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## Newsletter

Welcome back and a Happy New Year to you all, although it seems such a long time ago now! What a great time was had by all during the Christmas period in school with all the different activities going on. It was lovely to see so many families in school joining in. This term is also looking to be a busy one, with lots of different sports clubs and activities planned for the children, please keep checking Class Dojo for regular updates.

## Diary Dates

**Thurs 26 January 2023**

Art Day. Details to come

**Fri 3 February 2023**

**NSPCC Number Day**

**Tues 7 February 2023**

Safer Internet Day

**Fri 17 February 2023**

Last day of term

**Mon 27 February 2023**

First day of Spring Term

**Tues 28 February 2023**

Geography day - Fairtrade



## NSPCC NUMBER DAY 2023

Friday 4 February 2023 is the annual NSPCC Number Day.

All the children will be participating in a range of exciting and fun activities linked to numbers.

The children will also be able to come to school in non-uniform as part of the NSPCC theme 'Dress for Digits'. For example, they could dress up as an actual number, numbers on their tops.....possibilities are endless! We look forward to seeing how creative the children can be.

We are asking for voluntary donations of £1.00, all donations need to be paid via **ParentPay**.



**NSPCC**

## School Uniform

A polite reminder about school uniform.

Children are not allowed to wear nail varnish during school, dangly earrings are also not permitted due to Health and Safety reasons. Children who do wear earrings will need to have them covered up for PE, please provide them with tape to cover them up. Long hair also needs to be tied back during PE.



## Children's Packed Lunches

Do you make your child's packed lunch the night before? Or do you squeeze it in before the school run in the morning? Are they fussy eaters? Or are they fed up with the same boring thing? It can feel like an uphill task trying to be creative with your child's food.

Preparing your child's lunchbox can feel like a chore and another thing to add to the 'to do list'.

Please make sure that children are not bringing Fizzy drinks. We are a **NUT FREE SCHOOL**. Chocolate and sweets should be very limited and if possible non at all.

If you would like any inspiration or handy tips, please take a look at the NHS Healthier Families website.

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/#swap>

You can also take a look at the Eat well guide. It shows you how to build a nutritious and balanced diet using a variety of foods. THE EATWELL GUIDE – NHS ([www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk))

## Attendance Awards



**Week ending: 16 December 2022**

Congratulations to **Mercury Class** who have received the highest attendance for the week ending **16 December 2022**

Congratulations to **Mars Class** who have received the highest attendance for the week ending **22 December 2022**

**Week ending: 13 January 2023**

Congratulations to **Jupiter Class** who have received 100% attendance for the week ending **13 January 2022**

## Non Uniform Day

There will a non uniform day on **Tuesday 17 January 2023** for **Mars Class** as they have achieved 100% attendance.

**Jupiter** will also have a non uniform day on **Tuesday 17 January 2023** for also achieving 100% attendance.



## Menu Change on Census Day Thursday 19 January 2023

There will be a change to the menu on Thursday 19 January 2023.

Hot Dog or Vegetarian Hot Day  
Wedges and Baked Beans

## Achievement Assembly Nominations

**Week ending: 13 January 2023**

Flynn B, Ashton H, Frankie W, Freya R, Bruce H, Lucy K-W, Olly J, Maddie A, Lily H, Lucas R, Harriot S, Jake S and Jack R.



## Team Point Winners

**Week ending: 13 January 2023**

**Yellow Team** were the winners this week and the individual team members with the highest number of points within each team were:

Scarlett S, Lacey H, Jack F, Myles W, Jamie W, Mya T, Elizabeth S, Holly P, Layla P, Daisy T, Maya B, Elma D, Maddie A, Pippa M, Archie M, Jocelyn Y, Kit F, Tom P, Darcy K-S, Jack R, Ewan R, Shaya C, Seth M and Cherry H.



## Ashbrook Learning Powers

The Learning Powers award goes to **Neptune Class** for 'understanding that forgetting is a part of learning' for the week ending **13 January 2023**



## Attendance Awards - Half Term

Drum roll please.....The Winners of pizza for this half term Are.....**Mars Class**.

Well done Mars class for 100% attendance over the last Half term.

Enjoy your special treat.



## Safeguarding – everyone's business

The [safeguarding@ashbrook-jun.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto: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](http://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](http://www.nspcc.org.uk)

Childline Help Number – 0800 1111

## Vacancy Opportunity within Ashbrook School Kitchen

**Aspens**



Aspens have the following vacancy;

General Catering Assistant

12.5 hours a week, term time only within school hours, minimum wage.

For further information regarding this position please contact on 01332 676316 or email: [ashbrook.junior.school@aspens-services.com](mailto:ashbrook.junior.school@aspens-services.com)

**Aspens**



## Ashbrook Tigers Morning Vacancy

A position has become available at Tigers to join their Breakfast Club Team.

The candidate needs to prepare a healthy, well balanced breakfast, assist with the serving of food and refreshments and to attend basic food hygiene training and having a due regard for safeguarding.

The hours will be Monday to Friday 7.30am – 9.00am, during term time.

Salary national minimum wage.

We are looking for a fun, caring and reliable candidate.

Application forms and further details are available from:

Mrs L Flinn

Ashbrook Tigers Manager

C/O Ashbrook Infant and Nursery School.

Tel: 07502 002 949

Email: [lflinn@ashbrook-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:lflinn@ashbrook-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk)

## Speed Awareness & Consideration To Others

All children have now taken part in a Road Safety Session and all now have an understanding of road safety and how to keep safe.

Please can we remind all parents that when parking out side of the school, that consideration is taken to people's drives and there should be no parking on the Zig Zag lines outside school.



## NEW AFTER SCHOOL CLUB – MULTI SPORTS.



### NEW AFTER SCHOOL CLUB MULTISPORTS ASHBROOK JUNIORS

Dear Parent,

We would like to give your child the opportunity to take part in our AFTER SCHOOL CLUB, to be held each week at ASHBROOK JUNIORS. We would like to assure you that we take every step to ensure your child will have a FUN AND ENJOYABLE TIME in a SAFE SUPERVISED environment. All our coaches are checked to enhanced level with CRB, qualified and experienced, we also have full insurance in place.

We structure the courses around the basic skills of the game working on different subjects each week. Each course will be different and exciting with the emphasis firmly on fun and enjoyment whilst at the same time learning. A typical session will be a simple warm up followed by a skills session followed by small sided games.

WE WELCOME PLAYERS OF ALL ABILITIES, THOSE WHO HAVE PLAYING EXPERIENCE AND THOSE THAT DON'T, THE CLUB IS OPEN TO BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS AND WE WILL AIM TO IMPROVE THE SKILLS OF ALL WHO ATTEND, IN ALL THE GAMES WE PLAY

COURSE.....	MULTISPORTS (Hockey, Cricket, Baseball, Football, Beachball, Rounders, Dodgeball etc)
THEME.....	SKILLS AND MATCHES
DAY.....	WEDNESDAYS 3.30 – 4.30PM
START DATE.....	JANUARY 18 <sup>TH</sup> FOR 6 WEEKS
COST.....	£27

As with most other activities we do ask for an advance payment, which is non refundable once the course has begun, unfortunately we can no longer accept weekly payments, to apply for a place you must COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN IN A SEALED ENVELOPE TO SCHOOL WITH PAYMENT ENCLOSED ON OR BEFORE THE START DATES..... PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE LIMITED ON SPACES IN THE EVENT OF THE CLUB BEING OVER SUBSCRIBED THEN THERE WILL BE A WAITING LIST IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT YOUR FORM IS RETURNED BY THE DATES PREVIOUSLY STATED. A CASH PAYMENT OR CHEQUE TO CENTRAL SOCCER SCHOOLS IS REQUIRED.

We hope this is of interest to you and hope to see you at the club. You can call me anytime on 07943 837994.

Yours sincerely,

Richard Smith - Central Soccer Schools UK

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## Community Club Information



**First Steps Football**  
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**GIRLS ONLY FOOTBALL SESSIONS**

Every Sunday @ Dale Road Park Spondon...  
12 o'clock...

For ages 7 to 12....

Fun football games and skills...

£3 per child...

For more information please contact 07794525572...

Perfect for beginners or kids wanting to improve there skills....top session...



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## DEVELOPMENT SQUAD

SATURDAYS@ DALE ROAD PARK, SPONDON, DE21 7LA

**TINY TOTS FOOTBALL - AGES 1-3**

**9.30AM-10.15AM £1**

**TOTS FOOTBALL - AGES 4+5**

**10.15AM-11.15AM £3**

**DEVELOPMENT SQUAD - AGES 6+7**

**11.15AM-12.15PM £3**

**DEVELOPMENT SQUAD - AGES 8+9**

**12.15PM-1.15PM £3**

**DEVELOPMENT SQUAD - AGES 10-12**

**1.15PM-2.15PM £3**

**CONTACT: 07794525572**

**ALL SESSIONS ARE HOSTED BY F.A COACHES IN A FUN  
SAFE AND EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT**