

Hollesley Primary School

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AUTUMN TERM: NEWSLETTER No. 3

Monday 16th October 2023

Dear Parents

ADMISSIONS TO HIGH SCHOOL

A reminder that the date to apply for high school place for those in current year 6 is Tues 31st October. [Apply for a Secondary School place.](#)

DATA COLLECTION & HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENTS

A reminder to check, sign and return the documents that were sent home a few weeks ago asap please.

ONLINE SAFETY - ACCEPTABLE USE AGREEMENT

Majority of you have now completed this form but if you have still to complete it, please can you head to ParentMail forms and do so now. Thank you.

SPEECH AND LANGUAGE WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS

Lucy Beale will be coming into school to run a workshop for parents on Speech and Language. She is coming in on Tuesday 21st November at 2:30pm and we would love it if you could attend.

COFFEE AND CAKE AFTERNOON- REMINDER

The Friends invite you to a Coffee and Cake Afternoon after the Harvest Festival on Monday 16 October 2023. At Hollesley Primary School. All welcome! Friends are organising a harvest hamper raffle and would really appreciate some donations for this to happen. Cake donations will be extremely welcomed and you can bring those in on the day. Thank you.

OUR GREENHOUSE

Please keep bringing the 2 litre plastic bottles in to help us finish our Greenhouse – Thank you for your support.

FRIENDS - AGM

A reminder that the AGM for this year will be held on Thursday 19th October at 7pm at the school. Your

attendance would be very much appreciated by us and I am sure by all the current members of the Friends.

PARENTS' EVENINGS

These will be held on Monday 6th November, 3:30pm-6pm, and Wednesday 8th November, 6pm-8pm. We will email you with further information regarding how to book your appointment after half-term.

SCHOOL DINNER MENU

Mrs Beal has changed our menu for the autumnal season, with some lovely hot puddings etc. Please see attachment for more information. This menu will be used after half term. We will start with 'Week 1'

OPEN DAYS 2023

We are holding some open days for new Reception children joining the school in September 2024 and any prospective nursery children. The dates are as follows:

Weds 8th November | 9.30am - 11am

Thurs 13th December | 9.30am - 11am & 1.30pm - 3pm

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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CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR THE CURRENT YEAR

Seals: 99.13%

Dolphins: 95.09 %

Turtles: 97.17%

Otters: 92.11%

HOLLESLEY SUPERSTARS

Head Teacher's Work Related Awards

Seals: Sophia – For super phonics work this week.

Bonnie for such great effort in her phonics on Thursday.

Dolphins: Henry – For great use of time adverbials for how to make a jam sandwich.

Finley for fantastic sentence writing for our instructions.

Turtles: Mason – For super reading this term – prosody-pace-volume.

Lulu for fantastic sentences in your news report.

Otters: Freya – For her excellent and thoughtful work in PSHE.

Ricky for working hard in English and writing some excellent sentences.

Head Teacher's 'R' Words Awards

Seals: Ronnie – Respect – For playing nicely with others.

Adeline – Resilience – For having a positive attitude, always keen and happy coming in to school.

Dolphins: Olivia – Readiness – For her readiness to learn in Art. Making a fantastic sketch of your portrait on sea saw they looked identical!

Kira – Resilience and Readiness – For having resilience and being ready in Maths and English all week.

Turtles: Emmie – Respect – Responsibility – In gymnastics she really led her group calmly and was thinking of others.

Leo B – Respect - For welcoming Farlingaye students this week.

Otters: Amelia – Respect and responsibility – For being respectful and responsible during the Year 6 BT trip.

Lexi – Responsible – for being extremely helpful around the classroom this week.

Gold Awards

Bonnie for being extra kind.

Freddie C and George C for looking after another child.

Joshua W for working hard in phonics.

Henry G for Excellent behaviour at BT Adastral Park trip.

Lorenzo for super explanation in assembly.

Grace for being really helpful at After School Club.

Frederic for dealing with a 'situation' outside so amazingly.

Oliver A and Thomas for working together to tidy the Otters coast area.

Dougie For a good start to his newspaper report.

Riley R – Fantastic readiness – completed English, Maths and Topic work in morning task.

Valentina – For saying her sounds in phonics.

House Captain Awards

Blue: Constance for her swimming

Green: Simmi for always being happy and smiling

Yellow: Evan for singing in assembly

Red: Theo J for walking quietly.

Diary Dates

Mon 16th Oct	Harvest service at the Church 1:30pm
Tues 17th Oct	KS1 visit to Pipers Vale Gymnastics morning
Tues 17th Oct	SEN Surgery 1.15pm
Thurs 19th Oct	Yr 6 Crucial Crew afternoon
Thurs 19th Oct	7pm Friends AGM @ school I email tyler_julz@yahoo.co.uk if attending
23rd – 27th Oct	Half term
Mon 30th Oct	PD Day children not in school
Tues 31st Oct	KS2 Pipers Vale Gymnastics
Tues 31st Oct	Deadline for High School Admissions for current Yr 6
Thurs 2nd – Tues 7th Nov	Book Fair
Tues 7th Nov	Turtles to visit The Long Shed 'Follow The Ship'
Mon 6th Nov	Parents Evening 3.30pm – 6pm
Wed 8th Nov	Open Day 9.30am-11am
Weds 8th Nov	Parents Evening 6pm-8pm
Tues 14th Nov	Turtles 'Rocket Science' Trip.
Thurs 16th Nov	Dodgeball Comp
Tues 21st Nov	Speech & Language Workshop for Parents 2:30pm
Thurs 30th Nov	Flu Vaccines
Thurs 7th Dec	KS1 Nativity time tbc
Thurs 14th Dec	Open Day 9.30am – 11am and 1.30pm – 3pm

Mon 18th Dec	Christmas Jumpers Christmas Dinner Afternoon Church Service – Parents Welcome
Tues 19th Dec	Wolsey Panto afternoon
Weds 20th Dec	Last Day of Term Hollesley's Got Talent No after school club
Weds 3rd Jan 2024	PD Day children not in school
Thurs 4th Jan	First Day of Term