



# Parent Newsletter

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022

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.

### Bible Verse

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

### Philippians 4:6

## Celebrating our children:



### What Would Jesus Do Awards:

**Honey Bees and Discovery:** Billie - being a helpful and caring friend to her peers in reception and Y1.

**Atlantis:** Dexter - Christian value of thankfulness and always using fantastic manners!

**Enterprise:** Esmee - showing perseverance, even when something is really tricky. She always tries her best, never giving up!

**Endeavour:** Isabella - Christian Value of Love and Compassion - showing a real awareness of her own feelings and those of others, showing understanding and care.

### Stars of the week this week:



**Honey Bees and Discovery Class-** Bella, Jake and Joshua.

**Atlantis Class-** Felix, Ted and Emilia

**Enterprise Class-** Evie, Oliver, Aubre.

**Endeavour Class-** Alfie, Ruby and Maddie

Parents will receive an invitation to our Celebration Assembly at 9am, via Dojo. (2 adults per child only please.)



### Our GRIT Champion:

Get Ready I am Trying!

**Honey Bees and Discovery Class-** Robbie for not giving up with his writing, it is beautiful and cursive and he is having a go at writing simple words too.

**Atlantis Class-** Tom for working hard on his adjective work.

**Enterprise Class-** Stanley for getting really stuck into all aspects of learning. Bringing work in that has been done at home and handing homework in promptly ready to be marked!

**Endeavour Class-** Armin for slogging it out with some tricky maths this week with a huge smile and never giving up.



**Honey Bees and Discovery:** Collecting conkers, acorns and other autumn objects to then use in rolling picture painting.

**Atlantis:** Atlantis have been outside writing different ways we can be kind on the playground.

**Enterprise:** We made letters using our bodies in science for our healthy human sign.

**Endeavour:** Maths – We have been on a place value trail to revise and refresh our learning!



### *Enrichment*

**Honey Bees and Discovery:** Looking at the crafters of Coll and then finding out how to dye wool to then make felt pictures.

**Atlantis:** we have enjoyed a visit from the Fire service all about fire safety.

**Enterprise:** Learning about Benjamin Zaphaniah as part of Black History Month.

**Endeavour:** This week we learnt how periscopes work and how to draw a mirror scientifically. We made a periscope too with our group and wrote messages for our friends to see through them.

### Optimistic October:

**Optimistic October 2022**

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 Write down three things you can look forward to this month.	9 Find something to be optimistic about (even if it's a difficult time).	17 Take a small step towards a goal that really matters to you.	25 Start your day with the most important thing on your to-do list.	3 Be a realistic optimist. See life as it is, but focus on what's good.	11 Remind yourself that things can change for the better.	19 Look for the good in people around you today.
8 Make some progress on a project or task you have been avoiding.	16 Share an important goal with someone you trust.	24 Take time to reflect on what you have accomplished recently.	31 Avoid blaming yourself or others. Find a helpful way forward.	12 Look out for positive news and reasons to be cheerful today.	20 Ask for help to overcome an obstacle you are facing.	28 Do something constructive to improve a difficult situation.
15 Think yourself for achieving the things you often take for granted.	23 Put down your to-do list and do something fun or uplifting.	30 Take a small step towards a positive change you want to see in society.	6 Set hopeful but realistic goals for the days ahead.	14 Identify one of your positive qualities that will be helpful in the future.	22 Find joy in tackling a task you've put off for some time.	30 Let go of the expectations of others and focus on what matters to you.
22 Share a hopeful quote, picture or video with a friend or colleague.	31 Recognise that you have a choice about what to prioritise.	28 Write down three specific things that have gone well recently.	13 You can't do everything! What are your three priorities right now?	21 Find a new perspective on a problem you face.	29 Be kind to yourself today. Remember, progress takes time.	26 Ask yourself: will this still matter a year from now?
29 Plan a fun or exciting activity to look forward to.	30 Identify three things that give you hope for the future.	31 Set a goal that brings a sense of purpose for the coming month.				

**ACTION FOR HAPPINESS** Happier · Kinder · Together

**Honey Bees and Discovery:** set hopeful but realistic goals for the day ahead!

**Atlantis:** Atlantis have been reminded that things can change for the better when looking at our Black History Month work.

**Enterprise:** Look for the good in people around you

**Endeavour:** We have been taking small steps towards a goal that we have set ourselves.

### Pupil Voice:

**Honey Bees and Discovery Healthy Schools Council:**

We will be inspecting Packed Lunches next week. Please make sure they are healthy!

**Atlantis 3C's:** We have began decorating our creativity pebbles, keep an eye out for our bright creativity Christian value pebbles.

**Enterprise Eco Warriors:** The Harvest Fruit and veg sale raised £63.09 for The Bishop's Harvest Appeal.

**Endeavour School Council:** The Macmillan Coffee morning raised £90.00.

Hello Yellow day for Young Minds is on the 10th October. Get ready to wear that splash of yellow.

### FOHSM:

Please can parents/carers donate any unwanted or outgrown school uniform that you've got. We are going to organise a pre loved uniform sale at school on Friday the 21st October. All proceeds will go towards the PTFA.

All donations must be in a good and clean condition. We are looking for school coats, pinafore dresses, skirts, trousers, shorts, T Shirts, cardigans, jumpers, PE kits, pumps and school shoes.

Thankyou for your continued support .

All donations must be received by Wednesday the 19th October at the latest.

**DISCO NIGHT**

*Friday 14th October*

**3:30 - 5 PM**

**£3 ENTRY**

**ENTRY INCLUDES HOTDOG & DRINK**

**FREE ENTRY FOR AFTERSCHOOL CLUB**

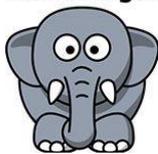
**SWEET STALL GLOW STICKS**

**ACCESS STRAIGHT FROM SCHOOL**

**SEND A CHANGE OF CLOTHES IF YOU WISH**

*Refreshments available for adults donations welcome*

### Don't Forget



### Please Remember:

To return your Pantomime Permission slips and reserve your child's seat before Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October. If they would like a school packed lunch please state which filling Ham/Cheese/Tuna – if you have already returned your slip please do Ms Barlow with your child's choice of filling. Thank you



### Open Day on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October 1-6pm.

Please make an appointment via

[head@hoole.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@hoole.lancs.sch.uk)

### **Important dates for your diary!**

**10th October:** Hello Yellow Day.

**14th October:** FOHSM Disco 3-30-5pm.

**19th October:**

- Open Day 1-6 pm.
- FOHSM uniform donations

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

- Hubbersty worship
- Close for half term.
- FOHSM doughnut sale after school
- FOHSM uniform sale

## Community News:



Dear Parents and Carers

The Nest October Half Term 2022

24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> at Hoole St Michaels Primary

HSM is close to Longton, Leyland, Lostock Hall, Penwortham, Hutton, New Longton and Tarleton

Bookings are open and we still have places left, Wednesday is getting full.

We have a brilliant week planned.

Claire, Danielle & Anna will be managing plus our fabulous team of play workers.

Please use the link to book

<https://thenest.kidsclubhq.co.uk/login#/auth>

£22 a day or £100 a week open 7.45am – 5.15pm

includes free afternoon snack

(Please remember we no longer take work place vouchers or tax credits)

We will be open December 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> 2022

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