

Hollesley Primary School

School Lane Hollesley Woodbridge Suffolk IP12 3RE

Telephone and Fax: (01394) 411616

Email: admin@hollesley.suffolk.sch.uk

Website: www.hollesley.school

Headteacher Mrs Sarah Wood BAed (Hons), MAed, NPQH



SUMMER TERM: NEWSLETTER No. 15

1st July 2024

Dear Parents & Carers

HOLLESLEY CAMPING WEEKEND

A big thank you to all those who came to the camping weekend, having fun and raising funds for the school. A huge thank you to all the Friends of Hollesley School who gave up their time to organise the event beforehand and who worked so hard during the weekend to make the event such a success.

SCHOOL DISCO

Our School disco will be on Thursday 18 July, 6pm-7.30pm. £2 entry. Year 6 go free.

Please send your ticket money in a sealed envelope, clearly named, correct monies please. Names will be added to a list for entrance, no tickets will be sent home.

ACCOUNTS & BALANCES

As the end of term rapidly approaches, please make sure that your balances on ParentMail are up-to-date and with sufficient funds to include any clubs/dinners up to the end of term.

SPORTS DAY - TUESDAY 16th JULY

Families are invited to join us for a picnic on our school field at 12 noon, and stay for the afternoon to enjoy Sports Day with us. Hot dinners will still be available and will be served in a box for the children to bring outside. If you have not already done so, please complete the form on ParentMail of your child's meal requirements for the last week of term to help us with our ordering. Thank you!

The children will need to wear their colour PE t-shirts for sports day as they will be competing in their house teams. PE t-shirts are available to buy from our uniform provider <https://sportsclass.com/hollesley/>, but there is no obligation to have a 'logoed' t-shirt.

MULTISPORTS – THURS 18th JULY

Last session will be a water fight and a change of clothes will be required.

SUFFOLK LIBRARY READING QUEST

Reading Quest is an exciting opportunity to get the whole family involved in reading and making memories this summer! The challenge is open to children of all ages and all reading abilities.

Visit your local library from 13 July to collect your free map and start your quest! [Suffolk Libraries Reading Quest](#)

JUNGLE BOOK

We are looking forward to seeing our Year 5 & 6 performing Jungle Book on Monday 8th July, with singing support from Turtles Class. Please make sure you order your 'virtual' tickets on Parentmail forms. Families in Otters may order 4 tickets for a 6pm showing.

Please can you make sure you complete the parentmail forms even if you cannot make it as it will enable us to calculate complete numbers for ticket allocation.

With Turtles offering their singing support to Otters, there is a form for Turtle parents to complete on parentmail. This is so that we can gauge how many children can support Otters in the evening performance and also offering Turtle parents one ticket to the dress rehearsal on Mon 8th at 09.30am.

CLUBS IN SEPTEMBER

Mr Hayes will be running afterschool clubs on a Tuesday and Thursday from September. Forms will be sent out in due course when timings have been confirmed.

Dance Club will continue on a Monday 3.15-3.45 and will commence the 11th September.

LOST PROPERTY

We have a lot of lost property at the moment. Please come and ask at the office if you feel you are missing items.

TERM DATES

Please note term dates for the next academic year below. A few dates have been changed to those previously published.

HATS and SUNCREAM

Please remember to apply suncream daily and ensure your child has a named hat in school. Our supply of spare hats for the children to borrow is very low.

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)

head@hollesley.suffolk.sch.uk

THINKING OF THRIVE

I just wanted to give a little bit more background about THRIVE this week and why we think it is so important!

When a child is finding it difficult to do fractions, we can help by providing additional reparative experiences to address the challenge (by giving extra resources or rewording how we are explaining).

THRIVE operates on the same basis! Children with gaps in their social and emotional development need support too. THRIVE enables us to identify any gaps and to address them using relational strategies and arts-based activities (like collages, painting and sensory play).

Positive interactions, enjoyment and shared fun are key to the success of these strategies. We use activities to create a climate that is conducive to the development of neuronal pathways that help a child to manage stress, develop concentration and become more resilient.

FRIENDS CORNER

Well, it's been a busy few weeks for our friends volunteers- the camping weekend was a huge success- lots of fun was had by all!

There was mountains of food including a bbq in the evening and the activities included swimming, slip & slide, rounders, football, badminton and toasting marshmallows over the fire pit.

The ice cream van made a special visit and there was beautiful sunshine (mostly!) lots of laughter and new friendships made.

Then this weekend the Friends stall at the Hollesley village fete raised a record figure of almost £200. The jar tombola was a hit as ever and the introduction of candy pong went down very well.

Still lots to do before the end of the school year- We have the school disco coming up as well as the leavers event. Tickets will be on sale for the disco soon and there will be face painting and temporary tattoos available to purchase (if you don't wish your child to have these please state this on the envelope).

Remember we are always in need of more volunteers and new ideas for fundraising. Any and all help is greatly appreciated either with events or behind the scenes and it will allow other volunteers to enjoy the events with their families too.

Our thanks as always for your donations and support and to the wonderful volunteers who made this possible.

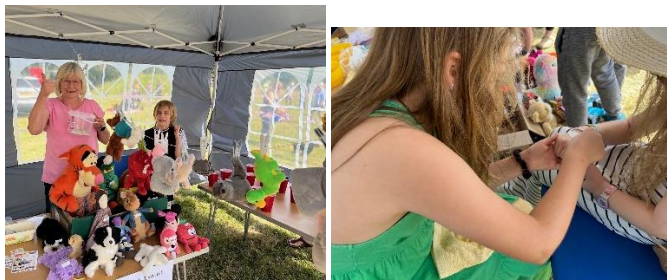
The Hollesley Friends



Well done to Logan Sones, Ronnie Woolnough and Freya Grogan for giving up part of their weekend to help out on the PTA stall at Hollesley Village Fete on Saturday 29 June.

Also a big thanks to all the children that sang at the fete, your contributions and commitment to the school does not go unnoticed.

The Friends of Hollesley School volunteers did a great job.



CLASS ATTENDANCE FOR THE CURRENT YEAR

Seals: 97.39%

Dolphins: 93.13%

Turtles: 94.26%

Otters: 91.90%

HOLLESLEY SUPERSTARS

Head Teacher's Work Related Awards

Seals Class

Sophia - For her number bond work.

Dolphins Class

Olivia H – Working well in a team during computing and creating good work on scratch.

Turtles Class

Righteous – For his super note taking on the battle of marathon.

Otters Class

Thomas – For working hard on his NTS tests.

Head Teacher's 'R' Words Awards

Seals Class

Daisy – Responsibility - for making good choices.

Dolphins Class

Cameron D – Readiness – For being ready to work/learn in all lessons.

Turtles Class

Emmie – Respect – for always showing respect to her friends and adults in school.

Otters Class

Evan G – Resilience and Respect on his transition visits to Farlingaye High School.

Gold Awards

Matus – For supporting a child in Seals Class when they fell over on the way into school. He did this using his own initiative.

Valentina – Super efforts with her handwriting.

Jack B – For always making a staff member smile and brightening up her day.

Florence – For being superstar in swimming.

Kira – For working so hard on her maths NTS and doing this independently.

Theo Johnson – For being polite and respectful.

Chloe – For always trying so hard.

Sam – For being respectful, hard working and playing well with others.

Reuben – For being so friendly and always with a smile.

Henry G – For his great attitude and always smiling.

Numbots: Rena, Lottie and Charlie

Ready Readers: Ronnie, Troy, Ashton, Simmi

House Captain Awards

Red – Josh W – For being a good role model and always having a smile on his face.

Yellow – Gracie for caring and always having a smile on her face.

Blue – Lilly R – For being so hard working.

Green – Phoebe for playing nicely with others and always smiling.

Diary Dates

Tues 2nd July	Class 3 to Nacton Outreach Farm
Mon 8th July, 6pm	Yr 5&6 Play
Thurs 11th July	Swimming Gala
Fri 12th July	Reports Home to Parents
Mon 15th July – Fri 19th July	Sports Week – A variety of activities
Tues 16th July	Sports Day Families invited to bring a picnic from 12pm
Tues 16th July 3:30pm	Parents Drop-in to discuss reports – please make appointment via office
Thurs 18th July	School Disco
Fri 19th July	Hollesley Hike Yr 6 Leavers Assembly 1:30pm
Fri 19th July	Last Day of Term
Mon 2nd Sept	PD Day Pupils Not in School
Tues 3rd Sept	PD Day Pupils Not in School
Weds 4th Sept	First Day of Term
Fri 13th Sept	Turtles Class first swim session at Deben Pool
Fri 13th Dec	Turtles Class last swim session at Deben Pool
Mon 28th Oct – Fri 1st Nov	HALF TERM
Fri 20th Dec	Last Day of Term
Mon 6th Jan 2025	** First Day of Term **
Mon 17th Feb - Fri 21st Feb	HALF TERM
Mon 24th Feb	** PD Day Pupils Not in School **
Fri 4th Apr	Last Day of Term
Tues 22nd April	PD Day Pupils Not in School
Weds 23rd April	First Day of Term
Mon 28th & Tues 29th April	Turtles Class residential at Bawdsey Manor
Mon 26th May – Fri 30th May	HALF TERM
Fri 18th July	Last Day of Term
Mon 21st & Tues 22nd July	PD Day Pupils Not in School