

Sledmere C of E Primary School

1st May 2009

Newsletter

FOSS News



Meeting on Wednesday 6th May at The Triton - all parents welcome
Thank you to FOSS for arranging with Mrs Felgate to hold a 'Jamie Oliver at Home' and 'Cheese and Wine' evening in school. Commission of £25 was raised and everyone had a very enjoyable evening.

KS1 Trip to The Railway Museum



Please remember to bring disposable packed lunches and booster seats into school for this visit and to be at school for 8.45am.

Kingswood France Visit

There will be a meeting for Parents and Pupils on Monday 18th May at 6.30pm at Beswick School. More details to follow later.

Bag2School



Please start sorting and saving your second hand clothes ready for our Bag2School collection on 20th May. This is a great fund raising event - so please ask friends and family for their unwanted clothing as well! Spare bags are available or use black bin liners. Please bring the bags into school on the 18th and 19th of May.

PE



Please can everyone have their PE kit in school all week for the summer term as you never know when we might be able to fit in extra rounders and cricket matches in the glorious summer we are all hoping for!!

Summer sun



Please provide caps and use suncream to protect your child from the sun. Sunblock in the form of a stick may be helpful as this is easier for children to reapply at lunch time.

Sledmere Garden Show



We have a stall at the Garden Show on Sunday 17th May. Please give your support for this event to help us make it a success. All donations of tombola prizes are welcome (keeping the theme of the Garden: plants, seeds, garden equipment and anything connected with flowers and plants).

Sledmere House Free Children's Passes

The Artists who are working at the Triton Gallery have brought us a Free Pass for each child in the school to visit Sledmere House and Grounds, very kindly provided by Mr Greenfield from the Estate Office. Please note these are not valid on event days.

Home time Arrangements



Please fill in the attached Home time Arrangement form so that we have an up to date record for each child. We have had a few problems with children being confused about their after school arrangements. If you have booked your child into an after school curriculum club or after school care club we will update these records accordingly.

The safety of all children is our main concern and unfortunately giving verbal messages to children is proving unreliable.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Flu guidelines

We have received guidelines from County regarding what we should do if a flu pandemic arises and have been asked to draw up an action plan to share key points with parents, If you or your child catch flu:

- Stay at home and rest
- Drink plenty of fluids
- Take paracetamol/ibuprofen to relieve symptoms
- Inform school

We are talking to children about how to:

- Cover nose and mouth when coughing and sneezing and using a tissue
 - Dispose of used tissues promptly
 - Maintain good basic hygiene - frequently washing hands with anti-bacterial soap
- Please do not be alarmed - these measures are for your own health and to avoid spreading illness to others.

After School Club for Child Care

Please complete the attached form for after school child care and breakfast club. We do need advance notice of bookings to arrange staffing of these sessions.

Books for Schools



We are collecting 'Books for School' tokens in the Times and Sunday Times to buy books for the school library. Please ask family and friends to collect these tokens for us as well!

Tesco vouchers



We have started collecting Tesco vouchers again in school. Please send yours into school and ask friends and family to help us collect vouchers as well.

Nestle Box Tops



Please keep sending in your Nestle cereal box tops to get new reading books for school.

Flora - Cooking with Schools



We are registered with Flora to get cooking equipment for school by

parents registering the numbers printed on the foils of Flora packs on the Flora website.

Instructions are on the packs.

Last year we were able to purchase a saucepan, bun tin and large chopping boards.

Sainsbury's

We are also collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers again this year. Last year we were able to purchase a parachute and games for the nursery.

Breakfast Club



Breakfast Club places are available every morning. The charges remain the same at £2.00 for breakfast from 8.00am and 50p for the play session for arrivals between 8.30 and 8.45am.

Sledmere little stars'



Everyone is welcome to come along on a Thursday afternoon between 1.30 - 3.00pm to our Parent and Toddler group - Sledmere Little

Stars'. Mrs Lee would greatly appreciate any parents who may be able to help on a rota basis, especially with setting up and clearing away at the end of the sessions.

What's on? W/C Monday 4th May

Monday:	Bank Holiday - School Closed
Tuesday:	Cycle Training - Year 5 & 6 Class photos
Wednesday:	KS2 Guitars KS1 Trip to the Railway Museum FOSS meeting 6.30pm at The Triton
Thursday:	Sledmere little stars 1.30 - 3.00pm Parent-toddler group for families with children under five Sew Simple - after school club
Friday:	Swimming Years 3, 4 & 5 Celebration Assembly 3.00pm - Parents and friends invited

What's on? W/C Monday 11th May KS2 SATs

Monday:	Brass tuition
Tuesday:	Cycle Training - Year 5 & 6
Wednesday:	KS2 Guitars
Thursday:	Sledmere little stars 1.30 - 3.00pm Parent-toddler group for families with children under five Sew Simple - after school club
Friday:	Swimming Years 3, 4 & 5 Celebration Assembly 3.00pm - Parents and friends invited
Sunday:	Sledmere House Garden Show