

Fishergate Primary School Newsletter

13.12.24

What a lovely week we have had! The EYU and KS1 Christmas productions were magical and the children performed with such confidence. A lot of hard work goes on behind the scenes to make this happen so a huge thank you to all of our teachers and teaching assistants for making it happen. Even Mr Ps jokes went down well!

Thanks to your generosity we raised £113.40 for the poppy appeal.

Finally, thanks this week must go to our marvellous Friends. The amount of organisation and man/woman hours that goes into organising the fair and Christmas shop is unimaginable and they all did it with a smile on their faces the whole time! If only you could hear how excited the children are to independently buy their family a present. I had so many children coming to find me to tell me who they had bought a present for and why they had chosen it. There are going to be a lot of happy pets on Christmas day as well as parents!!

DATES

Mon 16th – Father Christmas class visits

Mon 16th – EYU and KS1 Christmas Parties

Carols by Candlelight 5:30pm

Tuesday 17th – KS2 Christmas Party

Fri 20th – Break up for Christmas – 2:30pm

Tues 7th January – children back

FRIENDS OF FISHERGATE

Friends of Fishergate School Committee would like to send a very special Thank you to everyone in the school including all the families, children, teachers and our site staff for helping and participating in the Christmas Fundraising over the last few weeks.

We had a very successful and busy Christmas Fair last Friday raising a hearty £1100, along with the Christmas Shop this week. These events can only happen with your generous help in the preparations, your cooperation and ultimately your participation and with that everyone did such an amazing job! We are proud to have such a wonderful school community. Sending lots of heartfelt thanks to every one of you!

Wishing you the very best for the Christmas and Winter Season. See you again in the New Year.



PHASE UPDATES

EYU – A week of Christmassy loveliness in Early Years, we performed our show for our families, ate delicious Christmas dinner cooked to perfection by our amazing Fishergate cooks and created Christmas art.

Year 1/2 - Key Stage 1 performed 3 fantastic Christmas shows this week. It was brilliant to watch all the Key Stage 2 children joining in with the songs and being fantastically supportive to the children on stage. Thank you to all the parents and families who came to watch and I'm sure you were all hugely proud of your amazing children.

Year 3/4 – Yr 3/4 have been zooarchaeologists this week in science and have been deducing which animals the skulls belong to by looking at the teeth and position of the eyes. Their teeth reports in English are looking fantastic with eye catching titles, subheadings and 'Did you know' facts- well done!

Y5/6 - Father Christmas had better watch out now we have finished our formal letters of complaint to him! Now we are exploring personification in Christmas poems. Year 5 are developing their use of a formal method for multiplication while Year 6 are learning to find the area of a triangle and a parallelogram.

Esrick Street

The road beside school - Escrick Street - has been a nightmare this week with people parking on the double yellows on both sides of the road making it impossible for cars to get up and down. It took one of our members of staff ten minutes to get from one end to the other!

If you really need to drive to school then please park further away and walk the last little bit.

If you must park on Escrick Street then please be legal and respectful.



