



Ashlands News

Week beginning 22nd June 2026

Diary Dates week commencing 22/06/26

- Tuesday 23rd June - Year 3 - Tempus Fugit Educational Theatre Company visiting school.
- Wednesday 24th June - NEW to Reception story time 2.45pm
- Thursday 25th June Year 3 Trip to St George's Hall
- Friday 26th June - 1pm - 3pm - Razzamatazz at the Bandstand
- Friday 26th June - Reception 'Fun on the Field' 2.45pm

Fridays 3 Apple 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

Please can we politely ask that children do not bring football cards into school.

Reception children

Football training at Ilkley Town AFC is on Mondays 18:00 – 19:00 at the Ben Rhydding Sports ground. If any girls would like to give it a go before the summer holidays whilst the weather is nice and warm, they are welcome to come along. The last session will be on Monday 29th June. If anyone is interested or has any further question, they are welcome to contact me on 07800831170 (Susie).

Please 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.

General Reminders

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 Diarrhea

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

- Wednesday 1st July - KS1 Sports Day - AM
- Wednesday 1st July - School Council trip to Parliament
- Thursday 2nd July - Year 5 Bikeability
- Thursday 2nd July - NEW to Reception story time 2.45pm
- Friday 3rd July - Reception Trip to Thornton Country Farm Park
- Wednesday 8th July - KS2 Sports Day - AM
- Wednesday 8th July - Transition Afternoon
- Monday 13th July - Year 6 Play 7pm
- Tuesday 14th July- Year 6 Play 7pm
- Tuesday 14th July - Year 5 Bastille picnic outdoor garden (pm)
- Wednesday 15th July - Year 6 Bowling
- Friday 17th July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly (Year 6 only) - 9.10am
- Friday 17th July
- Reception Sweet Summer Send-off 2.45pm
- Break up - Friday 17th July

- School re-opens Wednesday 2nd September 2026
- Wednesday 21st October to Friday 23rd October - Year 6 residential
- Friends of Ashlands Dates for 2026
- Friday 3rd July Summer Fair
- Thursday 9th July End of Year disco

SUN CREAM

We would like to clarify our approach to sun cream, as we understand there may have been some confusion.

If needed, children may bring sun cream (named) into school and apply it themselves. We simply ask that it is kept safely in their bag and that children do not share it or apply it to others, as we need to be mindful of potential allergies.

Some families find that roll-on sun cream is a helpful option for children to use independently. Although the weather has recently been less settled, when sunnier days return, please ensure your child:

- applies sun cream before school
- brings a named sun hat
- has a water bottle in school

Thank you for your support in helping us keep all children safe and comfortable.

SUMMER EARLY YEARS HOLIDAY CLUB

Club is running Monday - Friday:
w/c 20th July
w/c 27th July
w/c 3rd August
w/c 10th August.

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

Opening Times and Fees

9.00am - 3.30pm = £45.50
8.00am - 5.15pm = £60

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

CONTACT US:

TEL: 01943 609050

EMAIL: OFFICE@ASHLANDS.MLT.CO.UK



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Pea-powered vegetable pie & new potatoes	Cherry cauliflower pasta bake	Veggie all day breakfast	Qwarn dipper, chips & tomato ketchup
OPTION 2	Tomato, spinach & salmon pasta	Chicken & vegetable pie with new potatoes	Roast turkey breast, roast potatoes & gravy	All day breakfast, with pork sausages (beef casings)	Fish & chips with tomato ketchup
Veggies	Broccoli	Peas	Carrots & cauliflower	Baked beans	Peas
Sandwiches	Ham, Cheese Tuna majo	Ham, Cheese Tuna majo	Ham, Cheese Tuna majo	Ham, Cheese Tuna majo	Cheese Tuna majo
Sweet Treats	Traditional Flapjack	Oaty apple crumble & custard	Chocolate Mousse	Carrot cake with orange glaze	Chocolate fruit crispie cake

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

KEY Wholegrain Vegetarian Nutritionist's Choice Vegan

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Pea-powered vegetable casserole & new potatoes	Cauliflower pasta bake (may contain soya)	Veggie all day breakfast	Margherita pizza, chips & tomato ketchup
OPTION 2	Tomato, spinach & salmon pasta (may contain soya)	Chicken & vegetable casserole with new potatoes	Roast turkey breast, roast potatoes & gravy	All day breakfast, with pork sausages	Fish & chips with tomato ketchup
Veggies	Broccoli	Peas	Carrots & cauliflower	Baked beans	Peas
Sweet Treats	Saltina Flapjack	Apple crumble	Lemon shortbread biscuit	Carrot cake with orange glaze	Raspberry jelly & mandarins

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

Volunteers Needed

Running Club

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!

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.

PE Kit Days this Half Term

- Reception - Thursday
- Year 1 - Thursday and Friday Forest Schools
- Year 2 - Friday
- Year 3 - Thursday Forest Schools & Friday Swimming
- Year 4 - Tuesday Rowan PE & Forest Schools & Yew PE
- Year 5 - Thursday PE
- Year 6 - Wednesday Birch PE & Forest Schools & Chestnut PE

Music Lesson Days in School

- Piano - Tuesday
- Guitar - Tuesday
- Drums - Thursday
- Woodwind - Thursday
- Strings - Thursday

Summer 2 Blast Off Before School with LaunchPad.

Mondays KS2
Tuesdays Reception & KS1

Sign up via Arbor.

Reminder of Booking system.

Places are limited, please book via Arbor onto Blast Off Before School Fitness and select Summer 2.

Do not book onto the normal 8.15am Saplings morning session for this club as this confuses the numbers.

If your child is already in Saplings from 7.30am then they will have the option of attending.

The session runs between 8.15am – 8.55am and are priced at £4.00.

Children attending should come to school through the main front door as normal.
No need for special clothes or shoes.

Lunchtime Clubs

Le Club Francais French Club - Monday

If you would like your child to take join please email 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 Sport with LaunchPad**

LaunchPad Football

**Monday Year 3 (will need to bring kit)
Tuesday Year 4 (PE Day already in kit)
Wednesday Year 6 (PE Day already in kit)
Thursday Year 5 (PE Day already in kit)
Friday Year 1 & 2 (PE Day already in kit)**

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

LaunchPad Netball

**Monday - Year 5&6
Friday - Year 3&4**

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

Any queries please email:

launchpadfootballclub@gmail.com

These are priced at £5 per session, payment and booking is direct with Launchpad – If your child is eligible for free school meals on economic grounds then you are eligible for a 33% reduction - If you indicate this on the link then LaunchPad will contact Ashlands to verify this.

Sign Up Links below

Football:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd6oD-b8IJX6pcPI0dmNMLEkqLcsaBlzhebtQr2UR8e9IlmcQ/viewform?usp=publish-editor>

Netball:

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
15.30 – 15.45	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack
15.45 – 16.45	Craft with Mrs Myers All	Get Active All	Drama with Mrs Hunt KS2	Dance with Mrs Pastuszczak Nursery, Reception & KS1	Movie Night All
15.45 – 16.45				Coding Club with Mr Preece KS2	
16.45 – 17.30	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	

Friends of Ashlands

UNIFORM SHED

The Uniform Shed is currently full!

Thanks for all your generous donations of pre loved garments, it is now fully stocked!
We need to pause donations until the end of this term, if parents can please hang onto Ashlands greens that's great, but ask that greys, whites and black garments are taken to a local charity shop or if you would like details of the closest uniform charity drop off centre (Baildon) please contact Rosamund on 07866611044.

Do keep using the shed to purchase or swap uniform through the usual process, and we encourage parents to stock up ready for September.

We will keep you updated when donations can recommence, please do not leave any donations in the space or the office for now though.

Friends of Ashlands - Summer Fair - Friday 3rd July - 4pm to 7pm

Helpers are required please otherwise the Summer Fair will not go ahead.

Please email - friendsofashlands@gmail.com