



# SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2020

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## School News

- Happy New Year and welcome back everyone! We hope you all had a restful Christmas.
- Everyone should have received a letter about the RSE Consultation before the holidays. Please return the detachable slip as soon as possible.
- Choir members all received a letter about a performance on 25<sup>th</sup> January. Please return the slip to the school office by the end of the week.
- Anna Louise Mason from Castle Howard came into school to meet with Mr Smith on Tuesday prior to the Year 6 children starting their Mini Guide training on 16<sup>th</sup> January. A letter was sent home on Tuesday.



## After-School Clubs – please book in advance & keep your account in credit

The outstanding debt for clubs this week stands at **£252.75** and **£154.80** for lunches. Please ensure your accounts are paid up to date/in credit. Please also remember to book your child into clubs in advance whenever possible and advise us at the start of every new term if your child is maintaining their regular After-School and Chill Club bookings so that we can staff accordingly. A new form needs to be completed and payment made direct to SCSS for children attending SCSS's Sports Club on a Monday as it is a new term. Please see the attached flyer. Forms are also available from the school office.



## Lego Workshop

We are excited to inform you that we have organised Lego Workshop Days again for the whole school this term. The organisers bring over 10,000 Lego pieces into school and demonstrate the method of building a robust model. KS1's Lego Workshop will be on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> January and they will be creating a Lego Village/Sports City. KS2's workshop will be on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January and they will be doing Electric Circuits involving movement and light.



## Malton School – Primary Orchestra

Mr Woodrow at Malton School is starting up Primary Orchestra again this year. If your child/ren is currently playing a string, woodwind, brass or percussions instrument of any standard, rehearsals start next Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January from 3:30-4:30pm in the West Wing and will continue on a weekly basis for the first half term until Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February. This is a FREE service and a chance for young musicians to experience playing in an ensemble and on stage at musical events.



## Swinton and District Excelsior Band

Just a reminder that Swinton and District Excelsior Band are holding an Open Evening on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> January from 6.30pm. They are a local village brass band and have a training band which meets most Fridays between 6.30 and 8.30pm. They teach you how to read music and play a brass instrument, and will even loan you an instrument. There are no charges or subscriptions to pay, you just need to commit to practising at home and go along each Friday. If you'd like to find out more go and see them, have a go at some instruments and ask any questions you might have with absolutely no obligation. Ideally learners should have their adult front teeth, there is no upper age limit so adults are equally welcome. To book a lot or if you have any queries contact Steve and Tracey on 01653 696417 or email [tpopham1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:tpopham1@yahoo.co.uk) or have a look their our Facebook page.



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## **FOSS - EASY FUNDRAISING**

Don't forget to use easyfundraising when you shop online. It's really easy to use and a donation is made to the school every time you shop. Thank you to those of you who have already signed up, shopped online and donated. We earned £14.58 in December. Please see the attached poster for details.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofslingsbyschool/?invite=ovy5re&referral-campaign=s2s>



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