



Holly Grove School Newsletter

9th May 2023

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We hope you had a great bank holiday weekend!



We had a great time celebrating the King's Coronation in school last week.

The pupils and staff came into school wearing red, white and blue and all week we had been taking part in activities linked to the Coronation, including a Picnic lunch.



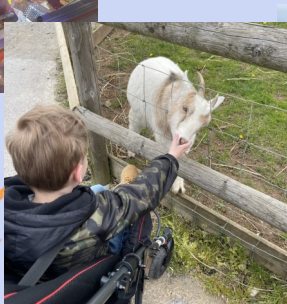
Rehearsals are in full swing for our upper school production of **'The Jungle Book'**

The performance will take place on **Friday 26th May.**



Thank you to Oliver for sharing these wonderful photos of his recent fun trip to Devon with his family.

It looks like you all had a great time!



Signs of the Week

We are 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.

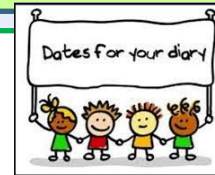


You can contact school if you need any support using Makaton at home,

PECS DROP-IN SESSIONS

Our first PECS Drop In session will be on Thursday 11th May 2023 in school from 1:00pm until 3pm.

If you would like to attend please reply via school spider and let us know your preferred time slot. We will contact you to let you know the time you have been allocated as soon as possible.



Thursday 11th May

PECS Drop-in Session

15th-19th May

Mental Health Awareness Week

Tuesday 23rd May

Nibble and Natter

22nd-26th May

Blackpool Residential

Friday 26th May

Upper School Production
School Closes for Half Term

Monday, 5th May

School re-opens

Staff Training/Development

Wednesday 10th May

3:00- 4:30pm

Neglect Training



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Staff - Andrea. K and Sarah

Children David.T and Jacob.P

Holly Grove Heroes



Aisling's Class - Albie

Katie's Class - Ayaan

Laura's Class - Jibreel

Zoe's Class - Aadam

Rebecca's Class - Roxana

Danielle's Class - Charlie

Julie's Class - Samuel

Connor's Class - Jack

Courtney's Class - Stanley

Alex's Class - Cato

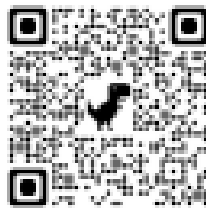


REMINDER!

You can view our school policies on the website

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Well Done Everyone!



Mental Health Awareness Week
 15th - 19th May 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 15 th May	Helping your child with exam stress 16 th May	Psychoeducation around worry 17 th May	My anxious child 18 th May
10am	Meeting ID: 351 559 492 624 Passcode: FJB9ML	Meeting ID: 357 382 124 664 Passcode: Gffhor	Meeting ID: 344 119 659 453 Passcode: AAHxf2	Meeting ID: 392 679 166 83 Passcode: 2AMV3b
				Psychoeducation around worry
6pm		Meeting ID: 319 471 423 371 Passcode: ne3K32		Meeting ID: 334 237 546 14 Passcode: c5nj7D

Meaningful May 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 Do something kind for someone you really care about	2 Focus on what you can do rather than what you can't do	3 Take a step towards an important goal, however small	4 Send your friend a photo from a time you enjoyed together	5 Let someone know how much they mean to you and why	6 Look for people doing good and reasons to be cheerful	7 Make a list of what matters most to you and why
8 Set yourself a kindness mission to help others today	9 What values are important to you? Find ways to use them today	10 Be grateful for the little things, even in difficult times	11 Look around for things that bring you a sense of awe and wonder	12 Listen to a favourite piece of music and remember what it means to you	13 Find out about the values or traditions of another culture	14 Get outside and notice the beauty in nature
15 Do something to contribute to your local community	16 Show your gratitude to people who are helping to make things better	17 Find a way to make what you do today meaningful	18 Send a hand-written note to someone you care about	19 Reflect on what makes you feel valued and purposeful	20 Share photos of 3 things you find meaningful or memorable	21 Look up at the sky. Remember we are all part of something bigger
22 Find a way to help a project or charity you care about	23 Recall three things you've done that you are proud of	24 Make choices that have a positive impact for others today	25 Ask someone else what matters most to them and why	26 Remember an event in your life that was really meaningful	27 Focus on how your actions make a difference for others	28 Do something special and revisit it in your memory tonight
29 Today do something to care for the natural world	30 Share a quote you find inspiring to give others a boost	31 Find three reasons to be hopeful about the future				



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

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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

Coronation Bank Holiday 1 day Monday 8 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

