

A Weekend Update from Holland Moor-May 13 2023



Welcome and some technical information

Welcome to Newsletter - number 36 of the current school year. All previous newsletters can be found on our school website www.holland.lancsnagl.ac.uk

A Message from Our Sponsor



Whatever their final test scores I award full marks to all those Year 6 children who took their SAT tests this week. They have worked hard all year, attended booster classes and completed revision packs at home. Their general attitude to learning and their specific, positive approach to the tests has been superb to witness. They deserve every possible success.

Mr Beale's Highlight of the Week



I often praise the artwork around school but this half term, following our focus on developing specific painting skills, the results have been particularly impressive. We are working to implement the recommendations of a major report on teaching art and design in schools and the ideas and responses to the work of Jane Pryor have been astonishingly good. Next half term we will be studying abstract landscapes. I am excited already.

Pupil Highlights of the Week

Highlights of the week

Mason (3M) was proud of the abstract faces he made in art.
Tom (3D) liked having the chance to design his own set of 'inn rules' from the past.
Max (3-4T) loved exploring the school pond and investigating the plants and animals that live there.
Elsie (4C) loved making a relief mask in the style of Kimi Cantrell.
Violet (4J) was excited by completing line graphs in Maths.
Archie (5R) successfully created a 3D shape in computing
Michael and Emily (5E) enjoyed sketch-noting in history.
Cullen, Curtis, Zac, Caia and Elizabeth tested their computer quiz on Y1 and Y2
Antony (6S) enjoyed the special Year 6 end of SATs bowling experience.
Josh 6M achieved his highest ever score on TT Rockstars

National Tutoring Scheme



Holland Moor is re-joining the National Tutoring Programme from Monday. This government-subsidised scheme allows us to appoint a tutor to work with small groups of pupils to boost their literacy or numeracy skills. Over the next few weeks, the tutor will work with some year three and four children to ensure they are achieving the highest possible standards in these core areas.

Our Ninja Words of the Week



Our words this week are dense, vast, humble, quandary and eulogised.

Reception Year Assembly



This week our reception children enjoyed their first 'Celebration Assembly'. They are working extremely hard towards the early learning goals and have put so much effort into their learning, that we wanted to celebrate their achievements. This week we awarded a star of the week, a super writer, a sports award, and an award for kindness. We love to see the children shine and flourish! Well done all.

Reception Year Words of the Week for Week Beginning May 15

Linked to our theme	pollen
Linked to our phonics sound	fair
An object	blossom
An action	frolic
A feeling	anxious

Attendance.



Our overall attendance this week was a better 94.9%

Dates



Any new dates added each week will be highlighted

Monday May 15	KS1 visit to Skipton castle-group one
Tuesday May 16	KS1 visit to Skipton castle-group two
Thursday May 18	Class assemblies for Classes 2O and 5R
Monday May 22	Start of PGL
Friday May 26	Last day before half-term holiday
Saturday May 27 to Sunday June 04	– half-term holiday
Monday June 05	First day after half-term holiday
Monday June 05	Multiplication Tables Check for Y4 starts
Monday June 19	Y4 Sports Day at 09.15
Tuesday June 20	Y1 Sports Day at 09.15
Wednesday June 21	Y2 Sports Day at 09.15
Thursday June 22	Class Photographs
Friday June 23	Y5 Sports Day at 09.15
Monday June 26	Y6 Sports Day at 09.15
Tuesday June 27	YR Sports Day at 09.15
Wednesday June 28	Y3 Sports Day at 09.15
Tuesday July 04	Start of Y6 Bikeability – 3 days
Tuesday July 11	Start of Y5 Bikeability – 3 days
Thursday July 13	Pupil reports issued
Monday July 17	Consultation evening
Wednesday July 19	End of term parties
Wednesday July 19	Y6 Leavers' Disco 6pm to 8pm
Thursday July 20	Last Day of Summer Term
Friday July 21	INSET Day

Donations



We are always looking for

Good quality books for the school library or classroom reading corners

Any type of paper including sheets of cardboard

Strange materials for our collage boxes – wool, felt, buttons, shiny items, straws etc.

Sports Events at Holland Moor



Sports Reports

The Holland Moor Year 1 and Year 2 football team participated in the SHARES football competition last Tuesday. The team showed excellent teamwork and played superbly against all the teams they played. We are developing another great football team..

Forthcoming Sports Events

Date	Activity	Venue
May 16	SHARES Y3 and Y4 Park Run	Nye Bevan
May 17	Y1 and Y2 Football Tournament	JMO
May 18	Cross Country Event	OLQofP

Lunch Menu – May 15 to May 19

Monday May 15	Pasta Carbonara	Barbecue Sweet Chilli Wraps
	Vegetarian Wraps	Tortilla Chips
	Salad	Coleslaw
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Strawberry Mousse	Madeira Cake and Custard
Tuesday May 16	Pork Meatballs and Pasta	Vegetarian Meatballs
	Tomato Sauce	Beans and Cheese on Toast
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Custard Biscuits	Vanilla Sponge and Chocolate Sauce
Wednesday May 17	Picnic Lunch	Chicken Pasta with Arrabiata Sauce
	Vegetarian Pasta with Arrabiata Sauce	Vegetables of the Day
	Iced Sponge Cake	Jelly and Ice Cream
Thursday May 18	Pepperoni Pizza	Margarita Pizza
	Chicken Burgers	Curly Fries
	Spaghetti Hoops	Corn on the Cob
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Syrup Sponge and Custard	Arctic Roll and Peaches
Friday May 19	Chicken Roast Dinner	Gammon Roast Dinner
	Quorn Fillet	Beef Bolognese
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Flapjack	Victoria Sponge Cake

Milk, Juice or Water are available each day.

Additional alternatives available every day include fresh fruit, cheese and crackers, ice cream, yogurts, salads, wraps, baguettes, sandwiches and jacket potatoes with assorted fillings.

Here's wishing you a great weekend.

MIKE BEALE