



Saltergate Newsletter

Friday 1st December 2023

Message from Headteacher

Autumn Term Week 11

Dear Parents and Carers,

There is an air of excitement in school today as children start to practise their Christmas songs and we decorate our Christmas trees ready for the Fair tomorrow! We are delighted to have purchased our trees from Horticap this year and to be supporting such a wonderful charity - many thanks to the lovely staff who delivered our trees with such enthusiasm.

We hope you will be able to join us tomorrow to enjoy the fun and games and do some Christmas shopping - it promises to be another brilliant FOSS event!

Jo Hall

Notices

Saltergate Give & Take Store

As the festive season is promptly approaching, we know how difficult this time of year can be for many families financially. Please remember to use our Give & Take store if you are in need or can give at this time. Just pop in at a time to suit you and visit the area. There is no need to ask.

Application to Reception and Year 3

Applications have opened to apply for a place in Reception and Year 3 for September 2024.

Please see the letters below for more information:

[Reception - September 2024](#)

[Year 3 - September 2024](#)

Christmas Events Calendar

Please click this link to access the Christmas Event Calendar on our website - [Christmas Events](#)

KS1 and KS2 Performances

Due to high popularity, there are limited tickets left for the performances, if you have not yet booked your tickets, please log onto Parentpay. We are astounded by the generosity of donations. Thank you.

We will not be producing paper tickets; instead, we will sign you in as you arrive against the ticket sales.

KS2 Performances – Y3 Costumes

For the Year 3 performances, please can you send the children in the following clothes as costumes. Children know what role they are playing.

- Snow children – winter jumpers, woollies, scarves, hats and gloves
- Christmas Trees – green clothes
- Christmas Cards – black clothes
- Santas – colourful festive clothes (feel free to bring a Santa hat if you have one)

Parent Sharing



The poster is green with white text and icons. At the top left is the Saltergate Primary School logo. The title 'Parent Sharing Sessions' is in large white font. Below it are four sessions listed with their dates and times. To the left of the sessions are icons for a heart, a thumbs up, and a recycling symbol. To the right is an icon of an open book. At the bottom left is the 'SHARE' logo, and at the bottom right is an icon of three lightbulbs. A note at the bottom says 'Please come to the main office to sign in. We will take you to the junior hall.'

Parent Sharing Sessions

Parent Sharing Sessions Y3
Monday 27 November 2:30pm-3:15pm

Parent Sharing Sessions Y4
Tuesday 28 November 2:30pm-3:15pm

Parent Sharing Sessions Y5
Wednesday 29 November 2:30pm-3:15pm

Parent Sharing Sessions Y6 - WW2
Monday 11 December 2:30pm-3:15pm

SHARE Please come to the main office to sign in.
We will take you to the junior hall.

Anxiety UK

Please follow the link to find some useful resources to help children with anxiety - www.anxietyuk.org.uk/resources/

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.


Work Stars of the Week

<u>Infants</u> Who are the 'work stars' of the week?	
Coelho (Y2)	Joshua
Percival (Y2)	Diar
Bright (Y1)	Aurora
Jeffers (Y1)	Oliver
Donaldson (Rec)	Kayla
Adeola (Rec)	Freddie N

<u>Juniors</u> Who are the 'work stars' of the week?			
Cowell (Y6)	Mia L	Pullman (Y6)	Emi
Tolkien (Y5)	Violet	Potter (Y5)	Oscar
Morpurgo (Y4)	Saikou	Rowling (Y4)	Holly H
Walliams (Y3)	Jessica	Dahl (Y3)	Sam

Well Done
Everybody!

Important

Term dates 2023-2024	Click here
FOSS funding letter	Click here
FOSS funding form	Click here
Autumn 2023 Lunch menu	Autumn Menu available here Price increase letter
Operation Encompass (Domestic Abuse support)	Click here for details
Children with special dietary requirements	Please complete the form by clicking here
CEOP helping 4–7-year-olds be safer online	www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/
Permission to walk home (Year 5 & 6 ONLY)	https://bit.ly/3wn01U1
Absences from school exceptional circumstances (one off event which is unavoidable)	Pupil Leave of Absence Request Saltergate Schools
If your child needs to have regular medication such as an asthma inhaler, please complete this form	https://forms.office.com/r/zScm8baXvE
Change of contact details form	Change of contact details form
Discovery Learning Newsletters	Saltergate Schools - Discovery Learning Newsletters
Application for Reception September 2024	Reception - September 2024
Application for Year 3 September 2024	Year 3 - September 2024
Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) - This is different to Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM) that children Reception to Year 2 receive	<div style="border: 2px solid orange; padding: 10px;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here:</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals  </div> <p style="text-align: right;">NYES Catering</p> </div>

Community

LEE'S PREMIER FOOTBALL COACHING
SALTERGATE



FOOTBALL FOR ALL
KS2




 Wednesday's 5pm-6pm


 Saltergate

 £6.00 Per session

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ENGLAND FOOTBALL


TIME AND DATE
5.30-6.30pm Every Tuesday

LOCATION
Saltergate School, HG3 2TT

WHO WE ARE
Harrogate Town AFC Community Foundation

NEXT STEPS
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Friends of Saltergate School

FOSS – Friends of Saltergate School

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.

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



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