



## Weekly News Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023

### **Autumn Term 1 Week 5**

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a busy week it has been! Our Year 6 pupils are preparing for their trip to the Waterpark next week and we hope that they have a wonderful time.

Our new Maths Mentors met for the first time this week and have some exciting things planned for the year ahead...watch this space for some maths-tastic activities!

Have a lovely weekend!

Jo Hall

### **Discovery Learning Newsletters**

[Saltergate Schools - Discovery Learning Newsletters](#)

Each week we will be putting up a new newsletter in Discovery Learning's area of the website – keep up to date with what is going on in our fantastic new setting!

### **Parent Consultations**

Please find a letter on our website about Parent Consultations and how to book.

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All new families should have received a username and password by text/email. However, if anyone cannot access MCAS for your child, please pop to see Mrs Coiley or Mrs Tunney in the office.  
Thank you.

### **Safeguarding**

**If you are worried about any safeguarding situations, or you feel a child is being harmed you should contact Mrs Jo Hall (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Judith Hollywood (Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) to share your information.**

**If you want to remain anonymous you can report concerns through the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership website click [here](#).**

**Or phone 01609 780780**

**It's everyone's responsibility to work together to keep children safe.**

### **Autumn/Winter Event List**

Please find a list of Autumn and Winter Events on the Letters page of our website and on social media.

Please note that separate communications regarding specific events, parent consultation evenings and will follow in due course.

### **Young Voices**

Young Voices will be cancelled next week due to the Waterpark residential trip.

With the help of Oscar and Fin in Year 5, we are launching our Fantasy Football Saltergate league. If you go onto the link below you can create your own team and battle against the rest of our community. All adults, children, siblings and cousins welcome to see who can become the Saltergate fantasy football legend of this year!

You have a week to organise your team as the league will begin on Gameweek 7, the weekend of the 30<sup>th</sup> September. The code to enter our league is: lioyff

There will be a prize for the winner presented in assembly! If you're really successful, you can win prizes from the Premier League. If you need any help with entering the league (though not with your team as Mr Fleetwood is famously rubbish at Fantasy Football!) then find him in one of the Y5 classrooms.

Thank you!

[Fantasy Premier League, Official Fantasy Football Game of the Premier League](#)

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Official Fantasy Premier League 2023/24. Free to play fantasy football game, set up your fantasy football team at the Official Premier League site.

[fantasy.premierleague.com](https://fantasy.premierleague.com)

<b>Infants</b>	
<b>Who are the 'work stars' of the week?</b>	
<b>Coelho (Y2)</b>	Susie
<b>Percival (Y2)</b>	Matthew
<b>Bright (Y1)</b>	Hattie
<b>Jeffers (Y1)</b>	Jasper
<b>Donaldson (Rec)</b>	Oscar
<b>Adeola (Rec)</b>	Blake



<b>Juniors</b>			
<b>Who are the 'work stars' of the week?</b>			
<b>Cowell (Y6)</b>	Zuzanna	<b>Pullman (Y6)</b>	Harris
<b>Tolkien (Y5)</b>	Jakob	<b>Potter (Y5)</b>	Annabelle
<b>Morpurgo (Y4)</b>	Riley	<b>Rowling (Y4)</b>	James
<b>Walliams (Y3)</b>	Laurie	<b>Dahl (Y3)</b>	Alistair



## Get ready for lots of excitement...

This is such an exciting opportunity for our children to actually meet one of our class's special authors. The amazing **Joseph Coelho** is leading 2 fabulous events for different aged children as part of the Raworth's Harrogate Literature Festival.

Coelho's 'One Little Word.' event is suitable for children aged 3-6. During this session, Joseph will read his fantastic new picture book *One Little Word*, which is a story all about friendship, understanding and the power of an apology. This will be followed by interactive poetry, colouring-in activities and the chance to unleash your creativity!

Coelho's 'Poems Aloud,' event is suitable for children aged 6 years and over. In this interactive session, Joseph will read some poems from his new book, before writing a new poem with the help of the audience. Your children will have lots of fun guessing riddles, powering up their poetry skills, and discovering just how easy it is to be courageous with poetry.

### How to book:

Online: [harrogateinternationalfestivals.com](http://harrogateinternationalfestivals.com)

Phone: 01423 562 303

In person: 32 Cheltenham Parade, Harrogate, HG1 1DB

Children Tickets are £7 per child. Up to two adults per children's event will be able to enter the event for free (a ticket must be booked). Additional adult tickets will be charged at £7 per adult.

## Hope to see you there...



**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

THESE ARE OUR INITIAL EVENTS THAT WE HAVE PLANNED, WITH OTHERS TBD...

- **WEDNESDAY 4TH OCTOBER - COFFEE MORNING**
- **FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER - BAKE SALE**
- **THURSDAY 26TH OCTOBER - AUTUMN-FEST**
- **SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER - XMAS FAIR**
- **FRIDAY 22ND DECEMBER - BAKE SALE**
- **SATURDAY 28TH JUNE - SUMMER FAIR**

WE WILL OF COURSE BE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS TO HELP US OUT. IF YOU THINK YOU MAY BE ABLE TO ASSIST THEN PLEASE EMAIL US - WE CANNOT DO THESE THINGS WITHOUT YOU!!!

**EMAIL**  
**Foss@saltergateschools.co.uk**

### FOSS – Friends of Saltergate School

Hi All

You should all have your colouring competition pictures/feedback forms by now. Can everyone please remember to put the child's name on the picture so we know whose is whose. Entries need to be returned by Friday 6th October. And all competition entries must come with a completed questionnaire in order for them to be included in the competition.

You should also have received an email containing our new funding request form. This is for anyone to complete with suggestions for projects/items that FOSS could raise funds for. The form is available to download in the FOSS section of the school website.

Also, FOSS are very pleased to be hosting a coffee morning for MacMillan on Wednesday 4th October. All are welcome, we will have tea, coffee and cake! We will be in the Hub from 9am. See you there!!

As always, if anyone has any great ideas or feedback they would like to share, please contact us at [foss@saltergateschools.co.uk](mailto:foss@saltergateschools.co.uk)

Thanks

FOSS x

We are keen to hear if anyone has any amazing ideas for fundraising. Everyone is welcome to join us at any of our meetings, keep a look out in the newsletter for the next date.

If you would like to express an interest in coming to a meeting or have any amazing ideas you would like to share, then please contact us at [FOSS@saltergateschools.co.uk](mailto:FOSS@saltergateschools.co.uk).

Alternatively, please feel free to jot an idea on the form [here](#).



The perfect way for girls aged 5-11 to get involved with football



Make Friends



TIME AND DATE

5.30-6.30pm Every Tuesday



LOCATION

Saltergate Schools, HG3 2TT

WHO WE ARE

Harrogate Town AFC Community Foundation




NEXT STEPS

head to [www.EnglandFootball.com/WeetabixWildcats](http://www.EnglandFootball.com/WeetabixWildcats) or scan the QR code on the right to book your first session, or contact us to find out more [community@harrogatetownafc.com](mailto:community@harrogatetownafc.com)

SCAN ME:



## Important Dates and Information

Term dates 2023-2024	Click <a href="#">here</a>
FOSS funding letter	Click <a href="#">here</a>
FOSS funding form	Click <a href="#">here</a>
Bags2school collection	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> October
Important Information regarding School Gates	Click <a href="#">here</a>
Autumn 2023 Lunch menu	Autumn Menu available <a href="#">here</a> Price increase <a href="#">letter</a>
Operation Encompass (Domestic Abuse support)	Click <a href="#">here</a> for details
Children with special dietary requirements	Please complete the form by clicking <a href="#">here</a>
CEOP helping 4–7-year-olds be safer online	<a href="http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/">www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/</a>
Permission to attend school trips	<a href="https://forms.office.com/r/G9VzHbj95A">https://forms.office.com/r/G9VzHbj95A</a>
Permission to have photos taken	<a href="https://forms.office.com/e/r18hnsC7Wk">https://forms.office.com/e/r18hnsC7Wk</a>
Permission to walk home (Year 5 & 6 ONLY)	<a href="https://bit.ly/3wn01U1">https://bit.ly/3wn01U1</a>
Absences from school exceptional circumstances (one off event which is unavoidable)	<a href="#">Pupil Leave of Absence Request   Saltergate Schools</a>
If your child needs to have regular medication such as an asthma inhaler, please complete this form	<a href="https://forms.office.com/r/zScm8baXvE">https://forms.office.com/r/zScm8baXvE</a>
Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) - This is different to Infant Free School Meals (UFSM) that children Reception to Year 2 receive	 <p>Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here: <a href="http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals">www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals</a></p> <p><b>NYES</b>   Catering</p>

Solihull Approach online parenting courses are **FREE** for all North Yorkshire parents, carers and foster carers

Visit the website: [www.inourplace.co.uk](http://www.inourplace.co.uk) and add the access code **NYFAMILIES**

Courses include: Understanding your baby, Understanding your Child, Understanding your

child with additional needs, Understanding your teenager and Understanding your child's mental health.