

Sledmere C of E Primary School

25th September 2009

Newsletter

Welcome!

We would like to give a warm welcome to Mrs Rae who has joined our Foundation Stage Team. Mrs Rae started with us on Monday and we hope that she will enjoy being part of our school community and will meet you all soon.

Harvest Festival



A note for your diary: This year our Harvest Festival will take place at Cowlam Church on Friday 2nd October at 2.00pm.

We will be going to church by bus. Any parents attending the service may take their children home from the church.

The School Council would like donations for the Harvest Festival to go to Real Aid's Harvest Festival Appeal - 'Food for Africa'. They have asked if the following items could be brought either individually or combined in a gift box:
Food - rice, pasta & tinned fish
Education - crayons and exercise books
Hygiene - soap and toothbrushes/toothpaste

FS2 and KS1 Visit to 'Build a Bear'



The children are going to create their own class Bear at a 'Build-A-Bear' workshop in Hull and then visit St Charles School to introduce themselves and their bear on Wednesday 30th September. Please can parents remember to provide a disposable lunch in a carrier bag.

FOSS



FOSS have arranged a Beetle Drive for all the family on Thursday 15th October. This will be held at school at 6.30pm, admission £1, please bring your own drink and snacks. There will also be a raffle.

The next FOSS meeting will be on 3rd November.

KS1 Student Placement

We will be welcoming Mr Taylor into the KS1 class with Miss Low this term.

Headlice

We have had a couple of cases of Headlice reported to us by parents. Please could everyone be vigilant in checking their children's hair regularly to keep the little visitors away.

Fruit & Juice Stall

KS1 will be running a Fruit & Juice Stall on Monday 28th September at Playtime and Lunchtime.



Price: 20p for Juice
30p for Fruit

School Council

Members: Sophie, Jordan, Georgina, Jacob, Hugo and Callum.

The new School Council members were elected in school last week and had their first meeting today.

The following were discussed and agreed:

- Application forms for school jobs are going out today - see forms attached.
- Charities to support this term:
Real Aid - Harvest Festival Appeal
'Wear it Pink' - Friday 23rd October
Children in Need - Friday 20th November
Blue Peter 'Send a Smile' Appeal
- Health & Safety
 - How safe children felt in school
 - Toilet door locks needs repairing in both girls and boys toilets

Parent's Evening

The first of our parent's evenings of the year will take place on Wednesday 21st October. More details will follow soon.

Junk Modelling

The Foundation Stage are doing lots of junk modelling. Please can we ask for your help in collecting your empty boxes, yoghurt pots, kitchen roll tubes etc.

Midday Supervisory Assistant (Urgent)

We are looking for someone to join our school team as a lunchtime supervisor. This post is for 5 hours per week between 12 noon and 1pm to assist the senior lunchtime supervisor to ensure the safety and welfare of children at lunchtime.

If you would like to consider this post for part of the week only or would like more details please contact the school office.



Absences

Please remember that on the first day of an absence from school we need a phone call to the school office before 9.30am to let us

know that your child is poorly. On return to school please could you send a note into the school office giving the details of the absence for our records.

In the case of sickness and diarrhoea we ask that according to NHS guidelines your child does not return to school until 48 hours after the last occurrence of illness to prevent the spread of bugs to other children.

After School Club for Child Care



Please complete the attached form for after school child care and breakfast club. We ask for advance notice of bookings and charge £5 for the first child and

then £3 for siblings to 5pm.

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 Wednesday afternoon between 1.30 - 3.00pm to our Parent and

Toddler group - Sledmere Little Stars'. Miss Preston 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 28th September 2009

Monday:	Board Games Club 3.30 to 4.00pm KS1 Fruit & Juice Stall
Tuesday:	Puppet Making Club 3.30 to 4.00pm Mrs Walker - Woodwind lessons
Wednesday:	Hockey Club 3.30 to 4.30pm FS2 & KS1 Build A Bear Trip Sledmere little stars 1.30 - 3.00pm Parent-toddler group for families with children under five Celebration Assembly 3.00pm - cancelled
Thursday:	Movie Making Club 3.30 to 4.15pm KS2 Guitars - Mr Rooke
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