



Holly Grove School Newsletter

22nd May 2023

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We hope you had a lovely weekend!

Reminder

There will be no Merry Berry Sessions this week!



We hope everyone attending the Blackpool Residential this week, have a great time.

We are praying the sun shines all week for you all!



School closes on Friday 26th May for half term and re opens on

Monday, 5th June.

Have a Great Half Term!



Courtney's class had a great time visiting Towneley Park last week.

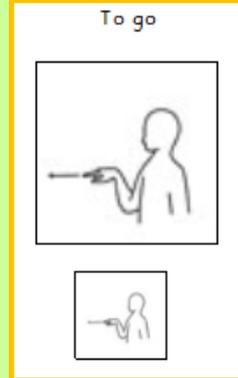
They played on the park and enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch.

Looks like they had a lot of fun!



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,



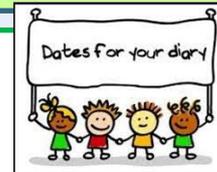
Nibble and natter



We will be holding our next Nibble & Natter group on Tuesday 23rd May from 1pm-3pm. Shagufta will meet everyone attending in the Rotunda.

Parent's/Carer's with younger children who may wish to attend, please ensure that children are supervised during the group.

We look forward to seeing you all!



Tuesday 23rd May

Nibble and Natter

22nd-26th May

Blackpool Residential

Friday 26th May

Upper School Production
School Closes for Half Term

Monday, 5th June

School re-opens



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Staff - Anna.B

Children No Birthdays

REMINDER!

You can view our school policies on the website

www.holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk

Holly Grove Heroes



Aisling's Class - Ariz

Katie's Class - Aminah

Laura's Class - Hussain

Zoe's Class - Stanley

Rebecca's Class - Joel

Danielle's Class - Charlie

Julie's Class - Macie-Rose

Connor's Class - Fahd

Courtney's Class - Talha

Alex's Class - Jacob



Well Done Everyone!!

Can you help The Georgia Fourie Butterfly Fund WIN Beat the Street?

Beat the Street is a free, fun initiative that will see Bumley transformed into a giant game!

See how far you can walk, cycle, run, scoot and roll in just 6 weeks. There are great challenges and prizes up for grabs. The game started on 10th May and ends on 21st June.

We need your help to win this challenge. If you are out and about at the weekends with your family, please consider taking part and earning points.

Visit beatthestreet.me and create an account. Click 13 or over and sign up as the adult in the family. Select Bumley and choose 'I don't have a card' option and choose to join the Georgia Fourie Butterfly Fund team.

And you are ready to go.



Download the app and explore your local area, finding Beat Boxes nearest to you on the app's menu. Please send us your photos and videos of your family taking part and we would love to display them on our Facebook page and newsletter.



Scan the QR code to see the map



SEN Play Sessions in Lancashire

This group is to share activities, events, groups and sessions along with positive experiences and recommendations with regards to accessing the community and local area with SEN Children



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				



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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

