

# HOLLY GROVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



7TH OCTOBER 2024



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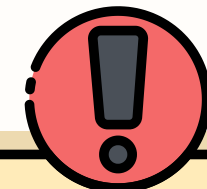
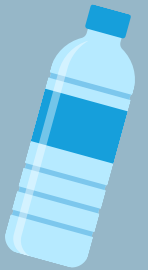


We hope you had a great weekend!

## Non Uniform

Thank you for your very kind donations of chocolate for our up and coming Fundraising 80s bingo night.

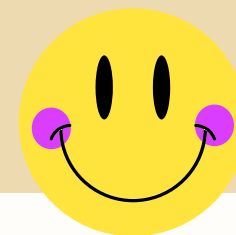
This **Friday 11th October** in exchange for non uniform we kindly ask for donations of bottles. This can be anything from shampoo to Champagne, water or wine Thank you for your support.



REMINDER

Parent's Evening will be held this Wednesday, 9th October.

We look forward to seeing you all!



Last week, Burnley in the Community came in to collect all of our donations for Harvest. We want to thank parents, carers and staff for their generous donations, we have truly been overwhelmed.

The donations will go towards supporting families across Burnley and are very much appreciated.



A huge thank you to Marsden with Pennine Lodge no 6183 who came into school and presented us with a cheque for the Georgia Fourie Butterfly Fund to support the pupils of Holly Grove School. Thank you for your generosity.





**Congratulations to Samantha Hindle (Teacher in Lower School) who has achieved her Master's Degree in Education - specialising in Severe, Profound and Multiple Learning Disabilities. Samantha achieved a merit and we are very proud of her. This was completed while being pregnant/having her little boy and working full-time.**



**Well Done to Alex in Samantha's class for using his PECS skills to communicate what he would like to eat at snack time.**



**We are very proud of Leia for working so hard in all her lessons, using her manners all the time and for always making everyone smile in class**



**WOW! Well done to Evie for tasting her pasta at lunchtime. We are very proud of you!**



**A huge well done to Anabaya for her fantastic swimming during her physio sessions last week.**

**We are super proud of Stanley for joining in with lots of activities with confidence and a smile**



**Well Done to Caiden For his amazing acting in RE. He played the role of the traveller in the parable The Good Samaritan.**



**REMINDER**



[www.bagtoschool.com](http://www.bagtoschool.com)

Holly Grove is participating in the 'Bag 2 School' initiative! Each pupil and staff member will receive a bag to fill with any of the following items they no longer need: clothes, shoes, handbags, hats, bags, scarves, bras, jewellery, socks, and belts. Please remember, items like duvets, blankets, pillows, cushions, ripped or soiled clothes, batteries, school uniforms, and furniture cannot be accepted.

The bags collected will be sent to various locations, including Africa and Ukraine, while others will be recycled or repurposed. Bag 2 School is a fun, free and easy way for us to raise funds, the more bags we send, the more money Holly Grove receives.

You can use your own bag or one of the provided bags, which has been sent home. Please do not bring any bags to school until the collection date on **Thursday, October 10th**, as we won't have space to store them.

If you're doing a clear-out, we encourage you to bag up those items and contribute! Thank you for your support!

## Bad Weather

### Early Morning Arrangements

If you think school may be closed or if school is going to be closed because of bad weather, it will be announced on:

**BBC Radio Lancashire – FM 95.5**

**Capital Radio – FM 99.8**

Announcements are usually given at ½ and ¼ past the hour.

(Please do not telephone the stations)

It will also be posted on our school website and Facebook page:

<https://www.holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk/>  
and

An in app school spider message and email will be sent to all parents

**In School Arrangements:**

If we decide to send pupils home early because of worsening weather during the day, we will telephone you before your child leaves school.

To enable us to carry out these arrangements as safely & effectively as possible please don't forget to keep school up to date with your contact information.

Thank you for your support!



# 100 CLUB

## OCTOBER 2024

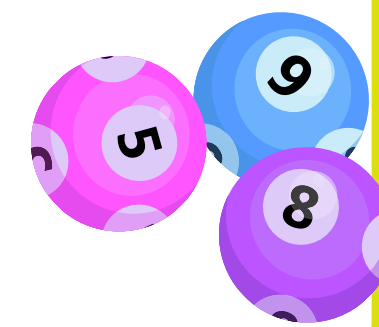
Well done to our October 100 club winners. Cheques are in the post.

Number **7** - Anna Brown **£50**

Number **52** - Megan Falaize **£25**

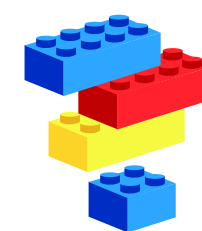


**WINNER**



## Stay and Play

Stay and Play Afternoons – Autumn Term 1.30-2.30pm



Here is a list of each class' stay and play sessions for the Autumn Term. You are very welcome to attend the session of the class your child belongs to.



Aisling's Class	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October
Katie's Class	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October
Samantha's Class	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> October
Josh's Class	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November
Rebecca's Class	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November
Laura's Class	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October
Courtney's Class	Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> October
Adam's Class	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> October
Julie's Class	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> September (9.30am-10.30am)
Jenny's Class	Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> October
Alex's Class	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November
Michael's Class	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November



# WORLD TEACHERS' DAY

October 5



A huge shout out to all our amazing teachers who inspire and nurture our students every day.



## Staff Development

Wednesday 9th October  
3pm-5:30pm

Parent's Evening

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



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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY



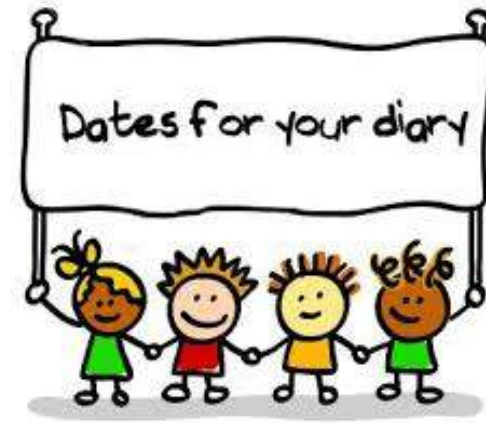
## STAFF

Kelly.H

Tara

## CHILDREN

Joshua  
Lucas.C  
Izaan  
Macie-Rose  
Essa  
Joshua.C



Wednesday 9th October	Parents Evening
Monday 14th October	Hairdresser in school
Tuesday 15th October	Hairdresser in school
Friday 18th October	Wear it Pink Day
Friday 18th October	Charity Night
Friday 18th October	School closes for half Term
Monday 28th October	School Reopens

# HOLLY GROVE HEROES



**Aisling's Class** - Everyone

**Katie's Class** - Everyone

**Samantha's Class** - Alex

**Rebecca's Class** - Leia

**Laura's Class** - Henry

**Adam's Class** - Eesa

**Julie's Class** - Stanley

**Michael's Class** - Varian

**Courtney's Class** - Anabaya

**Josh's Class** - Evie

**Alex's Class** - Mackenzie

**Jenny's Class** - Abdullah



**£10 per  
day  
10am - 2pm**

**October  
21st - 22nd**

# **HOLIDAY CLUB GROVE**

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# Optimistic October 2024

MONDAY

TUESDAY

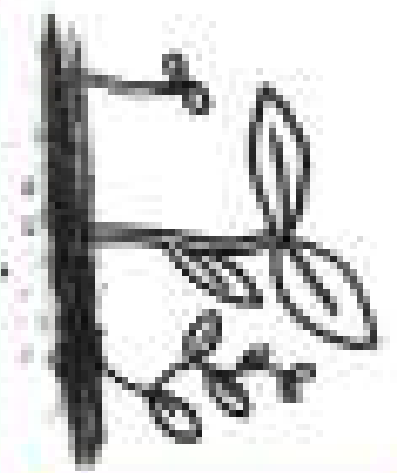
WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY



1 Look for the good in people around you today

2 Write down three things you can look forward to this month

3 Find something to be optimistic about (even if it's a difficult time)

4 Take a small step towards a goal that really matters to you

5 Start your day with the most important thing on your to-do list

6 Be a realistic optimist. See life as it is, but focus on what's good

7 Remind yourself that things can change for the better

8 Make some progress on a project or task you have been avoiding

9 Share an important goal with someone you trust

10 Take time to reflect on what you have accomplished recently

11 Avoid blaming yourself or others. Find a helpful way forward

12 Look out for positive news and reasons to be cheerful today

13 Ask for help to overcome an obstacle you are facing

14 Do something constructive to improve a difficult situation

15 Thank yourself for achieving the things you often take for granted

16 Put down your to-do list and do something fun or uplifting

17 Take a small step towards a positive change you want to see in society

18 Be helpful! Set realistic goals for the day ahead

19 Identify one of your positive qualities that will be helpful in the future

20 Find joy in taking a task you've put off for some time

21 Let go of the expectations of others and focus on what matters to you

22 Share a hopeful quote, picture or video with a friend or colleague

23 Recognise that you have a choice about what to prioritise

24 Write down three specific things that have gone well recently

25 You can't do everything! What are your three priorities right now?

26 Find a new perspective on a problem you face

27 Be kind to yourself today. Remember, progress takes time

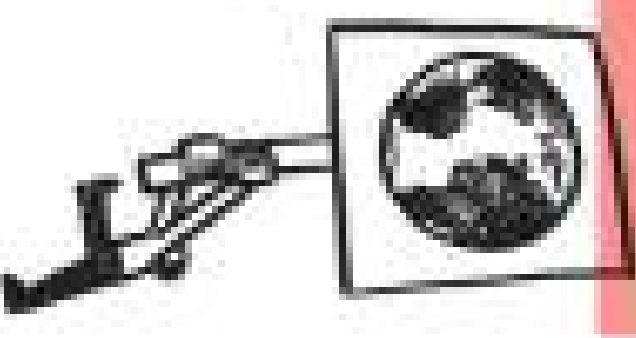


28 Ask yourself, will this still matter a year from now?

29 Plan a fun or exciting activity to look forward to

30 Identify three things that give you hope for the future

31 Set a goal that brings a sense of purpose for the coming month



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

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★ Holly Grove ★

# FESTIVE MARKETS

FESTIVE STALLS. TOMBOLAS.  
HOT FOOD AND DRINK. SANTA'S GROTTO.  
MEET & GREET OLAF.  
GAMES AND CRAFTS

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SATURDAY 30TH NOVEMBER • 11AM-2PM

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BURNLEY BB10 1JD

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21st Oct - 10am - 12pm**

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# SEN SUNDAY

24TH NOVEMBER 2024  
11AM - 3PM

COME AND EXPERIENCE THE PARK AT A  
QUIETER TIME, OPEN ESPECIALLY FOR  
OUR SEN CUSTOMERS

ADMISSION £5 PER PERSON.  
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