



HELP SAVE OUR POOL!

FOSLS Swimming Pool Committee

As we approach our in class swimming sessions, due to start Tuesday 2nd May 2017, The Swimming Pool Committee is asking for the **annual** subs contributions. We are sending this request out to you slightly earlier this year in order to give our families more time to pay.

As you all know, costs for running the pool are extremely high. The Committee has always relied upon parents' payments, and fundraising, to cover the upkeep of the Pool. This includes heating, maintenance, Insurance, chemicals, Instructor training and necessary repairs.

Thanks to your payments last year, plus extra fundraising and after school lessons, we have been able to keep St Leonard's Pool open for 2017. Unfortunately not all families were able to pay, therefore, in line with last year we will only swim during the Summer Term. Thank you so much to those who were able to pay, and also for the very generous extra donations that some of you made.

All of our children thoroughly enjoy their swimming sessions and most children can swim competently by the time they reach year 6. The pool is a huge asset to our school. Living so close to a river makes it all the more important that our children learn to swim.

Below is an approximate outline of recent expenses to show where your money goes:

2016

- Heating and Electric £1,700.
- Maintenance/Repairs £1,000.
- Insurance £700.
- Instructor Training and Certification. £1000.

The suggested contribution for this year is £10 for each child; this is less than £1 per session. Any donations above this amount will be gratefully received.

Governors, Staff and the FOSLS Swimming Pool Committee really need your help to keep St Leonard's Pool open. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Please return this slip to Reception with your payment (cheques payable to Innage Lane Swimming Pool) in a sealed envelope, clearly labelled with your child's name and class. Thank you. **Please note Nursery children are not required to pay.**

Child's name ----- Amount enclosed -----

Class ----- Parent / Guardian signature -----