

# Hollesley Primary School

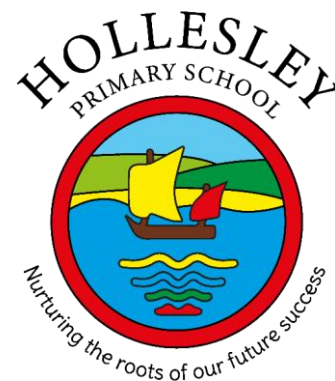
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**SPRING TERM: NEWSLETTER 8**  
**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

**Dear Parents**

## **OUTDOOR SHOES**

If your child wishes to play on the field at playtime and lunchtimes we do ask that they wear outdoor shoes. These can be kept at school. The reason for asking for this is to reduce mud that is brought into school.

## **STRIKE ACTION**

As you will have read from my letter, which I sent via ParentMail last week, Hollesley Primary School will remain open during the day of industrial action on Wednesday. If anything changes, or we have to close in the event of further strike action, I will of course, let you know.

## **SHARE YOUR CHILD'S WORK**

Parents are invited to come into school on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 2.30pm to share your child's work with them. Children will be in their house team classrooms, so siblings (and cousins) will be together. Unfortunately, due to space and numbers of parents we will be limiting this to two adults per family and ask that pre-schoolers do not attend.

## **FRIENDSHIP/VALENTINES LUNCH MENU**

We will be having a Valentines/Friendship lunch on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February. The menu will be fish fingers or vegan nuggets served with chips, baked beans and peas, followed by a heart shaped friendship biscuit with ice cream.

## **CHILDCARE OFFERS FOR PARENTS**

The Childcare Choices campaign aims to raise awareness and understanding of the support available from the government with the costs of childcare. You can easily find the right offers of childcare support by going to <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

## **SUFFOLK PARENT HUB**

For the latest updates on parenting courses & workshops please follow the link below:

<https://www.suffolk.gov.uk/children-families-and-learning/childcare-information-and-support-for-parents-and-providers/parent-hub>

## **MRS WOOD DAYS AT HOLLESLEY**

I intend to be at Hollesley Mondays and Thursdays and alternating Wednesdays. As always, please email me or call either school, on any day to speak to me. Waldringfield's number is 01473 736276.

**Yours sincerely,**

**Mrs Sarah Wood (Headteacher)**

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## **HOLLESLEY SUPERSTARS**

### **Head Teacher's Work Related Awards**

**Seals:** **Henry** – always willing to help without being asked. **Arjun** for great work in phonics especially with his tricky words.

**Dolphins:** **Cameron** for doing some super English work and completing it all on his own. **Simmi** for taking pride in her work and beautifully formed letters.

**Turtles:** **Bailey** for super Maths – finding related multiplication/division facts and working with a partner. **Bill** for incredible effort and non-chronological report in English.

**Otters:** **Henry** for his excellent model in topic to demonstrate Polar Day/Polar Night. **Austeja** for fantastic non-chronological report. Lots of alliteration and fronted adverbials.

### **Head Teacher's 'R' Words Awards**

**Seals:** **Kira Rose – Readiness** to learn using great communication when a new teacher was teaching. **Martha – Responsibility** for looking after her friends in the classroom.

**Dolphins: Phoebe – Resilience** – for perseverance in English and doing lovely neat work. **Ruby Rose – Resilience and Readiness** with her learning all week.

**Turtles: Huw – Resilience** – Sometimes we just have those days, but when Huw does, he just works that bit harder to get things done. **Annabella – Readiness** – for effort and independent work in writing this week.

**Otters: Bruno – Resourceful** – helping to retrieve the yr 5/6 football from the bushes (with the help of his Grandad). Great team work – especially as it was after school. **Jamie-Rae – Resilience** – for giving the deep end another go at swimming and acing it! Well done Jamie.

#### Midday Supervisor Awards

**Leela, Leo B and Ruby Rose** – for always thanking Mrs Beal for their lunch.

#### Gold Awards

**Oliver Johnson** – for super listening and sharing ideas in gardening club.

**Grace A** – for offering to wash up in After School Club, also for achieving 57/60 on a KS2 times table grid.

**Simmi** – everyone needs a Simmi in his or her lives - polite, easy to talk to with a positive energy.

**Smilte** – for remembering about Black History month in assembly and bravely answering many questions in her class

**Oscar** – for seeing a staff member coming with the laptop trolley and quickly opening the door for them.

**Isla** – for being such a kind and considerate friend.

**Mason** – for independently challenging himself in After School Club – Mason wrote the numbers up to 340.

**Sam H** – for collecting coats at playtime.

**Jamie Rae** - for supporting the younger children during lunch break. Helping to solve conflicts and encouraging them to join in games.

**Josh A** – for being so supportive and encouraging in swimming. Using his own knowledge to help and demonstrate front crawl and breathing.

**Josh PE** – for tidying up in After School Club when everyone else had left.

#### House Captain Awards

**Blue – Frederic** for being caring towards another child who was upset. **Grace A** - for scoring 2 goals in ‘Footstars after school club’ and trying her hardest.

**Red – Henry** for being happy. **Smilte** for offering a hoop to someone when they did not have one.

**Green – Riley** for supporting someone who was hurt.

**Ruby Rose** for being friendly, kind and always having a smile on her face.

**Yellow – Lola C** for being friendly and kind towards others. **Martha** for smiling and playing nicely with the other children.

#### Diary Dates

<b>Mon 30th Jan 2023   5.30pm</b>	Year 2 SATs meeting on zoom – <b>please note change of date</b>
<b>Tues 7<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Whole School Trip to Pipers Vale
<b>Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> Feb   3:45 – 6:15pm</b>	Year 5 & 6 - The Lion, The Witch & The Wardrobe @Farlingaye   leaving school @2:45pm
<b>Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Friendship/Valentines Lunch Menu
<b>Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Feb   2:30pm</b>	Share Your Child’s Work at School
<b>Mon 13<sup>th</sup> – Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>HALF TERM</b>
<b>Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	Year 5/6 Trip to Sizewell Power Station
<b>Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	Mothers’ Day Lunch
<b>Mon 20<sup>th</sup> – Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	Book Fair
<b>Mon 20<sup>th</sup> &amp; Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Mar</b>	Bikeability for Year 5   Grp 1
<b>Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> &amp; Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	Bikeability for Year 5   Grp 2
<b>Fri 31<sup>st</sup> Mar</b>	Last Day of Term

<b>Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – Fri 14<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>
<b>Mon 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>PD Day</b>   children not in school
<b>Tues 18<sup>th</sup> April</b>	First Day of Term
<b>Mon 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>
<b>Mon 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>   King's Coronation
<b>Tues 9<sup>th</sup> – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 6 SATs