

# Holbeach

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 23rd November 2018

### Lewisham Football League

On Saturday, both of the Holbeach football teams (boys and girls) played their first matches in this year's Lewisham league.

The Girls played really well in a 6-2 victory against Eliot Bank Primary School. Tunmise scored four times and Pepper and Honey each scored once. The whole team (**Jamai, Grace, Padma, Zarah, Tunmise, Honey and Pepper**) kept to their positions superbly. They then lost 2-0 to a very strong Gordonbrock Primary School team.

The Boys team showed a lot of determination and resilience in their two games. The squad (**David, Bryan, Andy, Tyrone, James-Michael, Myles, Monty, Cheick-Moustapha, and Umaru**) all played their part during a 3-0 defeat to Gordonbrock and a 1-1 draw with All Saints Primary School. Monty equalised in the last minute of the match to earn a deserved first point for the team. **Thank you to everyone who braved the cold to support these teams.**

### Cricket Lessons in Year 4

Daniel Bell-Drummond, an ex-pupil of Holbeach Primary School is currently a professional cricketer, playing for Kent County Club. Daniel wants to inspire a love for cricket within Lewisham and has helped to set up a programme of cricket tuition in Lewisham schools.

This term, Holbeach are one of the first schools to become involved in this programme and as a result the children in Year 4 are being taught the basics of the game by Daniel's fellow professionals.

The series of lessons culminates in a competition with other schools in the area who are also taking part. Who knows maybe one a day one of our current Year 4 pupils will return to inspire another generation!

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Tuesday 27th November

- Years 5 and 6 pupils representing Holbeach at a Lewisham Athletics Competition

#### Thursday 29th November

- Year 2 Memorable Experience - Toy Exhibition (9:15am parents are invited to visit)
- 3C Class Assembly (9:15am in the school hall - parents/carers welcome)

#### Saturday 1st December

- The Holbeach Girls and Boys football teams are playing in the Lewisham League (Blackheath 10am)

#### Monday 3rd December

- Parent Open Afternoon 3:20pm - 4pm (a chance to look at your child's work and see the progress they are making)

#### Thursday 6th December

- Sacconi Quartet Classical Music Concert (for Years 5 and 6)
- Children's Christmas Dinner

### 1B Class Assembly

Congratulations to the children in 1B who performed remarkably in their class assembly this week.

Their families, friends and

the rest of the school were amazed at how much work they had completed and how much fun they had had learning about 'Paws, Claws and Roars!'

1L were so impressed by the assembly that they went straight back to class to write letters to 1B to tell them how well they had done.



5pm - 7pm

£6 for adults  
£2 for children over 3

# Festive Concert

**SATURDAY NOV 24TH, 2018**

JOIN US FOR FUN, FOOD, MUSIC PERFORMANCES & FESTIVE CHEER AND HELP US RAISE MONEY FOR THE ELLA ROBERTA FOUNDATION

ST SWITHUN'S CHURCH ON HITHER GREEN LANE SE13

WeGotTickets

### A Message from the Governing Body

At our Autumn Term Curriculum Committee Meeting on the 15th November, the governors were pleased to welcome Assistant Head Mr Morriss who gave an in-depth analysis of the outcomes of the 2018 national assessments for Early Years Foundation Stage, the Y1 Phonics test, and Key Stages 1 and 2. Aspects of this data are already being used by the school to plan interventions in the classroom to support learning and will also inform the focus of link governor visits during the current year. Our thanks to Mr Morriss for his comprehensive presentation.

# Word Puzzles

## Anti-Bullying Word Search Puzzle

P E R S I S T E N T U C G R Q F X H X G  
 F I E O K O H D E J N A N A E O C C M L  
 C K P X S V R V Q S D L I G I S L L N S  
 O Z I O E Z V X U M E M Y D N L P I X I  
 K G T Y T H L P W O R P L M E J Q E D W  
 N S R S G S P B D F S E L T T H T Y C U  
 T N A T R O P M I S T P U U S G W H W T  
 P I Q Y R X S M Q P A Y B K I Z S E I Q  
 H P Z T N D I R Q E N T I V L D C N A R  
 Q K R Z N O R Q F A D G T D W N E W S X  
 H W Z E F F Y J G K S S N E E C A N D O  
 K K I N V Q W O W U N U A D G R O X M X  
 F R C M R E J G C P R N I Q E A S B H K  
 F D R O N S N N U V G F R N N A R E J L  
 F G G D H C Q T L M N M E A Z O B U X A  
 P A R E N T S O I O J S E F A S I O O T  
 T U L E E Z O I C O S R E H C A E T Z C  
 A P H R Z H G U T T N V S I E J U W C G  
 F J J F C S N T I I D R U V I E B R B A  
 P G G S H C M N P W A N F N Y K Y N P P

ACTION	PERSISTENT
ANTIBULLYING	PREVENTION
AWARENESS	RESPECT
CALM	SAFE
CANDO	SAYNO
CONFIDENCE	SCHOOL
COURAGE	SPEAKUP
FREEDOM	STOP
FRIENDS	SUPPORT
HELP	TALK
IMPORTANT	TEACHER
LISTEN	TELL
PARENTS	UNDERSTAND

Last week was National Anti-Bullying week and the children enjoyed several assemblies and a poster competition around this year's theme of:  
**RESPECT**

Riddle me this...

**USE ONLY ONE WORD**

THE \_\_\_\_\_ DOCTOR  
 WAS \_\_\_\_\_ TO TREAT  
 THE PATIENT BECAUSE  
 THERE WAS \_\_\_\_\_.

## BOGGLE

M	A	P	O
E	T	E	R
D	E	N	I
L	D	H	C

### Points

3 letters = 1 point	6 letters = 3 points
4 letters = 1 point	7 letters = 5 points
5 letters = 2 points	8 letters = 9 points

**Reminder:** From January 1st 2019, the Holbeach Weekly Newsletter will only be available on line or by email. **If you would like to continue receiving the newsletter from this date then all you need to do is ensure that the office have the correct email address for you and we will do the rest.**