



Diary Dates week commencing 21/09/26

Monday 21st September - School Nursing Team - Flu vaccinations - Reception to Year 6

Thursday 24th September - Friends of Ashlands Curry and Quiz in the school hall - 6.30pm to 9pm - £10.00 to include curry - All welcome - please see flyer below

Saturday 26th September - All Saints' Primary Wharfedale Cross Country League at Ilkley Lido, (AM)

Friday - 3 Maple swimming

Running Club is never on the last week of every half term***

*****Coding Club is never on the first Thursday of every half term*****

This weeks messages from school

If you need to take your child out of school during the school day please sign them out at the front office.

General Reminders

Remember to cancel School Dinner if off poorly

Remember to cancel your child's school dinner on SchoolGrid if they are off poorly. You have until 8.45am on the day of absence otherwise you will still be charged.

NO BIKES AND SCOOTERS ON THE PLAYGROUND

For the safety of all our children, parents and carers please can we remind you that children not allowed to ride bikes and scooters in the playground.

NUT/ SEED FREE AND KIWI

Please note we are a nut and seed free site.

This includes packed lunches, please remember no pesto / humous / Nutella and seeded bread.

We have children in school with airborne as well as ingested allergies so this is very important.

Sickness and Diarrhoea

Reminder - please return to school 48 hours after the last episode of sickness and diarrhea

Water Bottles in Classroom

Reminder - the children are welcome to have a water bottle in the classroom but this must contain water and not juice.

There is a water fountain in school to refill during the day. Nursery and reception children do not require a water bottle.

Please remember to name all uniform, coats, etc.

Diary Dates

Monday 28th September - School Nursing Team - Year 6 Height and Weight

Tuesday 29th September - Individual and Sibling photos

Saturday 3rd October - Ghyll Royd Cross Country

Wednesday 21st October to Friday 23rd October - Year 6 residential

Thursday 12th November - Year 3 Trip to Stump Cross Caverns

Friends of Ashlands Dates for 2026

Dates to follow soon ...

Reminder of changes to Free School Meals

From 1st September 2026 all children from households receiving Universal Credit will be entitled to a free school meal, regardless of household income,

Check if you are eligible using this link <https://fsm.lgfl.net/>
School will be notified of the result.

There are 2 categories:

Targeted

If parents or guardians are in receipt of:

- ☐ Universal Credit - your net earned income is less than £7,400
- ☐ Income Support
- ☐ Job Seeker's Allowance (income based)
- ☐ Employment and Support Allowance
- ☐ Guarantee Credit element of Pension Credit
- ☐ Support payments under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

As well as Free School Meals, these pupils will still bring pupil premium and other disadvantage funding to their school. Children that fall into this group will continue to receive help with:

- ☐ help with school trips
- ☐ help with school uniforms
- ☐ support with music lessons

Expanded

☐ new category for pupils whose households receive Universal Credit removing the £7,400 cap. These pupils will be entitled to Free School Meals only.

Universal Free School Meals Programme

All children in Children in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 will continue to receive a free school meal under the Universal Free School Meals Programme as now, this is unchanged.

OCTOBER ½ TERM EARLY YEARS HOLIDAY CLUB

Club is running Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October

Open to children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.
Booking window for Ashlands children now open on Arbor

Opening Times and Fees

9.00am - 3.30pm = £55
8.00am - 4.00pm = £65

We look forward to seeing your child at the Holiday Club, any questions please contact the school office.

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ALLERGEN AWARE MENU WEEK 3

SERVED W/C

31st August, 21st September,
12th October

Hutchison

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

OPTION
1
OPTION
2

Pan-powered mild chilli
with rice

Vegetable sausages &
mashed potatoes with gravy

Pan-powered cottage pie
with gravy

Mac 'n' cheese
(may contain eggs)

Vegetable sausages, chips
& tomato ketchup

Mild beef & lentil
chilli con carne with rice

Pork sausages with
mashed potatoes & gravy

Roast chicken breast with
roast potatoes & gravy

BBQ chicken loaded
mac 'n' cheese
(may contain eggs)

Fish & chips
with tomato ketchup

Veggies

Sweetcorn

Peas & carrots

Broccoli & carrots

Selection from the salad bar

Baked beans

**Sweet
Treats**

Chocolate shortbread

Apple & summer berry
crumble

Chocolate brownie

Raspberry jelly
& mandarin

Lemon shortbread biscuit

Available Every Day - Crunchy colourful Salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Vegan Cheese, Beans, Vegan Cheese & Beans
or Tuna with Vegan Mayonnaise

KEY

Vegan Nutritionist's Choice
50-50 White & Wholegrain Rice

MENU WEEK 3

SERVED W/C:

31st August, 21st September,
12th October

Hutchison

OPTION 1

OPTION 2

Veggies

Sandwiches

Sweet Treats

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Pan-powered mild chilli
with rice

Vegetable sausages &
mashed potatoes with gravy

Pan-powered cottage pie
with gravy

Baked creamy
mac 'n' cheese

Vegan sausage roll, chips
& tomato ketchup

Mild beef & lentil
chilli con carne with rice

Pork sausages (beef casing)
with mashed potatoes & gravy

Roast chicken breast,
roast potatoes & gravy

BBQ chicken loaded
mac 'n' cheese

Fish fingers, chips
& tomato ketchup

Sweetcorn

Pean & carrots

Broccoli & carrots

Selection from the salad bar

Baked beans

Ham,
Cheese
Tuna mayo

Ham,
Cheese
Tuna mayo

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Cheese
Tuna mayo

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Cheese
Tuna mayo

Cheese
Tuna mayo

Chocolate shortbread

Apple & summer berry
crumble with custard

Lemon sponge & custard

Garden brownie

Strawberry mousse

Available Every Day - Crunchy colourful Salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Cheese, Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese & Beans

KEY

Wholegrain

Vegetarian

Nutritionist's Choice

Vegan

PE Kit Days this Half Term

Monday - Year 3, 4 and 5
Tuesday - Year 3 and Year 4
Wednesday - Year 2, 5 and 6
Thursday - Reception
Thursday - Year 1 Forest School
Friday - Year 1- PE
Friday - Year 2 Willow Forest Schools (pm)

Music Lesson Days in School

Mucis Lessons start
Tuesday - Guitar
Wednesday - Keyboard
Thursday - Drums, Woodwind, Strings, Piano

Volunteers Needed

Running Club - 3.30pm to 4.14pm

Parent Volunteer Needed – Friday After School Running Club Reception - Year 2

We are looking for a parent volunteer to help run an after-school running club on Fridays 3:30pm - 4:15pm. A DBS check will be required.

This is a great opportunity to support the school, encourage children to stay active, and be involved in a fun and rewarding activity. The club will take place after school and will focus on having fun, confidence, and enjoyment of running.

If you are interested in helping or would like more information, please get in touch with the school office. Your support would be greatly appreciated!

Reception, Years 1 and 2 need to be accompanied by an adult for Running Club.

Years 3 to 6 can sign up on Arbor
Running Club is not on the last Friday of every Half Term

Gardening Club

Gardening Club volunteers needed.
 Are you free to help out on an occasional Friday 12.30-1pm?
 We are looking for more parents and carers to help the children grow the school garden from September.
 DBS checks will be needed via the office.
 Please get in touch with Rosamund (07866611044) if you are interested.

Saplings

MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 25th September

3.30pm-5.30pm
 £11.00 including ice lollies
 Booking closes on Arbor
 Tuesday 22nd @ 3.30pm prompt

Lunchtime Clubs

Le Club Francais French Club - Monday

Open to Year 1 - 6
12.00-12.30 Year 1 & 2
* 1230-1300 French for KS2

Try a taster session in September before committing for the term

For further information, including how to sign up for a taster session in September, lesson times & costs, please contact sophie:

svpringle66@gmail.com

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Singing Club - Wednesday

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Gardening Club Friday @ 12.30pm

(please bring waterproof and wellies)

Lunchtime Clubs with Launchpad ****UPDATED INFORMATION THIS WEEK****

LaunchPad are currently running netball and football sessions at Ashlands.
We are gauging interest in running a gaming / games and puzzles club that would run indoors. If there is enough interest we will let you know start dates etc.

Sessions are priced at £5 per session, payment and booking is direct with Launchpad.
Use the below link to express an interest in signing your child up for any of these clubs.
LaunchPad will then contact you to complete the process, space permitting.

You will need to copy and paste it to your browser

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScLkVwIHlirLcvOC6_BAKVzFQ1YgV4sy2kuqubZLPpxPE74aQ/viewform?usp=publish-editor

If you have any queries please email LaunchPad direct on:
launchpadfootballclub@gmail.com

If your child is eligible for free school meals on economic grounds (targeted FSM only) then you are eligible for a 33% reduction - If you indicate this on the link then LaunchPad will contact Ashlands to verify this.

If you have any queries please email LaunchPad direct on:
launchpadfootballclub@gmail.com

Timetable for Clubs running now:

Netball - Monday - Netball for Years 4 – 6

No need for any different clothing but please bring a pair of trainers

Football will continue every lunchtime, days are:

Monday Year 3 (PE Day already in kit)

Tuesday Year 4 (PE Day already in kit)

Wednesday Year 6 (PE Day already in kit)

Thursday Year 5 (will need to bring kit)

Friday Year 1 & 2 (PE Day already in kit)

The session takes place on the school field. Children will need to bring an additional pair of trainers as well as a pair of tracksuit bottoms in the muddier weather – no studs.

WELCOME (BACK!) TO ASHLANDS CURRY & QUIZ NIGHT!!

Thursday 24th September
6:30-9:30pm, school hall



Tickets £10, includes delicious Nepali
chicken or veggie curry
BYOB

BOOK NOW ON ARBOR!

CAN'T MAKE THE QUIZ? TAKEAWAY CURRY AVAILABLE!
rice, naan, curry (chicken or meat), £10
pre order via link, collect + pay @ kitchen door 6:30pm

<https://forms.gle/hnL6PTTrTzh9HrrhPA>

Cross Country

All Saint Primary Cross Country Saturday 26th September 2026

See below the timetable for the first Wharfedale School Cross Country, at Ilkley Swimming Pool (the field behind.)

Please be aware that parking charges now apply.

If you choose to park on nearby streets, do so considerately, as it will be busier than usual due to the East Holmes Park Run taking place at the same time.

Key Stage 1		Lower Key Stage 2		Upper Key Stage 2	
Reception Girls	9.15	Y3 Girls	10.10	Y5 Girls	11.05
Reception Boys	9.20	Y3 Boys	10.20	Y5 Boys	11.15
Y1 Girls	9.25	Y4 Girls	10.30	Y6 Girls	11.25
Y1 Boys	9.30	Y4 Boys	10.40	Y6 Boys	11.35
Y2 Girls	9.35	Lower KS2 Prizegiving	10.50	Upper KS2 Prizegiving	11.45
Y2 Boys	9.45				
KS1 Prizegiving	9.55				

Cross Country Dates

Ghyll Royd School Saturday 3rd October 2026
 Westville House School Saturday 10th October 2026
 Ashlands Primary School Saturday 21st November 2026 - Helpers required
 please
 Addingham Primary School Saturday 16th January 2027
 Ben Rhydding Primary School Saturday 6th February 2027
 Nell Bank Relays Saturday 13th March 2027
 Timings 9-12pm