

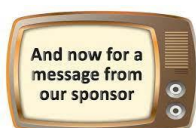
A Weekend Update from Holland Moor-July 08 2023



Welcome and some technical information

Welcome to Newsletter - number 44 of the current school year. All previous newsletters can be found on our school website www.holland.lancsnafl.ac.uk

A Message from Our Sponsor



I was so proud of everything to do with our Arts evening on Thursday. The dancing was great, the singing superb, the poetry was beautifully performed, the art on display was of the highest standard and the craft activities very much appreciated. Thank you for the emails sent to me on Thursday evening expressing how much the event was enjoyed by our many guests. Parents and carers certainly appreciated the opportunity to work alongside their children and chat informally to other guests and staff too. An altogether superb event,

Mr Beale's Highlight of the Week



I really enjoyed my time in Class 5E yesterday afternoon. After a great science lesson covering animal classification, I joined in a twenty-question Kahoot quiz designed by Mr Eaton to test our retention skills. The children were incredibly knowledgeable and amazingly fast. I languished in a miserable 17th place!

Book Fair and Book Fair Winners



Bill in the 65+ age group, Nancy from RK, Mason from 4C, Alfie from 5-6B and Ted aged 2. The Book Fair will be open on Monday 3pm to 4pm for any final purchases and for the winners to redeem their vouchers.

Term Dates – an important reminder.



Last day of this Summer term – Thursday July 20
First day of Autumn Term – Monday September 04

Our Reception Class Visit to Blackpool Zoo.



The reception classes had a wonderful time at Blackpool Zoo this and were ecstatic seeing so many wonderful and beautiful animals. The sea lion show was a huge success and the children giggled each time the sea lions squabbled over fish. Everybody was keen to see the new baby orang-utan - she was very cute and was being well looked after by her proud mummy. As well as the giraffes, elephants and tigers, the children enjoyed seeing the penguins swimming and the flamingos balancing on one foot. The weather was glorious and the children were incredible. The class has been writing about their experience and have learnt to spell many animal names - did you know that 'fla-min-go' has three syllables?

School Council



Our Pupil Parliament members attended the meeting with local councillors on Monday and expressed our collective views about the redevelopment of The Beacon area with great eloquence. I am so pleased that our children have invested in the future of the local area.

Sports Days



We had a superb turnout for the Year 3 sports on Thursday and the weather was kind too. Here is hoping we can complete the final two events this forthcoming week.

Year 1 Phonics Assessment and Y4 Multiplication Test



It is great news that once again our results in the phonics assessment and multiplication test are well above the national average score. Great teaching and great learning.

Our Ninja Words of the Week for Week Beginning July 10



Our ninja words for this week are queasy, ample, frantic, vivid and embark.

Reception Year Words of the Week for Week Beginning July 10

Linked to our theme	incubator
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Linked to our phonics sound	hatch
An object	fertiliser
An action	nibbled
A feeling	curious

Attendance.



Our attendance this week was 90.6% - too many holidays.

Dates



Any new dates added each week will be highlighted

Monday July 10	Y1 Sports Day at 9.15am
Tuesday July 11	YR Sports Day at 2pm
Tuesday July 11	Start of Y5 Group 2 Bikeability – 3 days
Tuesday July 11	Y6 Play from 6pm
Wednesday July 12	Y6 Play from 6pm
Thursday July 13	Pupil reports issued
Thursday July 13	Sports Awards evening starting at 5pm – outside if the weather is good.
Friday July 14	Year 5 Fun Day and Overnighter!
Monday July 17	Positive noticing day
Monday July 17	Consultation evening
Wednesday July 19	End of term parties
Wednesday July 19	Leavers' Assembly for Class 6S at 09.00 – parents/carers welcome
Wednesday July 19	Y6 Leavers' Disco 6pm to 8pm
Thursday July 20	Leavers' Assembly for Class 6M at 09.00 – parents/carers welcome
Thursday July 20	Leavers' Assembly for Class 5-6B at 10.30 – parents/carers welcome
Thursday July 20	Last Day of Summer Term
Friday July 21	INSET Day

Summer Raffle



Summer raffle tickets are now available from the school office.

This week we have added new prizes including an additional Amazon voucher for £10 and some delightful cosmetic items. We will announce new prizes each week until the draw on July 19th

Sports Events at Holland Moor



Sports Reports

During the week many Key Stage 1 children participated in the local Park Run for schools. The children showed superb determination and great sportsmanship. Olivia from 1C finished 1st in the girls' group with Amelia and Florence, from 2B, coming close behind. The boys, Frankie (2B), Oscar and Noah (2O), and Tom (1C) all ran extremely well too, completing the run in great times. Well done everyone you represented Holland Moor extremely well.

Lunch Menu – July 10 to July 15

Monday July 10	Sweet and Sour Chicken served with Egg Noodles	Macaroni Cheese and Garlic Bread
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Lemon Sponge and Custard	Fruit Cocktail
Tuesday July 11	Sausage In a Barm Cake	Vegetable Sausage in a Barm Cake
	Fish Fingers	Oven Chips
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Decorated Jelly	Buddies Flapjack
Wednesday July 12	Shepherd's Pie	Chicken Fillet
	Quorn Fillet	Creamy Mashed Potato
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Chocolate Sponge with Peppermint Sauce	Ginger Cookies
Thursday July 13	A Selection of Filled Paninis served with Salad and Coleslaw	Pasta Pomodoro with Grated Cheese
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Strawberry Whip	Harvest Fruit Cake and Custard
Friday July 14	Pizza Selection served with Baked Wedges	Fish Pie
	Vegetables of the Day	
	Rice Pudding and Jam	Swiss Tarts

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