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FOSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL BULLETIN

Teaching Arrangements for Next Year

It is with delight that we can announce we have now appointed Miss Katie Allwood to the role of KS1 teacher at Foston. I know you will join me in welcoming her to our school family. She will be in school for a few days before summer to get to know the school and most importantly the children.

As you are aware we appointed Mr Carlisle to the role of KS2 teacher at Foston from September. Mr Carlisle is well known to our children having undertaken his final teaching placement with us. He will be the main class teacher for all the children going forward and the children will start their day doing registration with him. Miss Stringer and Mrs Allon will be teaching our year 3 group of children for Maths and English. Mrs Allon will also teach the full KS2 class for Mr Carlisle's planning and preparation time.

EYFS Parent Workshop 28th June

This workshop has been cancelled as we had no interest. The next one scheduled is "Let's Get Creative" on Monday the 5th of July. We do have interest in this and encourage others to consider attendance at these useful sessions

School Photos

As referenced on the Diary Dates page last week- we have a photographer coming to Foston- taking photos of all the children. This will be undertaken in the Village Hall. We will be looking to take individual photos and family photos where the children are pupils in school. We are unable to invite younger siblings who do not attend Foston. Any nursery child who does not attend on this day- can be brought in for an individual / photo with siblings. Please can you let the office know and we will arrange for these photographs to be taken first at 9.15am approx.

On line Courses for Parents

"Ourplace" is a gateway into online courses for all parents, grandparents or carers who live in North Yorkshire. The courses aim to support the most difficult job in the world! Courses range from birth to the teenage years. ***Please see attached flyers for more details***

Themed Lunch "Seaside Special " 15th of July

On Thursday July 15th, there will be a "Seaside Special" themed school lunch, comprising of Harry Ramsden's battered fish, mushy peas and chips in a paper cone, followed by ice-cream with sauce and sprinkles. ***Please see the attached poster.*** There will be a vegetarian option for the vegetarians but NO Jacket Potato option on this day,

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RSE Topic KS2

In KS2 over this term, we are looking at transitions, puberty and how our bodies change over time. We will keep parents updated and share resources that we plan to use as part of the RSE (relationships and sex education) curriculum in the coming weeks.

Parking

The Parish Council have approached school regarding the parking on the grass verge outside the school site. We kindly ask that if a parking space is not available that you park safely on Low Street, which may require a short walk. Please do not park on grass verges or on the bends.

Key Stage 1 & Key Stage 2 Castle Howard Trip

As mentioned in last week's Bulletin on **Tuesday 6th July** the key stage 1 and 2 children are going on a trip to Castle Howard. This trip is now on Parentpay, please can we ask that a voluntary contribution of £10 be made towards this trip to pay for the entry to Castle Howard and the coaches. There is the option to pay a smaller amount or not pay at all but by choosing one of these options you are giving consent for your child to go on the school trip so please can you fill in the necessary information on Parentpay. ***NB You will need to choose one of the options to provide consent which is required for this trip***

Blood Donations

There is an upcoming blood donation session at **Sheriff Hutton Village Hall** on **Thursday 8th July** with lots of available appointments. ***Attached is a poster*** with all the details

Sports Day

Sports day for our three schools will take place on Wednesday, 7th July at Terrington Village Hall from 1pm. We will be undertaking multi skills sessions initially and traditional sports day races from 2.15 pm.

Unlike many other local schools, at present the plan is to invite parents to watch the traditional races from 2.15pm in a covid secure way. We will send out further details of the risk assessment arrangements which have been set out by NYCC nearer to the time.

You will, however, be aware that cases are rising rapidly across the country but also locally. With this in mind arrangements may have to change at short notice. It may be we need to limit attendees or even cancel these plans.

Here's hoping we can get together for this event.

DIARY DATES

Toddler and Pre School Worksop All about Numbers	Monday 28th June 2021 Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School—canc due to lack of interest
School Photos	Tuesday 29th June—details to follow in next weeks bulletin
Toddler and Pre School Worksop Let's Get Creative	Monday 5th July 2021 Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School
Castle Howard	Tuesday 6th July
Sports Events Sports Day	Wednesday: 7th of July 2021
Toddler and Pre School Worksop Sensory Play	Tuesday 13th July 2021 Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School
Seaside Special Menu	Thursday 15th July Time Lunchtime—in school
Leavers Service	21st July—Details TBC

Please note we cannot guarantee these events will go ahead due to Covid restrictions