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08 November 2024

RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY CREATIVITY KINDNESS ASPIRATION EQUALITY

Diary Dates

- W/C 11 November 2024 - Community Action Week
- 12 November 2024 - Anti-Bullying week - Children to wear odd socks
- 13 November 2024 - Children's Immunisations
- 15 November 2024 - Children in Need
- W/C 18 November 2024 - Attendance Week
- 22 November 2024 - Ashbrook's Got Talent
- 29 November 2024 - Pyjama Day and Christmas Craft morning
- 5 December 2024 - Christmas Fair
- 11 December 2024 - Christmas Pantomime

Anti-Bullying Week

Anti-Bullying week will be taking place week beginning Monday 11 November 2024, the main concept we will be looking at is "choose respect".

On **Tuesday 12 November 2024**, we are asking that all children come to school wearing odd socks. This is to celebrate what makes us all unique.



Clarification over Monday pupil Collection arrangements

All Year 5/6 children that are not attending swimming are dismissed at the normal time of 3:25pm by a member of the Year 5/6 staff team. Children exit as normal with the rest of the school via the top playground according to their usual collection arrangements.

On occasions, Year 6 may be late from swimming. This is due to a number of reasons such as traffic, waiting for the coach etc. Please be assured that this matter is being regularly raised with Derbyshire County Council as they provide this particular service. When there is an expected delay this is communicated via Class Dojo to parents/carers with an expected time of arrival. Once the Year 6 swimmers have returned, they are dismissed by Mr Huntingdon via the top playground according to their usual collection arrangements. To confirm, there are only 4 weeks remaining of swimming sessions this academic year.

Staff members (Class Teacher or Teaching Assistant) remain on the playground to ensure all children have been collected or walk home according to the known collection arrangements.

Children are made aware and encouraged to return to their class teacher if they are unsure or worried at any point.

If there is a staff member at the gate they are another visible point of contact for parents that may wish to raise queries at the end of the day and have been unable to catch the class teacher.

Safeguarding

It is everyone's responsibility to do something if there are concerns that a child is suffering from or is at risk of significant harm.

The safeguarding@ashbrook-jun.derbyshire.sch.uk email address is monitored throughout term time and holidays..

If you do have any concerns that a child is at risk of serious harm then contact **Call Derbyshire** on **01629 533190** or visit <http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/startingpoint> or **999**.

Attendance Award

Congratulations to **ELPHINSTONE** class who have achieved the highest attendance for the week ending 08 November 2024.



ParentPay

Please can we kindly ask parents/carers to check their child's ParentPay account to make sure that you are up to date with payments for trips and activities.

The Christmas Pantomime payment is due by December 2024.

Please also check to make sure that dinner money payments are cleared.

Living Our School Values

Congratulations to the following children: Emily S, Harrison D, Arlo M, Alice M, Lily-Mae W, Ava-Mae R, Tiffany S, Ayden O-B, Harry S-B, Esme P, Dorothy S, George W.



Flu Immunisations

If you have signed your child up to have their Flu Immunisation, this will take place in school on Wednesday 13 November 2024.



Children in Need

On **Friday 15 November 2024**, we will be raising money for Children in Need. We are asking all children to come into school in non-uniform. This can be fancy dress or Pudsey themed clothes, with a voluntary donation of £1.

All money collected will be donated to Children In Need.



Having a pre-Christmas sort out?

Are you having a sort out before Christmas? We would love to have any donations of toys, books, sweets, chocolates, etc for our stalls on the Christmas Fair.

We are happy to accept anything that can be used for our Tombola stalls, to help raise funds for school.

Please send any items in to school, they can be dropped off to your child's class or the school office.



Ashbrook's Got Talent

Ashbrook's Got Talent will now take place on Friday 22 November 2024 at 9:30am in the school hall.

Please make your way to the hall using the doors at the side of the building.

None of the final acts have changed. It looks set to be a great show!



**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Week ending Friday 8 November 2024

96%

We are really pleased to see that this week our attendance returned to 96% for the week. Thank you to all our families and children for your continued support in ensuring that our children are attending school as often as they can and arriving on time.



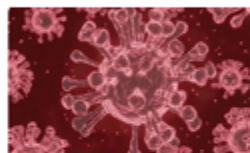
INFECTION CONTROL IN SCHOOLS

Were you aware that schools must report certain illnesses or outbreaks of illnesses to Public Health England?

Illnesses such as shingles and high numbers of whooping cough are examples of when our school must contact Public Health England.

We also have a responsibility to ensure we put in place the necessary measures to protect all members of our community such as the elderly, expectant mothers and those with compromised immunity.

If you call us to report your child is 'unwell' please do not be offended if the Office Team ask you for details of symptoms. This helps us to ensure we are monitoring any outbreaks or increases of symptoms within school and take the necessary actions to help keep everyone safe and healthy.



ATTEND TODAY, ACHIEVE TOMORROW

LUNCHTIME

Autumn Winter
2024-25:
9/9, 30/9, 21/10,
11/1, 2/12,
23/12, 13/1, 3/2

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY



Cheesy Tomato
Pizza Muffins

Chicken and
Sweetcorn
Cobbler

Roast Pork,
Roast Potatoes
and Gravy

Classic
Cottage
Pie

Battered Fish
and Chips



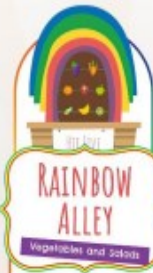
BBQ and
Sweetcorn
Pizza Slice

Winter
Vegetable
Crumble

Cauliflower Cheese,
Crispy Onion Topping
& Roast Potatoes
(You don't have to have
the onions!)

Root Vegetable &
Bean Stew with
Mash

Cheese and
Tomato Toasted
Wrap with Chips



Wholegrain
Pasta Salad and
Green salad

Herby Diced
Potato and
Carrots

Mixed
Greens

Peas

Baked
Beans



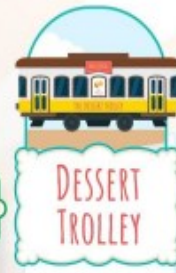
Cheese
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Beans

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Toffee Apple
Sponge and
Custard

Chocolate
Sprinkle Iced
Cake

Raspberry
Jelly

Fresh Fruit
Salad

Oaty Biscuit

