



Holly Grove School Newsletter

30th January 2023

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We hope you have all had a great weekend!

Thank you to everyone that joined us for our 'Supporting your Child with Phonics and Reading' Workshop last week. It was great to see so many of you attend.

Our next Parent Workshop, 'Makaton Signing', will take place on **Friday 24th February**. We will be in touch closer to the time to let you know the arrangements.

As you may be aware, the National Education Union (NEU) have voted for teachers to strike over a number of days, the first of which is Wednesday 1st February. We want to inform you that Holly Grove School will remain **open** on this date and all children can attend as normal.

Staff Development/After School Training

**Wed 1st February
(3pm - 4:30pm)**

*'Evidence For Learning'
and 'Safeguarding' Training.*



You can view our School Policies on the website:

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The hairdresser will be coming to school on Monday 6th February and Tuesday 7th February 2023.

If you would like your child's hair cutting, then please reply to the School Spider message that has been sent to you with any specific requirements.



Please can we have the full payment by Friday 3rd February 2023.

The cost of the haircut is £10

FAMILY FORUM

Our next Family Forum will be held at Holly Grove on **Friday 10th February** at 1.30pm, please make your way to Holly Grove reception by 1:20pm.

We will be joined at the forum by our guest speaker, Yasmeen Sulayman, Community Senior Family Support Worker for the Children and Family Wellbeing Service.

Yasmeen is the link worker for Holly Grove and Ridgewood schools but has a wealth of knowledge to help support any families with an identified need.

Yasmeen will discuss what her service has to offer as well as signposting you to any activities currently happening in the area.

Please come and join us on Friday 10th February!



**Number
Day 2023**

NSPCC

Friday 3rd February

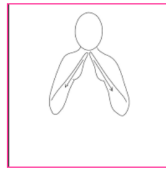
We will be having a fun-filled day of Maths activities and games, whilst raising money to support this wonderful cause.

Any donations would be much appreciated.

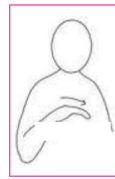
Signs of the Week

We are going to be putting 2 different Makaton signs every week onto the newsletter. These are our School Signs of the Week and your child will be practising these during the week in class. These will give you the opportunity to practise different signs with your child at home.

House



Home

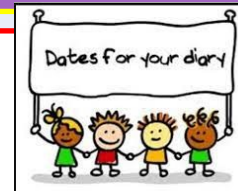


You can contact school if you need any support using Makaton at home,



Ayaan has been a Maths Superstar! He has started to count up to 10 and back again whilst matching it to the correct number, independently!

Well Done Ayaan!



- Friday 3rd February** NSPCC Number Day
- Monday 6th-10th February** Children's Mental Health Week
Hairdresser in school
- Tuesday 7th February** Safer Internet Day
Nibble and Natter
Hairdresser in school
- Friday 10th February** Family Forum
Closure after school
Half Term



If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's online safety at home, please don't hesitate to contact school. You will be directed to someone who can support you.



Staff - Courtney and Sophie.B

Children Theo.S

We would love to share your news on our newsletter.

You can send photos etc.to:

newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk

Holly Grove Heroes



Aisling's Class - Jade

Katie's Class - Ayaan

Laura's Class - Hussain

Libby's Class - Michael.N

Rebecca's Class - Lucy

Danielle's Class - Reo

Julie's Class - Katie

Connor's Class - Aayan

Courtney's Class - Stanley

Alex's Class - Cato



Well Done Everyone!

Well Done to Sulayman for his super English Homework. He was asked to think of an alliterative title and he wrote a full poem (with Mum) .



We would like to share the poem with you all!

We are very proud of you Sulayman!



Holly Grove Animals Like Happiness

Happy hippos like to hike

Obedient owls like to be observant

Lovely lion like to laugh

Lazy lizard like to lick

Yellow yak like yoga



Groovy giraffe like to giggle

Rainbow rabbit like to run

Orange octopus like ocean

Village vulture bird like Vet

Energetic elephant like exercise



Athletic alligator like adventures

Noisy nunbird like nature

Indigo icefish like imagination

Mischief monkey like music

Active aardwolf like attraction

Little ladybird like leaf

Spooky seagull likes sea



Sulayman Ahmed

Monday 23rd January 2023



Parent webinars

Join us on Teams by scanning the QR code and adding the ID and passcode of your chosen webinar

	My anxious child	Children and young people's mental health in digital age	Low mood in children and young people	The importance of sleep
	6 th February	7 th February	8 th February	9 th February
10am	Meeting ID: 344 132 303 380 Passcode: ihuqaA	Meeting ID: 323 368 415 834 Passcode: xVvRAX	Meeting ID: 345 811 897 801 Passcode: VDPZ6n	Meeting ID: 379 862 780 03 Passcode: LYaE7r
6pm	Meeting ID: 335 327 837 922 Passcode: kRtech	Meeting ID: 379 365 814 403 Passcode: ybimaE	Meeting ID: 376 185 566 371 Passcode: kcCreE	Meeting ID: 363 744 777 913 Passcode: 9fXJXC

We would like to invite you to our
Family Warm and Welcome
sessions taking place across

centres in Burnley



Come along and help yourself to tea
(or coffee) and toast



FREE PLAY

Activities available for children

We can also explore

**Funded places at
local nurseries and
childminders to help your
2, 3 or 4 year olds to
play, learn & grow.**



Family Warm & Welcome sessions

Monday—Burnley Campus, Barden Lane 3.30pm-5.00pm

Tuesday—Ightenhill Centre, Oak Street 9.30am-11.00am

Wednesday— South West Burnley Centre, Tay Street 3.30pm-5.00pm

Thursday—Chai Centre, Hurtley Street 1.00pm-2.30pm

Friday—Burnley Wood Centre, Brunswick Street 9.30am-11.00am

No need to book, just drop-in.



COLOURFUL FOOTSTEPS



Colourful Footsteps aims to provide an opportunity for parents and children with SEND age 5-11 years old to engage in a specific SEND activity session facilitated in a local centre:

To provide a safe environment for children and parents to play and explore accessing age appropriate resources and the sensory room.

To encourage awareness with parents around their child's development

To offer a range of creative and physical opportunities to encourage positive play and interaction between children and their parents.

Aid bonding, connection & reduce the risk of social isolation for parents

Built the confidence of parents and communication between parent and child

Chance for adult interaction, provide a great place to meet new people and build children's social skills



Every Wednesday 3:30-5:30pm

At The Chai Centre, Hurtley St, Burnley

BB10 1BY

5-11yrs



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

