

### **Blogging in the Classroom**

A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and Key Stage 2 teachers to create and/or maximise use of a Reading Blog

### Wednesday 1st October 2014

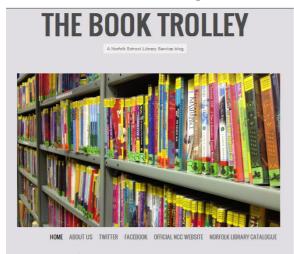
4.15pm to 6pm (Arrival from 3.30pm)

SLS Training room, County Hall

Cost: 1 SLS token

Please note: You may park at County Hall for this course. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions

Course leaders: Apryl Markham (SLS), Jon Biddle (Teacher, West Earlham Junior)



**Closing date: Friday 19th Sept** 

#### The course will include:

- Advice on how to set up a Blog
- Practical suggestions on how to use a Blog to support a Reading Group

The course will support the requirements of the **new National Curriculum:** 

**English:** 'maintain positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what (children) read'

**Computing:** (Pupils should be) 'able to use, and express themselves and develop their ideas through, information and communication technology'

This course will be equally valuable for those who have a familiarity with Blogging as for those who are new to the format.

To book a place on the course please complete a booking form and return to the School Library Service via email, fax, or post.

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### **Playing with Poetry in the New Curriculum**

A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and KS2 teachers/TA's to encourage poetry for pleasure

### **Course Date / Venue**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2014** 

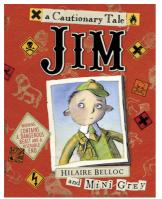
4.15 pm- 6.00pm (Twilight)

**SLS Training Room, County Hall** 

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Cost: 1 token

**Course leader:** Harriet Cox/Gail Arnold, SLS Librarians



Closing date: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept

### **Course Objectives:**

- to explore a variety of poetry resources
- to develop creative ideas for using poetry
- to choose a loan collection of 12 books

**Supporting the new National Curriculum:** 

'Pupils should be taught to:

- develop and maintain positive attitudes by listening to and discussing a wide range of poetry
- prepare poems to read aloud and perform
- ...evaluate how authors use language, including figurative language'

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### **Making the Most of Junior Librarian**

A half-day INSET course to help your school to get maximum value from the full range of features of this library management software

**Course Date**: Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2014, 9am-12noon

**Venue:** SLS training room COH

Please note: There is no parking for visitors at County Hall. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions

Cost: 1 SLS token

Course leader: Caroline Barker



"Thought all areas covered were relevant, loved inspection report." (Vicky Thomas)

Closing date: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

Please note: This course is for users of the Junior 3 version of the system.

For training on the .net version please contact the SLS office

#### **Course Objectives:**

- To create an effective, searchable catalogue
- To use reports to evaluate the effectiveness of your library
- To use the system to effectively manage the loss of library stock, including SLS stock

### **Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

- Junior Librarian is a tool useful in assisting pupils in gaining 'the essential knowledge that they need to be educated citizens' assisting in the independent retrieval of information
- Helps teachers identify children's reading choices

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### Fairy Tales for KS1

A twilight course for Literacy Co-ordinators and KS1 teachers/TA's exploring Fairy Tales through drama

### **Course Date / Venue**

**Tuesday 21st October 2014** 

4.15 pm- 6.00pm (Twilight)

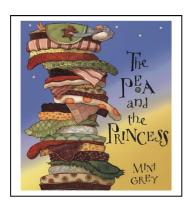
**SLS Training Room, County Hall** 

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Cost: 1 token

#### **Course leader:**

#### **Gail Arnold, SLS Librarian**



Comments from teachers on previous Traditional Tales courses:

'Can really see the benefit (of drama) – think you would get some super written work as a result!'

'It was lovely to share in your enthusiasm!'

**Closing date:** Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October

### **Course Objectives:**

- To use drama as a basis for speaking and writing
- To offer ideas for using Fairy tale picture books
- To consider traditional Fairy tales and Fairy tale twists
- Delegates will be able to browse a range of Fairy tales and borrow a free project loan of 12 books

### Supporting the new National Curriculum:

Y1 'Pupils should be taught to become 'very familiar with .... fairy stories, retelling them and considering their particular characteristics.'

'Role play can help pupils identify with and explore characters.'

Y2 'Drama and role play can contribute to the quality of pupils' writing.'

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## Love Your Library – or How to Make Your Library the Beating Heart of the School Community

A half day course for staff responsible for the vision and budget of the school library, considering in depth how the library should support the new curriculum

Course Date: Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2014, 9am-12noon

Venue: SLS Training Room, County

Hall, Norwich

Please note: There is no parking for visitors at County Hall. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions

Cost: 1 SLS Token

Course leader: Harriet Cox, SLS

Librarian



**Course closing date: Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October** 

### **Course Objectives:**

- To look at strategies for running and managing this essential resource efficiently and effectively
- To show how it can support the national curriculum
- To show how it can encourage reading for pleasure

### **Supporting the new National Curriculum:**

- 6.3 "Schools...should provide library facilities"
- " Pupils should ...be encouraged to read for pleasure"
- 3.1 "The national curriculum provides pupils with an introduction to the essential knowledge that they need to be educated citizens".

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A half day course for staff responsible for the vision and budget of the school library, considering in depth how the library should support the new curriculum

**Course Date:** Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2014, 9am-12noon

Venue: Greyfriars Primary School,

King's Lynn

Cost: 1 SLS Token

Course leader: Harriet Cox, SLS

Librarian



This course is also taking place at County Hall on 22/10/14

**Course closing date: Friday 24th October** 

#### **Course Objectives:**

- To look at strategies for running and managing this essential resource efficiently and effectively
- To show how it can support the national curriculum
- To show how it can encourage reading for pleasure

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# Promoting reading for pleasure using Accelerated Reader and a variety of other means

A whole day course for Literacy leaders and school Librarians in primary and secondary schools.

Schools in Norfolk are taking seriously the issues of poor literacy and are looking for support and ways of investing effectively. Make sure your school library continues to function 'organically', promoting reading for pleasure across a wide range of books and formats, complementing and incorporating the use of AR in your school

## **Course Date:** Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2014, 9am to 4pm

Venue: Annexe, County Hall, Norwich

Please note: There is <u>no</u> parking for visitors at County Hall. More details about travel and parking will be sent with your joining instructions

Cost: 2 SLS Tokens

Course leader: Bev Humphrey



"to develop their love of literature through widespread reading for enjoyment" NC Framework Document, English.

Course closing date: 24th October 2014

### **Course Objectives:**

- You will be better informed on how to use functions such as writing your own quizzes to enhance student's reading experiences
- A toolkit of digital resources & ideas will help to spark interest in even the most reluctant of readers
- Ideas for popular titles that you can add to your stock, with advice on incorporating them into your AR programme

Supporting the new National Curriculum: " ...increasing (their) familiarity with a wide range of books..." English, Y5&6 Reading comprehension

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