



# Holly Grove School Newsletter

19th September 2022

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**We hope you had a great weekend!**



This year, Holly Grove has signed up for Duracell's 'The Big Battery Hunt!'

The Big Battery Hunt is a nationwide programme to help educate and inspire young people to recycle more used batteries.

This week, collection boxes to put used batteries in, will be placed in each classroom / office / staff room. We will also send these collection boxes home with children who want to take one home or to those parents who request one.

This ongoing programme will continue until June 2023 and any participation will be greatly appreciated.

Details have been sent to you via the Parent Portal.



Reg. Charity No: 1131583



On Friday 30th September we are hosting a coffee morning at school in aid of Rosemere Cancer Foundation. We are hoping to raise lots of money for this local charity that supports cancer units across the North West of England. Unlike other charities, The Rosemere Cancer Foundation supports cancer patients by providing additional facilities and services where they are being treated.

We would like to invite you into school on Friday 30th September from 10am till 11am. We will be serving coffee, tea, juice and a selection of yummy buns and cakes.

If you would like to help us by sending in cakes on the day of the coffee morning this would be greatly appreciated. Due to food regulations please ensure any cakes sent in either arrive in sealed packaging with a full list of ingredients on the packaging, if you would like to send in home baked cake please ensure you send a list of ALL the ingredients used in the cakes. We do hope you will be able to join us and help support this worthy cause.

## MERRY BERRIES

Merry Berries Teatime Club will start again today, Tuesday September 20th.



We still have a few places available so if you would like your child to attend, please contact Nick :

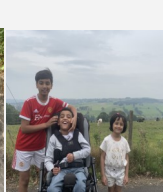
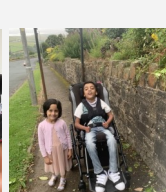
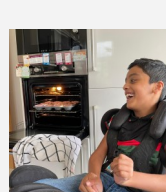
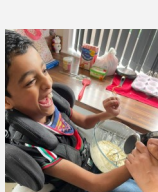
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Rohaan has had a very adventurous Summer . He went on lots of walks with his brother and sister and did a lot of baking.

He also went on rides at Southport Pleasure Land, which he really enjoyed!

Thank you for sharing your news and fab photos with us!



# Sign of the Week

We are going to be putting a different Makaton sign every week onto the newsletter. This will give you the opportunity to practise different signs with your child at home.

Thank you



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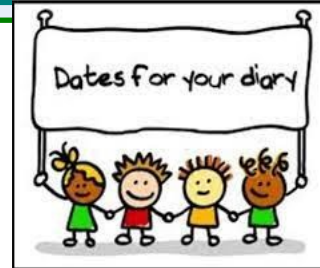


Makaton Sign



Rebecca and Aisling are our staff members of the week for all their hard work and support with the Sensory Curriculum.

Well done Rebecca and Aisling!



Tuesday 20th September-	Big Battery Hunt
Thursday 29th September -	New Starter Morning
Friday 30th September -	Rosemere Coffee Morning
Tuesday 4th October -	Nasal Flu Injections
Wednesday 5th October -	Parent's Evening
Friday 7th October-	Family Forum



## HELPING HAND GRANT



Application forms have now been sent home for our Helping Hand Grant.

When completing the form, it is very important to fill in the 'Item Required' section, giving as much detail as possible.

This will help us to process your application quickly.

The closing date for applications is **Friday 30th September**.



**Staff - No Birthdays**

**Children - Leighton, Ahyan and Kai. W**

We would love to share your news on our newsletter.

You can send photos etc.to:

[newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk)

## Holly Grove Heroes



**Aisling's Class** - Anabaya

**Samantha's Class** - Archie

**Laura's Class** - Eva

**Libby's Class** - Varian

**Rebecca's Class** - Lucy

**Danielle's Class** - Mason

**Julie's Class** - Caiden

**Connor's Class** - Lucas and Theo

**Courtney's Class** - Hussain

**Alex's Class** - Jenson



**Well Done Everyone!**



## PUPIL HOLIDAY DATES – 2022 / 2023

### Autumn Term 2022

Re-open Monday 5 September 2022

Half Term 5 days Monday 24 October  
Friday 28 October (inclusive)

Re-open Monday 31 October

Christmas - Closure after school on Friday 16 December 2022



### Spring Term 2023

Re-open Thursday 5 January 2023

Half Term 5 days Monday 13 February to  
Friday 17 February (inclusive)

Re-open Tuesday 21 February

Easter - Closure after school on Friday 31 March 2023



### Summer Term 2023

Re-open Monday 17 April 2023

May Day 1 day Monday 1 May

Half Term 5 days Monday 29 May to  
Friday 2 June (inclusive)

Re-open Monday 5 June

Summer – Closure after school on Friday 21 July 2023

