

Wishing you a Fairtrade Christmas



Bispham High School's Fairtrade Group couldn't have had a busier term. From creating a Fairtrade policy to go into the school handbook, to a first sell out event in November. Whilst this was perfect for chocoholics, students donated money to Children in Need. Supported by the school staff, Governors, Religious Education and the ECO group, the school has been spreading a message of Fairtrade to staff and students alike in assemblies, Humanities lessons and during Super Learning Days.

Rachel Ellis of Bispham High's Humanities Faculty said, 'In food technology lessons, youngsters have been creating "Fairtrade" shortbreads for the school Christmas concert. Sainsbury's on Redbank Road, Bispham have been supportive of our Fairtrade message and came to our aid, donating a Fairtrade hamper with lots of goodies to form part of the school's annual Christmas raffle at the concert'.

'2012 looks to be even more exciting, with our school hoping to be the 2nd in Blackpool to achieve Fairtrade status. Future events planned range from serving Fairtrade related healthy school meals during fairtrade week to a community event in the summer, when we hope to achieve Fairtrade status for Bispham'.

Photo left to right

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