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SEELY PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It is the end of another busy and action packed term, where we have enjoyed trips out and visitors in to support our learning. We have continued to develop our curriculum, making it as meaningful and representative of our Seely children and families as we possibly can. The children have some exciting new topics to learn about in the summer term, which you should be receiving information about this week.

As always, thank you so much for all your support and we wish you a restful holiday. We look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday 15th April.

Seely Mastermind Challenge Success

The Seely Mastermind Challenge was a huge success today with children in years 1-6 working really hard to recall general knowledge facts about the world and the topics they have learned throughout their time at Seely so far.

Plans for Summer Term

There are a lot of exciting things planned for Summer Term, with residential in years 2, 4 and 6, visits from Team GB athletes in the run up to the Olympic Games and planning will continue for the Centenary celebrations in June. Our Pupil Leadership groups will continue to work on the actions they set at the start of the school year, with aims to make the school environment, curriculum and community even better.

World Autism Acceptance Week

2nd April – 8th April is World Autism Acceptance Week. We have assemblies on autism awareness planned for the second week back after the holiday, but if you want to help your child to understand autism in the meantime, here are some useful links:

- *Fast Facts About Autism for Kids*
[Fast Facts About Autism For Kids \(World Autism Awareness Day\) \(youtube.com\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl-Sk7_ykzU)
- *Amazing Kids, Amazing Things Project*
[Amazing Kids - Autistic Spectrum Condition \(Better audio levels\) \(youtube.com\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl-Sk7_ykzU)
- *We're Amazing, 1, 2, 3!*
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl-Sk7_ykzU

Parent/Guardian Questionnaire

Please see the link for this year's parent/guardian questionnaire. We should appreciate it if you would complete this by 19th April so that it can help us understand the views of parents about the school and guide us in school improvement priorities. Parents/ Guardians should have also received this via email last week. Thank you.

<https://forms.office.com/e/5R74ggxGEG>

Seely Community Day of Action

A reminder that we are looking for parent volunteers to join us in a 'Community Day of Action' on **Friday 19th April**. We want to paint the picket fences in the KS1 playground and outside of Early Years – please let the office know if you are able to give any time on this day

Very best wishes, Mrs K Clifford

Shelly

Shelly is out of hibernation and back in school with us.. So we are looking for weekend families to look after him in the summer term. Please email admin@seely.nottingham.sch.uk with the subject "Shelly" to put your names down and we will be in touch to confirm dates.



FOS Cake Sale

Thank you to all of those people that made cakes for our sale yesterday. We raised an amazing £112.20. All of the money raised by these different events helps to offer increased learning opportunities for all of the children at Seely. We are incredibly grateful for all of the support we have from our parents. Thank you and enjoy your spring break.

Swimathon - 2nd March

We'd like to again say a big thank you to all of our swimmers who took part in the Swimathon. Between them they raised £750 in sponsorship - three cheers for Seely Swimmers!

FOS Disco - last Friday 22nd March

Well what a success that was!!! We'd like to say a huge thank you to Rachel Bradley and all the other volunteers who made this such a memorable event. Also many thanks to the staff who gave up their time to support this event. As always we couldn't have done it without you. And we raised nearly £300! Hope everybody had a great time.



SCHOOL CALENDAR 2023 / 2024

Fri 29th March -

Fri 12th April 24

Easter Half Term

Mon 6th May

Bank Holiday

Mon 27th May -

Fri 31st May 24

Half Term

Fri 21st June 24

Inset Day

Fri 26th July 24

Last day of summer term

**Have a great
half term....
and Happy
Easter!**



Painting shirts:

We would like a year group set of painting shirts so please can you send in any large shirts that children can wear during practical art / creative sessions. This would be very much appreciated. There will be a collection point in the main school office for these.

Free Family Learning - Cyber Heroes Course

This will run from Friday 19th April taking place from 9.00-11.15 for 4 weeks ending on 10th May. Parents and carers can be joined by their child for the last part of each session to learn together. This course will help parents to keep themselves and their children safe online and will use technology to develop other hobbies besides using the internet. Please see below for more details.

To book or for more information please email lorraine.boddy@seely.nottingham.sch.uk

FAMILY LEARNING

WITH LIFE EDUCATION CENTRE NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

CYBER HEROES

Setting parental controls and how to report bad things on the internet.

Build children's confidence, both online and in real life.

Help your children make wise choices on the internet.

Protect you and your children from online bullying, and other risks.

Learn some video making skills with your child.

HAVE FUN!

All mums, dads, grandparents and carers are welcome!

Come join us at Seely Primary school on Fridays at 9am

Session	What it's all about...	
1	19.04.24	<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <p>What skills are needed to be a CYBER HERO!</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Good communication skills. - The 3 Cs of good internet use. - Online opportunities and risks. - Exploring useful sites together. - Setting boundaries. </div> </div>
2	26.04.24	<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <p>Building children's confidence and self-esteem on and offline.</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is self-esteem? - Discover the reality of online images. - Develop and "I can" attitude. </div> </div>
3	03.05.24	<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <p>What is online bullying and how to protect yourself.</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How to help children recognise it and defend themselves. - How to be a Cyber Hero! - How to help children resist using bullying behaviour. - How to support their friends who are being bullied. </div> </div>
4	10.05.24	<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <p>What is online bullying and how to protect yourself.</p> </div> <div style="width: 50%; padding: 5px;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making short films and / or digital cartoons together to advertise and encourage others to be Cyber Heroes. </div> </div> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">A CELEBRATION!</p>

If you would like to come and join Cyber Heroes, please return this completed slip to your child's class teacher:

Please provide us with your email so we can send you course information.

Child's Name:	- INSERT NAME -
Child's Class:	- CLASS NAME -
Parent / Carer Name:	- INSERT NAME -
Telephone:	- INSERT TELEPHONE -
Email:	- INSERT EMAIL -
Do you need a creche in place : (If yes, please give child's name)	- INSERT NAME -

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"Great workshop, I learned a lot about safety on the internet. Lots of good info, which I didn't know before."

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Animal Habitat Competition

Are you concerned about where our wildlife lives?

Would you like to provide a comfy home for our insects or animals?

Now is your chance!

You need to design and construct Seely's first animal habitat. This could be a...



butterfly house



bee house



bug hotel

To enter:

1. Design your animal habitat at home to show what the finished accommodation will look like
2. Construct your habitat from sturdy weatherproof materials
3. Bring them into school no later than **MONDAY 3rd JUNE**

BIG PRIZE

3 winners get to bring a friend each to participate in an animal themed tea party. Winners will get to design their menu and help make the party food!

For more information please contact Miss Hughes in 1H or Miss Hitchin in 3H



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We're adjusting our prices from 1st April 2024

At The Lime Trees we have always wanted to do what is right for you the parents, children and the communities that we serve. However, after a great deal of careful consideration, we are increasing our prices with effect from 1st April 2024.

With the rapid rising costs of staffing due to the increase in the National Living Wage, Minimum Wage, pensions, the rise in rates and general overheads, we are adjusting our prices to continue to be able to deliver the great level of service for the coming year. We want to continue to provide children with fantastic activities and resources, create warm and safe environments and continually invest in staff training and provide you and your family an outstanding service.

We understand that the cost of everything in all our lives seems to be increasing at the moment and even with these increases that The Lime Trees remains one of the most, if not the most, affordable flexible childcare provider in Nottinghamshire.

Our new prices are as follows:

- Breakfast club £7.60
- Afterschool club £12.10

We appreciate and value your business and thank you for your understanding.

Yours faithfully

Gareth Degenhart

Week 1

02-Apr	Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
Seely	Either	Or	Either	Or	Either	Or	Either	Or
07:30 - 08:30	Sign in, Breakfast & Choice Time							
08:30 - 09:00	Morning Motivation							
09:00 - 09:30	Morning Academy							
09:30 - 10:30	Perform	Nature	Water	Science	Perform	Sport	Nature	Perform
10:30 - 11:00	Break Time							
11:00 - 12:30	Core Activity Cinema		Core Activity Cookery		Core Activity Archery			
12:30 - 13:15	Lunch Time							
13:15 - 13:30	Meditation & Mindfulness Session							
13:30 - 15:00	Sport	Science	Perform	Creative	Nature	Water	Creative	Science
15:00 - 15:30	Break Time							
15:30 - 16:30	Water	Creative	Sport	Nature	Science	Creative	Sport	Water
16:30 - 17:00	Afternoon Academy & Awards Ceremony							
17:00 - 18:00	Sign Out & Choice Time							

Week 2

08-Apr	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
Seely	Either	Or	Either	Or	Either	Or	Either	Or	Either	Or
07:30 - 08:30	Sign in, Breakfast & Choice Time									
08:30 - 09:00	Morning Motivation									
09:00 - 09:30	Morning Academy									
09:30 - 10:30	Sport	Creative	Perform	Nature	Water	Science	Perform	Sport	Nature	Perform
10:30 - 11:00	Break Time									
11:00 - 12:30	Core Activity Archery				Core Activity Cookery		Core Activity Hungry Hippos			
12:30 - 13:15	Lunch Time									
13:15 - 13:30	Meditation & Mindfulness Session									
13:30 - 15:00	Water	Nature	Sport	Science	Perform	Creative	Nature	Water	Creative	Science
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Free places
for children in
receipt of benefits
related free
school meals

Easter Holiday Clubs

Open to all children aged 3 to 11 years

Running at:

Jesse Gray Primary School, West Bridgford

Millside Spencer Academy, East Leake

Banks Road Primary, Toton

Radcliffe Infant and Nursery School, Radcliffe

Rosecliffe Spencer Academy, Edwalton

St Edmund Campion Catholic Primary, West Bridgford

St Peters Academy, East Bridgford

Westdale Junior School, Mapperley

Lantern Lane Primary School, East Leake

William Lilley Infant & Nursery School, Stapleford

Hawthorne Primary & Nursery School, Bestwood Park

John Hunt Academy, Newark

South Wilford Primary School, Wilford

These are all open for booking and are open to all children (you don't have to attend the school to go to the holiday club).

To book visit www.rattleandrollperformance.com.
All childcare vouchers accepted.

If you qualify for a funded place please book the classes that start with HF.

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