

Holywell Primary School

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we are a learning community with the spirit to succeed

11 March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Reception Helpers

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to read with our Reception children. We require more helpers, so if you are able to help, please get in touch with Mr Szajko. Currently we are planning to run these sessions at 10:30 each morning. This is not exclusive to Reception parents and all parents are welcome to sign up.

Science Week

Science Week starts next week and the theme this year is 'Growth'. During the week, pupils will be completing activities in addition to their normal Science lessons. These activities will be a fun way to learn about science. We will be showing as many of the activities as we can in the newsletter next week. In addition, children will also have the opportunity to look at their own Science Galleries.

Football Matches

On Wednesday, our U9 and U11 football teams played against Fair Field School. Both games were tough with Fair Field being a well-drilled team but our players never let their heads down and gave it their all. Although the scores may not have been what we had wanted, I am extremely proud of both teams for playing well as a team and pushing themselves until the last minute of the game.

U11 Most Valuable Players - Bentley for staying in formation and playing effective football and Haashir for being an excellent defensive player, keeping the ball away from the goal multiple times.

U9 Most Valuable Players - Haresh and Aaron for both leading the team and making some great runs down the pitch.



















Year 6 Easter School

Children will be invited to join our Easter School during the first week of the break. In the lead up to SATS, we have found this to be invaluable for pupils in preparation for their SATS. We ask that you make every effort for your child to attend these sessions. Unfortunately, we cannot select all pupils to attend.

Year 4 Cornet Performance

On Wednesday, 16 March, Year 4 pupils will be showing off their Cornet skills in a special assembly. All Year 4 parents are invited to attend the performance, which will start at 9:15. The special assembly will take place in the Olympic hall.

Yours faithfully

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Headteacher

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Y2-Hawthorn	Tayla-Rose	Amelia-Rose
Y2 Häzel	Lily May	Carolina
Y3 Rowan	Hadia	Faith
Y4 Cedar	Haresh	Stefi
Y4 Mulberry	Lacey	Adam
Y5 Chestnut	Christopher	Benita
Y5 Elder	Hasnain	Daniel
Y6 Birch	Sarah M	Connor
Y6 Elm	Nicola	Humzah

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Y2 Hawthorn		94%	Y5 Elder		97%	
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Key Stage 2			Y5 Chestnut & Y6 Birch			

<u>International Women's day linking UNCRC Articles</u> 2, 12 and 13

International Women's Day

International Women's Day takes place every year on the 8th March to celebrate the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women. It is also a day which asks for people to act to speed up gender equality.

This year the focus is on imagining a gender equal world where difference is valued and celebrated. The focus of the day this year asks us all to #BreakTheBias.

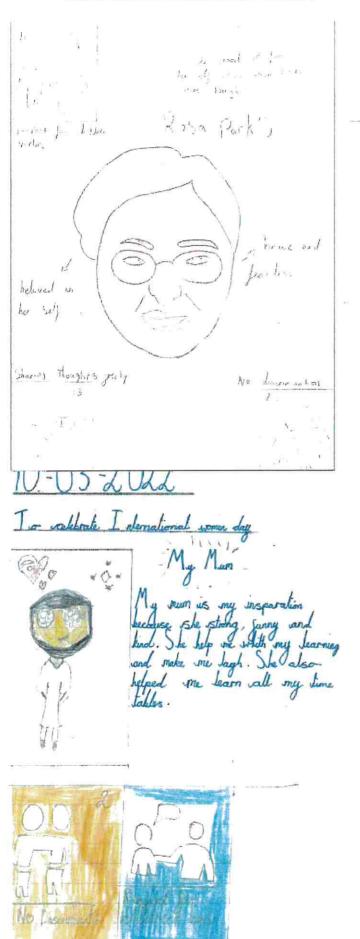


What does a gender equal world look like to you?

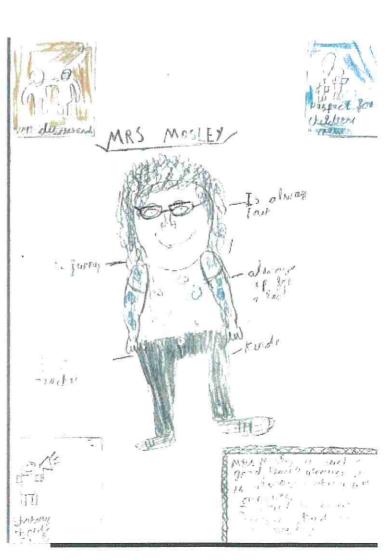
- All pupils are treated the same in class
- · A variety of different games are available to all at playtime
- · Women are shown as role models in assemblies
- Reading more books written by women
- Equal access to the same jobs such as doctors, nurses, judges, politicians, firefighters, engineers etc.
- More art and music by women are studied at school
- Sports in PE lessons are equally available to all

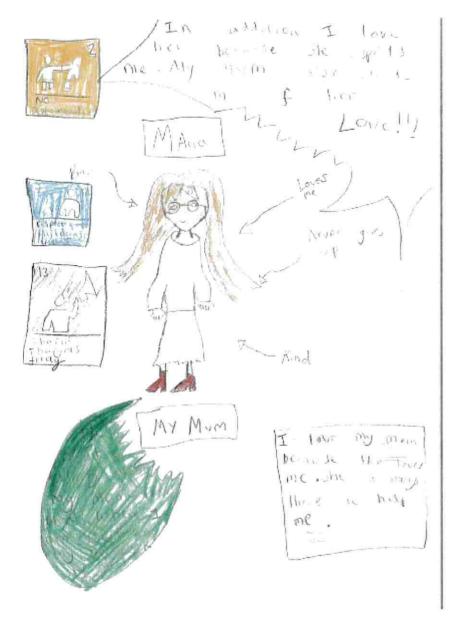
Did you think of anymore?

The following are some work done by our children based on the UNCRC Articles 2, 12 and 13.









DATES FOR YOUR DIARY SPRING TERM 2022

March

Monday 14th March U9 Football Match - Holywell v Woodlands School (2:15 - 3:15)

Monday 14th March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – Year 5 Football

Tuesday 15th March Morning Club (7:50 – 8:50) – Tennis
Tuesday 15th March New Entrants meeting @ 11:15

Tuesday 15th March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – Year 1 / Year 2 Football

Wednesday 16th March Year 4 Cornet Lesson (9:00 – 10:00) Wednesday 16th March Year 5 Ukulele lessons (1:30 – 3:00)

Wednesday 16th March After school club (3:30 – 4:30) – KS2 Dodgeball

Thursday 17th March Morning Club (7:50 – 8:50) – Tennis
Thursday 17th March Year 5 Chestnut - Year 6 Elm Swimming

Thursday 17th March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – Year 3 / Year 4 Football

Friday 18th March Nursery places accepted by parents – last day

Friday 18th March Y2 Hawthorn & Hazel – School Trip - Paradise Wildlife Park

Friday 18th March Afterschool Club (3:30 - 4:30) - Year 6 Football Monday 21st March Afterschool Club (3:30 - 4:30) - Year 5 Football

Tuesday 22nd March Morning Club (7:50 – 8:50) – Tennis
Tuesday 22nd March Y1-Y3 Silly Science Workshops
Tuesday 22nd March New Entrants meeting @ 11:15

Tuesday 22nd March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – Year 1 / Year 2 Football

Wednesday 23rd March Year 4 Cornet Lesson (9:00 – 10:00) Wednesday 23rd March Year 5 Ukulele lessons (1:30 – 3:00)

Wednesday 23rd March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – KS2 Dodgeball

Thursday 24th March Morning Club (7:50 – 8:50) – Tennis
Thursday 24th March Year 5 Chestnut - Year 6 Elm Swimming

Thursday 24th March Afterschool Club (3:30 – 4:30) – Year 3 / Year 4 Football

Friday 25th March Afterschool Club (3:30 - 4:30) - Year 6 Football

Monday 28th March Festival of Learning Week

Tuesday 29th March New Entrants Meeting @ 11.15

Wednesday 30th March Year 4 Cornet Lesson (9:00 – 10:00)

Wednesday 30th March

Year 5 Ukulele lessons (1:30 - 3:00)

April

Friday 1st April Whole School Presentation Assembly (9:05)

Friday 1st April Nursery finishes at midday

Friday 1st April 2022 - End of Spring Term - School Closes at 1:30pm

Summer Term Starts Wednesday 20th April @ 8.55 am

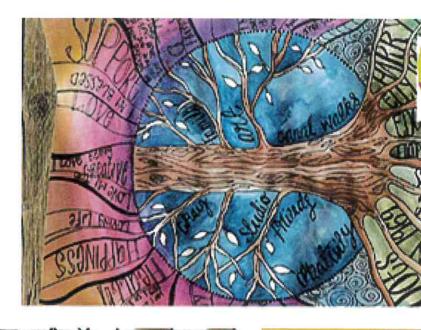


Tickets £5.00 per child. Children must be over 8

Artist and qualified tutor Natalie will teach this 2 day face-to-face course for your family to enjoy together over the Easter Break.

Sessions are from to 3pm. Monday 4th & Tuesday 5th April

at St Martin's, Muirfield Road WD19 6JD









Have your say at

Tet's talk about health

Facebook live event!





Send questions to:

themayor@watford.gov.uk or ask them during the live.

Monday, 14 March at 7pm

- Find out about FREE health services you can access.
- Tell us what we can do together to improve the future of healthcare in Watford.

Special guest speakers include:

- Local GPs
- Watford General Hospital
- Watford MIND

WatfordFC



Watford, Harpenden & Kings Langley

Week 1: £20.00 per day or £90.00 for 5 days Week 2: £20.00 per day or £70.00 for 4 days

Fun & educational football sessions for participants aged 6-13 years old

Football Holiday
Courses
Easter Holidays 2022

Week 1: Monday 4th April to Friday 8th April (5 days)

Week 2: Monday 11th April to Thursday 14th April (4 days)

10am-3pm

Limited spaces available

www.watfordfccsetrust.com and click 'BOOKINGS'

Book now