

Ashleigh Primary School and Nursery

21st October 2022

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Message from Mr. McConnell

What a half term it has been! It started with the unveiling of our new outdoor areas, Nursery Room and playground; we had our brilliant Year 6 residential at Thorpe Woodlands; we've welcomed new families and new staff to Ashleigh and it's been a delight to watch the Ashleigh team in action – our staff are so skilled, so caring and so hard-working – every day I feel what a privilege it is to be the Headteacher here. This school is at the centre of a very special community and I'm so grateful for the support we get from you all.

Yesterday's Autumn Sale was a huge success and I'd like to say a massive thank you to all of the members of the PTA who made it happen.

We're ready for a week for a week off now but we'll be back and raring to go on Monday 31^{st} October. See you then!

Golden Ticket Winners

A massive well done to all the golden ticket winners this week! Hope – Bat; Amelie, Annabelle and Charlie – Barn Owl; Dylan, Tilly, Caitlin and Bessie – Hazel; Mason – Maple; Jackson, Theo and Preston – Mulberry; Taylor – Willow; Lucas and Lillie-May – Ash

Christmas Event Dates

Dates for your diary in December:		
Monday 5 th	Nursery (times to follow)	
Tuesday 6 th	Nursery (times to follow)	
Wednesday 7 th	9:30am and 2:00pm Reception Nativity	
Thursday 8 th	Year 1 Christmas Performance (times to follow)	
Friday 9 th	1:45pm Year 2 Performance at Wymondham Abbey.	
Monday 12 th	2:40pm Year 6 Carols	
Tuesday 13 th	2:40pm Year 5 Carols	
Wednesday 14 th	Christmas Lunch & Festive Clothing	
	2:40pm Year 4 Carols	
Thursday 15 th	2:40pm Year 3 Carols	

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Online Safety Policy

Ashleigh's Online Safety policy can be read from our website via clicking on: Online Safety Policy

School Photos

• If you need a QR code to order photos taken on 11th October, please contact the school office who will be able to help you.

- **Sibling photos** are booked for Tuesday 22nd November. We are hoping to include Nursery siblings this year, those not attending Tuesday morning will have the opportunity to come in and wait while those photos are taken.
- If your child was absent from school on 11th October, their photo will be taken on 22nd November.

After School Clubs

- Please inform the office if your child will not be attending an after-school club.
- All clubs finish at 4pm, collection is from outside the school office.

Day	Club	Finishes on
Monday	Boot Camp	5 th Dec
	Musical Theatre	
Tuesday	Football	6 th Dec
Wednesday	Street Dance	7 th Dec
_	Tennis	
Thursday	Karate	8 th Dec
Friday	Dodgeball	9 th Dec
	Bouncercise Kids	

Primary Times Norfolk

Days out, Education, Local News, Family Fun – have a look at: https://www.primarytimes.co.uk/norfolk/

Diary Dates

New or updated events

2022-2023 Da	2022-2023 Dates		
Fri 21 st Oct	School closes for October half term		
Mon 31 st Oct	School reopens after half term		
Tues 1 st Nov	Flu Immunisation Reception to Year 6		
Wed 2 nd Nov	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		
	 Selected Year 3 – 6 Cross Country Event 		
Thurs 3 rd Nov	 3:30pm Year 6 Boys' Football v Eaton (Home) 		
Wed 9 th Nov	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		
	Ashleigh Open Day for current parents/carers; details to		
	follow		
	• 4:15pm Reception 2023 Prospective Parents' Tour		
	• 5:15pm Reception 2023 Prospective Parents' Tour		
	6:15pm Reception 2023 Prospective Parents' Tour		
Wed 16 th Nov	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		
Thurs 17 th Nov	• 3:30pm Year 5 & 6 Girls' Football v Norwich High		
	School for Girls (Away) – Originally 10 th Nov		
Fri 18 th Nov	Children in Need		
Mon 21 st Nov	Reception Height & Weight Measurement		
Tues 22 nd Nov	Sibling Photos		
	 3:30pm Year 5 & 6 Girls' Football v Robert Kett (Away) 		
Wed 23 rd Nov	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		
Wed 30 th Nov	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		
Sat 3 rd Dec	11am-2pm Ashleigh Friends Christmas Fair		
Wed 7 th Dec	a.m. Year 6 Swimming		

	9:30am and 2:00pm Reception Nativity
Fri 9 th Dec	• 1:45pm Year 2 Performance at Wymondham Abbey
Mon 12 th Dec	2:40pm Year 6 Carols
Tues 13 th Dec	2:40pm Year 5 Carols
Wed 14 th Dec	a.m. Year 6 Swimming
	Christmas Lunch & Festive Clothes
	2:40pm Year 4 Carols
Thurs 15 th Dec	2:40pm Year 3 Carols
Fri 16 th Dec	School closes for Christmas holidays
Wed 4 th Jan	School reopens for Spring Term
2023	
Fri 10 th Feb	School closes for February half term
Mon 20 th Feb	School reopens after half term
Fri 17 th Mar	Red Nose Day
Fri 31 st Mar	School closes for Easter holidays
Mon 17 th Apr	Staff INSET Day
Tues 18 th Apr	School reopens for Summer Term
Mon 1 st May	School closed for Bank Holiday
Fri 26 th May	School closes for half term
Mon 5 th Jun	School reopens after half term
Fri 21 st Jul	School closes for Summer holidays
Mon 24 th Jul	Staff INSET Day
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