

A special mention to:

Mr Fox, who following a football injury last weekend, had an operation today to fix a shattered bone. Mr Fox will be off for the rest of the term as he recuperates. We all wish him well and hope he has a speedy recovery.

Christmas Story Time

Thank you to those of you who have sent their stories in, the children, and adults, have been delighted by them.

School values

Thank you to those who have participated so far.

As we continue on our journey to providing a primary school education that is underpinned by a strong moral ethos, we invite all stakeholders to identify what values are most important to them.

- A school **value** identifies something intrinsically valuable or desirable for all students and is intended to support the personal, social and spiritual development of every pupil throughout the school.
- **Values are** principles that guide our thinking and our behaviour.
- **Values** are important because they help us to grow and develop, to create the future we want to experience.
- The decisions we make are a reflection of our **values** and beliefs.

Over the past couple of months, the staff and children at Hornton Primary School have been considering, collectively, what values are important to us. We would now like to invite parents to participate in this process by doing the same.

From our discussions so far, we have identified the following values:

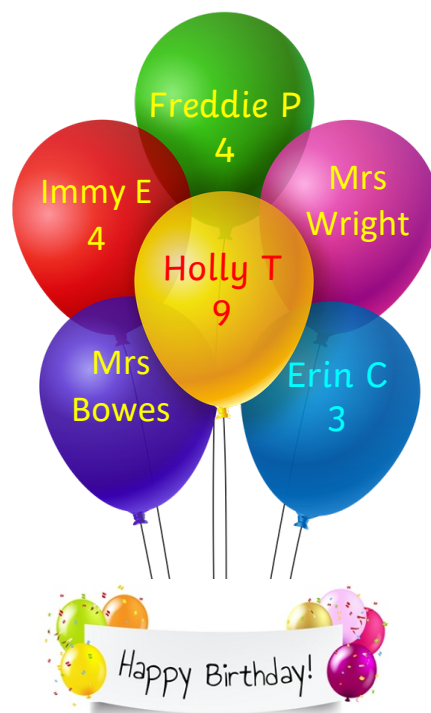
Friendly	Creative	Confident	Fair	Resilient
Caring	Kind	Responsible	Conscientious	Honourable
Respectful	Honest	Successful	Independent	Aspirational

If you would like to participate in this process, and inform how the school moves forward, please choose 6 of the values above that are the most important to you and send by return to the email address sending this bulletin. **We value your input!**

The findings from this process will be presented to governor's next term, before being published on the school website. Thank you

Christmas schedule

- Wednesday 16th December, our school lunch providers have a traditional Christmas dinner on the menu. Please book this through the office as normal.
- Thursday 17th December, the children will be enjoying a fun afternoon, with snacks provided by the PTA (**lunch will be as normal**)
- Friday 18th December, non-uniform Christmas jumper/festive outfit day



- Friday 18th December, school finishes early.
 - Pre-school and Orchard – 12 pm
 - Oak – 12.05 pm
 - Willow – 12.10 pm
 - Rowan – 12. 15 pm

- We return to school on Wednesday 6th January 2021

Breakfast Club/After School Club

Our wrap around care facilities are now up and running.

Please contact the school office if you would like to make use of Breakfast and/or After school club.

Coronavirus

Thank you to everyone who has responded to the 'Test and Trace' and testing guidelines so far.

All COVID-19 related information can be found on the school website

<https://www.horntonprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=Covid%2D19&pid=101>

Allergies

A quick reminder that Hornton Primary School is a nut free zone. We have several children with severe allergies. This includes nut-based chocolate spreads.

Thank you for your continuing support

The HPS Team