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 "Together we Achieve"



NL04: 21 October 2022

Newsletter

We have seen an extremely busy and fun packed half term and have been delighted to see how well everyone has settled in to school. I hope you all have a lovely half term break and we will see all the children back in school on **Monday 31 October 2022**.

#togethereveryoneachievesmore 

Diary Dates

INSET DAYS 2022-2023

Friday 26 May 2023

Monday 5 June 2023



Monday 31 October 2022

First Day of Term

Thursday 3 November 2022

Special Bonfire Menu

– see attached

Monday 7 November 2022

Pupil Flu Vaccinations

Wednesday 14 December 2022

Year 3/4 Carol Concert

Friday 16 December 2022

Christmas Craft Morning

Wednesday 21 December 2022

Aladdin Pantomime Trip

at Derby Arena

Thursday 22 December 2022

Last Day of Term

Monday 9 January 2023

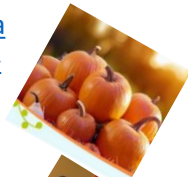
First Day of Spring Term

Half Term Activities

If you are looking for something fun and exciting to do over the October half term holiday take a look at some of the events taking place in and around Derby. From crafting to baking there is something for everyone.

Fang-tastic Halloween Festival at Matlock Farm Park

<https://www.visitpeakdistrict.com/whats-on/fang-tastic-halloween-festival-at-matlock-farm-park-p778081>



Creepy Crafts

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/events/creepy-crafts/>



Assemble: Derby's Making Festival

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/events/assemble-derbys-making-festival/>



Frights of Abraham

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/events/frights-of-abraham/>



Fire Pit Bake Off

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/events/fire-pit-bake-off/>



KidsQUAD: Cartoons and comic strips!

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/events/kidsquad-cartoons-and-comic-strips/>



For further ideas and information please follow the link.

<https://www.visitderby.co.uk/whats-on/half-term-halloweem-bonfire-night>

Great British Weather

Now the weather is turning colder and wetter please ensure your child comes to school appropriately dressed.

They will need a coat that is warm and waterproof as playtimes will continue to be outside as much as possible.



After School Club

As the nights are drawing in and the clocks go back we are requesting that all children are collected by an appropriate adult from all after school clubs.



Thank you for your continued support.

Attendance Awards

Week ending: 7 October 2022

Congratulations to **Neptune** who have received the highest attendance for the week ending **7 October 2022**

Week ending: 14 October 2022

Congratulations to **Mars** who have received the highest attendance for the week ending **14 October 2022**



Week ending: 21 October 2022

Congratulations to **Mercury** who have received the highest attendance for the week ending **21 October 2022**

Achievement Assembly Nominations

Week ending: 14 October 2022

Francesca S, Ethan E-A, Daisy T, Paige S, Holly P, Lacey H, Mostyn W, Scarlett W, Preston P, Bella P, Logan F, Anaia W, Madeleine H



Week ending: 21 October 2022

Elijah L, Rafe G, Olivia B, Jamie W, Elizabeth S, Dylan E, Flynn B, Khole P, Archie W, Cole W, Poppy S, Jake S, Amelie H

Ashbrook Learning Powers

The Learning Powers award goes to **Neptune** for 'expressing your opinion clearly' for the week ending **14 October 2022**

The Learning Powers award goes to **Mercury** for 'working towards an ambition' for the week ending **21 October 2022**



Vacancies at Ashbrook Junior School

We currently have the following vacancies here at Ashbrook Junior School;

- School Administrative Officer Level 2

Job descriptions for all of the above positions are available to view on our website.

www.ashbrook-jun.derbyshire.sch.uk

For further information please contact the school office on 01332 673785



Team Point Winners

Week ending: 14 October 2022

Yellow Team were the winners this week and the individual team members with the highest number of points within each team were: Florence B, Rosabella S, Harry A, Jack H, Jamie W, Leo O, Elizabeth S, Bruce H, Maddie C, Lilly-Mae W, Toby M, Lyla S, Maddie A, Ben P, Archie M, Preston P, Phoebe S, Tom P, Bella S, Freya C, Lola N, Erin C, Seth M, Poppy S

Week ending: 21 October 2022

Red Team were the winners this week and the individual team members with the highest number of points within each team were: Olly J, Ruby S, Flynn B, Mostyn W, Jake T-E, Joey C, Harrison Y, Holly P, Layla P, Daisy T, Maya B, Rafe G, Imogen S, Ben P, Ava C, Bobby F, Phoebe S, Tom P, Bella S, Anaia W, Ewan R, Erin C, Seth M, Carter P

Safeguarding – everyone's business

The safeguarding@ashbrook-jun.derbyshire.sch.uk is monitored throughout the day. If you have any concerns that a child is at risk of serious harm then contact **Call Derbyshire on 01629 533190** or visit www.derbyshire.gov.uk/startingpoint

NSPCC is a free 24 hour, 365 days a year helpline on 0808 800500 or visit www.nspcc.org.uk

Childline Help Number – 0800 1111

Take care and stay safe

Sending best wishes to you and your families. Stay safe.

Beth Johnstone 

COVID 19 UPDATE

As we approach the winter months a quick reminder of our policy regarding COVID.

If your child tests positive for COVID we follow the current NHS Guidance which is; to remain at home for - children is 3 days, adults and over 18's is 5 days.

If your child's high temperature remains or they feel too unwell to attend school after the 3 days they should remain at home until they are well enough.



Eco-Shop at West Park School

West Park School are delighted to inform you all that they have successfully set up an Eco-shop at the top of their school site. The Eco-shop is based in a small building just off West Road. The Eco-Shop opens from 3.00pm to 4.00pm every Thursday and Friday during term time and is stocked with a range of items which include bread-based products, ambient items, refrigerated and frozen goods, fruit and vegetables and sanitary products. The shop is open to all members of the local communities and 'customers' can get ten items for a voluntary donation of £2.00.



Harvest Festival

A huge thank you to everyone for your very generous donations for the Community Care Bank.

It was wonderful to see that so many of you were able to attend our Harvest Festival Assembly.



Reading Challenge

A reminder about our Reading Challenge!



Reading Records are checked weekly and children can move up the charts in the classrooms every time they read three times per week. Reading during the holidays also counts towards the awards so keep going! Certificates can be achieved for achieved as follows;

10 times (bronze), 20 times (silver), 30 times (gold) and 40 times (platinum).

Rewards are also given alongside certificates (bookmarks for bronze, pencils for silver, books for gold and £5 vouchers for platinum).



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The logo features the words 'WHIZZ, BANG Sparkle' in a stylized, comic-book font. 'WHIZZ, BANG' is in a bold, blocky font with a blue outline, while 'Sparkle' is in a white, cursive script. The text is set against a red and yellow starburst background with white sparkles and a dotted pattern. The entire graphic is framed by a dark blue border with yellow and red bunting and string lights at the top.

**WHIZZ,
BANG**
Sparkle

THURSDAY 3 NOVEMBER 2022

Beef Burger in a Cob

Or

**Cheese & Tomato
Catherine Wheel (V)**

With

**Bonfire Wedges,
BBQ Beans or Peas**

Bonfire Toffee Sponge & Custard

**FOOD
FESTIVAL**

By Aspens