

# **Fishergate Primary School Newsletter**

# 7.3.2025

Fishergate hit the press again this week! Our free breakfast club launch has gone extremely smoothly thanks to our school cook Lou Knott, teaching assistant Claire Stenson and office manager Helen Deighton. Click on the link to find out more:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/articles/c93k9406y24o We intend to open it up to all children who are entitled to free school meals – watch this space for further details.

Fishergate is also leading the way in helping our children to have a smart phone free childhood. I am looking forward to seeing some of you at the presentation event next Tuesday. A huge shout out goes to Alisun and Michelle for organising such an excellent speaker and panel members.

Finally, there will be spaces in the after school art club that Lucy Monkman runs from 3:30pm-4:30pm every Wednesday. For more details contact lucy.monkman@btinternet.com

Have a fabulous weekend.

## **DATES**

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> – Screens.Scrolling.Safety presentation 7pm-9pm

## FRIENDS OF FISHERGATE

Dates for your Diary

# Early Years Cake Sale Friday 21st March 3pmLower Hall.

Helpers, Cake donations and customers all needed! A reminder will be sent out nearer the time.

# **Spring Disco Friday 28th March**

EY/KS1 starts 6pm - 7pm KS2 starts 7.15pm Entry Fee £2 (or minimum donation £1) per child Free Juice and pocket friendly priced snacks

## Fishergate School Summer Fair Saturday 5th July

Our summer outdoor bonanza! Summer fun with stalls refreshment & games and one of our biggest fundraisers for the year. We will need lots of parent/carer helpers to organise this as well as on the actual day. Please let us know if you can offer some time.

#### **PHASE UPDATES**

**EYU –** This week we have had a great time learning a pancake poem and flipping pancakes on Shrove Tuesday. We have also been reading 'There's a shark in the park'. In the forest this week we noticed lots of signs of spring, it was lovely to see the daffodils and crocuses popping up all over the place.

**Year 1/2 -** Key Stage 1 have been continuing their dinosaur topic, comparing the differences between dinosaur teeth and continuing their dinosaur stories. We have also enjoyed a fantastic World Book day, which has included making our own book marks, learning Julia Donaldson songs, book quizzes and showing off our reading skills to EYFS.

**Year 3/4 -** What a busy week we have had in Yr 3/4! Not only have the children been busy working on their maths quizzes which will inform us on how we can support them more, they have been writing their modelled honey bee report and making amazing alarm models to catch a mischievous creature. Thank you parents for coming along to see their fantastic work.

**Y5/6 -** We had great fun testing our hypotheses about gravity in science. Everyone is excited to show off their space homework in our gallery at 2.30 Friday. We hope you can come!

#### **SCHOOL OF SANCTUARY**

Have a look at the new books we have bought for the library about the experience of seeking sanctuary. Today, all the children had a visit from an ambassador from Refugee Action York to learn about the work they do to support people seeking sanctuary in our area.















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