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RESPECT RESPONSIBILITY CREATIVITY KINDNESS ASPIRATION EQUALITY

## Diary Dates

- 28 March 2024 - Term Ends
- 15 April 2024 - Term Starts
- 22 April 2024 - Year 6 Swimming starts
- 25 April 2024 - Themed Menu
- 8 May 2024 - Year 3 Greek Day
- 13 May 2024- Year 6 SATs Week
- 24 May 2024 - Term Ends
- 3 June 2024 - Term Starts
- 3 June 2024 - Community Action Week
- 5 June 2024 - Year 6 Residential

### Easter Holidays

We hope you all have a brilliant two weeks off. Hopefully we get some nice weather to enjoy.

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday 15 April, ready to start the new term.



Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, well done to the footballers who attended a tournament this week. I am told they played with confidence and showed great teamwork, they represented Ashbrook brilliantly - well done girls!

As we head into our Easter break, can I thank you all for the support you show our school. This really does help school staff to give your children a great experience here.

Your children arrive as respectful, responsible, kind children, meaning we can continue to build on this. As we know, some children need extra support in some areas and this can be a challenge for schools. We are constantly looking at provision and changing what is in place to best meet needs. This is ongoing and we continue to try to get it right. We do value your input.

The Summer term is always a busy one, so let's all relax before it begins!

I do hope you have a lovely two weeks, whatever you do.

### ParentPay

As we are now at the end of the school term, please can we ask that you check your child's ParentPay account for any outstanding school dinner's that need to be paid for.

Also, if you have signed your child up for a club which starts next term, please can we remind you that these need to be paid for before the start of the term. All SH Active clubs are through ParentPay and Central Soccer are cash payments.

### SAFEGUARDING "Everybody's Business"

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

**NSPCC**

### Attendance Award

Congratulations to **ZEPHANIAH** class who have achieved the highest attendance for the week ending 28 March 2024.



### Well done!

Well done to Holly and Grace who ran the Derby 3k at the weekend in support of Miss Richard's work in Kenya and the schools she helps...what great perseverance!

### Can you help?

We are currently in the process of tidying up our gardens and schools grounds.

If you have any spare plants or seeds, please could you consider donating them to school, we would very much appreciate it.

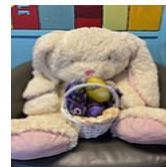
We are also in need of any copper or plastic piping spare, Mrs Anderton would be immensely grateful!

### Name the Bunny

What great fun it was in school to have a name the Bunny competition. Thank you to our Year 5 PFA members for organising this event along with the PFA.

The event raised £53.50!

The names were drawn by Mrs Blakemore, who is part of the PFA and the winners were : Finely E, Oliver P.



**FOOD FESTIVAL**  
by Angere

# LUNCHTIME

TRADITIONAL

Week 3

Spring/Summer  
2024:  
4/3, 25/3, 15/4,  
6/5, 27/5, 17/6,  
6/7, 29/7

MONDAY

Bangers, Mash  
& Beans

Veggie Bangers,  
Mash  
& Beans

Baked  
Beans

Jacket Potato  
with Beans or  
Cheese or both

Vanilla  
Shortbread

TUESDAY

Cheese & Tomato  
Pitta Pizza with  
Wholemeal Rice  
Salad

Cheesy BBQ Pizza  
Pinwheel Swirl with  
Wholemeal Rice  
Salad

Carrot  
Sticks

Jacket Potato  
with Beans or  
Cheese or both

Cinnamon  
Apple  
Cupcake

WEDNESDAY

Roast Pork,  
Roast Potatoes  
& Gravy

Root Vegetable  
Bean Stew &  
Roast Potatoes

Steamed  
Mixed  
Greens

Jacket Potato  
with Beans or  
Cheese or both

Strawberry  
Jelly

THURSDAY

Creamy Chicken &  
Sweetcorn Pie with  
New Potatoes

Cheese & Potato  
Pie with  
New Potatoes

Summer  
Vegetables

Jacket Potato  
with Beans or  
Cheese or both

Jammy  
Crumble  
Bar

FRIDAY

Golden Fish  
Fingers  
& Chips

Veggie Finger  
&  
Chips

Baked  
Beans

Jacket Potato  
with Beans or  
Cheese or both

Sweet  
Potato  
Brownie

SALAD, BREAD,  
TOGHURT AND  
FRUIT.

APPEARING DAILY

PASTA  
TWIRLER

AVAILABLE  
EVERY DAY

Topped Pasta  
Hot Pasta  
topped with  
Homemade  
Tomato Sauce  
& Cheese

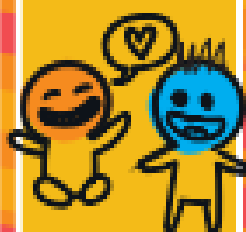
# Miss School Miss Out



If you're not going to school  
you will miss out on...



Learning  
new skills



Your  
friends



Support  
and help



School  
activities



Having  
fun

Being in school and on time is good for you.

90% attendance may look impressive but it  
means missing 19 days of education in a year.

Don't be one of the few to miss school and miss out!

If you need help with school attendance,  
please talk to your school for advice