

HOLLY TREES PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



6th October 2017

Well done to

Bronze Awards went to Jessica Edwards, Millie Preston, Christina Oniceanu, Kylesh Anpalahan, Connor Bashford, Louis King, Kieron Ramsey, Elexis Bartlett-Avant, Sharnell George, Clayden, Chloe Golding & Chloe Andrews.

Pen Licence went to Caitlin O'Sullivan

Forthcoming dates

10.10.17 – 8pm Fundraisers AGM @ Zizzi's
11.10.17 – Individual photographs
12.10.17 – Yrs 5&6 Cross Country Competition
12.10.17 – 4.30-7pm Parent/Teacher consultations
17.10.17 – 3.30-6pm Parent/Teacher consultations
17.10.17 – Second Hand Uniform Sale at the front of the School
18.10.17 – 9am Reception Classes Phonics Session in the small hall for coffee followed at 9.30 by a Phonics Lesson. More Information to follow shortly.

Parent Information

Individual photographs will be taken on Wednesday 11th October. If you wish to have your child photographed with a sibling not yet at our school you will have the opportunity from 8.15 am in the Library.

Don't forget to follow us on Twitter
@HollyTreesSch

Sporting news

Arriving at clubs – Morning clubs must be attended by 8.15am at the latest. If your child arrives after 8.15 then most of the club has been missed and so you should report to the office.

Attendance

97% target – Congratulations to – Beech, Elder, Holly, Hornbeam, Larch, Maple, Spruce & Sycamore

NEXT WEEK'S MENU!

<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
Home Made Tuna Pasta Bake Or Home Made Macaroni Cheese Garlic Bread Salad Bar <i>Homemade Lemon & Honey Cake</i>	Home Made Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie Or Quorn & Mushroom Puff Pastry Slice Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Carrots <i>Homemade Oat Cookies</i>	Local Butchers Roast Topside of Beef with Yorkshire Puddings Gravy & Vegetables Or Roasted Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Puddings Gravy & Vegetables <i>Banana Loaf</i>	Pork Meatballs served in a rich tomato sauce Or Quorn balls served in a rich tomato sauce Wholegrain rice Peas Salad Bar <i>Apple Crumble & Custard</i>	Oven baked fillet of fish in a crispy batter Or Vegetable nuggets Served with chipped potatoes Baked beans or peas <i>Mango & Orange Frozen Smoothies</i>

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Girl Power – Congratulations to our Upper School Girls' Football Team for reaching the semi- finals at the competition on Thursday. A great achievement as the team had not had the opportunity to play together a great deal beforehand. It was also very pleasing to hear about a number of girls who are participating in a range of sports outside of school in assembly this morning. Keep up the good work!

And Not Forgetting The Boys – Well done to the boys' football team who also made it through to the semi-finals. It's good to see sport alive and kicking at Holly Trees School.

Dinner Census – A huge thank you to you as parents for ensuring an excellent uptake of school meals on our Census Day. We achieved a whopping 89% of children eating a school lunch and a massive well done to the kitchen team for continuing to produce such high quality dinners. Thank you all.

Lateness – Whilst most parents do a good job of ensuring their children arrive at school promptly we have noticed an increase in late arrivals in the mornings. It is important that adults encourage children to form positive habits with regards to time keeping in order to become successful members of society. The school gates close at 8.55 and registers close at 9 am and therefore children must be **in class** before this time.

Parents Evening – You will receive your child's targets on Monday in advance of the parent consultations to be held on Thursday evening.

Recording of Absence – It is our duty to contact parents or carers as soon as a child is not present at school if they have not already informed us. This is an important aspect of our safeguarding of children's welfare and it is therefore essential that we have up to date contact details, including alternative contacts. Please note that if we are unable to speak to any adults on the list provided we will have to contact outside agencies to report a child missing in education.

French Lessons – Madame Michelle Bright has spaces in her after school French Club on Tuesdays. If you are interested please see Michelle in Holly Class from 3.20 pm every Tuesday.

Mathletics – There is still time to sign up for this valuable maths resource, only available for Years 1 to 6. It is £6 for an annual subscription (normal price £59) sign up and pay on SIMS AGORA.