



# Scalby School

## Newsletter

26<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Latest from the Headteacher,

### **Building update**

On Monday we were extremely excited to welcome our Year 7 students officially back on site and into the new 'village' with a smooth transition.

This has been what feels like a long time to finally see the students back in lessons at Scalby School. I would like to thank you and your children for your patience and co-operation over the past 7 months during this process.

Also, I would like to say a big thank you to all the staff involved with this and to the Scarborough UTC for providing a safe and welcoming environment for our students.

There are still some finishing touches to complete in some of the rooms, but we hope to be fully functional over the next few weeks.

The new part of the school will provide extra teaching rooms including new Science Labs, new kitchens for Food Technology, music rooms and a gym for P.E.





Work is now starting on a plan to build a new canteen extension and the remodelling of our outside space. I expect this work to be completed ready for students coming back in September.

### Year 11 Exams

We have had some of our Year 11 students start their GCSE Art and French assessments this week, with only 5 days until the rest of our Year 11 students start their exams.

As I have mentioned previously, our staff will be working closely with them over this period to provide re-assurance and support, and we encourage the same at home by offering students a quiet space for them to revise. Please encourage them to attend every after-school intervention and ensure they are properly prepared with the correct equipment when the exams start.

### School Production

Tonight is the opening night of our school production of 'I love you mum, I promise I won't die' at the Scarborough YMCA theatre.

The production was commissioned by the drugs education charity, the Daniel Spargo-Mabbs Foundation, set up in Daniel's memory to raise awareness about the risks of drugs. It is a fast-paced, vibrant, and powerful piece of verbatim theatre, and is the GCSE Drama set text for Eduqas.

Tickets are still available for both dates directly from the YMCA website on: [What's On? – YMCA Theatre](https://ymcatheatre.uk/whats-on/)

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**Theatre Production**

Performed by 'Scalby School' students

- When: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2024
- Why: Enjoy a fantastic evening of theatre
- Watch the Drama GCSE set text
- Support our Performing Arts students
- Where: YMCA Theatre, Scarborough

Book tickets through the YMCA Box Office, online or in person. This play has a guidance age rating of 14+. Parental permission is needed for younger students.

SCALBY SCHOOL PRESENTS  
**I LOVE YOU MUM - I PROMISE I WON'T DIE**  
PLAY BY MARK WHEELER

FRIDAY 26 APRIL AT 13:30 AND 19:00  
SATURDAY 27 APRIL AT 19:00 @ YMCA THEATRE

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM YMCA BOX OFFICE



### Important Dates for your Diary

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April – 20<sup>th</sup> June**

Year 11 Public Examinations

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> April**

Iceland Trip

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> – Sat 27<sup>th</sup> April**

Performing Arts Production at YMCA – 'I love you mum; I promise I won't die'.

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank holiday- school closed.

**(date change) Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May**

Battle of The Bands

**22-24<sup>th</sup> May**

DOE Practice Expedition

**27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> May**

School closed – half term

**3<sup>rd</sup> June**

School re opens.

**16-18<sup>th</sup> July DOE Assessment Expedition**



## World Challenge

Our students took part in a bake sale this Thursday to raise funds towards India World Challenge 2025. They managed to raise a total of £208, well done to everyone involved.

## Events / Sports Fixtures and updates

Our Year 11 boys Football team competed in the finals on Monday against Ryedale school and retained their winning record!!!! They have been unbeaten for the past 5 years and this is a true testament to their teamwork and dedication, a huge well done.

Also, a massive congratulations to our students that are part of the 'East Coast Tigers' Cheerleading team, who competed in Florida and became World Champions!



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Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Robertson

Headteacher