

# Saltergate Newsletter

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

## Message from Headteacher

### Summer Term Week 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week at Saltergate and we are seeing a little more sunshine, which is always a bonus, as it means we can enjoy our lovely outdoor areas more!

I have just been out at lunchtime with Y4 and was so pleased to see them sharing equipment and taking turns, without any adults to prompt them. Social skills are so important, and we do work hard to try and support our pupils in learning, working and playing together. Thank you for all your support with this and for reminding your children to be kind and caring.

Another wonderful example of this was the Loom Band Sale yesterday, an idea and project which came straight from two of our Year 4 pupils. They raised £50 for Martin House, which was amazing. I am so proud of their outward-facing attitude and their desire to contribute to the community.

Have a lovely weekend,

Jo Hall

## Notices

### Loom Band Sale – Total Raised

What a great start to the weekend - we have the total! Our wonderful girls raised £50 in their loom band sale yesterday! Thank you to everyone who came to visit them, donated and/or bought a very impressive loom band bracelet!

Well done, girls! This will be donated to the brilliant [Martin House Children's Hospice](#).

### Egg boxes

If anyone has any egg boxes in their recycling, we would love them in school for Year 1! Thank you.

### **ParentPay**

Please can you log into your ParentPay accounts and clear any outstanding debt balances. Could we also remind you that the school policy is that you must pay for meals at the end of each week and we will only allow a maximum of 2 weeks debt (£32.00) to ensure that you are not falling into financial difficulties. If your account reaches £32.00, you will be asked to send your child to school with a packed lunch until the debt is cleared.

### **Midday Supervisor Assistant Vacancy**

We are looking to enhance our current lunchtime staff team and would love to hear from you if you wanted to work in school during lunchtime periods. A link to the job role can be found on our school website: <https://www.saltergateschools.co.uk/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=78>

### **Cost of Living Help**

If you're struggling to pay for food and other essentials, there are local schemes and organisations in North Yorkshire which may be able to help or point you in the right direction. You'll find information about emergency financial support, managing debt, benefit entitlement, energy bills and staying connected all in one place at [www.northyorks.gov.uk/costofliving](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/costofliving)

### **Home to School Travel Policy**

Consultation on proposed changes to the Council's Home to School Travel Policy.  
The necessary information can be found here on the Council's website.

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/your-council/consultations-and-engagement/current-consultations/home-school-travel-policy-consultation>





<b><u>Infants</u></b>	
<b>Who are the 'work stars' of the week?</b>	
<b>Coelho (Y2)</b>	Ruben
<b>Percival (Y2)</b>	Joey
<b>Bright (Y1)</b>	Indie
<b>Jeffers (Y1)</b>	Jewel
<b>Donaldson (Rec)</b>	Hakan
<b>Adeola (Rec)</b>	Freddie N

<b>Juniors</b> <b>Who are the 'work stars' of the week?</b>			
<b>Cowell (Y6)</b>	Mia D	<b>Pullman (Y6)</b>	Jack W
<b>Tolkien (Y5)</b>	Braeden	<b>Potter (Y5)</b>	Lily
<b>Morpurgo (Y4)</b>	David	<b>Rowling (Y4)</b>	Sophie & Amelia
<b>Walliams (Y3)</b>	Ralph	<b>Dahl (Y3)</b>	Rihana



## Important

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>
Summer term 2024 Lunch menu	Summer 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 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>
Change of contact details form	<a href="#">Change of contact details form</a>
Discovery Learning Newsletters	<a href="#">Saltergate Schools - Discovery Learning Newsletters</a>
Application for Reception September 2024	<a href="#">Reception - September 2024</a>
Application for Year 3 September 2024	<a href="#">Year 3 - September 2024</a>
Pupil Premium (Free School Meals) - This is different to Infant Free School Meals (UFSM) that children Reception to Year 2 receive	<div> <p>Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here:</p> <p><a href="http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals">www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals</a></p>  </div> <div>  </div>

# Friends of Saltergate Schools

## 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](mailto:FOSS@saltergateschools.co.uk).

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

Please see the attached letter [here](#) for important information about the FOSS AGM

All children should have received a letter about the disco today, but if they missed it - Form for FOSS Disco [here](#)



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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

- **FRIDAY 23RD FEB - FRIDAY 1ST MAR - FUND 'RAISIN'**
- **TUESDAY 5TH MAR - FRIDAY 16TH MAR - 'SALTER-BAR' GOLDEN TICKET SALE**
- **TUESDAY 7TH MAY - FOSS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**
- **FRIDAY 17TH MAY - SCHOOL DISCO**
- **FRIDAY 24TH MAY - BAKE SALE**
- **SATURDAY 29TH JUNE - SUMMER FAIR**
- **DATE TBC - YEAR 6 LEAVERS PARTY**

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](mailto:Foss@saltergateschools.co.uk)



# DISCO

**FRIDAY 17TH MAY**

**Discovery Learning/Reception - 3.30 - 4.15**

**Year 1/Year 2 - 4.30 - 5.15**

**Year 3/Year 4 - 5.30 - 6.15**

**Year 5/Year 6 - 6.30 - 7.15**

Leave your payments and order slips in the postbox in reception

**Tickets £3**

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# Community

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.

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UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD SOLIHULL APPROACH

**NHS**

**2024**

**A YEAR FOR BETTER EMOTIONAL HEALTH**

EMOTIONAL WELLBEING CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE TO CHILDREN'S PROSPECTS IN SCHOOL AND BEYOND

In North Yorkshire, we believe in supporting children's emotional health development, and that's why we've invested in online courses in understanding your child for parents. So you can have **FREE ACCESS**.

By understanding how your child's brain develops and responds emotionally, you can better support their needs as they navigate the big milestones in school.

- Learn to better read and understand behaviour
- Help them to communicate how they feel
- Gain psychologist-informed ideas to support your child

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AND ENTER THE CODE NYFAMILIES  
FOR FREE ACCESS TO THE ONLINE COURSES

**LEE'S PREMIER FOOTBALL COACHING**

**KS2 (Y3-Y6) Football Training**

Saltergate Schools  
Newby Crescent, HG3 2TT

Wednesdays  
5pm - 6pm

4 week bookings available

SCAN ME

LEE'S PREMIER FOOTBALL COACHING

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

**WILD CATS** GIRLS' FOOTBALL

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**weeetabix**

**ENGLAND FOOTBALL**

**TIME AND DATE**  
5.30-6.30pm Every Tuesday

**LOCATION**  
Saltergate Schools, HG3 2TT

**WHO WE ARE**  
Harrogate Town AFC Community Foundation

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