



# Parent Newsletter

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Dear Parents,

**Our Christian Value this half term is:**

**Thankfulness**

**We are thankful for the way in which God loves and cares for us in many different ways throughout our lives.**

**We can show others that we are thankful through our actions and words.**

**Thankfulness is about not taking things for granted and showing our gratitude for the people and the things around us.**

**Celebrating our children:**



**What Would Jesus Do Awards:**

**Honey Bees:** Bella showing kindness to everyone.

**Discovery:** Max gaining confidence and showing courage in class.

**Atlantis:** Myla- Showing kindness and friendship to others by helping them when they are struggling with a task.

**Enterprise:** Eliza, Maddie and Emily for always being so helpful in class.

**Endeavour:** Lily – thankfulness – Always using her manners and thinking of others. Wishing all her friends and staff a nice lunch and nice evening. Being grateful for all she has.



**Atlantis-** Ben.

**Enterprise-** Leo, Maddie, Harry

**Endeavour-** Leo, Josh, Jacob

**Stars of the week this week:**



**Honey Bees-** Emmett

**Discovery Class-** Thomas W and Arza

**Atlantis Class-** Edward, Joe, Stanley and Summer.

**Enterprise Class-** Neave, Jack, Lewis,

Alyssia.

**Endeavour Class-** Adam, Tilly S, Portia and Theo.

**Well done everyone.**

**Enrichment Activities:**

- Zoom with Priory High School all about virtual open evening.

**-Hello Yellow Day.** We have had a lovely day today with lots of random acts of kindness around school.



**Honey Bees and Discovery-** 'We are being kind to everyone. If we are kind we put a beanbag in the bucket. We are trying to have a bucket full of kindness.'

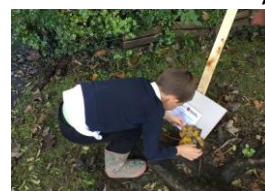
**Atlantis-** We looked at; What is positive mental health and how can we keep our minds healthy? We did this by looking at the sort of activities we can do to promote a healthy mind. Mr Pitcher also had a special act of kindness for us all at the end of the day!

**Enterprise-** We read 'How to fill a bucket?' We discussed random acts of kindness and why these are good for our brains. We filled our own buckets with ideas.


**Endeavour-** We we thought about what are strengths. We learnt how we should always keeping going even when things are hard.



- Maths repeating patterns.
- Forest School.
- Nature Journals – walk over to church to study autumn seed cases and how they protect the seed.
- **Prayer Trail:** Thank you to Mrs Boland who took our children on the Prayer Trail.



**THE NEST  
OFSTED REGISTERED  
HOLIDAY CLUB  
OPEN THIS HT 26-30TH  
OCTOBER AT  
HOOLE ST MICHAEL'S  
SCHOOL  
7.45AM 5.15PM  
£20 A DAY  
BOOKING ESSENTIAL  
CONTACT ANNA  
THENESTHC@GMAIL.COM**



**THE NEST HALLOWEEN PARTY**  
7.45AM - 5.15PM  
20 A DAY  
CHILDREN FROM ALL  
SCHOOLS WELCOME  
HARRY POTTER  
DAY OUTH  
OPEN 26-30TH  
OCTOBER  
BOOKING ESSENTIAL  
HOOLE ST MICHAEL'S  
PRIMARY

SPORT DANCE SEWING  
BAKING FUN GAMES  
DRAMA DENS & MORE!!!  
VISIT US @THENESTHC  
ON INSTAGRAM AND  
ANNA NEST ON FB TO  
SEE THE FABULOUS  
COMMENTS WE GET!!

We have a holiday Club in school this half term. Details are below. If you would like your child to attend please contact Anna. Depending on numbers, we

discussed how funds could be raised and spent within the school.

**EVERYday**  
counts  
attendance matters



We will have our first Hot Spot Days to celebrate good attendance next week. There will be 10 Hot Spot Days before the end of term. If your child is in school for all the 10 Hot Spot Days their name will go in a draw for a family voucher.

**Please Remember:**

- Long hair needs to be tied back.
- Water only in water bottles. No juice.
- Healthy food in packed lunches.

**COVID Update:** As there has been a rise in Covid cases in our area, we would like to ask parents to wear face coverings when dropping off or picking up their children. Thank you in advance for your co-operation.

**Children's Attitude Questionnaire:** You have been sent this information via Parent pay. If you would prefer a paper copy please request one from the office and we will send one out. Many thanks.

might be able to offer this for 10 weeks in the school holidays this year.

**Comments from our parents:**



'I have seen an improvement with them engaging in reading things when we're out- even silly things like shop signs!'

'Looks like they're all having a lovely day.'

'We have listened to 'Where is the Love', 'Man in the Mirror' and 'What About Us?' In the kitchen cleaning disco tonight, which has been marvellous – linked to our song lyric study in English.'

'Thank you all for your kind words.'

'Absolutely love seeing these pictures. 'There was a whole discussion at dinner tonight about the difference between pointillism and stippling and then the technique they use in comics with the dotted colouring and shading. I thought I was in the wrong house!!'

He's really enjoying school at the moment, especially this new story you're reading with him.'



**FOHSM HALLOWEEN FUNDRAISER**  
**FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER**  
**DOUGHNUT SALE!!**  
50P EACH  
AFTERSCHOOL 3-3:15PM  
Tables will be separated for each class bubble  
**SPOOKTACTULAR DRAWINGS**  
50P PER ENTRY  
Entries are unlimited  
please bring into school on or before 23rd  
**PUMPKIN CARVING & TRAIL**  
50P ENTRY  
After School until 5:45pm  
PAINT-CARVE-DECORATE  
a pumpkin masterpiece  
Please bring to school in the morning  
Pumpkins can be collected from Christine Rishton after 6:30pm please see dojo for more info

**FOHSM:** Thank you to all the parents who attended our first Zoom Meeting on Monday. We have also had lots of parents offering to volunteer at events. We

**Important dates for your diary!**

**Wk Beg. Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October**

- The Journey Themed Week.
- Dress as an explorer/a book character who went on a journey on the Monday.

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October**

- Individual/Family photographs.

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October**

- Open Evening 4-6pm. Appointment needed. Please note: **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October**

- FOHSM Doughnut sale.
- FOHSM Pumpkin Carving competition.

**Thank you for continuing to read our newsletter. We hope it keeps you up to date with everything going on at Hoole St Michael.**