

# HOLLY GROVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



6TH MAY 2024



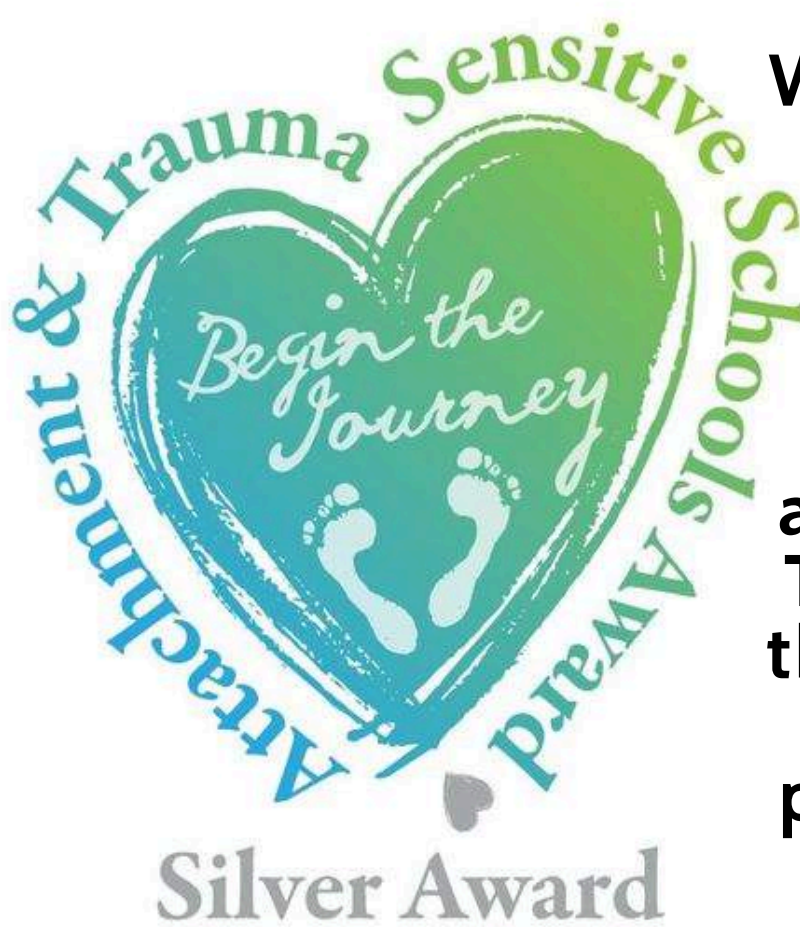
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We hope you had a great bank holiday weekend and enjoyed the lovely weather!



If you would like to share any news on the newsletter, you can email photos etc. to [newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk)



We are delighted to let you all know we achieved the Silver Attachment award last week. Thank you to all the staff for their hard work and professionalism.

We are collecting raffle prize donations of bottles for our upcoming Butterfly Ball.

Any donations will be greatly appreciated!



Do you have any old handbags you no longer use?  
Do they have these type of straps/clasps?

If so then please consider donating the straps to school.

The straps will help our children to carry their PECS book around school  
All donations will be much appreciated!.



We are wishing all the children and staff exploring Bendrigg this week a blast! Fingers crossed for sunny skies and loads of fun.

We will share photos on next weeks newsletter!

ENJOY!



# Parent Workshop

Our parent workshop, 'My Anxious Child' will be running here at Holly Grove on Wednesday 8th May at 1.15pm.



Parent Information-

My anxious child Workshop

East Lancashire Hospitals  
A Lancashire Health Trust

The workshop takes place in school and lasts for approximately 45 minutes.

My Anxious Child Workshop explores:-

- The Fight, Flight, Freeze response.
- The role of uncertainty in fears and worries
- Thoughts, feelings and behaviours cycle.
- Signs of fears and worries.
- What can Maintain fears and worries.
- What you can do to support your child.

Parents are welcome to ask questions or share any tips or strategies that they find beneficial in supporting their child with worries.

Safe | Personal | Effective

# Amazing

A Well Done to Lily-Mae for her amazing Maths work, identifying empty and full when learning about capacity.

We are so proud of you!



Louie has been a Superstar during his Listen and Move sessions. He has been following instructions and actions independently.

# GREAT JOB!

Isaac has had an amazing week, engaging and completing all of his activities. Well Done Isaac!





# REMINDER

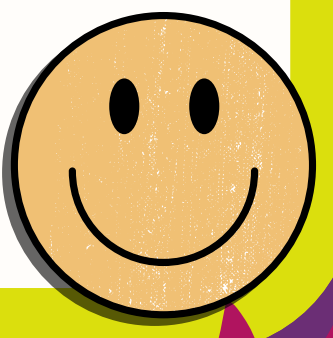
We have a selection of dual language reading books in school. These are available in Urdu and Polish.  
Please contact school if you would like us to send one home for you to enjoy with your child.

## STAFF TRAINING

Wednesday 8th May  
3pm - 4:30pm



Outdoor Learning



You can access all our policies and our privacy notices on the school website.

[www.holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk)



## STAFF

Andrea.K

## CHILDREN

Scarlett,  
Mason.G  
David.T  
Jacob.P  
Martha

## Important Dates



- Wednesday 8th May GLD Athletics
- Wednesday 8th- 11th May Bendrigg
- Wednesday 8th May Parent Worship
- Monday 13-19th May Mental Health Week
- Monday 20th May Blackpool Residential
- Tuesday 21st May Nibble and Natter
- Friday 24th May School closes for half term

# HOLLY GROVE HEROES



Aisling's Class - Louie

Katie's Class - Isla

Samantha's Class - Zachary

Rebecca's Class - Olly

Laura's Class - Edward

Danielle/Connor's Class - Cato

Julie's Class - Talha

Michael's Class - Isaac and Minnie

Courtney's Class - Sophie

Josh's Class - Freya

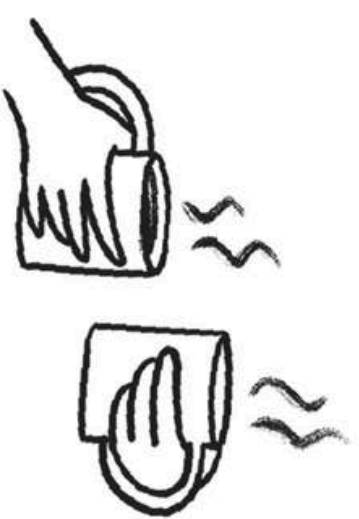
Alex's Class - Szymon

Libby's Class - Lily-Mae



# Meaningful May 2024

MONDAY



6 Look for people doing good and reasons to be cheerful

TUESDAY



7 Make a list of what matters most to you and why

WEDNESDAY

1 Do something kind for someone you really care about

THURSDAY

2 Focus on what you can do rather than what you can't do

FRIDAY

3 Take a step towards an important goal, however small

SATURDAY

4 Send your friend a photo from a time you enjoyed together

SUNDAY

5 Let someone know how much they mean to you and why



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Find out about the values or traditions of another culture

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Get outside and notice the beauty in nature

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Do something to contribute to your local community

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Show your gratitude to people who are helping to make things better

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Find a way to make what you do today meaningful

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Send a hand-written note to someone you care about

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Reflect on what makes you feel valued and purposeful

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Share photos of 3 things you find meaningful or memorable

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Look up at the sky. Remember we are all part of something bigger

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Find a way to help a project or charity you care about

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Recall three things you've done that you are proud of

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Make choices that have a positive impact for others today

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Ask someone else what matters most to them and why

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Remember an event in your life that was really meaningful

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Focus on how your actions make a difference for others

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Do something special and revisit it in your memory tonight

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Today do something to care for the natural world

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Share a quote you find inspiring to give others a boost

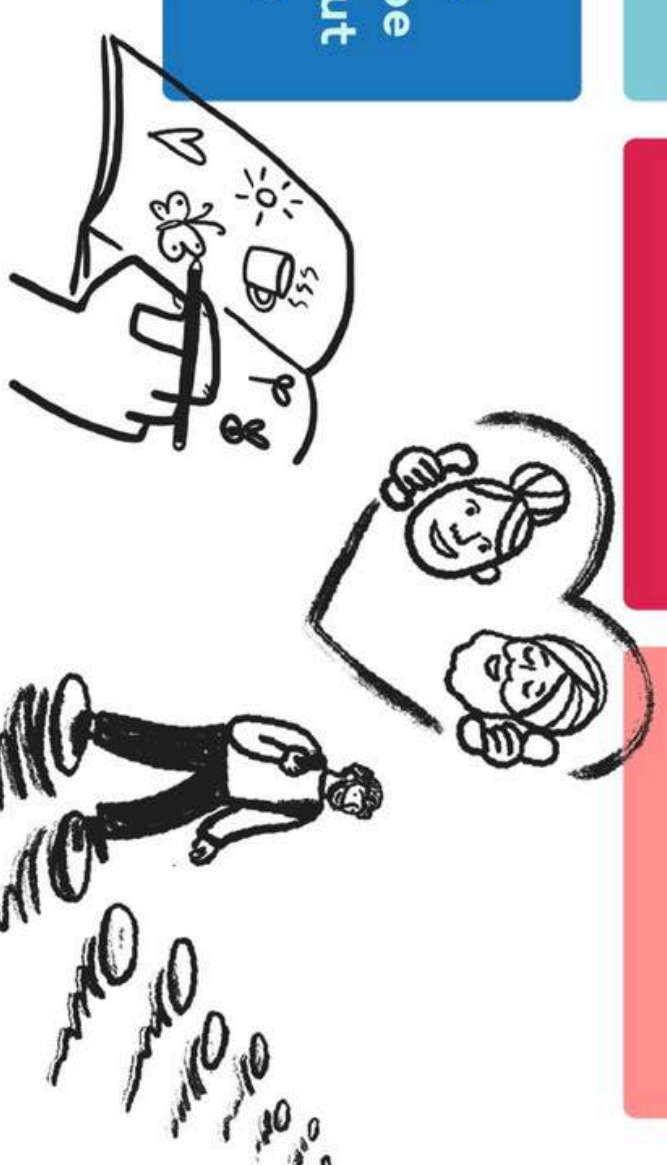
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Find three reasons to be hopeful about the future



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

Happier · Kinder · Together





# Family **AUTISM** Service

**Is your child seeking or has an autism diagnosis?**

**Do you live in East Lancashire or Blackburn with Darwen?**

**Is your child/children under 25 years old?**

**Are you a parent/carer looking for information, advice and support?**

## **Come along to our:**

- Parent Support Group
- Autism Awareness Sessions and workshops
- Cygnet Course
- Social Activities (for families, young people, siblings)
- Emotional Health and Well Being sessions



**MAKE A  
REFERRAL**

**For more information:**

**☎ 01254 244706 | ✉ autism@canw.org.uk | [www.canw.org.uk](http://www.canw.org.uk)**



## TIMETABLE APRIL-JULY 2024

### MONDAY

#### Passive Income Training

10am-12pm starting on the 8th April

A free 4 week course at Down Town to set you up to get ready to start earning.

Contact: [lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk](mailto:lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk)

#### Thrive

1pm-3pm

A variety of skills, employment and training advice all available in one place. If you are aged 16-34 and looking for help and advice, come along and meet with the variety of our partners who have expertise in helping young people take their next steps.

Contact: 01282 886313 [lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk](mailto:lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk)

#### Steps To Employment

10am-2pm

Support available with your employability needs.

From support with your CV, to job search and interview techniques. All our support is tailored to meet your individual needs.

Contact: [skills@calico.org.uk](mailto:skills@calico.org.uk)

#### Prince's Trust

1pm-3pm

Prince's Trust work with young people aged 16 to 30. The goal is to assist them in moving into work, education, or training through a variety of different programmes. They also offer business start up support.

Contact: 07773002870

#### 12 Step Life Recovery

Life Church 1:30pm-3pm

12 Step Life Recovery supports individuals in their struggles with different types of addictions and dependencies. The support can help with traditional addictions of Alcohol and Drugs but also with relationships and independence issues to name a few. The meetings are 100% confidential.

Contact: 07957616497

#### Burnley Rainbow Friendship Club

Last Monday of the month between 2pm-4pm

The RFC Club is a constituted peer support group for LGBT+ people in Burnley for a coffee and a chat. We chat about lots of issues around being LGBT+ in Burnley. During the session, we attend the East Lancs LGBT network at the same time as our meet, to learn about new services relevant to our community. All adults 18+ welcome!

Contact: [lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk](mailto:lisaross@bprcvs.co.uk)

### TUESDAY

#### Hear Now

Children and Family Wellbeing

11am-12.30pm

Weekly drop in for face-to-face advice on universal credit, housing, debt, and family support.

#### Craft and Chat

Children and Family Wellbeing

12.30am-1pm

Come along for new friends, activities, and fun. Suitable for families with early years children.

#### Infant Massage

Children and Family Wellbeing

11am-12pm

This session is focused on babies that are 5 weeks to crawling and designed to help you strengthen the bonding process with your baby and build confidence in handling your baby. Information and support will be provided to help your baby's development.

A great opportunity to bond with your baby and meet other parents/carers.

Contact: 01282 470707

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If you have any further questions,  
contact us on: 01282 686402 or [contact@burnleytogether.org.uk](mailto:contact@burnleytogether.org.uk)

## WEDNESDAY

### Living Well Checks

West PCN

9am-12pm on: 10th April, 8th May, 5th June, 10th July

Access to blood pressure, pulse and BMI checks. Advice on Wellbeing and local support services.

Contact: 07535331152

### Social Prescriber

10am-2pm

Social prescribers can connect you to services to support with practical, social and emotional needs. Helping you access advice, information and guidance around finances, debt, housing, mental health, social isolation, employment and education and helping you navigate medical appointments. As required, referrals to our service will be made for more guided support.

### Citizens Advice

9am-12pm

Benefits and financial advice

Contact: 0800 278 7975

### Steps To Employment

10am-2pm

Support available with your employability needs. From support with your CVs, to job search and interview techniques. All our support is tailored to meet your individual needs. Contact: skills@calico.org.uk

### Carers link meet up

11am-1pm on the 4th

Wednesday of every month

Carers and the person you care for, join us for a cuppa and delicious treat in the Down Town cafe. If you haven't been to a carers link before, don't worry, a member of staff will be there to greet you with a warm welcome.

Contact: 01254 387444

### Advocacy Focus

10am-2pm on the 17th April, 15th May and 19th June, 17th July

Support for individuals facing health and social care challenges and maintain available in areas such as housing, benefits, access to training, education, and employment. Our community team is here to provide 1-1 advocacy support for a range of issues and is here to help you live the life you want to live. Contact: 0300 323 0965

## THURSDAY

### Coffee and Chat

11am-12pm

Come along and join us for a free hot drink to find out more about the support and events at Down Town or a general chat.

Contact: contact@burnleytogether.org.uk

### Walk and Talk

Positive Action in the Community (PAC)

Meeting point: Rotunda Cafe at Towneley Park from 1pm

'Know your neighbour' walking group provides support to people in Burnley affected by loneliness and isolation. This is a great way to meet new people and connect with the community.

Contact: Maj.mahmood@PAC.org.uk

### CAP Debt Help

Christians Against Poverty

4th Thursday of the month

between 10.30am-12pm

Expert debt counselling with support for repayment, in-depth, long-term recovery options and more complex cases. Tailored to accommodate vulnerable clients and those with multiple complex needs.

Contact: 07487378814 or katherineohring@capuk.org

## FRIDAY

### Living Well Checks

East PCN

9am-12pm

5th and 19th April, 3rd, 17th and 31st May, 14th and 28th June, 12th and 26th July

Access to blood pressure, pulse, and BMI checks. Advice on Wellbeing and local support services.

Contact: alliance.healthchecksburnley@nhs.net

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9am-4pm

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### Nattershock

10am onwards

Nattershock is a chance for people to come together to meet each other for a natter. It can be people who live on their own and want to get out of the house, people who want to meet new friends. Everyone is welcome! Contact: andrea\_theone@hotmail.com

### ICANN

2nd and 3rd Friday of the month between 10am-2pm

Help with filling in benefits forms, PIP \* ESA50 \* UC50 \* CHILD DLA \* AA

Contact: 01772 748081 to book an appointment

### Level 2 Complimentary Therapy Course

9am-1pm

Would you like to learn a new skill? Do you have an interest in holistic and alternative therapies that you would like to pursue further? This light-touch qualification is the perfect introduction to health, wellbeing and massage. For further information on the course contact a member of staff at Down Town or Heyley. Contact: Heyley.Hopson@LearningCurveGroup.co.uk



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Children and Family Wellbeing service



# Friday Movie Afternoon

Join us on  
31st MAY  
2024



Snacks provided



FROM  
1:45pm-4PM



Doors will close at 2:00pm

SHOWING

WONKA

please note the venue holds a limited number of places.  
To avoid disappointment please call 01282 470707 and book your place.

AT IGHTEHILL CENTRE. OAK STREET, BB12 6QZ

Website with PosterMyWall.com





Children and  
Family Wellbeing  
Service present;

# NATURE Fun

Nature  
wands

Nature  
crowns

at The Chai Centre, Hurtle  
Street, Burnley, BB10 1BY

Leaf  
printing

31st May 2024  
10am - 12pm

Arts &  
crafts





## PUPIL HOLIDAY DATES – 2023 / 2024

### Autumn Term 2023

Re-open		Wednesday 6 September 2023
Half Term	5 days	Monday 23 October Friday 27 October (Inclusive)
Re-open		Monday 30 October

Christmas - Closure after school on Friday 22 December 2023

### Spring Term 2024

Re-open		Monday 8 January 2024
Half Term	5 days	Monday 12 February to Monday 19 February (Inclusive)
Re-open		Tuesday 20 February

Easter - Closure after school on Thursday 28 March 2024

### Summer Term 2024

Re-open		Monday 15 April 2024
May Day	1 day	Monday 6 May
Half Term	5 days	Monday 27 May to Friday 31 May (Inclusive)
Re-open		Monday 3 June

Summer – Closure after school on Friday 19 July 2024