



Hollydale News

Hollydale Newsletter 2.12.16

Dear Parents and Carers,

Splash Choir Concert at the Royal Festival Hall

As part of our Music curriculum, we would like all Y5 & Y6 pupils to participate in the Splash Choir Concert at the Royal Festival Hall. Children will take a coach to the venue and will be returned to school by coach. Please note that parents can go along to the Festival Hall to watch the concert and to support your child. Please ensure that you have returned the slip to allow your child participate in this wonderful event.

Oak Class Assembly

Well done to Oak Class for a fantastic class assembly. Thank you to all the parents and carers who attended in support of their children.

Black History: Voice Newspaper Essay Competition

The following children have been shortlisted from Hollydale School. They will be visiting the House of Commons for a presentation ceremony on the **8.12.16**. WELL DONE!

Aishat Abdullah	Hollydale School	Rosa Parks
Samaya Fletcher	Hollydale School	Marcus Garvey
Ruby-Claire James	Hollydale School	My Black Heroes
Zarah Laoye	Hollydale School	What Black History Means to Me
Nana Nyarko Mensah	Hollydale School	Nelson Mandela
Jevaughan Rowe	Hollydale School	Martin Luther King
Kai Phillip	Hollydale School	Serena Williams
Abdishakur Mohamed	Hollydale School	Muhammad Ali
Demi Pearson	Hollydale School	Muhammad Ali
NafissaTuitt Urhiewn	Hollydale School	Martin Luther King
Nevaeh Wilson	Hollydale School	Claudette Colvin, Rosa Parks

Best wishes for a restful weekend,

Ms Reid - Headteacher



Being the best that we can be!

Achievement in French

Cherry class	Mohamed, Zaniah
Elm Class	Tia , Makalay
Lime Class	Osazee, Rima
Oak Class	Jakub, Daniel
Cedar Class	Teja, Destiny
Chestnut Class	Youcef, Kimona
Birch Class	Giovanni, Georgina
Hazel Class	Mariam, Francesca
Maple Class	Michaela, Franck
Willow Class	Demi, Mariah

Attendance & Punctuality – W/B 28/11/16

If your child is absent, please call the school office to report the absence giving the reason why your child is not in school. Our overall school target for attendance is 96%.

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK: 94.8%

Class	Attendance %	Punctuality No. of Late's
Cherry	97.0	4
Lime	95.8	5
Elm	92.5	6
Oak	89.2	3
Chestnut	93.6	4
Cedar	96.0	8
Birch	96.8	4
Hazel	92.1	1
Maple	98.0	5
Willow	94.6	3



Dates for the Diary		
Dates	Events	Notes
Monday 5 th December	Nunhead Library author visit – Sandra Agard LKS2	2.15 - 3pm at Nunhead Library
Monday 5 th December	Terry Smith author visit in to see Yr 1-6 for Q and A	Lime, Elm, Oak, Cedar, Chestnut, Birch, Hazel, Maple and Willow
Tuesday 6 th December	ESOL English classes with Carol Knowles in the house 1-3pm	Selected Parents
Tuesday 6 th December	After School Football League KS2	Selected children
Wednesday 7 th December	PTA Coffee Morning at 9am	All parents and carers welcome
Wednesday 7 th December	G and T Able writers workshop at Peckham Library	For selected children in Yr 5 and 6 Hazel, Maple and Willow Class
Wednesday 7 th December	Reception Cherry class to Greenwich Theatre	To see Peter Pan
Thursday 8 th December	Southwark Christmas Splash at Royal Festival Hall	Selected children to take part
Friday 9 th December	Whole School Christmas Production at St Catherine's Church from 1.30-3.00pm	All parents and carers welcome
Tuesday 13 th December	Whole school Christmas Pantomime – Aladdin	
Tuesday 13 th December	ESOL English classes 1-3PM with Carol Knowles	Selected parents
Wednesday 14 th December	Christmas Fayre organised by Friends of Hollydale 3.30pm-5.00pm	All parents, carers, children and friends welcome.
Wednesday 14 th December	Children's Christmas Lunch	Please let the office know if you DO NOT want your child to take part.
Friday 16 th December	School Council Fundraising Event Winter Jumper Day	Children to wear a winter jumper and donate £1.00.
Friday 16 th December	Yr 5 Hazel Class Chess Championship	Details to follow
Monday 19 th December	Book amnesty - Please return all books to school	All pupils
Tuesday 20 th December	End of term winter class parties PM	Parents/ Carers to provide snacks. Please speak to your child's class teacher
Tuesday 20 th December	ESOL English classes 1-3PM With Carol Knowles	Selected Parents
Wednesday 21 st December	Last day of term school finishes at 2pm	All children to be collected at 2PM. NO ASC today.



Y6 Maths and English Booster Classes

Please ensure that your child attends every week to so that they can get extra support in Maths and English. The end of Year 6 tests can be challenging and we know that these preparation sessions can make a difference. Please make sure that your child is in attendance on a weekly basis. Many thanks.

Christmas Concert 9.12.16 – 2:00pm sharp

We look forward to your attendance at the concert, which takes place at **St Katherine's Church, Pepys Rd, London SE14 5SG**



Xmas Fair

We need your support for this fun event that happens every year at our school. The children are really looking forward to the fair and are really excited. However we need your support to help with organising, running a stall or supporting by just turning up to the **fair on 14th December at 3.30pm**. **If you would like to support the fair**, please leave your name at the school office so that your details can be passed on to the Friends of Hollydale who will get in contact ASAP. Thank you.

Christmas Fair

Wednesday 14th December 2016

3:30pm – 5:00pm



*Hollydale School
Christmas Fair*

Come and join the festive fun...
Raffle * Santa's Grotto * Festive Food & Drink
Face Painting * Gifts * Fun Games
Seasonal Crafts * Lucky Dip
Children's Performances

Weds 14th Dec, 3.30-5pm
Hollydale Rd, SE15 2AR

Oak Class Assembly



Black History: Voice Newspaper Essay Competition



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Dear Miss Reid

THE VOICE BLACK HISTORY MONTH ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

Further to our letter to you of 18th November we are pleased to advise you that 11 students' essays from your school have been shortlisted (see attached schedule) and it is our pleasure to invite them with a teacher to the **Made by History** Presentation ceremony on Thursday 8th December from 10.00 am to 1.00 p.m. The ceremony will involve presentation of participation certificates, announcing the winners and reading of the winning essays.

The event will be hosted in Committee Room 12, Palace of Westminster, House of Commons as facilitated by Dawn Butler MP. The map attached shows the entrances which are indicated as number 8/9.



Parliament map.pdf

Attendees will be required to arrive by 9.00 am to complete registration and be seated before the start of the Presentation. Please advise security that you are attending a function in Committee Room 12. You will be directed to Westminster Hall where a member of the Voice Team will meet you.

The winning entries will be published in *The Voice* newspaper alongside a picture of the authors; with the overall winner receiving a gift voucher to the value of £50. Could you please obtain written parental advice in the event the students may be interviewed and photographed by the Voice.

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