



# HOLLYFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

25 October 2019

NEWSLETTER 08



## After half term!

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| Mon 4 November    | Children return to school             |
| Tues 5 November   | Year 1 Trip to Cannock Chase          |
| Tues 5 November   | New Reception Parents Meeting 9.15am  |
| Tues 5 November   | Bonfire Meal                          |
| Thurs 7 November  | New Reception Parents Meeting 1.45 pm |
| Fri 8 November    | PA Shopping Night                     |
| Tues 12 November  | Year 2 Impact Workshop 9am KS2 Hall   |
| Thurs 14 November | 3D Class Assembly 9am KS2 Hall        |

## October Half Term

**Friday 25 October - INSET DAY**  
(school closed to children)  
**MON 28 OCTOBER- FRI 01 NOVEMBER**  
(half term break - 1 week)  
Children return to school on :  
**Monday 4 November**



Thank you so much for all of your kind donations. The children were treated to a lovely assembly by Reverend Nicholas all about Harvest Festival. The School Council will decide on where these items will be distributed. Thank you once again for your kind and continued support.



Science continues to inspire our children and staff at Hollyfield. The Science Ambassadors have been very busy preparing resources for children to use around school and at lunchtimes to enable them to be more curious about our locality. Mrs Morris has recently had an article published about Primary Science Leadership and using Exploify in the ASE Primary Science Journal. It is great that our good practice, not just in science but across other subjects as well, is recognised locally and at a National Level. We are all extremely proud of Mrs Morris for her fantastic achievement.

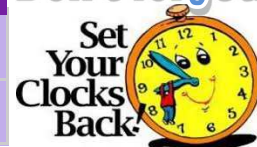


Gaming or Gambling? Many games now mirror gambling like features but if the prize is not money or money's worth then UK legislation does not define it as gambling. As a result, gambling like features and behaviours are commonly seen in games played by children. Loot boxes are paid for surprise packages in games, easy to become addicted to purchases until a child gets what they want, it could be a new outfit for a character in a game, a vehicle or other item. ASK - What games your child is playing! CHECK - You are comfortable with what they are playing! KNOW - What they are spending money on.



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| Yr5 | Ellana (5C), Macie-Mae (5C) |
| Yr6 | Lily M (6W), Oliver (6C)    |

Don't forget!



*Menu for week beg 4 Nov*



**Fresh seasonal salad bar/bread , fruit and yoghurts and drinking water available daily; Vegetarian options daily.**

**Dinner money  
for next half term  
is £82.25  
£11.75 due on:  
Mon 4 November**

Please state what  
the money is for  
Name, Class  
Amount enclosed



After the half term break poppies and other associated items will be on sale during school time. If you would like to purchase any of these items to contribute to the Poppy appeal please try to bring the correct change with you. Donations for poppies please and any other items are priced between 50p - £1.50.

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|---|---------|---|
| ★ 6C  | Oliver  | ★ |
| ★ 6W  | Michael | ★ |
| ★ 5C  | Bethany | ★ |
| ★ 5R  | Lillie  | ★ |
| ★ 4L  | Darcy   | ★ |
| ★ 4BS   | Elize   | ★ |
| ★ 3D  | Eve     | ★ |
| ★ 3C  | Joshua  | ★ |
| ★ 2G  | Emilia  | ★ |
| ★ 2W  | Lola    | ★ |
| ★ 1WN   | Arthur  | ★ |
| ★ 1M  | Eben    | ★ |
| ★  | Matilda | ★ |
| ★  | Israfil | ★ |



# Stars

## NOTE to Parents...

## Important information for Parents/Carers of children in Year 6 Secondary School Places for September 2020

Information regarding the application process is available on the Council's Website:

**[www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions)**

The closing date for online applications is  
**31 October 2019**

**Overall attendance  
this week**

**KS1:  
2W  
97.3%**

**95.6%**

**KS2:  
3D  
98.3%**

Have a lovely week off and a nice relaxing break. Don't forget the clocks go back an hour this weekend. See you all when we come back to school on Monday 4 November.

Mrs C Lewis