



## SLINGSBY C.P. SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2023

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### A Message from Mr Smith

I have been really impressed with how well all classes have settled and focused in these first few days, especially our new Reception starters; it has been a brilliant start to the year. I have also thoroughly enjoyed being outside with the children at break times, seeing them laughing, playing games and hearing all about their summer holidays.

You hopefully will have received an invitation yesterday for the forthcoming Childnet Online Safety Presentation which we are hosting next week for parents and carers, as well as for the children. I would strongly recommend attending, if you are able to, on Tuesday at 3.45pm. This is a one-off session which guides us through how to use the internet positively and how to safely navigate the risks it can pose for our young people, which is hugely relevant for us all in this digital age. Please click here for more information [Childnet.com](https://www.childnet.com). After School Club will be free that day for those wishing to come.

I am pleased to confirm we have once again signed up to the Primary Games hosted by Malton Community Sports Centre for all the local primary schools and the dates of events, together with our other key dates, will be published in our weekly newsletters soon.

I hope you are all feeling back in the school routine and if you ever wish to discuss anything with me, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Mr Smith.



### School News

- We are aware that our Parent Pay system has not updated the KS1 lunch time meal prices correctly, therefore is showing a charge when it should be Universal Free School Meals. We are also aware that some of our new families are having problems with the Teacher2Parent App. We are working to rectify these issues as soon as possible and apologise for any frustrations. Any messages from school will be sent by email until the App resolves.
- Please remember that PE kits are needed in school every day of the week so if the children come home in PE kit (there isn't always time to change if they have been having a lot of fun doing their sport), please bring them back the next day.
- Our Friday Celebration Assemblies are moving! We are trialling having our Celebration Assembly in the Slingsby Methodist Chapel this term, due to the logistics of moving tables and furniture in the Reading Rooms. If your child is due to receive a weekly award, you will be notified by text via the Teacher2Parent App on a Friday morning (or by email if the app is not working) and invited to join us for the assembly at 3pm.
- Please email the Office if you hope to attend the Childnet presentation 3.45-4.45pm on Tuesday so that we have an idea of numbers. After School Club will be free that day for those joining us.
- Class Curriculum Newsletters will be available on our website over the coming week.

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- Piano and violin lessons with our peripatetic teacher, Mr Conlan, will resume next Thursday and he will email parents directly to confirm.



## **Slingsby Produce Show- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September**

Don't forget it is the 50<sup>th</sup> Village Produce Show next Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> September. We hope that you have been successful in growing your sunflowers and vegetables over the summer holidays but if not, cakes and art work can also be entered! Please check book bags tomorrow for the schedule of classes which can be entered by children at Slingsby School. Please submit your entry forms either to school or to the address on the entry forms by Thursday 14th. In addition, all our classes will be submitting handwriting or artwork they have done in school and there are prizes to be won so please come and see your child's work on display in the Village Hall on the day from 1pm. It is a great community event and the village would welcome your support.



## **Pupil Medication and Inhalers – Medical Administration Form**

Please ensure all medicines needed in school are brought in with a completed Medical Administration Form, which is available on our website.



## **Dietary Requirements – NYES Catering SD1 Form**

If your child has any dietary needs, please complete the NYES Catering SD1 form and return to the Office. Blank forms were sent home at the end of last term and are available from the Office on request.



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