



HOLLY LODGE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

Friday 21st May 2021

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Dear Parents and Carers

We are pleased with the way children are recovering their lost learning. One of the areas children have really missed out on is developing teamwork and sportsmanship skills. Mrs Ramsden, our sports coach is delighted with how the children's resilience is now growing as they begin to show understanding again of working in teams and showing sportsmanship. She says, "It is a pleasure to just step back and watch the children engage in a tactical game and thrive whilst having fun." The wider impact of these skills is felt back in the classroom where teamwork and collaboration is vital. Year 5 used these skills well in science as they worked together to investigate how gear systems work.

Our standards are monitored by our governors at Holly Lodge. The monitoring covers areas including safeguarding, curriculum, achievement, finance and community. Governor is a voluntary role but is a vital part of our leadership and management. Have you considered becoming a governor? After half term, we will be advertising for and holding elections to fill a parent governor vacancy for September. Watch this space for more information. You can find out more about who are Governors are on our website:

<https://www.hollylodgeprimary.co.uk/community/meet-our-governors/>

Don't forget it is mufti day on Friday 28th May. Pupils may come to school wearing their own clothes in return for a donation of £1, which will be used to buy new gardening items for the allotment.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Dancer
Academy Head



Surrey Family Learning

Below are the links to a wide range of Surrey Family Learning courses that still have spaces - there is a lot on offer starting in June! These courses are **free** and delivered online on zoom. Parents and carers can find out more about the individual courses and book directly by clicking on the individual links or by visiting their main webpage:

www.surreycc.gov.uk/familylearning

Half term fun and Early Years

[Hungry Caterpillar Story and craft workshop for 3-4 year olds Tuesday 1st June 10.30-11.30am](#)

[Elmer Story and craft workshop for 4-7 year olds Friday 4th June 10.30-11.30am](#)

[Whiffy Wilson, a story and craft workshop to support your child starting school Saturday 26th June 10.30-11.30am](#)

[Phonics workshop Tuesday 15th June 10.30-11.30am](#)

[Phonics workshop Tuesday 15th June 1.30-2.30pm](#)

Wellbeing & Healthy Living

[Healthy Summer Desserts 3 week course Monday 7th-21st June 1-2.30pm](#)

[Healthy lunch box challenge 3 week course Wednesday 23rd June-7th July 12.30-2.30pm](#)

[Yoga for Anxiety 3 week course Tuesday 8th -22 June 10-11.30am](#)

[Yoga for Anxiety 3 week course Tuesday 29th June-13th July 10-11.30am](#)

[Family Yoga \(with 5-10 year old\) 3 week course Wednesday 9th -23rd June 4.30-5.30pm](#)

[Family Yoga \(with 5-10 year old\) 3 week course Wednesday 30th June-14th July 4.30-5.30pm](#)

[Chair Yoga to build resilience 3 week course Thursday 10th-24th June 10-11.30 am](#)

[Stress Buster workshop Thursday 10th June 1.15-2.45pm](#)

Courses for EAL parents

[English for EAL Parents 6 week course Wednesday 9th June-14th July 12.30-2.30pm](#)

[English for EAL parents 6 week course Thursday 10th June-15th July 10-11.30am](#)

[English Grammar for EAL parents 6 week course Wednesday 9th June-14th July 10-11.30am](#)

[English Grammar for EAL parents 6 week course Thursday 10th June-15th July 12.30-2.30pm](#)

[Education in England workshop Friday 11th June 1-2.30pm](#)

[Phonics for EAL parents workshop Friday 18th June 1-2.30pm](#)

[Applying for a primary school place for EAL parents Friday 25th June 1-2.30pm](#)

Maths

[Family Maths for Key Stage One 6 week course Thursday 10th June- 15th July 10-11.30am](#)

[Family Maths for Key Stage Two 6 week course Thursday 10th June-15th July 1-2.30pm](#)

Parenting

[Explore Behaviour Strategies 2 week course Wednesday 9th -16th June 1-2.30pm](#)

[Explore Behaviour Strategies 2 week course Wednesday 30th June-7th July 1-2.30pm](#)

[Understanding Children's Behaviour 5 week course Friday 11th June-9th July 10-11.30am](#)

[Understanding Children's Behaviour 5 week course Thursday 10th June-15th July 10-11.30am](#)

Covid Testing and Symptoms - Reminder

We are pleased that so far we haven't had to close any class bubbles at Holly Lodge and want to keep it that way. If your child displays any of the Covid symptoms, you will need to arrange a Covid test. We realise that this may inconvenience parents, but by doing this you are protecting all of our children and our families. The three main symptoms are a new, persistent cough, change in sense of smell or taste, raised temperature. **Even if your child displays only one of these symptoms, you will still need to arrange a test.**

We would like to remind parents that **lateral flow device (LFD) tests are not sufficient for use when children are displaying Covid symptoms.** These are designed for asymptomatic testing only and cannot be used in lieu of a polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test. Unfortunately **we cannot accept symptomatic pupils back to school unless they have a negative PCR test.**

School Dinners – Change to Published Menu

Please be advised that the menu for w/c 6th June 2021 (the week we return after half term) will be different on Monday and Tuesday, with the day's being swapped over from what has been already published. The menu on Monday and Tuesday that week will be as follows:

Monday 6th June

BBQ chicken fillet, rainbow rice & peas	Roasted tomato stuffed omelette with pesto pasta & spring salad ✓	Fresh fruit salad with crème fraîche ✓
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Tuesday 7th June

French bread pizza with oven baked oregano wedges & sweetcorn ✓	Courgette & pesto twist with oven baked oregano wedges & baked beans ✓	Apple puree filled flapjack* ✓
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There is no change to the rest of the week. This change is for one week only, and all subsequent weeks will be as the previously published menu that is available on our website.

<https://www.hollylodgeprimary.co.uk/parents/school-meals/>

We also recommend that parents check the menu each with their child to help them chose which meals they may like ahead of time. Please check the menu dates carefully to ensure you are looking at the correct week.

SCL Holiday Club

SCL will once again be running their popular holiday club at Holly Lodge during half-term. The club will be running **Tuesday 1st June to Friday 4th June**, with an exciting funfair theme!

You can now see their full Club Energy programme online. Among their usual quality sports and team activities, children will be getting engaged with a host of exciting carnival games and circus skills, including mini golf, archery and much more.

Spaces are limited, so secure your child's place online today! For more details and online booking, please visit their website:

<https://www.wearescl.co.uk/may-holiday-clubs>



****Upcoming Dates****

May

- 24th Allergy Awareness Week
- 26th Year 3 Roman Day (No costumes required - details to follow)
- 28th Mufti day (in return for £1 donation to the school for new gardening items for the allotment)
- 31st *May – 4th June Half-term break (school closed)*

June

- 7th – 11th STEAM Week (Science, technology, engineering, arts, mathematics)
- 7th – 11th Y6 Activity Week (see letter for full details)
- 14th – 18th Sex and Relationships Education Week
- 21st INSET Day (school closed to pupils)
- 22nd Class photos
- 23rd Class photos reserve day (in case of bad weather)
- 24th Sports Day (sorry, we aren't able to invite parents this year)
- 25th Y5 Brooklands Museum Visit (£15.50 due by 11/6/21. Packed lunch needed on this day)
- 29th Year 6 Ash Manor Induction day, Year 6 Kings International Induction Day
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July

- 2nd Summer Fair (during the school day. Pupils only)
- 7th Class move-up morning 1 (pupils will spend time in their new September class)
- 7th Year 6 Wavell Induction day
- 8th Class move-up morning 2 (pupils will spend time in their new September class)
- 8th Year 6 Wavell Induction day and evening
- 12th Year 6 French Breakfast (details to follow)
- 15th Year 6 Leaver's BBQ 2.30pm – 4.30pm (details to follow)
- 19th Year 6 Leaver's Assembly (details to follow)
- 20th Last day of term (school finishes end of lunchtime)

INSET DAYS

- 21st June
- 21st July



Bronze Award David Gueye, Joseph Hall, Malaki Hedges



Silver Award Daisy Richardson, Daniel Hensby, Emily Ward, Franky Baker, Maximos Leka, Noah Dye, Haashim Ali, Tilly Brimacombe, George Collins, Scarlett Eighteen, Molly Moyle, Faith Tsvakayi, Evelyn McHugh, Toby Door, Heidi Igoche, Harley Barker, Toby Stoves, Jack Vaughan, Milo Wright, Anastasia Jones, Kamilia Torok, Xander Blake, Marvin Otu, Reginald Depulla, Anabel Burgess, Nikita Lee, Sophie Ward, Masie Peace, Harrison Bond, Oliver Bristow, Albert Hooton



Gold Award Eleanor Peat, Mimi Green, Harry Eades, Joseph Granville, Freddie Michaels, Austin Frost, Joe Thornhill, Thomas Waple, Ruby Barlow, Florrie Morgan, Ava Fitzpatrick



Star of the week

Date	Name	Teacher Comments
Butterflies		
21/05/2021	Felix Coleman	Felix is star of the week for following the rules at lunch time and making good choices. We are very proud of you Felix!
Chipmunks		
20/05/2021	George Collins	We love how well George listens in Chipmunks. He is always such a super sitter. He has really listened and really thought hard about what he has been learning about this week. We were particularly impressed with how independently he worked in RE, where he recorded lots of great ideas about Islam, with very little support. Keep it up George!
Crocodiles		
20/05/2021	Patrick Bridger	This week, it's been lovely to see Patrick engaging more in class discussions and activities. He has been working hard to ensure that he is fully focused on his learning and his attitude, in class, has been super!
Giraffes		
20/05/2021	Fahmida Begum	Fahmida has shown real enthusiasm and independence in her learning this week. She has put extra effort into all her learning and achieved amazing things because of this, especially in maths and writing!
Koalas		
20/05/2021	Jake Smallbone	Jake has shown great resilience in class this week. He has been a rocky rhino with his learning and shown courage in his friendships. Well done Jake.
Ladybirds		
21/05/2021	Mason Evans	Mason has worked really hard at improving his writing. Well done Mason you are a real Rocky Rhino.
Lions		
20/05/2021	Phoebe Evans	It is a pleasure to award Phoebe the 'Star of the Week' because she always does her best, works well with others and enjoys what she does.
Penguins		
21/05/2021	Katie Mann	Katie is our star of the week for her excellent attitude to learning. She ALWAYS does her best and listens carefully to advice in order to improve her work. She has even been doing extra numeracy practise at home. Well done Katie!
Puffins		
20/05/2021	Stanley Burke	Stanley has impressed us this week with his determination and sportsmanship when completing the Daily Mile challenge. He was consistent throughout the challenge and led the way for the rest of Year 1! Well done, Stanley!
Rabbits		
20/05/2021	Anabel Burgess	Congratulations Anabel for being our STAR this week. Anabel has been a Rocky Rhino across literacy (retelling the story of The Bog Baby) and maths (focusing on trickier problems). She also thoughtfully contributed to our moral discussion of Robin Hood too. Fantastic learning this week Anabel :)
Robins		
20/05/2021	Mason Bishop	Well done for putting so much effort into your learning this week, Mason! You have been a rocky rhino and not given up, especially when using the -ed suffix in your writing. Great job!
Sharks		
20/05/2021	Charlee Endersby	Charlee is star of the week this week for excellent work in Maths. Not only was her own Maths fantastic, but she helped other children with their learning, without giving too much away. This is a tricky skill to master, but she did so with ease! Well done Charlee.
Tigers		
20/05/2021	Ava Fitzpatrick	Ava is star of the week for always going above and beyond in the classroom. She works hard to complete every task and always puts extra effort in to complete work to a high standard. Ava is also helpful and can be trusted to be sensible. Well done Ava! Keep up the excellent work.
Zebras		
20/05/2021	Ollie Ballard	Ollie is our star of the week this week because he has shown his honesty by making sure he is doing the morally right thing. He has been a great role model to his peers by showing effort in his work, as well as respect when myself or others are talking. Well done Ollie, great work, keep it up. I am very proud!