



Ashleigh Primary School and Nursery

Newsletter Date

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School Lunches: Nursery and Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

- Please pre-book via Wisepay for week commencing Monday 26th November.
- Booking will close at **midnight on Sunday 25th November**.
- If your child is ill on a day you have pre-booked a meal, please contact the office with details of a lunch you would like to book in its place. Thank you.
- If you need a copy of your log-in details, please contact the school office.

Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

- * Meal price £2.20 when ordered via Wisepay, or paid for on the day required.
- * Meal price **£2.50** when payment received **after** the day of the meal.

School Photos

School photos arrived in school this week and were sent home via the classes. If you didn't yet order your photos, you can still do so via Van Cols' website, details are on the proof card and orders will then be delivered to your home address.

www.vancols.com

Christmas Fayre - Tomorrow

Tomorrow is the Christmas Fayre and we hope to see lots of you there. The Fayre is 11am-2pm in the school halls. Entrance is via the school office only, adults are 50p, children are free. The Lime Tree Avenue and Beech Close gates will not be open.

We still need volunteers to ensure we can run all of the stalls we have planned. If anyone can offer any help between 11am-2pm, but especially 12-2pm please email ashleighfriendspta@hotmail.co.uk We have a great mix of crafts, gifts, food, drink and games and hope we can offer them all to you on the day.

All cake donations can be brought to the school office throughout the day today. Thank you for all your support and fabulous donations of chocolate and for the hampers, we have been really impressed with what we have received.

Raffle tickets can also still be purchased, please bring them along to the Fayre. All raffle prizes will be on display and further tickets will also be on sale during the Fayre.

School Layby

The school layby is for disabled access and deliveries, please do not use the layby to drop off in the mornings or pick up in the afternoons. Thank you.

Children in Need & Poppy Appeal

We raised an amazing £456.91 for Children in Need, and £242.05 for the Poppy Appeal, thank you to everyone who donated!



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Years 1 - 5 Flu Vaccination (Nasal Spray) Forms

Flu vaccination forms were sent home with the children on 20th November, if you wish your child to have the flu vaccination in school please complete the form and return by Friday 7th December.

Children will not be given the vaccine if the form is not returned, and the immunisation team are only able to visit once, on 11th December. Thank you.

Baby News

Congratulations to Mrs Meek and her family on the safe arrival of a baby boy!

Christmas Performances - Reception, Years 1 & 2

- Tickets have been sent home in envelopes with the children today.
- If you need to make any changes, or have tickets you no longer need for any reason, please let us know as soon as possible. We have waiting lists for tickets for **Years 1 & 2** performances, and we can then allocate these to other families.
- There are some available additional tickets for **Reception** performances, please contact the school office to request.
- There will be a dvd available that you are welcome to purchase, booking forms will be available at the performances and from the school office, dvds are £10 each.

Thank you.

Christmas Lunch - Wednesday 12th December

- Order forms for Christmas lunch went home with **Reception, Years 1 and 2** last week. Please return to school by Monday 26th November.
- **Nursery and Years 3, 4, 5 and 6** will be bookable via Wisepay as usual, from Monday 3rd December to midnight on Sunday 9th December.
- No other meals will be available from the school kitchen on 12th December, please send your child with a **home packed lunch** if they do not want to order from the Christmas menu. Thank you.

Christmas Jumper / Dress-Down Day - Wednesday 12th December

Children are welcome to wear Christmas jumpers/clothes or non-school uniform on Wednesday 12th December. (No donations required).

School Clubs Autumn Term

If you know that your child will not be attending an after-school club for any reason, please also let the office know. This would be much appreciated and stop us contacting parents if their child has not arrived at the club as expected.

*Pop Dance is **not running** on Monday 26th November.

*African Drumming is **not running** on Tuesday 27th November.

Day	Club	Availability	Final Session
Mondays	• Drama	• Full	• 3 rd December



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	• Pop Dance*	• Full	• 10 th December
Tuesdays	• Gymnastics • African Drumming*	• Full • Spaces	• 4 th December • 18 th December
Wednesdays	• Football • Cheer Leading	• Full • Spaces	• 5 th December • 5 th December
Thursdays	• Basketball • Christmas Crafter	• Full • Full	• 13 th December • 6 th December
Friday	• Dodgeball	• Full	• 14 th December

PE Days

Years	Days
Reception	Start PE in the Spring Term
Year 1	Wednesdays and Fridays
Year 2	Mondays and Thursdays
Year 3	Mondays and Tuesdays
Year 4	Tuesdays and Fridays Pine: Swimming kit on Tuesdays, from 30 th October
Year 5	Mondays and Thursdays
Year 6	Wednesdays (Double session)

Diary Dates - Weekly Updates

Please take a moment each week to check this section to see if there have been additional activities organised for your child/ren's classes or year groups.

Parents are invited to join their child's class assemblies and family learning events.

2018-19 Dates

Sat 24 th Nov	• Ashleigh Friends Christmas Fayre
Mon 26 th Nov	• 3:10pm Year 2 Open Classroom
Tues 27 th Nov	• a.m. Pine Class Swimming Wymondham Leisure Centre 3:10pm Year 2 Open Classroom
Fri 30 th Nov	• 10.45am: Reception Performance Dress Rehearsal • 2.00pm: Y1 & 2 Performance Dress Rehearsal • 3:10pm Year 2 Open Classroom
Mon 3 rd Dec	• 2.00pm Years 1 & 2 Joint Performance (DVD)
Tues 4 th Dec	• a.m. Pine Class Swimming Wymondham Leisure Centre 2.00pm Reception Performance (DVD)
Wed 5 th Dec	• 9:30am Years 1 & 2 Joint Performance • 3:15pm Year 3 & 4 Performance, new hall (letter sent 23 rd Nov, reply due by 30 th Nov)
Thurs 6 th Dec	• 9.30am Reception Performance
Fri 7 th Dec	• Year 2 Christmas Experience at The Hub (letter sent 23 rd Nov, reply due by 5 th December) • 9:05am Willow Class assembly • 1:30pm Year 6 Family Learning: WW2 Festive Tea Dance
Tues 11 th Dec	• Flu Immunisations - Reception to Year 5 children (letter sent 20 th Nov, reply due 7 th December) • a.m. Pine Class Swimming Wymondham Leisure Centre 9:30-10:30am Nursery Christmas Craft Stay and Play • 2:15pm Year 2 African Drumming Performance • 3:45pm African Drumming After School Club Performance
Wed 12 th Dec	• Christmas Lunch - School & Nursery (Christmas Jumper/Dress-Down Day)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30-2:30pm Nursery Christmas Craft Stay and Play 1:30pm Year 3 Winter Craft Afternoon 3:10pm Year 5 Choir Performance, new hall
Thurs 13 th Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:30-10:30am Nursery Christmas Craft Stay and Play 1:30pm Reception Family Christmas Craft Afternoon
Fri 14 th Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3:10pm Year 4 Open Classroom
Tues 18 th Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a.m. Pine Class Swimming Wymondham Leisure Centre 3:00pm School closes for Christmas Holidays 3:15pm Nursery closes for Christmas Holidays
Thurs 3 rd Jan 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Nursery opens 8:45am School opens
Thurs 7 th Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:15-10:15am Nursery September 2019 Admission Meeting
Tues 12 th Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:15-10:15am Nursery September 2019 Admission Meeting
Thurs 14 th Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 4 to Norwich Castle (letter will follow Spring term)
Fri 15 th Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3:00-3:30pm Year 3 Open Classrooms 3:00pm School closes for Half Term 3:15pm Nursery closes for Half term
Mon 25 th Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Nursery opens 8:45am School opens
Thurs 21 st Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30pm Birch Class French Family Learning
Thurs 28 th Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:30pm Hazel Class French Family Learning
Fri 5 th Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3:00pm School closes for Easter Holidays 3:15pm Nursery closes for Easter Holidays
Tues 23 rd Apr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Nursery opens 8:45am School opens
Mon 6 th May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bank Holiday – School & Nursery closed
Fri 24 th May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3:00pm School closes for Half Term 3:15pm Nursery closes for Half term
Mon 3 rd Jun	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30am Nursery opens 8:45am School opens
Mon 8 th Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 all day at Wymondham High
Tues 9 th Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 all day at Wymondham High
Wed 10 th Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 all day at Wymondham High Transition Day – Classes move to September class/ teacher for the whole day (changed due to WHS revised transition dates) 5-7pm Year 6 Wymondham High School:- Parent/Form Teacher Meetings for Abbey and Cheshire Houses
Thurs 11 th Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5-7pm Year 6 Wymondham High School:- Parent/Form Teacher Meetings for Macmillan and Ellis Houses
Wed 24 th Jul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3:00pm School closes for Summer Holidays 3:15pm Nursery closes for Summer Holidays

Music Lessons

Monday Violin & Woodwind lessons for participating KS2 children

Wednesday Brass and Guitar lessons for participating KS2 children
(Music teachers will be notified of relevant school trips).

2019-2020 Term Dates

Monday 2nd September 2019

INSET Day

Tuesday 3rd September

INSET Day

Wednesday 4th September

8:45am School opens

Friday 18th October

3:00pm School closes for half term



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Monday 28th October
Wednesday 18th December

8:45am School opens
3:00pm School closes for Christmas holidays

Friday 3rd January 2020
Monday 6th January
Friday 14th February
Monday 24th February
Wednesday 1st April
Thursday 2nd April

INSET Day
8:45am School opens
3:00pm School closes for half term
8:45am School opens
3:00pm School closes for Easter holidays
INSET Day

Tuesday 20th April
Monday 4th May
Friday 22nd May
Monday 1st June
Tuesday 21st July 2020

8:45am School opens
Bank Holiday
3:00pm School closes for half term
8:45am School opens
3:00pm School closes for summer holidays

Local Community Events:

PATHS Sessions for Carers of Looked After Children

PATHS sessions are available for carers of Looked After Children, 10:00am-12:30pm on Tuesday 12th March 2019 at Norwich. Carers can sign up using the NCC Learning Hub link: [Using PATHS to Develop your Child's Social and Emotional Skills](#)

Wymondham Cluster LINKS (Learning, Inclusion, Nurture, Knowledge and Support)

Wymondham Cluster LINKS is a Parent/Carer support group for adults who have a child/young person with any Additional Needs/Special Educational Needs. It's held at The Bungalow, Robert Kett Primary School on the first Friday in the month during term time (except Jan 2019) from 9:00-11:00am:

- December 7th 2018 *; January 11th 2019; February 1st 2019 *; March 1st 2019; April 5th 2019 *; May 3rd 2019; June 7th 2019 *; July 5th 2019 (Speakers at sessions marked with *)



We have children with severe nut allergies in school; **no nuts of any kind should be coming into Ashleigh Primary School**; whether as snacks, within confectionary, sandwich spreads (**including Nutella**) or any other product. Thank you.