. All orders placed by that date are guaranteed to be delivered before school starts in September.

https://www.school-shop.co.uk/slingsby_cp_school_yo62_4aa/



Junior Tennis Holiday Camp

Malton Tennis Club will be holding a mini holiday camp session on the following Mondays from 9.30am - 11.30am on 22nd & 29th July and 5th & 12th August. The cost is £10 for junior members or £15 for non-members. All tennis equipment is provided but please bring snacks, a water bottle, and ensure your child has sunscreen applied in the event of sunny weather. Please contact Jason directly on 07900 394788 to book.



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