



# NEWS LETTER

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## Coffee Mornings



**Thursday 06 February 2025**  
10:30 – 12:30 am  
New Earswick Folk Hall



**Monday 24 February 2025**  
10.30 – 12.30 am  
YHA, Clifton

Meet other parents and carers who share your lived experience. Swap tips, offload, get updates or share without judgement.

The first hot drink is on us as a thank you for allowing us to use your experience to inform our work with education, health and social care on parent carer voice.

We'll be easy to recognise with the table top sign. All are very welcome but if it's your first time and you would like to meet someone first, email Mary: [connect@pcfYork.co.uk](mailto:connect@pcfYork.co.uk)



## Listening Event

York CAMHS from Orca House



**Tuesday 11th February 2025**  
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm  
Online

Meet CAMHS Professionals, give feedback on your experiences and share your views. Email [connect@pcfYork.co.uk](mailto:connect@pcfYork.co.uk) for the meeting link.



## PARENT CARER FORUM YORK 2025 Annual Conference and AGM

Join us for a packed agenda on the themes of

**Preparation for Adulthood and Access to Health Services, with updates and developments from across services in York**

In the morning we will hear updates and new developments from Preparation for Adulthood Team, CAMHS, York Carers Centre, York Hospital and therapy services.

After enjoying a complimentary buffet style lunch, attendees will have the opportunity to join discussions with Maxine Squires (Assistant Director of Education, Skills and SEND, CYC), Lynne Johns (Head of Send, CYC) and Melanie Leighton (York SENDIASS).

Maxine and Lynne will be talking about the Universal Offer, SEND Hub, and support available for SEND families in York. Attendees will learn with Melanie about how best to manage meetings in school.



**BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW**

## Why Join Us?



**Insightful discussions**



**Meet other Parent Carers**



**Interactive workshops**



**Wed 26 February 2025**  
09.30am – 2.30pm  
Delta Hotels, Marriott, York





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**Kingston University London**



Empowering Educators  
Unlocking Literacy  
Transforming Lives

## Stop Dyslexic\* Learners Underperforming at School TECHNOLOGY AND STRATEGIES

- all learners that struggle with literacy



**Tuesday 11 February 2025**  
6.00pm - 7.00pm  
Online

This webinar is part of a series, designed to equip educational professionals and parents with the tools to better support dyslexic learners.

The next webinar, Technology and strategies, aims to help dyslexic\* learners to overcome difficulties with writing.

**[Find out more and book your place here.](#)**

**FREE SIGNPOSTING EVENT FOR SUPPORT SERVICES, LOCAL FAMILIES, PARENTS & CARERS.**

**4TH FEBRUARY  
DROP IN FROM  
2PM - 6PM**

Attending services include:  
York Mumbler, HomeStart, York Integrated Care Board, Citizens Advice, Big Future Foundations, IDAS, York SENDIASS, The Retreat Clinics, SJPLAW, York Maternity Voices Partnership, Raise York / FIS, Foundation Positive Choices Services...

**BOOK NOW** >>



SCAN ME

**AT YORK ST JOHN CREATIVE CENTRE**

Lord Mayor's Walk, York, YO31 7EX what3words: ///panic.fish.pages

For more information email: Ewarren@theretreatclinics.org.uk

Magical Musicals



**Wednesday 19th February**  
1.30-3.30pm

Visit [Accessible Arts Media](#) for more info

**IMPs**

**Inclusive music activities for disabled children and young people in York - We want your thoughts!**

IMPs (Inclusive Music Projects) have received funding to develop their programme, and would like parents of disabled children and young people to tell them about the sort of music activities they'd like to see happening in York. **Please fill in the [consultation form](#) before 31st January.**

