

Dear Parent/Carer

There is only two weeks to go until our half-term break, and we have been thoroughly enjoying this year so far.

On Friday at OSCA, we celebrated Hello Yellow Day as part of World Mental Health Day. We invited OSCA staff and students to wear a yellow top or accessory and bring in donations to raise money for Young Minds charity. In the lead up to the day, during form time last week every student was able to contribute to our Hello Yellow display by writing their answer to the question "What would you say to show compassion to a friend who is struggling?". It has been a joy to read all of their answers, and we are so proud of the students for their kind responses. We also held a bake sale at brunch, and we were able to raise almost £100 from this alone. Thank you to our staff members and their families who baked the cakes for us. As it stands, we have raised £342.64 for Young Minds – thank you once again to everyone for donating.

It was lovely to see OSCA turn yellow, and we would like to thank everyone for taking part to help raise awareness for a great cause.

Please be reminded that Friday 17th October is a staff training day, so students will not be in school.

Kind Regards,



Mr P McKinniss