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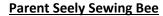
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Welcome back to the Spring Term 2018!

Online Safety Workshop for Parents:

O2 and the NSPCC have joined forces on a mission to help all children and their families in the UK stay safe online. Together, they're offering useful tools, support and guidance to help parents and carers have conversations with their children about their online lives. As part of this, they're running free **online safety workshops for parents and carers** and will be hosting one at Seely Primary and Nursery School at 9.15am on Thursday 8th February 2018. We would like to invite all parents and carers to join. The hour-long workshop will help parents and carers understand their child's online world and build confidence to have those important conversations that can help keep children safe online.

Don't miss out on this great opportunity. To book your place email: admin@seely.nottingham.sch.uk or request a place with the school office, by Wednesday 31st January 2018



Parents and carers start back this New Year on Thursday 18th January 2018.
9-11:30am. Free crèche. Tea and biscuits. Come in from the cold this term and spend a couple of hours with like-minded parents to enjoy a chat, have a go sewing and more elaborate hand embroidery for the experienced. Every Thursday until Easter. Meet in KS 1 Dining Hall as usual.



Milk order & payments for Foundation 2 to Year 2 – please ensure that you return your child's replay slip & payment by Tuesday 23rd January. If you have not received a letter, please ask for a copy from your child's class teacher or from the office. If you have already paid online this will have been updated to our system up to Tuesday 16th January at 3pm.

<u>Plastic Bottles</u>: Please save plastic bottles (not milk bottles) and plastic carrier bags for our Light Night project in January.

<u>Cash into school</u>: Can we please remind parents that if you must bring cash into school for your child rather than using our online payment facility, please ensure that it is posted at the school office in a sealed, clearly labelled envelope. From Mon 22nd Jan, class teachers will no longer be accepting money. Thank you

DIARY DATES

National Sing Up day: Wed 14th March. More information to follow soon.

School Health: Whole school drop in session on Friday 9th March 9.15 – 9.45am.

INSET DAYS for 2018-2019

- Friday 31st August School starts back on Monday 3rd September
- Monday 5th November
- Friday 4th January School starts back on Monday 7th January 2019
- Friday 15th February
- Monday 3rd June

A full calendar of term dates for 18/19 is available on the school website or please ask the office for a paper copy.



Parent Liaison Worker: Lorraine Boddy 07521 512372

I hope you've all settled back into the new term and a big welcome to all the new starters in Nursery. We hope your children are enjoying this new and exciting step in their lives. Here are a couple of dates for you all to put in your diaries.

PRE - LOVED UNIFORM SALE!!

Seely's second hand uniform shop will be on the playground next Wednesday 24th January. You can get 3 items for £1!! So, if children have had a growing spurt over Christmas, come and see what bargains you can pick up. There will also be other second hand donated clothes in good condition to buy. You can also buy this uniform on Fridays at Coffee Morning from 9.15am.

PARENTS COFFEE MORNINGS

Just a reminder that Coffee Mornings for parents will be Wednesdays and Fridays after Readers Mornings. Come and chat to other parents or speak to myself – Lorraine – the school's Parent Liaison Worker. Younger children can be brought in to play alongside you and share a drink and a biscuit. On Fridays you can also buy uniform from the Pre-Loved Uniform Shop.

CAKES FOR A LOVED ONE:

On Wednesday February 14th afterschool we will be having a Cake Sale after school to raise funds in memory of Ava. We will be encouraging you all to make cakes for this day and/or to buy a cake for a loved one. More details will follow.

RANI'S INDIAN COOKING

Rani – one of midday supervisors and worker at Seely Out of School Club would like to run a series of Indian cooking sessions on a Monday morning. The cost and details are not decided yet as we are trying to see what the interest is. If you would like to know more please email me at lorraineboddy@seely.nottingham.sch.uk or ring me.

....Can I please also remind all parents/carers to park with consideration of the school neighbours when attending school events. Please do not block driveways / garages.



WE NEED YOU ... YES YOU!!!

Friends of Seely need some more COMMITTEE MEMBERS to help our community grow. Volunteer just a few hours of your time and you'll get some priceless involvement in your child's school.

THE TRUE VALUE OF THIS:

Friendships, camaraderie and being part of a network of parent/carers

- Working on events and activities together to fundraise for the school MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK
- Supporting and driving forward a group of volunteers
- Research has shown that being part of school helps your child
- Empower yourself and be part of a team, knowing that you have a hand to help make a difference to Seely Primary for your children and future generations
- ♦ We meet 1 evening per half term to plan events and other activities and contribute a few hours per term to deliver these

Please contact friendsofseely@gmail.com for more details or to express your interest.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2017

PARENT INTERNET SAFETY WORKSHOP

THURS 8TH FEB

9.15-10.15

INSET DAY

FRI 16TH FEBRUARY

HALF TERM

MON 19TH FEBRUARY -

FRI 23RD FEBRUARY

INSET DAY

THURS 29TH MARCH

EASTER HOLIDAY

FRI 30TH MARCH—

MAY DAY

MON 7TH MAY

KS2 SAT's

MON 14th—FRI 17TH MAY

HALF TERM

MON 29TH MAY— FRI 1ST JUNE

INSET DAY

MON 4TH JUNE

SUMMER HOLIDAY
STARTS

FRI 27TH JULY

