



Fishergate Newsletter 9



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Dear Parent/carer,

Happy New Year – here's hoping that 2016 is filled with happiness. We had an interesting start to the spring term, with the boiler deciding to stop working, but luckily managed to get the school warm enough for the children to come back to on Tuesday. It was lovely to welcome the children back and to hear about all of the interesting and wonderful things that they got up to during the Christmas break. Now we are looking forward to another term of exciting learning, creativity and hard work. One of the things that really stands out about Fishergate children is how skilled they are at working together and how they are prepared to work with great effort; showing persistence and determination.

Finally, thank you so much for the many ways in which you support our school and your children. Children make the best progress when parents and school work in partnership and I believe that this is a real strength at Fishergate.

Tina Clarke

As part of Fishergate School's commitment to Young Carers, we are asking for a donation for a cake stall on Friday 29th January. This falls on the day after National Young Carers Awareness Day on Thursday 28th. All classes will have taken part in activities which develop their understanding of the challenges and rewards faced by Young Carers in the run up to this day. Money raised from the cake stall will go to York Carers Centre. We really appreciate your support.

Cello & Double Bass Lesson at Fishergate

Catherine Strachan, an approved tutor of CYC played these instruments for us in assembly hoping to start lessons with interested children at Fishergate. If your child is interested in learning Cello or Double Bass email Catherine catherinestrachan@gmail.com or by phone 07929 254986,



Second Hand Uniform Sale

Monday 25th January is the next second hand uniform sale in the lower hall straight after school.

KOOLKIDZ

Koolkidz our school uniform provider will be coming into school on Friday 12th February. Julie will be in the lower hall at 3pm at the end of school, so if you need any more uniform this is a good chance to top up your stock.

School Gates/Parking on Escrick Street

Just to remind you that school gates are not opened until 8.30am, and will be closed at 9am. Gates will re-open at 3.05pm.

Please be aware that parents are **NOT** permitted to park on Escrick Street. We have noticed the street has become increasingly busy posing a safety threat to children, parents and other pedestrians.