

Friends of Holbrook

Spring Newsletter



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Dates for the Diary

1st April - Quiz Night

6th April - Easter Egg Hunt

Happy Easter

9th June 2011 - Summer Disco

17th June Mufti Day

25th June 2011 - Summer Fete



Spring is here!



Hello again to everyone

Well we have had a terrific start to the fundraising year and have already managed to raise £5,621 towards our target of £10,000.

This is a fantastic start to the year and we hope with the warmer weather arriving we can reach our goal.

This year, more than ever, the school needs our help to bridge the gap that cuts in funding may have left. So your support is very important.

Don't forget our Quiz night is this Friday 1st April and there is still time to enter a team. This is a really relaxed event and is a lot of fun. You can enter a team of 6 or we can make a team up for you. £5 a person. The evening starts at 7.30pm.

If you are interested simply contact me on the email above or leave a message at the school office.

We are already making plans for the Summer Fete and if you would like to get involved we would love to have you onboard.

Our biggest event of the year takes a lot of organising and effort so please make a note of the date and come along and enjoy the day.

Thank you for your support.

Ruth Dean, Chair

Did You Know?

Each year the Friends of Holbrook put on an Easter Egg Hunt for the children.

The younger children are helped by their reading partners.



Everyone has a lot of fun!

PUDDINGS!

We still have a few Holbrook Chocolate Puddings left over from the Christmas Fayre which are scrummy.

These are now available at just **£4.**

Contact Jo Hogben in the Reception and Year 1 playground or call her on 01403 269963

Feeling Crafty?

We are currently looking for a parent or grandparent to make us a new tombola drum for the Summer Fete.



If you think you could help we are more than happy to cover the cost of the materials.

Please contact Ruth Dean on 01403 248225 or email me.

Need to contact a committee member?

If you have any questions about the Friends of Holbrook or their events please feel free to speak to one of the committee members.

We can be contacted via the website, the school office or in the playground.

Here is a list of all members of the committee and their oldest child's year group.

If you would like to get more involved and maybe join the committee, we meet roughly 6 times a year and give as much or as little time as we are able.

Contact Ruth Dean on 01403 248225 for more information.

Chairperson	Ruth Dean	Y3
Vice Chair	Anne Jolliffe	Y5
Treasurer	Di Robertson	Y4
Secretary & Health & Safety	Nicky Maynard	Y3
Committee Member	Jane Hoad	Y6
Committee Member	Marie Minihane	Y5
Committee Member	Sandra Neal	Y5
Committee Member	Christy Skilton	Y5
Committee Member	Pete Crawford	Y4
Committee Member	Emma Greaves	Y4
Committee Member	Sharon Osborne	Y4
Committee Member	Julia Forbes	Y3
Committee Member	Chris Dodd	Y2
Committee Member	Liz Williams	Y2
Committee Member	Rissa Ryan	YR
Committee Member	Trish Richards - Brown	YR
Committee Member	Jo Hogben	YR
Committee Member	Helen Weston	YR

Uniform Shop

The **new school uniform** shop continues to be popular and will be open every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month during term time outside the main entrance between 2.50 and 3.30pm.

Second hand uniform will be available to buy on the 2nd Monday of each month.

Other ways to help raise money

Thank you to all the parents who have already ordered name labels with easy2name.com who pay us a commission for each order made.

To avoid losing school uniform, lunch boxes and other personal items, please place your order for brilliant labels with Easy2name. Details can be found on our website.

Please remember to quote our reference **Holbrook Primary School RH12**



Please take a minute to look at www.brightminds.co.uk. It provides a very easy way for us to earn money and equipment for the school. We receive 25% in goods vouchers/ cashback of 10% of whatever you order. Excluding P&P.

Please place your order directly with Brightminds and not through the school and do remember to quote our source code **FR-2407**

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