SLIMERIDGE primary school

Newsletter 16 Friday 13th January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you have had a good week and managed to dodge the terrible weather!

So many of you have spoken to me on the gate this week regarding your positive response to the Restorative Practice we are using in school. It was really nice to hear that several families have already been trying out the six questions at home. As mentioned in last week's newsletter, I will be hosting a Parents' Guide to Restorative Practice which will take place on Thursday 9th February at 4:30-5:30pm. There's no need to book a place, just come along on the day.

There has been a good take up on Toast Time with 66 children having a delicious piece of toast at break time each day. It's not too late to sign up **Toast Time costs just 20p a day!**

There are two options:

- £11 for the term until March 31st
- £23.60 for the rest of the school year.

If you are eligible for Pupil Premium and Free School Meals, toast time is available for Free, just contact the school office.





FOSS have secured us a stadium tour and FREE tickets to a FGR match on Saturday 11th March! Letters went out on Parent Pay yesterday and slips need returning to the school office by Friday 20th January.

FOSS were also working hard over Christmas putting in the groundworks for the absolutely amazing new mud kitchen, which they also fully funded! It was installed this week and FOSS are putting the finishing touches in before it's opened. There will be a 'grand-opening' after school on Friday 10th February at 3.00pm.

Next Friday is our Chinese New Year Dragon Dancing Workshop. All the children will have the opportunity to take part in a workshop with a professional dancer. At the end of the day, Class 5 will be putting on a demonstration for parents from 2:50pm - come along and see what the children have been up to.

Have a good weekend

James Taylor

Term 3 Wednesday 4th January - Friday 17th February									
Date	Class	Event							
Wednesday 4th January	All Children	Start of Term 3							
Friday 20th January	All Children	Chinese New Year—Dragon Dancing Workshop (Demonstration to parents at 2:45pm)							
Wednesday 25th January	Selected KS2 Children	Panathlon at KLB - letters will go out to children invited to take part							
Thursday 26th January	Class 4 & 5	UKS2 Trip to the SS Great Britain							
Tuesday 31st January	Year 6	NHS Year 6 dental survey							
Friday 3rd February	Parents	Tea with the Head							
Tuesday 7th February	All Children	Safer Internet Day							
Wednesday 8th February	Parents	Gloucestershire Constabulary—Online Safety for Parent Workshop at school 4-5pm							
Wednesday 15th February	KS2 Children	Dursley tag rugby festival (TBC)							

Letters and information for events will be sent out in due course.

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