A Weekend Update from Holland Moor- Saturday December 19th





Welcome

Welcome to Newsletter number 16 of the current school year. All previous newsletters can be found on our school website www.holland.lancsngfl.ac.uk

Google Classrooms

Thanks to everyone who participated in our Google Classroom lessons last week or watched Christmas performances using this facility. We are getting where we should be now that more and more families are accessing the classrooms.



A message from our sponsor.

A sincere thanks to everyone connected with Holland Moor over the past four Months – ourTerm 1. It's all been so unpredictable for us all – children, parents, carers, staff – everyone. I would like to take a moment to thank all stakeholders for their support during these challenging times. The children have been amazing, the staff, unbelievably hard working and parents and carers have shown understanding and empathy. I thank this last group for their many kind and reassuring emails, texts and direct comments. I have been delighted with the all-pervading sense of community and shared purpose.

Remote Learning

My goodness we had some hard workers this last week, Purple Mash, Spelling Shed, those timetabled lessons, Google Classrooms, Live lessons. Facebook stories, Facebook music lessons, Facebook PE, Assorted workpacks including the Christmas workpack special, TT Rockstars and some of you even claimed watching the hamper raffle draw each day was hard work too. Congratulations to everyone who showed such dedication. All our children deserve a two week break from their studies.

Christmas Jumper Day - Friday December 18th

Thanks to everyone who took part in this piece of Christmas fun. Well done to everyone who sent us in a photograph of themselves wearing a Christmas jumper at home – some even in the garden.

Our Christmas Colouring Competition

The winner this month was Archie Williamson who coloured with great style. Archie used a lot of dark shades to capture the night sky, which contrasted beautifully with the bright red of Santa's suit, the yellow of the reindeer antlers and the almost crimson colour of Rudolph's nose. Well done Archie.

KS1 Christmas Presentations of the Wriggly Nativity.

The 1C and 1R versions can still be found in their respective classrooms. Three more presentations to follow next term.

The Holland Moor Twelve Days of Christmas Raffle

Number	Hamper	Extra Prize	Extra, extra prize
Draw 1	Hamper 1	A Cuddly Toy	Whisky and tumblers
Draw 2	Hamper 2	A Watch	A Body Shop hamper
Draw 3	Hamper 3	A SWEETS AND CHOCOLATE RACK	A cosmetics hamper
Draw 4	Hamper 4	£25 SMYTHS TOKEN	A Wooley Santa
Draw 5	Hamper 5	A watch	A Wooley Santa/Reindeer box
Draw 6	Hamper 6	A SWEETS AND CHOCOLATE RACK	A cuddly Toy
Draw 7	Hamper 7	Hair Styling Vouchers	A scarf or £20
Draw 8	Hamper 8	£25 SMYTHS TOKEN	A scarf or £20
Draw 9	Hamper 9	A SWEETS AND CHOCOLATE RACK	A small handbag
Draw 10	Hamper 10	A nakd hamper	A white elephant hamper or cash alternative
Draw 11	Hamper 11	A set of wine glasses	Fuzzy Duck bath set
Draw 12	Hamper 12	A SWEETS AND CHOCOLATE RACK	L'oreal hamper
	Hamper 13	Hamper 14	

We raised £1474.00 - that's one thousand, four hundred and seventy four pounds. Amazing! Brilliant! Remarkable! Astounding!



Sonny Brimage from Class RSP

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Isabelle from Class 4C	Dave the esteemed taxi driver	Helen Blundell				
The second draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Friday 4th December. The 3 winners were						
Mia N from Class 5B	Billie W from Class 3D	Daniel B from Class 5M				
The third draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Monday 7th December. The 3 winners were						
Mason R from Class 3-4T	Cedella F from Class 3M	Blue McHugh from Class N3				
The fourth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Tuesday 8th December. The 3 winners were						
Reece Dutton from Class3-4T	Charlie Physick from Class 4J	Scarlet Ryan from Class 6S				
The fifth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Wednesday 9th December. The 3 winners were						
Neeko McHugh from Class RSP	Thomas Whitley from Class N3	Pippa Heyes from Class 5B				
The sixth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Thursday 10th December. The 3 winners were						
Blue McHugh from Class N3	Maz Crowley from Class 5B	Starla-Lea Roderick from Class 2M				
The seventh draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Friday 11th December. The 3 winners were						

The eighth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Monday 14th December. The 3 winners were

Dawson Rowntree from 5B

Conal Parry from 5B

Adam Edwards-staff Phoebe Williams from Class 1C Bella Dinely from Class 1R

The ninth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Tuesday 15th December. The 3 winners were

Aaron S from Class 1R Penelope S from Class 1-2B Sophie R from Class 5B

The tenth draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Wednesday 16th December. The 3 winners were

Aaliyah from Class 2B	Sue Greer	Caleb from Class Nursery 1
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The eleventh draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Thursday 17th December. The 3 winners were

River McHugh from Class RSP	Evan Collett from Class 6S	Sonny Brimmage from Class
		RSP

The twelfth and final draw for our Christmas raffle was held on Friday 18th December. The 5 winners were

Emily H in Class RSP	Pam Bowe	Evvi-Mae in Class 2B
Daniel B in Class 5M	Oscar B in Class RK	

Our Alternative Christmas Dinner Day at Holland Moor

Thanks to our kitchen staff who prepared the alternative Christmas meal last Wednesday. The chicken nuggets proved surprisingly popular and a few children went on to request the return of the Turkey Twizzler for our New Year Celebration Meal.

Wishing everyone a great rest of the weekend. Mike Beale 19/12/2020







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