



Holdbrook News

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- SUMMER TERM DATES**
- Friday 19th July – Summer Term Ends. Children finish school at 1:30pm.
- AUTUMN TERM 2019 -2020**
- Wednesday 4th September 2019** - Children return to school.
- Friday 25th October 2019** – Children break up for half term.
- Monday 4th November 2019** – School closed teacher training.
- Tuesday 5th November 2019** – Children return to school.
- Friday 20th December 2019** – Children break up for the holidays.
- Other Dates for your Diary**
- Wednesday 17th July –Year 6 Concert at 2:30pm
- Wednesday 17th July – School Disco
- Thursday 18th July – Class Swap morning.
- Friday 19th July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9:30am
- 2019-2020**
- Wednesday 4th September 2019 - Children return to school at 8:50am.
- Friday 13th September – Non-uniform day. Come to school dressed as a super hero.
- Thursday 26th September – Meet the Teacher Event 6pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has been a wonderful week at Holdbrook. We hosted our first Health and Fitness week where we planned lots of fun events for the children to take part in. On Tuesday we welcomed a champion athlete, Gianni Frankis, to the school, he led an inspiring assembly and fitness sessions for the children. On Wednesday we had our annual sports day, congratulations green team for winning this year. On Thursday all of the children in Years 1 to 6 participated in a healthy lifestyle work shop and some fitness fun circuits. It really has been a great week for everyone!

This week we welcomed some new Reception children to Holdbrook, they attended our stay and play session and got to meet the adults they will be working with. We still have spaces available so speak to Mrs Hatton to find out more information.

We also had our second steel pan drumming workshop. I am very impressed with how quickly they have learnt to play the steel pan and even recognised their excellent rendition of 'Baby Shark' being played over and over again.

Next week is the last week of term, the children should still be in school every day at 8:50am but should be collected at 1:30pm on Friday 19th July, as we break up for Summer.

Have a lovely weekend.

Charlotte Angeli **Headteacher**

After School Club

From September, we will be launching our own extended school day until 5:45pm.

This will be £5 a day or £25 for the week.

Register your child at the office from Monday.

DISCO

Wednesday 17th July

EYFS and Key stage 1 – 4pm to 5:15pm
Key Stage 2 – 5:30pm – 7pm

Tickets will be £2.50 which will include a goodie bag with a drink and a snack.

Mrs Hatton will sell tickets from Monday on the gate in the morning and Mrs Bull will sell tickets after school in year 3.

Meet the Teacher

On Thursday 18th July parents and children are welcome to pop in to school from 3:20 to 4pm to speak to your child's current class teacher and introduce yourself to next year's teacher. The teacher's will be in their room, so just knock and say hello.

Attendance Matters
...every school day counts!

All schools should have an attendance figure of at least 96%. We have almost reached this target. Please only keep your child off school when absolutely necessary. All children need to be in school by **8:50am** so learning can start promptly.

Reception: 97.78 %
Year 1: 96.18 %
Year 2: 95.37 %
Year 3: 98.56 %
Year 4: 95.24 %
Year 5: 93.42 %
Year 6: 94.90 %

Congratulations to Year 3 you had excellent attendance last week. Keep it up!