



Friday 9th December

Newsletter

Diary Dates

Monday 12th December

HOLT ROAD CHRISTMAS FAYRE 2-4PM

Keyboard lessons at Mill Lane

Carols Round the Tree – 6:30pm at Holt Road

Tuesday 13th December

Music lessons at Holt Road

Singing Club at Grenville Court

Reception Christmas Performance – 9:30am

Reception Christmas Performance – 2:00pm

Wednesday 14th December

Drum lessons at Mill Lane

Year 3/4 Christmas Performance – 2:00pm

Year 3/4 Christmas Performance – 6:00pm

Thursday 15th December

Year 6 at Horsford Church – 10:00am

Christmas Dinner Day

Holt Road Christmas Craft Afternoon – 2:00pm

Friday 16th December

Non-uniform day – Christmas theme

Parent Reading – 8.45am – 8.55am – Year 1&2

(Year 1 please use the Gruffalo Cave classroom)

After school clubs' noticeboard

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

Day	Holt Road	Mill Lane
Monday		
Tuesday	Gymnastics	
Wednesday		
Thursday	Artist	
Friday		

House Points

1st – Holkham - 195

2nd – Sandringham - 166

3rd – Blickling - 114

4th – Felbrigg - 95



Attendance Award

Well done to Class 6S with 99.38 % attendance this week.

This week's certificate winners are:

Lennox Lown, Amelia Emmerson, Chayce Evans, Freya Begley, Dylan Amies, Jenna Feaks, Jamie Betts, Taylor Johnson, Daisy Barnard, Kai Pulford, Alisha Buxton, George Chaplin, Ryley Begley, Hannah Blanch, Ben Wright and Kenna Buchanan

Just a note.....

Staff update

Miss Turley will be leaving us on Friday 16th December to pastures new. We would like to take this opportunity to thank her for her hard work and wish her all the best in her new school. We have appointed Mrs Andrews as class teacher of Zagazoo for the rest of this academic year and we look forward to welcoming her in the new term.

We are also saying goodbye to Mrs Betts, who has worked as an MSA at both sites this term. We wish her luck in her new job. And...Miss Rumble is leaving us to go on maternity leave. We wish her all the best with the rest of her pregnancy.

Oyster Travel Christmas Card Competition

A special well done goes to Amelia Beardsworth in Year 5, who won the 8+ category in the Christmas card competition run by Oyster Travel. Her winning design will be turned into a Christmas card which will be sent out to clients of Oyster travel. Amelia wins herself a £25 Toys'r'us voucher and a goody bag. Well done Amelia!

Holt Road Tuck

Some of our children learn to take some early responsibility by helping to run the playtime tuck trolley at Holt Road. Part of this involves taking payment, which can be quite challenging, especially when it comes to giving correct change! Where possible could you please give your child the correct money for tuck so we can help ensure we do not make a loss and can keep the tuck trolley running. Tuck costs 20p at Holt Road

Mill Lane School Dinners

Our kitchen at Mill Lane has reported an increase in the number of children who do not have money to pay for their school dinner. There are also a number of children who are regularly coming to school without their own lunch. We understand that occasionally money may get lost or forgotten and that children may leave their lunchbox at home, and as such we will always make sure your child has some food to eat. When this happens, school have to pay for your child's lunch. After Christmas we will be issuing slips to let you know when this has happened and payments will need to be made to the office by the following day.

Nutritional Support

Our school dinners are provided by NORSE catering. They are cooked on site at Mill Lane and delivered to Holt Road from there each day. NORSE have recently set up a parent hotline which allows you to speak to their registered dietician Nicole Madden, regarding any queries about the meals they provide. The number is 07718200884 and is available Tuesdays to Thursdays between 4.30-6pm.

Clubs

Due to other commitments most clubs will not be running next week. The only clubs running are: Gymnastics at Holt Road on Tuesday and Artist Club at Holt Road on Thursday – Parents are invited to the exhibition at 3:45pm

PTA News

Thank you so much for all the support over the past weeks with regards to organising and providing items for the Christmas Fayres.

The donations have been absolutely overwhelming! At the time of writing we are getting ready for the Mill Lane fayre. We hope you all have a wonderful time playing the games and winning gifts through our tombolas/raffle. We are looking forward to doing it all again on Monday at Holt Road. We will let you know how much we have raised for school funds in the New Year. As always, if you feel you can offer your time or ideas or would like to be part of our PTA please email our chair Sue Smith on horsfordprimarypta@gmail.com