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All Children  
deserve to feel



To create a school where we all:  
Go further than we thought!  
run faster than we hoped!  
reach higher than we dreamed!  
to become the PEOPLE God meant us to be!!!!

Dated: 18<sup>th</sup> March 2016

Dear Parents & Pupils,  
Here is newsletter number 23 for this academic year;

1.	Treasure Hunt
2.	Easter Service
3.	Year 6 Assembly
4.	Swimming and Swimming badges
5.	Eggstravaganza
6.	Mrs. Bulman
7.	Clubs
8.	Clarification
9.	Brownies
10.	Music Assembly
11.	Parent Governor election

1.Thanks to all who have shown an interest in the treasure hunt on Sunday. Starts are between 13:30 and 14:30, please bring a pencil / pen with you. It looks like there will be a good turn out, and it should be a fun afternoon. As mentioned previously, refreshments will be served afterwards, so any donations of scones and cakes on the day will be greatly appreciated; by both FOSS and yourselves!

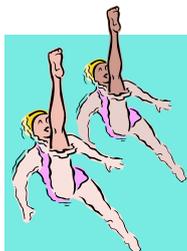


2: On Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, at 1.30pm, we will be holding our Easter service in the Church. All are welcome to attend. FOSS will be serving refreshments in the school hall following the service, including Hot Cross Buns kindly donated by Clarks family bakers of Easingwold.



3. Well done to all the children in Year 6 class for their super assembly earlier this week and thank you to all the parents who came along to support them.

4. A reminder that children in Years 3-6 will have their final swimming session on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March - this will be a fun session. Also if your child completed a swimming badge and you would like to order it, please return your order form to school before Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March.



5. Our Easter Eggstravaganza will take place in the school grounds from 1.10 pm on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March, everyone is invited to come along and watch the children take part in a range of activities including egg rolling and jarping. **On the morning of Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March, each child needs to bring in 4 hardboiled eggs to decorate.** If children would like, they are welcome to bring in additional craft materials from home to decorate their eggs.



At the end of the Eggstravaganza, we will be holding a leaving assembly for Mrs. Sharpe and FOSS will draw the Easter Raffle; please can you leave donations for the hampers in the office by Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March.

6. This week, Maggie Bulman attended her final Governor's meeting. On behalf of the staff and school community, we would like to thank Maggie for all the time she has given the school and for always 'going the extra mile' to support staff, families and children. We will really miss her contributions to the governance of the school and wish her well with her work commitments.

7. This is the final week for after school clubs run by school staff. The final session of Martial Arts for this term took place this week and Martial Arts recommences on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April. Tennis and Football clubs both have coaching sessions next week.



**Mrs. Botham's and Mrs. Adam's booster classes will not be run next week.**

Just to clarify; we return to school following the Easter break on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April. The majority of North Yorkshire schools have this as a training day but we do not!

## 1<sup>st</sup> Sutton-on-the-Forest Brownie Unit

For girls aged 7 to 10½  
Tuesday evenings 6pm – 7:30pm  
at Sutton-on-the-Forrest School

Places available now!

To register your daughter with this unit,  
please visit the Girl Guiding website:  
[www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested)

For more information, please contact our  
Brown Owl Kathy on:  
*01347 810229*  
[suttongroup24@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:suttongroup24@yahoo.co.uk)

Or Emily:  
*07714258886*

*Taster sessions are available*

10. Well done to all the children who took part in last week's music assembly. We heard some beautiful playing and singing and all our musicians deserve congratulations for their fantastic performances.



Could we please urge parents to return their ballot forms for the election of parent governor, currently only 30% of the possible votes have been returned. This is your chance to influence how the school will be governed and run. The final date for returning your vote is 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2016.

FOSS are very grateful for the interest and support for the Spring Ball on 7th May. Please book your tickets, remember any tables sold by the end of term will get 2 free bottles of Prosecco; you'll be pleased to know tables are going fast and the Prosecco orders are coming in! Tickets are £27.50 each, and available from the office. Further details about the Ball can be found on the FOSS Events section of the webpage. We are keen to receive payment for tickets as soon as possible; cheques or cash can be dropped at the school office, there is also the option to pay for your ticket using Parentpay.