



**23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017**

**Athlete visit**

On Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June, we will be hosting a GB Athlete, James Denny, to run a fun fitness circuit with the whole school and deliver an assembly to inspire the children with his story. Children have taken home a sponsor form and monies raised will be used to buy new PE equipment for the school and to help support GB athletes. You can also donate using this link <http://www.sportsforschools.org/event/ct607> . **There is no pressure to raise sponsorship – we know this is a costly time of year and there are other fundraising events happening at the same time.**

**Non-Uniform day**

Thank you to everyone who supported the non-uniform day today and brought in a chocolate donation.

**Summer Fair – Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2017 – 11am – 1pm**

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to help at the Summer Fair. Donations of cakes and biscuits to sell on the day would be most appreciated. These can be dropped off the day before or on the morning of the Fair from 8.30am. Thanks in advance for your support of this event. The money the PSFA raises makes a massive difference to our very limited budget.

**Raffle Tickets**

Raffle tickets were sent home with every child last week. Please return any raffle ticket stubs along with money, or any unsold raffle tickets, before Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June.

**Balloon Race**

Please support our Summer Fair balloon race by purchasing a ticket and selling them to your family & friends! The balloons will be released at the Summer Fair. First prize for the balloon that travels the furthest and is found before the end of term is a £20 Smyth's voucher. Balloons are £2 each.

**School Photographs**

Proofs of the class photographs were sent home on Wednesday. If you would like to purchase photographs, please return your order and payment before Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June, thank you. Orders placed after this date will need to be done directly with Tempest and will incur a charge.

**Year 5 High School visits**

Year 5 will have the opportunity to visit local high schools to participate in secondary school life. The dates are 28<sup>th</sup> June at The Dean Trust (formerly Abraham Guest) and 10<sup>th</sup> July at Up Holland High School. Visits take part in the normal school day and transport is provided. Please see the letter sent home this week for more details. Last year Shevington High did their taster day in early autumn for Y6 so we expect it to be the same this year.

**School trips**

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Year 5 – Crucial Crew, Wigan Life Centre

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Year 4 – Greenslate Farm, Orrell

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Year 2 – Chester Zoo

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July – Year 1 – Pets at Home, Wigan

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July – Year 5 – Bispham Hall

**Up Holland Festival of Music 2017**

The school choir will be taking part in Up Holland High School's Festival of Music on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July. Further details have been sent home this week. If you would like tickets, please return the reply slip along with payment.

**Netball Team**

The netball team played a great match yesterday! They scored some brilliant goals, passed really well and were in the lead for most of the match but were unfortunately pipped at the post. Well done to all involved – you are getting better every week!

**Football Team**

The football team won very comfortably last night in their match. Great team work, determination and skill as always. A fantastic effort well done!

**Y3 Rugby Tournament**

Well done to the fantastic Rugby Team for a wonderful performance at the tournament coming third overall. Thanks also to Mr Hitchen and the Dean Trust Wigan for providing us with transport it is much appreciated.

**Math Quiz**

Well done to the Y5 and Y6 mathematics quiz team for a great performance last night with some very tricky maths questions! We are very proud of you!

**Awards**

**Holgate Hero Behaviour Awards** – Rec Harrison McBurney, Y1 Kyra-Lee Abbott, Y2 Ben Bennett, Y3 Oscar Brough, Y4 Olivia Foster, Y5 Lucy Thompson, Y6 Josē Labraña

**Holgate Hero Learning Awards** – Rec Catey Taylor, Y1 Ella Carr, Y2 Ellis Bradley, Y3 Dylan Moffett, Y4 Euan Howarth, Y5 Lennon Belshaw, Y6 Leo Birkett

**Lunchtime Awards** – Rec Bentley Morrison, Y1 Oliver Marshall-Harker, Y2 Ben Bennett, Y3 Dylan Moffett, Y4 Roseanne Amini. Y5 Lucy Thompson, Y6 Ellis Nurdin

**Birthdays** – Y6 Matthew Hilton, Y4 Gracie Marsh, Y1 Oscar Twist

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