



SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday 11th May 2023

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A Message from Mr Smith

We had a very enjoyable red, white and blue day on Friday for the Coronation and Mrs Saunders provided a delicious picnic which, unfortunately had to take place inside due to the rain, but that didn't dampen our spirits!



I would like to congratulate our Year 6 children on being absolute superstars this week during their SATs tests. Miss Secker, Mrs Clarke, our governors and myself have been extremely impressed by their excellent attitude and how they have approached all the tests in a really positive, calm and mature way; and we know they have all given it their best so far: only one more left to go tomorrow! We couldn't be prouder of them. Well done Year 6! Mr. Smith

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School News

- Tomorrow it is whole school and individual photographs for all classes so please ensure the children come looking their best and in full school uniform. Hairbrushes are allowed to be sent in with them! We hope to have the photos taken outside in the Wildlife garden - weather permitting.
- Please can all children still bring a coat to school, despite the hot sunny mornings, because we will always try go out at break times even in light rain showers to get fresh air.
- On Monday, the Village Produce Show committee are coming in to school to talk to the children about the importance and value of home produce; and to give all the children a sunflower seedling to nurture at home over the summer ready to enter into the show on 16th September. There will also be marrow and pumpkin seedlings for those who wish to also grow them at home to enter into the show. Leaflet attached.

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Parent Pay Debt

There is **£286.11** on Parent Pay for lunches and clubs which we must clear as soon as possible. We have not had time to send reminder texts, so please take a moment to check your accounts. There should be **NO** outstanding arrears on your Parent Pay. As always, we request that ALL before and after-school clubs and school lunches are paid in advance to avoid accruing debt and assist with our financial management.

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Online Safety – Guidance for Parents & Carers

The NSPCC have a really helpful and detailed web page dedicated to helping parents and carers understand the risks posed to children and how to navigate online safety with guides on games, social media and other internet connected devices. There are also guides for children. We strongly recommend all our families take time to read the guidance to help keep our children safe.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/#guides>

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FOSS Update

Duck Race - Saturday 15th July - We are working towards our biggest and final event of the school year and are calling out again for your help - if anyone would like to join the Duck Race working group you would be very welcome, please get in touch. We will be issuing the Duck sponsor forms in the coming weeks so please check book bags.

This year we would really love to pull together an exciting raffle prize list, if you own a business, work for a business or have friends or family who own a business and are happy to donate a prize, no matter how big or small, please let us know by contacting

friendsofslingsbyschool@hotmail.co.uk.

We will be able to include details of the prizes in our Facebook posts, at different locations we sell ducks and on the day at our HQ, so a wonderful opportunity to share details of businesses that have donated prizes. We are very lucky this year to have our first donation already from The Pern family which is a Sunday lunch for two at The Star Inn, including a bottle of house wine to the value of £150. Thank you Andrew and Fran.

Krispy Kreme- Friday 16th June

Due to popular demand we will be hosting another Kripsy Kreme order for Father's Day on Friday 16 June, more details to follow.



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