

# Ashlands News



## Week commencing 8th May

**Monday 8th May** - Kings Coronation Bank Holiday - school closed

**Friday 12th May** - Yr 6 trip to Ilkley park PM. As a reward for their hard work during this week, we are planning to take the children to the park. Please make sure your child has a coat and sensible shoes with them.

**Friday 12th May** - NO RAZZMATAZZ

Monday 15th May - Whole Class photos (mop up session)

Tuesday 23rd May - Year 1 and 2 Eureka trip

Friday 26th May - Break Up @ 3.30pm

\*\* Achievement Assemblies - Parents will receive an individual invitation by email if their child is receiving an award

\*\*\* Celebration assemblies are where parents are invited to attend and see what the children have been doing in school \*\*\*

## FRIDAY 12th May

### NO RAZZMATAZZ

Due to Year 6 Sats there will be no Razzmatazz on 12th May.



National Walk to school week is week commencing 15th May

Please try and walk to school if you can!

## Prickly Hedgehogs Assembly on Monday 15th May

We are excited to say that we have organised a visit from Prickly Pigs Hedgehog Rescue on Monday 15th May during assembly.

They are a self-funded hedgehog hospital, based at their home in Otley, where they take in hedgehogs that have been found by members of the public who are sick, injured and orphaned.

If any children would like to bring in a donation of cat and dog food for the Prickly Hedgehog Rescue Centre on Monday 15th they would very much appreciate it. Any meaty, wet cat or dog food is suitable with the preference being loaf/pate and jelly varieties rather than gravy.

**Obviously this is entirely voluntary**

Please explain to your child that the food is for the rescue to take away with them and that they are not going to feeding any hedgehogs during the visit!

If you would like to find out more about Prickly Pigs Hedgehog Rescue and the work they do then please take a look at their website [www.pricklypigs.co.uk](http://www.pricklypigs.co.uk) or find them on Facebook or Instagram.



## SAPLINGS MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 12th May 3.30pm - 5.30pm

The next movie is Bumblebee

Places are limited and can be booked on Arbor under clubs / Saplings

Price is £10.00 includes burger & popcorn

Collection is from the school office at 5.30pm. Late collection available up until 6.00pm for an additional £2.50 (will be invoiced to your Saplings account only if used)

Booking closes Wednesday 10th May 3.30pm prompt, places are limited.

## Football, bikes and scooters on the playground

For the safety of all our parents and children please can we remind you not to let your children play football or ride bikes and scooters on the playground at pick up and drop off.

The playground is very busy at this time and we have had a number of reports of accidents and collisions.

## Hopefully we are now going to have some warmer weather!



Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school.

Weather forecast dependant, they also need a hat.  
Thank you

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## Lunchtime Clubs

**Tuesday** - Spanish Club  
**Thursday** - Singing Club  
**Friday 8.30am** - Razzmatazz

## Music Lessons

Monday - None  
Tuesday - Guitar  
Wednesday - Vocal & Percussion Woodwind, Piano & Keyboard  
Thursday - Piano, Keyboard, Woodwind & Strings  
Friday - Brass

Well done to Oliver in Year 2!

Ever since Oliver can remember he has helped out at charity events, helping 'Uncle Andy' who is a local fundraiser, raise money for young people with cancer and the homeless.

Since around 2018 Oliver has been a part of charity events and race nights. He has contributed hugely to raising huge funds. A total of 100,000 has been raised since 2013!

Well done Oliver



## School Lunches & Catering News

### Next week we are on Week One

Please can we remind you that we are a nut free site. This includes nut based cereal bars, nutella and other nut based spreads.

We have a number of children and members of staff with severe nut allergies, please help us keep them safe, thank you.

## Friends of Ashlands

### Events

Peaks Challenge - Sunday 21st May  
Camping Weekend - 16/17th June  
Summer Fair - 9th July  
Ilkley Half Marathon - 16th July

## Auction of Promises

The auction of promises ends tonight at 10pm (for anyone who received a ending sooner- this was an error and those lots will be opened up!) please do get bidding in these final hours- helping to raise money for your school and getting yourself an exciting pledge in exchange.

<https://www.jumblebee.co.uk/ashlandsprimaryschoolauctionofpromises2023>

## Carnival 2023

A huge well done to everyone to who took part in the carnival on Monday.

Thank you to all the parents, children and staff who were involved in making the flag, shakers, costumes and props and also to everyone who was involved in organising the Ashlands tableau.

We hope you all saw Mrs Russell and our lovely Ashlands children on Look North!



## School Uniform

Please may we remind parents that children should come to school in the correct school uniform

White polo shirt, green sweatshirt or cardigan with school logo, grey trousers / skirt / pinafore / shorts, grey/ white socks / grey tights & Formal black school shoes

### Correct PE Kit must always be worn:-

White T-shirt (plain, round neck), plain, dark coloured tracksuit/jogging bottoms, leggings or shorts appropriate for sport, plain, dark coloured jumper or hooded jumper appropriate for sport or Ashlands outdoor PE kit & Trainers - Year 6 children are able to wear their Ashlands Leavers hoodie

### Forest Schools

On Forest Schools day your child should come into school in their PE kit with their forest school kit in a bag (waterproofs, old clothes and wellies)

**Nursery Uniform** - Plain red polo shirt plain red sweatshirt / cardigan / jumper plain black leggings / tracksuit bottoms (children in nursery do PE but do not need a PE kit)

## PE KIT

**Please send your Child in their School PE kit on the following days**

**Reception** - Tuesday only

**Year 1** - Wednesday & Thursday (1 Oak Forest Schools Wednesday PM)

**Year 2** - Wednesday & Thursday

**Year 3** - Tuesday & Thursday

**Year 4** - 4 Yew Thursday & Friday / 4 Rowan Wed & Thursday) (4 Rowan Forest Schools until Thurs 11.5 then 4 Yew final 2 weeks until we break up for Spring Bank)

**Year 5** - Monday & Tuesday

**Year 6** - Tuesday (6 Birch Forest Schools until Tues 9.5 then 6 Chestnut final 2 weeks until we break up for Spring Bank)

**Please send your child to school with wellies & waterproofs if they are doing Forest Schools**