



Tour De Yorkshire 2016

On the 30th April Doncaster hosted the 2nd stage of the Tour De Yorkshire with the finish sprint ending in Bennetthorpe. To celebrate this event Balby Central entered a banner competition through Doncaster Council. Children from year 5 designed a banner which were judged by school staff then passed on to the council. Oliwia from Yellow Class' banner was the winning banner that was printed! The banner has been presented to Oliwia and put up outside school along with the 'Tour De Yorkshire' bike mounted on the front of school. The banner was also mounted on the finish line of the 'Tour De Yorkshire'.



Being a 'Bike It' school, Balby Central held heats for year 5 and 6 children to be entered into a school's race held on the finish sprint on Bennetthorpe. The two fastest children took part in the race with children from other Doncaster schools. Well done to Kobi and Kirsty from year 5 who represented the school.

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Doncaster schoolchildren show off pedal power at Tour De Yorkshire



Schoolchildren helped celebrate the recent Tour de Yorkshire by taking part in a 'Donny Dash'.

The 500m race brought together the fastest cyclists from 20 primary schools across the borough to compete in a sprint time trial.



Each school sent one girl and one boy from years five and six to compete. Pictured taking part are ten-year-olds Kobi Jordan and Kirsty Illman, both from both from Balby Central Primary School.

Read more:

<http://www.southyorkshiretimes.co.uk/news/local/doncaster-schoolchildren-show-off-pedal-power-at-tour-de-yorkshire-1-7905205#ixzz48kjfE987>