



Friday 24th November

Newsletter

Diary Dates

Monday 27th November

Keyboard/piano lessons at Mill Lane

Tuesday 28th November

9.30-10.30am – Phonics parent meeting at Holt Road

Music lessons at Holt Road

Drum lessons at Mill Lane

6-7pm – Phonics parent meeting at Holt Road

7-8pm – Lorin Lafave speaking about The Breck Foundation at Holt Road

Wednesday 29th November

Dogs' Trust visiting Holt Road classes

Online safety presentation for Mill Lane classes

Thursday 30th November

Dogs' Trust visiting Mill Lane classes

Friday 1st December

Year 1/2 parent reading – 9am

Cross country league event at Eaton Park for selected KS2 children

REMINDER: Lorin Lafave – Online Safety Parent Evening

On Tuesday 28th November Lorin will be visiting our Holt Road to speak to parents and staff about her son Breck who was a victim of online grooming. We would urge you to attend this presentation if you can as it offers helpful advice to keep your child safe.

Children In Need

Thank you so much to everyone who helped us to raise money for Children In Need last Friday. Through the spotty themed non-uniform day and the "Round Pound" fundraiser we collected £292.16 for this worthwhile charity.

Dogs Trust

Next week the Dogs Trust will be visiting both sites to hold workshops with every class. The sessions will include advice on how to greet an unfamiliar dog, how to respond to being chased by a dog, and how to form a safe and respectful relationship with our dogs at home. Our Key Stage 2 classes will also be involved in maths workshops to follow on from our Maths Week. For your information there will be **no** real dogs visiting the children during these sessions.

Christmas dates for your diary

Mon 11th Dec – Y3/4 Christmas Performance – 2pm and 6pm

Wed 13th Dec – Reception Christmas performance – 9.30am & 2pm

Thurs 14th Dec – Year 6 Church Service – 10am

Thurs 14th Dec – Christmas lunch – pre book only

Thurs 14th Dec – Carol service at Horsford Church – 7pm

Fri 15th Dec – PTA festive coffee morning with Year 1/ 2 carol singing

Fri 15th Dec – Christmas themed non uniform day

Attendance winners

Position	Class	Attendance % this week
1 st	56S	98.67
2 nd	56B	98.35
3 rd	56A	96.89
4 th	34G	95.26
5 th	34C	94.14
6 th	34P	93.89
7 th	Zog	91.54
8 th	Stickman	89.74
9 th	Cheshire Cat	88.24
10 th	Tabby McTat	88.19
11th	White Rabbit	83.51

Miss Anatola, Mrs Kirton and Miss Anderson

Congratulations

Well done to the following children for being awarded a celebration certificate this week:

Week beg: 20th November 2017

Charlie Whitted, Bethany Scott, Ava Apperley Schoenherr, James Gills, Oliver Ward, Liberty Thompson, Hayden Chapman, Freddie Silvester, Rebecca Barrett, Oliver Elder-Myhill, Kian Cooper-Lewin, Charles Daniels, Gracie Fountain, Lilia Collen, Hannah Lindsay and Mckenzie Morrison.

House Points

Blickling - 638

Sandringham - 593

Holkham - 540

Felbrigg - 473

After school clubs' noticeboard

All clubs run until 4pm at Holt Road and 4.20pm at Mill Lane

Day	Holt Road	Mill Lane
Monday		Gardening (lunchtimes)
Tuesday	Dance Storytelling	Technic Lego Club Expressive Arts
Wednesday		Singing
Thursday		Street Dance African Drumming
Friday		

Collective Worship

Our value this half term is Trust.

In Open the Book today we heard the story Jesus told about workers in a vineyard. The owner of the vineyard needed workers to help with the harvest. Early in the morning the owner found people to work and agreed with them how much they should be paid. Later in the morning he went to find some more workers and agreed how much they should be paid - the same amount as those who came early. This happened a few more times throughout the day until the last group of workers who were hired an hour before the end of the day. The owner of the vineyard offered to pay them the same amount as the people who had worked for him all day. At the end of the day, the owner called the workers and started to pay them. He paid the people who had worked for just one hour the amount that had been agreed. He continued to pay the rest of the workers the amount that he had agreed with them. When it came to those who had worked all day, they thought that he would pay them more. However he gave them the same amount. They told him that they didn't think it was fair but he said that as it was his money and vineyard, he could be generous to whoever he chose. One of the things that we can learn from the story is that we can change and do what is right and we will not be thought of less than those who have always done what is right.



PTA News

A big thank you to everyone who was involved in the organisation of the Christmas Fayre. At the time of writing we are busy getting everything organised and hope the event is enjoyed by one and all. We will let you know how much money we have raised for the school next week, but thank you in advance for helping to support the PTA in providing vital funds for the children of Horsford CE VA Primary School.

Future PTA Events:

Mill Lane Disco

Wednesday 6th December - 6-8pm

Yrs 3-6 - £2 on the door

Raffle and Tuck shop available

Holt Road Discos

Friday 8th December

R/Yr 1 - 4.30-6pm OR

Yr1/2 - 6-7.30pm

£2 in advance to be paid at the school office (includes a snack and a drink)

Opportunity to buy additional snacks and drinks at the tuck shop.

Please visit the school office to book your child's place at the discos.

Festive Coffee Morning

Friday 15th December

Come and join us at Holt Road for a festive coffee morning and enjoy listening to the Year 1 and 2 children singing carols around the tree.

Next PTA Meeting

Monday 15th January at 6.45pm at Mill Lane

If you are interested in joining the PTA or can help out in any way please do not hesitate to

contact Chloe or Cassie Green on

horsfordprimarypta@gmail.com,

we would love to hear from you.