

City Of York Council **Fishergate Primary School** 

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**NEWSLETTER 12** 

The Basic Skills Agency



6th February 2014 Dear Parent/Carer

### Carecent Charity Day: Friday 14th February

The School Council have organised a charity day to support the local York charity Carecent. Carecent provide breakfasts for homeless people and those in need. This Charity day will take place on Friday 14th February. We are asking that pupils dress up for the day and bring in tins of food to donate to Carecent. More details to follow soon. Thank you for your support.



This year the York Special Care Baby Unit Support Group will have been up and running for 30 years. As a celebration for all the babies and families that have been cared for on the Special Care Baby Unit and also a huge thank you to all those involved with or have raised money for the Support Group then. We are holding a service of Thanksgiving in York Minster on Sunday 22nd June at 4pm.

This week the whole school have taken in a World record attempt! For the second year running we have been part of Sign2Sing, the national fundraising and deaf awareness day for the charity SignHealth We came together as a whole school to sing and sign along to the song "Get Up and Sign" The children really stepped up to the challenge and raised the roof with their singing; it was another fantastic opportunity to raise money as well as inspiring a generation to sign. Thank you to all those parents who brought in some really super cakes for our special "Sign2Sing Cupcake Bake" as well as donating £1. We will let you know how much we have raised as soon as all the pennies are counted!!! By taking part and fundraising on behalf of SignHealth, we will be making a difference to the lives of many vulnerable deaf children and adults. Thank you!



Best wishes

Andy Herbert (Headteacher)

## **Dinner Money Reminder**

Please could all dinner money payments come to school in a labelled envelope or money bag. The school cannot be responsible for providing these. Many thanks



# Friends of Fishergate School family Bingo on Friday 7th February from 6.30pm-8pm in the upper hall. Tickets are £1 per person and all are welcome. Snack refreshments will be available and all children must be

accompanied by an adult.



# Key Stage I & EYU Pirates Day Thursday 13th February

Dress as a Pirate and also remember to bring in Pirates Ships for our competition.



#### Year 5/6

You may have noticed we have invested a lot of time in displays on the Year 5/6 staircase. The children in Ms Rees & Miss Jordison/Mrs Walton's class are really proud of their artwork and Robin Hood writing. If you do not normally use the 5/6 staircase, please take a wander that way and enjoy the "exhibition"