

# Holbeach

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 24th May 2019

### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May

- Half Term break (school is closed during this week)

#### Monday 3rd June

- Term begins (see you at 9am in the school playground)
- Friends of Holbeach Meeting (8pm in the School House)

#### Monday 3rd June - Friday 7th June

- Bikeability Lessons for a group of children in Year 6

#### Thursday 6th June

- Parent Drop In (a chance to see your children's current work in class) 3:20pm - 4pm

#### Friday 7th June

- Nursery Open Morning (10am at the Nursery)

#### Tuesday 11th June

- Year 6 Educational Visit to London (Boat Tour of main sites)

### FoH Meeting

The Friends of Holbeach are meeting straight after half term to discuss preparations for the Summer Fair.

The meeting will take place on Monday 3rd June at 8pm in the School House (on the corner of Holbeach and Doggett Road).

All parents/carers are welcome to come along and are encouraged to get involved.

If you can't make it but have an idea or want to help out on the day please email: [friendsofholbeach@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofholbeach@gmail.com)



### Year 3 - World War II Experience

"Last Friday, Year 3 visited Horton Kirby to learn more about World War II. When we arrived, a lady greeted us and took us into a small room and gave us all badges with children's names on, as if we had been evacuated.

After she had told us all about World War II she took us to a 1940s classroom and showed us what going to school was like during the war. The teachers used to use a cane to beat the children!

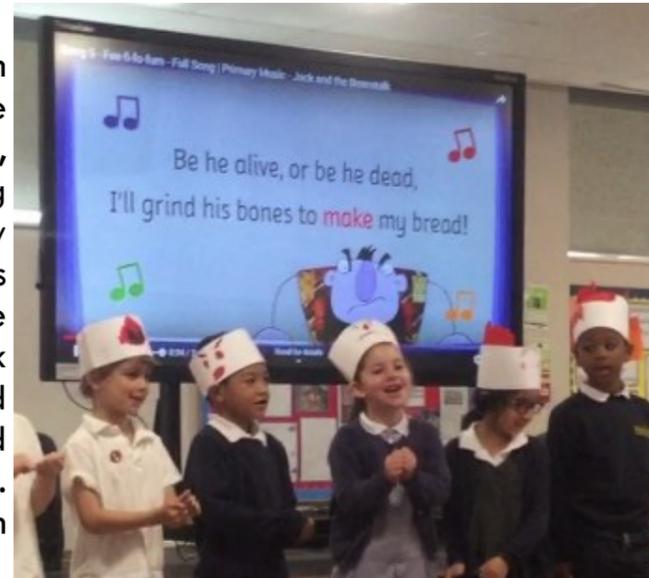
Suddenly, an air raid siren sounded and we had to be taken to the air raid shelter. It was dark and full of cobwebs but we sang songs to try and feel a little better but this was the worst part of the day.

We also saw a different air raid shelter, a spitfire plane that was used in the war, a church that had been damaged by a bomb and much, much more." **Maya 3B**



### 1SJ Class Assembly

On Wednesday, 1SJ treated us to an Assembly all about Jack and The Beanstalk. They retold the story to us all, sang songs (including a very catchy song about a Golden Hen!) and showed how much their writing has progressed this year, with some very exciting alternative endings! There was some great artwork on show, where the children had used pastels to draw the giants angry face and diary entries from the giants point of view. Thank you to everyone who came to watch and support the children.



### Girls Football Competition

On Tuesday, Holbeach sent along a team of Year 4/5 girls to take part in the Lewisham Mayor's Cup Competition.

None of the 8 players for Holbeach (Naomi, Molly, Isabel, Amyra, Scarla-Rae, Ruchelle, Hiba and Faith) had taken part in any training or competitions before this day, so it was really a chance for the girls to find out how much fun playing football can be and boy did they take that chance!

The girls made rapid progress in terms of learning their positions and how to compete. So much so, that they went from losing the first couple of games by several goals, to narrowly losing 1-0, to eventually drawing a match 1-1 (Naomi scored the goal). We now need to get as many girls playing football (and joining the girls club) as we can otherwise there may not be a girls team

next year and judging from the performance of these particular girls, that would be a real shame.



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# Summer Fair

**Saturday 29th June 12pm-3pm**

**Entrance on Doggett Road**

**Bouncy castle**

Win a 'presenter  
workshop'\*

**Moon Lane Books  
Games**

**Bric-a-brac stalls  
'Bake off'**

**Hot dogs & burgers**

**Raffle**

**Nature activities**

**Hook-a-duck**

**Cakes**



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\*Free prize draw open to all  
Holbeach pupils who come to the Fair.