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Dear Parents,

Cake Stall Afternoon Victory Tea!

A huge thank you to everyone for their baking and cake eating this year - you have raised a grand total of £889.68! All this money goes straight back to the children in the form of school trips or educational activities in school. We can reveal the pair of classes who raised the most money per pupil is Ruby and Amber - congratulations to Reception - your invitation to afternoon tea will be with you shortly.

The victory teas will be held on the afternoons of Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th July and FOSS need some help to make these events run successfully. We urgently need people to set up from 1.30pm for the tea starting at 2.30pm. If you can help on either day then please contact Alison Ballard (FOSS secretary) either via email alison.ballard@btinternet.com or by text on 07981361159. Thank you.

Summer Fair - This Friday 30th June 6pm

Thank you for the tombola and raffle prizes kindly donated last week. Preparation is well underway for our biggest fundraiser and social event of the year thanks to FOSS. There will be tombolas, food, drink, raffles and games for all to take part in. Remember all money raised comes back to you in the form of at least one free visit the next year. Raffle tickets were sent out to every family. If you don't want to buy them please send them back and if you would like more please let us know.

Year 6 Induction Week Thirsk High School

Our Year 6 children are at Thirsk High School next week for their induction week. Children need to come to Sowerby CP School for 8.30am next Monday morning. Their class teacher will take them to High School. Children will make their own way home on Monday after school. From Tuesday onwards they will go straight to High School on a morning. Thank you.

Year 2 Visit To Piglets - York Monday 3rd July

As part of their topic about animals and habitats our Year 2 children will be visiting Piglets Adventure Farm next Monday. This is funded, as are the majority of our educational visits by FOSS and the fundraising they do throughout the year.

Carlton Lodge 5th - 7th July

Our Year 4 children go on their residential next week, Wednesday - Friday and we know they will have a fantastic time at Carlton Lodge! Miss Armstrong, Mrs Thornton and Mr Ord will be going during the day and Miss Merifield along in the evening. They are so excited.

New Starter Lunch Wednesday 5th July

We look forward to our September reception children joining us for lunch on Wednesday 5th July at 11.50am. Our new starters have been visiting us since the start of this last half term. The menu for this day will be:

- sausages, vegetarian sausages, chips, beans and flapjack,

Fund Raising Thursday 13th and Friday 14th July

A group of Y5/6 pupils have taken it upon themselves to organise a couple of fund raising events. It makes us very proud that they are thoughtful and caring enough to think of others in this way and we want to support their efforts. Alex Valentine will be selling lollies to raise money for Macmillan cancer alongside a sponsored cycle ride in August, which he is completing with family members. Mia Douglas, Mollie Hardy and Alex Charlton are running a craft fair to raise money for Diabetes - which Alex has recently been diagnosed with. The event will be at home time in the playground (weather permitting). If children want to either bring a little pocket money to spend on the stalls or make sure you have a little loose change on the day, it would mean a lot to the children.

Year 1 Visit to Saltburn

As part of their topic about the seaside and pirates our Year 1 children will be visiting Saltburn on Thursday 13th July. Again this is funded mainly through the hard work of FOSS.

Year 5/6 Production 'The Wizard of Oz'

On Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th July our Year 5/6 children will be performing 'The Wizard of Oz'. Performances start at 6.30pm on both evenings. More information will be sent home with your children shortly.

Big Breakfast 17th July 8.15am

We would like to invite you all to our Big Breakfast on Monday 17th July 2017. It is a lovely event when families and friends can arrive at school from 8.15am and sit down to a cooked breakfast. There will be sausages/veggie sausages, hash browns, beans, fruit juice, bread and jams. Please use the main entrance to attend breakfast this day! The cost is £2.50 per adult and £2 per child. Children under 3 eat free. We would love to see you - come and join us! Please complete and return the attendance slip at the end of this letter **by Tuesday 11th July** so that our cook can order enough food! Thank you.

Thirsk School Music

Thirsk School Performing Arts Department are holding their Summer Serenade evening on Monday 3rd July, 7pm in the school hall. Admission is free and there will be refreshments and a raffle. Please come along.

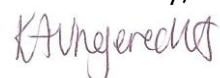
Dates For Your Diary

29th June - New Reception 2017 children stay and play 1.30pm
30th June - Summer Fair 6pm
3rd July - Year 2 visit to Piglets Adventure Farm
3rd - 7th July - Year 6 induction week Thirsk School
5th - 7th July - Year 4 residential visit to Carlton Lodge
5th July - Lunch New Reception 2017 children and parents
7th July - Fund Raising Friday
11th July - KS2 cluster sports at Thirsk School
12th July - Cake stall tea party 2.30pm
13th July - Cake stall tea party 2.30pm
13th July - Year 1 visit to Saltburn
17th July - Y5/6 production 6.00pm
18th July - Y5/9 production 6.00pm
17th July - Big Breakfast
21st July - Sports day KS2 am and KS1 pm
25th July - Year 6 leaver's assembly
25th July - School closes 2.30pm for summer break

Attendance last week

Whole school attendance 96.8%
Unauthorised absence 0.7%
Best class attendance: Topaz (CS) 99.2%. Well done!

Yours sincerely,



Mrs K Ungerechts
Head Teacher

BIG BREAKFAST MONDAY 17TH JULY 8.15AM

Name of Child _____

I would like to book _____ Adults (£2.50 each)
_____ Children (£2 each) I enclose £

I would like to book _____ Adults Vegetarian (£2.50 each)
_____ Children Vegetarian (£2 each) I enclose £

I would like to book _____ Children under 3 (free)
_____ Children Vegetarian under 3 (free)

Please inform us of any allergies/dietary requirements below: