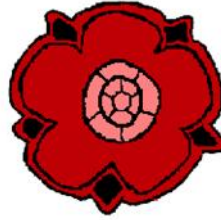


- Schools for the future booklet - All School
- PSFA Family Disco - All School
- Home-time arrangements - All School
- Early finish after fancy dress walk - All School
- Health Education - All School
- Outdoor Education - Y5



Orrell Holgate Primary School

8th May 2009

The Newsletter is also available on the school website at www.holgate.wigan.sch.uk

Assessment Week 11-15 May 2009

Good luck to all the Year 6 children who will be taking their end of Key Stage 2 SATS Tests next week. That is nine tests over five days! Good luck also to the children across the school that will be undertaking assessments during the same week.

Swine Flu Update

The latest information regarding swine flu can be found on the school website at www.holgate.wigan.sch.uk



Fancy Dress Walk – Friday 15th May afternoon

Next Friday is our Annual PSFA Fancy Dress Walk afternoon. For children to be able to go home after the walk parents will need to complete a permission form otherwise children will remain in school until the normal finish time.

Sports Day 22.05.09

With the support of Premier Sports this year Sports Day will be run in two parts as follows:

- a.m. Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Sports Day
- p.m. Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 Sports Day

Further details will be sent home next week

Should the weather be unkind the events will take place on Friday 12.06.09

Celebration Assembly

Due to the Fancy Dress Walk on 15.05.09 and Sports Day on 22.05.09 our usual arrangements will have to change as follows:

Celebration Assembly for 15.05.09 will take place on Monday 18.05.09 from 9.10-9.40 a.m. and Celebration Assembly for 22.05.09 will take place after half-term on Monday 01.06.09 from 9.10-9.40 a.m. Each weeks TEAM Newsletter will contain the names of award winners as usual but certificates and badges will be presented on the Monday.

Friday Celebration Assembly will return to the normal time 3.00-3.25 p.m. from Friday 05.06.09

May Half-term Monday 25th to Friday 29th May



Parents Staff and Friends Association 2008/09 - providing support

Suggestions

If you have any ideas for new events, please let a member of the PSFA know, or tell the office - any suggestions will be gladly considered. Alternatively, if you wish to be more involved, why not join us on the PSFA.

If you would like more information about the PSFA, please contact the school office. Any help you could give would be greatly appreciated.

Summer Fayre

This year we want to make our Summer Fayre bigger and better than ever. To enable this to happen we need all the volunteers we can get.

Without your help on this day, we could not provide such a multitude of events, so please consider helping out.

We are also looking for raffle prizes and would be grateful if you could please consider donating a gift or perhaps you have an employer who would be willing to.

Thank you!



Fancy Dress Walk

The Fancy Dress walk will be on Friday 15th May to coincide with the end of KS2 SATs week. We can't wait to see all your wonderful creations. **We would be grateful for any donations of cakes/biscuits for the cake stall - so please get baking!** Any contributions can be dropped off in the school foyer on Friday morning.

Family Fun Disco

The Family Fun Disco will be at St. James' Social Club on Friday 22nd May 7pm - 10 pm. Tickets are on sale in the school foyer before and after school @ £3 each (adults and children). Please get your tickets early to avoid disappointment.



Remember to bring a plastic bottle of water to school each day!

BAG 2 SCHOOL



Just a reminder that we are having another old clothes collection on 16th June. If you have nowhere to keep them, you can bring them into school and we will keep them in our cabin.

Sun Hats/ Swim Bags

With Summer hopefully around the corner, Sun hats are now available from the office priced at £5 each. Swim/PE bags are also available at £3 each

NETBALL CLUB

We are looking for a few more pupils to join our Wednesday Netball club 3.30 - 4.30 pm.



If you are in Y3, Y4, Y5 please come along and give it a try. Sessions are FREE. Application forms are available from the office.

Achievement & Celebration

Congratulations to this week's Award Winners

TEAM Award

Winners are:

YRD Charley-Mia Newton
Y1W Joel Dealing
Y2S Ben Lancaster
Y3B Jamie Arkwright
Y4D Johnny Cunliffe
Y5B Matthew Littlehales
Y6T Tom Ledson

Literacy Award

Winners are:

YRD Isaac Skitt
Y1W Emma Griffiths
Y2S Matthew Wilson
Y3B Emma Kirby
Y4D Elliot Power
Y5B William Travis
Y6T Katie Southern

Numeracy Award

Winners are:

YRD Nathan Ralph
Y1W Megan Rogers
Y1W Abbie Molyneux
Y2S Carla Booth
Y2S Charlie Ratcliffe
Y3B Kiera Fisher
Y4D Ryan Durrans
Y5B Sam Lewis
Y6T Kathryn Barton
Y6T Georgina Pell

Physical Education, Physical Activity & School Sport Awards

Y1W Alex Hamer
Y2S Sophie Punter
Y2S Mia Ashcroft
Y5B Nathan Fletcher
Y5B Chloe Reynolds
Y6T Samuel Connell
Y6T Laura Clayton

ICT / E-Learning Awards

Other Curriculum Awards:

Y1W Andrew Haswell
Y2S Conor Logan
Y2S Carla Booth
Y2S Adam Grey
Y5B Chloe Hamer
Y6T Abby Sherrington

Lunchtime Award

Winners are:

YRD Megan Turnbull
Y1W Gareth Cubbin
Y2S Harry J Jones
Y3B Matthew Heyes
Y4D Lucy Cotton
Y5B Joseph Yates
Y6T Lydia Power

The next
Celebration
Assembly is
Monday 11th
May at 9.10
a.m. Phone
the school
office to book
your place!

ICT / E-Learning Awards

Well



Done to all Winners!

Birthday News

Congratulations to the following children who celebrate their birthday during next week

Y3B Jack Benson
Y3B Elisha Donaldson
Y6T Harry Bond
Y4D Stephanie Butcher
Y2S Ellie Heyes

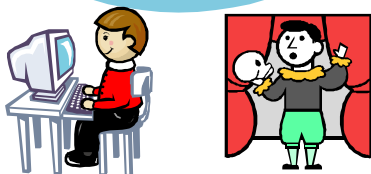


PLEASE NOTE:

There will be NO swimming or Music Lessons week commencing 11th May.

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Check here for important events

Low Bank Ground

The visit to Low Bank Ground will be
*Monday 4th January -
Friday 8th January 2010.

*Please note Monday 4th January is a school Holiday. Spring Term begins Tuesday 5th January 2010.

HOLGATE ExTrA EXTENDED LEARNING

MONDAY 3.30-4.30 PM - KS2 pupils - French Club with Mrs Malinowski (£2.50 per week). See application form for details.

MONDAY 3.30-4.30 PM - Rebecca Walton Drama Club (£2.50 per week). See application form for details

TUESDAY 3.30-4.30 PM - Y6 Netball with Carol Pell- **FREE**
See application form for details

WEDNESDAY 8.00-8.45 AM - Wake Up and Shake Up Exercise Club with Wigan Sports Development - **FREE to Half Term** - See application form for details (Limited places available)

WEDNESDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M. - Junior Netball Y3-Y5 with Annette Hamilton - **FREE** - See application form for details

WEDNESDAY 3.30-4.30 P.M. Carolyn Leach Soccer Club for all children (£2.50 per week) See application form for details.

WEDNESDAY 3.30 to 4.30 PM. Computer Club with Mrs Chriscole / Mrs Breheny (£2.50 per week) See application form for details.

WEDNESDAY 3.30-5.30 PM. Angela Shadwick Gymnastics Club (Private Letting £4 per week) **There are places now available.**

WEDNESDAY 4.30-5.30 PM. Year 5 to Year 8
Orrell Community Hockey Club with James Nairn - **FREE**

Dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2008

Start: 2nd September

Half Term:

27th to 31st October

End: 19th December

Spring Term 2009

Start: 7th January

Half Term:

16th to 20th February

End: 3rd April

Summer Term 2009

Start: 21st April

Bank Hol: 4th May

Half Term:

25th to 29th May

Ends: 17th July

GOVERNING BODY

During 2008 - 2009 the Governors will meet on the following dates:

Full Meetings: 11.09.08,
03.12.08, 25.03.09 and
01.07.07

School SATs Week

11th - 15th May 2009

Curriculum & Learning Committee: 14.10.08,
29.01.09 and 21.05.09

Assets Committee
(staffing, pay, finance,
H & S):

01.10.08, 17.11.08,
04.02.09, 29.04.09 and
20.05.09