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Dear Parent/Carer,

Thank you for your wonderful support and sponsorship last week. Our Star Wars running day raised an amazing £893 for Macmillan - you and your children deserve to be very proud. Starting with that has made me think of the school council, which has reminded me to advise you to have a look at the school website - the home page now features some new art work - thank you to our school councillors for all of the hard work that they put in to making this happen.

Speaking of hard work, we are all incredibly proud of how hard our Year 6s have been working this year. They were able to show off their skills and knowledge in their SATs this week. You may have heard news about the reading test being very tricky this year - it was! But Fishergate children are a resilient bunch who rose to the challenge admirably. Well done Year 6s!

I hope that many of you Key Stage 2 parents are able to join us in the upper hall for the Eisteddfod on Tuesday 23rd at 2pm. This is a celebration of the spoken word and music and every Key Stage 2 child will be involved, it would be lovely to give them a huge audience.

I have been asked to make a plea for parent volunteers to help keep the library tidy. At the moment we have one parent who is pretty much on her own and could do with some help. If you feel that this is something that you could do for us then please let the office or Dani Rees know.

Finally some great news from our Friends of Fishergate. As a congratulations for a fantastic Ofsted report, they have arranged for an ice-cream van to visit school to give every child and adult who works at Fishergate a celebratory ice-cream. The van will be on the school playground on Friday 26th May and we are all very much looking forward to our treat. Thank you very much. Their message to us was "Congratulations on a fantastic Ofsted grade, for being a brilliant team and nurturing a really special school for all our children."

Wishing you a happy and (hopefully) sunny weekend,

Tina Clarke

