



Ashlands News

Week beginning 6th January 2025

Week commencing 06.01.25

Monday 6th January - school closed (except Early Years Holiday Club)

SCHOOL OPENS TUESDAY 7th JANUARY 2025

Friday 10th January 2025 - Class 3 Maple Swimming

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.

Messages from school

Matilda (year 6) has passed her Grade 4 drum exam! We're very proud of her.

Music lessons start w/c 13th January 2025

Up coming diary dates

Tuesday 14th January 2025 - 7.30pm The Black Hat Friends of Ashlands meeting - All welcome

Wednesday 5th February 2025 - Class 6 Birch Trip to Drax Power Station, Selby

Friday 7th February - Young Voices Trip to Manchester

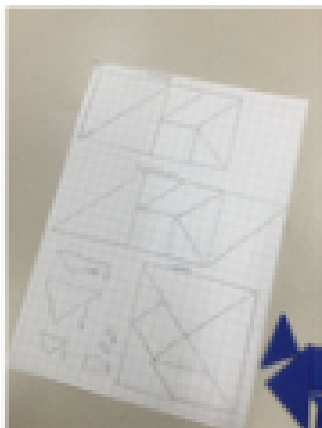
Wednesday 12th February 2025 - Class 6 Chestnut Trip to Drax Power Station, Selby

Break up Friday 14th February 2025

Year 6 Greater Depth Maths Day

On Friday 29th November we went to Burley Oaks to do a 'Greater Depth' maths day.

'Some of the things we learnt about were tangrams, the base 10 system and we designed our own number system. I liked the 7 game and doing binary which was really fun!'
Elodie Y6



WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main dish	Italian Tomato Pasta Bake garlic bread	Pulled Barbecue Chicken Flatbread coleslaw	Toad In the Hole roast potatoes & gravy	Chilli Con Carne brown rice	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 garlic 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 fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
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Music in School

Tuesday Guitar & Piano

Wednesday Strings

Thursday Vocal, Drums & Woodwind

Friday Razzamatazz

Lunchtime Clubs

Monday - French Club

Tuesday - Spanish Club

Thursday - Singing Club

PE KIT DAYS THIS 1/2 TERM

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 2 on a Thursday)

Year 3 - Both classes Monday only

Year 4 - Monday and Friday

(Forest Schools for 4 Yew on a Wednesday)

Year 5 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday (Forest Schools for 5 Hawthorn on a Wednesday)

Year 6 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday

Saplings

MOVIE NIGHT



Friday 10th January
3.30pm-5.30pm
£10 including snack and popcorn
Booking closes on Arbor
Wednesday 8th @ 3.30pm prompt

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	

Booking for Spring Term

The booking window for Saplings for the Spring Term opens on Wednesday 18th December.

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

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!

[FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS PTA SURVEY - Autumn 2024docs.google.com](https://docs.google.com)

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.

FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS 2024-25 EVENTS



Friday 25 OCTOBER HALLOWEEN DRESS-UP & BAKE SALE	Saturday 9 NOVEMBER BONFIRE & FIREWORKS	Friday 6 DECEMBER CHRISTMAS FAIR
7-22 MARCH AUCTION OF PROMISES	Thursday 13 MARCH SCHOOL DISCO	Friday 4 APRIL EASTER EGG HUNT & BAKE SALE
Monday 5 MAY ASHLANDS PARADE @ ILKLEY CARNIVAL	Sunday 18 MAY PEN-Y-CHENT HIKE	20-22 JUNE ASHLANDS CAMPING WEEKEND
Friday 4 July SUMMER FAIR	@FRIENDSOFASHLANDS FRIENDSOFASHLANDS@GMAIL.COM	

