



# Ashlands News

Week beginning 8th April 2024

## Week commencing 8.4.24

School Re-opens Monday 8th April 2024

Monday 8th April - 3.30pm to 5.30pm Carnival Maker Day

Tuesday 9th April - No Coding Club in Saplings

Wednesday 10th April - Year 6 Eden Camp

Thursday 11th April - Year 5 Bikeability (5 Hawthorn)

Friday 12th April - Year 6 Bikeability (5 Cedar)



Thank you to everyone who has donated to our Just Giving Page for Yorkshire Cancer Research

**Up to going to press we have raised £280**

If you want to donate the link is:

[https://www.justgiving.com/page/ilkley-ashlands-primary-school-1710333475079?utm\\_term=g7rn9a5XQ](https://www.justgiving.com/page/ilkley-ashlands-primary-school-1710333475079?utm_term=g7rn9a5XQ)

Further details attached.

## Upcoming Events

Monday 15th April - 3.30pm to 5.30pm Carnival Maker Days

Tuesday 16th April - 9.30am to 11.15am Nursery Open Morning

Wednesday 17th April - 2.30pm Spring Music Concert (Razzmatazz, and special guests soloists)

Friday 26th April - 1.30pm to 3.30pm Nursery Open Afternoon

Wednesday 1st May - Class Photos

Tuesday 14th May - 7.30pm - Black Hat - Friends of Ashlands meeting - all welcome

## PE KIT DAYS

The children should come to school in their PE kit on the below days regardless of whether they tell you that they are doing PE, Forest Schools, art or music.

**If your child is doing Forest Schools please make sure that school in their PE kit with their forest school clothes in a bag (waterproofs, old clothes and wellies).**

### Reception - Thursday.

*The children will alternate between PE & Outdoor Adventures so will need some wellies to keep in school as well.*

### Year 1

**1 Willow - Monday & Wednesday**

**1 Oak Wednesday & Thursday**

### Year 2

**2 Cherry - Monday**

**Both classes - Wednesday**

**2 Beech - Friday**

**Year 3 - Thursday**

**Year 4 - Thursdays & Fridays**

*(Forest Schools on a Thursday for 4 Yew)*

**Year 5 - Tuesday**

*(Forest Schools on Tuesday is 5 Hawthorn)*

### Year 6

**Tuesday & Friday**

## Update to Attendance Policy

The school Attendance Policy has been updated and agreed by Governors.

The change is:

Any child who takes a holiday in term time could be fined through the Local Authority.

A copy of the full school policy can be found on the school website

## Ashlands Wildflowers

We are looking to Tesco's to support us raise money for our wildflowers this year.

If you would be able to support us with time rather than money, we are looking for parent/grandparent volunteer helpers to commit to at least an hour a week's gardening to support this project.

Let the office know if you could help and we will draw up a timetable.

# Saplings

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Registration and Snack	Registration and Snack	Registration and Snack	Registration and Snack	Registration and Snack
Dance KS1	Multi Sport KS1	Forest School KS1	Baking KS1	Movie Night
Arts & Crafts KS1 & KS2	Coding Club KS2	Dance KS2	Multi Sport KS2	
Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	

**Saplings**

## MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 12th April  
3.30pm-5.30pm  
£10 including burger and popcorn  
Booking closes on Arbor  
Thursday 11th @ 3.30pm

## NURSERY OPEN MORNINGS

Tuesday 16th April 9.30am - 11.15am  
Friday 26th April 1.30pm - 3.00pm

No need to book, just come and visit our inspiring and nurturing Early Years setting and see us in action.

Meet the staff and find out what we can offer your family.

We admit children over 3 years old and are open 48 weeks (term time 7.30am - 6.00pm & holidays 8.15am - 5.15pm)  
If you can't make these dates please contact the school office and we will arrange a convenient time.

**CONTACT US**  
Tel: 01943 609050  
email: office@ashlands.mt.co.uk  
www.ashlandsprimary.org.uk

## Virtual Reality in Education

Engaging VR and AR educational content for students of all ages

**New Fundraising Goal Virtual Reality Sets**

Is anyone able to support us with fundraising for these?  
£17,000 for a class set of 30!  
Google~ Class VR for more information.  
Thank you

WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Main dish</b>	Meatballs in tomato sauce served with wholemeal pasta	All day breakfast	Roast chicken with mashed potato & gravy	BBQ chicken & rice	Beef burger with baked potato wedges
<b>Vegetarian Main dish</b>	Vegetarian meatballs with wholemeal pasta	Vegetarian all day breakfast	Quorn™ fillet with roast potatoes & gravy	Vegetable frittata served with new potatoes	Quorn™ nuggets with chunky chips
<b>Accompaniments</b>	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	baked beans Salad bar
<b>Desserts</b>	Chocolate brownie	Jam & coconut sponge	Chocolate muffin	Spiced apple cake	Ginger biscuit
<b>Fresh fruit or yoghurt</b>	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
<b>Jacket potato and sandwich selection</b>	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection

**TO EAT MORE FRUIT**

**KEY**

- 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY
- MEAT FREE MONDAY
- CHEFS CHOICE
- PLANT-BASED / VEGAN

**"Allergens and Intolerances"**  
All of our food is lovingly hand crafted and prepared on site daily. We have a allergen procedure in place, so please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergens/ your child's allergies prior to using the restaurant.  
Our kitchens are used for multi-purpose production so we cannot guarantee the above dishes are completely free from allergen ingredients or traces of these.

## Lunchtime Clubs

**Monday** - French Club (KS1)

**Tuesday** - Spanish Club

**Thursday** - Singing Club

## Music Lessons - Key Stage 2

**Tuesday** - Piano/Keyboard/Brass/Guitar

**Wednesday** - Strings

**Thursday** - Woodwind/Percussion/Vocal/String

Mahri in Year 2 is going to cutting her hair off for the Little Princess Trust

If you would like to make a donation she has a Just Giving page:

[https://www.justgiving.com/page/fran-denton-1710786587959?](https://www.justgiving.com/page/fran-denton-1710786587959?utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=page%2Ffran-denton-1710786587959&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share)

[utm\\_medium=fundraising&utm\\_content=page%2Ffran-denton-](https://www.justgiving.com/page/fran-denton-1710786587959?utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=page%2Ffran-denton-1710786587959&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share)

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## Sporting News

### Double Success for Year 6 Boys Football

This Tuesday our Year 6 boys football team achieved double success becoming both League and Champion League winners.

This amazing feat has not been achieved for over 8 years.

It has been an amazing season for the 11 strong side. Week on week since October the boys have played with pride and respect.

The final stats for the league games show over the 7 games played 5 wins / 2 draws -29 goals scored and only 5 goals conceded in the league games. Then on to the final 2 games in the Champions league were both nail biting games, but the results speak for themselves 3-1 in each game.

I had the privilege of seeing the boys in action on Tuesday evening and I have never felt prouder of being part of Ashlands than I did that night.

Boys you were all amazing and deserve all the glory, you played with respect, honour and true Ashlands pride.

Congratulations. Mrs Smithson

A parent summed the boys performance up beautifully ...

*' It has been a joy watching the boys play this season. In particular, how they have encouraged and supported each other. How even when things haven't gone to plan they've never once showed signs of giving up. I don't think I saw a single person complain about substitution or rotation. They were able to celebrate their wins and yet always had words for their opponents, and Noah in particular just before the prize-giving was leading the way with calling to the other teams to wish them well done. I couldn't be more proud'.*

Well done to everyone who took part and to Mrs Smithson and Mr Brewis for leading the team.





# Friends of Ashlands Events and News

## Welcome to the Ashlands Auction of Promises 2023!

We are wanting to raise money for the school through an online Auction of Promises. If you have a skill you think people might pay for (It could be anything- 2 hours of ironing, video editing, gardening, musical lesson... let your imagination guide you!) or a service or gift you, or your company could provide (Picture framing, flower arrangement, dinner vouchers, branding workshop...) Simply

Email Kelly at [friendsofashlands@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofashlands@gmail.com) with:

1. Your skill/ service/ gift
  2. Any details (e.g. redemption period, how it works etc.) along with your name and the name and class of your eldest child
  3. A picture (if relevant)
- BY THE 12TH APRIL

We will then put your promise, along with all the others on a website for people to bid on for two weeks. The highest bidder on each wins (we will provide them with your email address to claim). Remember- all funds go towards your children's school-

Friends have recently supported the outdoor gym and Netball kits.

Thank you,  
Friends

## Ilkley Carnival is on Monday 6th May

If your child is in nursery / reception or KS1 and you wish to take part in the maker sessions we are offering 5 free Saplings sessions per day.

Please contact the school office to check availability and to book a place.

Children in KS2 are able to help in the maker sessions.

## Second Hand Uniform Sale

The Friends of Ashlands will be collecting old uniform for the second hand sale after the Easter break.

Please bring any donations to the school office.

Thank you

## ILKLEY CARNIVAL 6TH MAY MARDI GRAS



### ASHLANDS THEME 'YORKSHIRE FOLKLORE & FANTASY REBORN'

TO CONFIRM YOUR CHILD'S PLACE IN THE PARADE PLEASE PAY £4 ON ARBOR BY 22ND MARCH TO COVER COSTUMES & PROPS

WE NEED MAKERS AND YEAR GROUP VOLUNTEERS - PLS EMAIL [FRIENDSOFASHLANDS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:FRIENDSOFASHLANDS@GMAIL.COM)

MAKER DAYS @ SCHOOL HALL  
5 FREE SAPLINGS PLACES FOR KS1 / CHILDREN WELCOME TO HELP MAKE  
MON 18TH MARCH / 3 - 5.30pm  
MON 8TH APRIL / 3 - 5.30pm  
MON 15TH APRIL / 3 - 5.30pm  
MON 22TH APRIL / 3 - 5.30pm

## LET'S GO CAMPING

HELLO CAMPERS! THIS YEAR WE WILL BE GOING CAMPING TO SLENINGFORD WATERMILL IN RIPON!

IT'S A FAMILY FRIENDLY 14-ACRE CAMPSITE SET BESIDE THE RIVER URE.

BOOKING OPENS ON 1ST MARCH 2024 SO HURRY UP AND BOOK YOUR SPOT.

[sleningfordwatermill.co.uk](http://sleningfordwatermill.co.uk)

FRI 21ST & SAT 22ND JUNE 2024

## 'SUMMIT' TO REMEMBER?

WALKING TOGETHER

JOIN US! Families, pupils & staff are invited to come along to a sponsored walk to raise money for Ashlands Primary School.

ADVENTURE. Pen-y-ghent is a mountain of a hill, it's just under 6 miles and so the perfect hill to give children a taste of an outdoor challenge and the whole family 'summit' to remember!

Meet 10am  
Horton in Ribblesdale village hall

SUNDAY 19TH MAY

To sign up & get more details [friendsofashlands@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofashlands@gmail.com)