

Week commencing 02.12.24

Tuesday 3rd December - Year 6 Celebration Assembly 3pm
Thursday 5th December - Year 5 Geography fieldwork local walk 9.15am
Friday 6th December - Christmas Fair - 4.00pm - Tickets available on Arbor under School Shop/Products

If your child is booked into Saplings next Friday we will not be able to take them to the Christmas Fair due to Safeguarding and staff ratios.

Children booked into Saplings will have movie night in a Year 6 classroom. We will send out pick up instructions to those booked in next week.

You are welcome to take your child to the Christmas Fair after you have picked up from Saplings.

Due to the Christmas Fair, Running Club is cancelled next week.

Please note that Running Club is never on the last week of every half term and Coding Club is never on the first Tuesday of every half term.

Up Coming Diary Dates

Wednesday 11th December - Early Years Nativity - 2.45pm
Thursday 12th December - Early Years Nativity - 2.45pm
Friday 13th December - KS1 Christmas Nativity - 9.30am
Friday 13th December - Christmas dinner, wear your Christmas jumper or Christmas socks and donate £1.00 to Airedale Hospital
Tuesday 17th December KS2 Church Performance, St Johns
Church, Ben Rhydding - 10am

Wednesday 18th December KS2 Church Performance St Johns Church, Ben Rhydding - 10am

Friday 20th December - Break Up

Messages from school

Water Bottles

Please remember to bring a named water bottle into school full of water. We only have one water station in school so this will ensure less time out of class filling water bottles.

Bees

Ashlands bees recently won a Wharfedale Beekeepers Association award for their honey.

Winning the award was an amazing end to our season of hard work. We are all just thrilled and want to share our fabulous news with everyone.

Could we also ask for the honey stall at the Christmas fair to be cash only.

Weather related notifications from school over the Winter season.

Parents and carers should check the homepage of the school website first for information from school regarding any closures / late openings due to weather.

This is the quickest way for school to get this information out to the school community.

Early Years Christmas Holiday Club BOOKING NOW OPEN

CHRISTMAS EARLY YEARS HOLIDAY CLUB

Monday 23rd December, Thursday 2nd, Friday 3rd and Monday 6th January.

Ashlands Early Years Holiday Club welcomes Nursery, Reception and Year 1 children aged 3 and over.

Daily rates: 9.00am - 3.30 pm = £40 9.00am - 1.00pm = £20 8.00am - 5.15pm = £50

The children have fun getting messy painting and making crafts, they bake, they listen to stories and enjoy making music and sinaina.

They play outside whatever the weather and in the warmer months they use the field for play, outdoor learning and picnics. The children visit our wonderful outdoor classroom and garden where they can explore nature, we even have our own beehives!

To book a place or for further information please contact the school office and a member of the team will be happy to help.



Music in School

Lunchtime Clubs

Tuesday Guitar & Piano

Monday - French Club

Wednesday Strings

Tuesday - Spanish Club

Thursday Vocal, Drums & Woodwind **Thursday -** Singing Club

Friday Razzamatazz

Christmas Sock Day 13 December 2024 Pick your most outrageously festive socks, pop them on and donate £1 to support the Airedale Community. How to donate Text Sock to 70480 to donate £1 Send us your social media posts.

PE KIT DAYS FROM 4TH NOVEMBER

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 they come to school in their PE kit with their forest school clothes in a bag (waterproofs, old clothes and wellies).

Little Acorns 3 and 4 - Thursday.

Please wear white t shirt, black leggings/joggers/shorts and trainers.

Year 1 - Tuesday and Thursday

Year 2 - Both classes Thursday and Fridays.

(Forest Schools for Cherry 1 on a Thursday) **Year 3** - Both classes Monday and Friday

(Forest Schools for 3 Apple on a Monday)

Year 4 - Monday and Friday

Year 5 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday

Year 6 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday (Forest Schools for 6 Chestnut on a Wednesday)



Saplings

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack
Craft All	Dance & Music Nursery, Reception & KS1	Sports KS2	Sport KS1	Movie Night All
	Coding Club KS2	Baking Nursery, Reception & KS1	Art KS2	
Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	

Changes and cancellations etc should be emailed to office@ashlands.mlt.co.uk

PLEASE HELP US BY INDICATING ON THE EMAIL THE SESSION TIMING YOU ARE WANTING TO CANCEL

To remind you that cancellations within 48 hours of the session will be charged for as will dropping off early / picking up late discrepancies against actual booking.

Rolling week snack choice

In order to ensure that it is not the same snack on a set day we operate a rolling week for snacks Monday - Thursday between Sandwich (Ham, Cheese or Tuna), Bread Sticks with Hummus, Pan au Chocolat and Cheese and Crackers. Friday's 'Movie Night' is either crisps, popcorn or choc ice.

There is always a choice of fruit and vegetable every night.

Friends of Ashlands

Christmas Fair - Friday 6th December 4pm - Tickers are available on Arbor under School Shop Products

FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS PTA SURVEY - Autumn 2024

Following our AGM we are looking ahead to 2025 and beyond. In order to continue to be the thriving Friends of Ashlands community that we are, and to keep organising the calendar of events and activities we need your support both in terms of ideas and time. As our friends at Tesco would say, every little helps!

Please take a couple of minutes to answer this survey, all responses are anonymous unless you provide contact details in which case we will be in touch. Deadline for responses is Monday 2nd December.

If you are interested to know more about Friends of Ashlands in general you are welcome to contact us on friendsofashlands@gmail.com

Thank you for your time!

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Ashlands is now a member of the Asda Cashpot for Schools programme !!!

Please could we ask you to take these 3 steps?

- 1. Download and sign up to the Asda Rewards app: Opt into the Cashpot for Schools campaign and select Ashlands.
- 2. Scan when you shop in store across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com: Asda will donate a percentage of your shop to Ashlands each time you shop and scan.
- 3. Asda does the rest: The money raised will be donated through Parentkind to Ashlands to spend on what they need most.

 This won't affect your own Cashpot earn.

Once opted in and selected a school, we will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help get them started. Each school will also get an additional £50 added to their Cashpot, after at least one customer has shopped and scanned their Rewards app.

Thank you for your support.

MEEK 1 Main dish	Italian Tomato Pasta Bake garlic bread	TUESDAY Pulled Barbecue Chicken Flatbread coleslaw	Toad in the Hole roast potatoes 6 gravy	Chilli Con Carne brown rice	FRIDAY Crispy Chicken Fillet Burger chunky chips
Vegetarian Main dish	Vegetable Lasagne garlic bread	Barbecue Quorn Flatbread coleslaw	Quorn sausage & Yorkshire pudding mash & gravy	Tomato Macaroni Bake gariic bread	Vegetable Burger chunky chips
Accompaniments	Seasonal Vegetables Mixed Salad	Mixed Salad	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables Mixed Salad	Baked Beans Sweetcorn
Dessert	Flapjack	Lemon Shortbread	Gingerbread People	Jam & Coconut Sponge	Ice Cream
Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh or Yoghurt	Fresh or Yoghurt	Fresh or Yoghurt	Fresh or Yoghurt	Fresh or Yoghurt
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	Jacket potato and sandwich selection

