



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NEW EVENTS / FUNDRAISING EVENTS



22nd June	Year 5: Enrichment - Onsite visit from Treehouse Theatre
23rd June	TREAT TUESDAY: Ice-creams/Lollies for sale—MURAL PROJECT FUND.
24th June	Workout Wednesday: pupils to come to school dressed as their favourite sports star, or in their favourite sports gear in exchange for a £1.00 donation
25th June	RSE Consultation meeting (Detail's sent 22nd May to Y3,4 & 5)
25th June	Year 5: Enrichment - Arnewood Cup PE Day Event
26th June	Year 6 Avonbourne, Highcliffe and Twynham Schools' Transition Days
W.b. 6th July	End of Year Reports—sent to parents/carers
6th July	Year 6 Production Performance 1.45pm
7th July	Year 6 Priestlands Transition Day
8th July	Year 6 Production Performance 6.00pm
9th and 10th July	Y6 Arnewood School Transition Days
10th July	AJS TRANSITION AFTERNOON: New Year 3 /4, 5 and 6 classes
14th July	Year 6 Activity Day
22nd July	9.15am Y6 Leaver's Celebration Service-parents welcome (Details to follow) 1.30pm: End of term: school closes

INSET days 2026/2027

**Tuesday 1st September ; Monday 2nd November; Monday 4th January;
Monday 22nd February; Monday 7th June '27.**

Dates for 2026/27:

2nd September	Term starts for all pupils
8th September	Individual School Photographs(N.B.—Family sessions after school)
16th September	Flu Immunisations



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Eco team

This week, our dedicated Eco-Warriors were out in force collecting litter in and around Ashley Park. Every piece of litter they collected contributes to keeping our local environment clean and welcoming, as well as improving our community spaces.



A huge well done to our Eco-Warriors for making such a positive difference!

Wraparound Care: ACTIVE ME 360

On Wednesday, the children had a visit from ActiveMe360 team, our new Wraparound Care Providers from September 2026.

The children played some fun games in assembly and got to hear all about the new breakfast club, after school clubs and extended care club that will be at AJS from next term.

We hope you got to meet the Active Me360 team on the playground after school on Wednesday, but if you didn't get the chance, **they will be back again on Friday 10th July.**



Sports Day was brilliant this week! The atmosphere was buzzing as the children took part in a fantastic carousel of events, showcasing their skills and teamwork.

It was great to see everyone cheering each other on, A huge thank you goes out to our AJS families for their support and encouragement!

To our amazing participants, you all did splendidly!

BIG LITTLE THEATRE:

On Thursday, our Year 3 and 4 pupils had an opportunity to experience a visit from the 'BIGLITTLE Theatre School'. The children engaged in a variety of workshops that included fun drama activities and singing sessions.



Each year group enjoyed their own time filled with drama games and role play, followed by a delightful gathering where they sang a song with fun actions together.



The afternoon ended with a performance of the show called "Isle Vaeloria", where the children joined in with the fun!

Mitchells

1963 — TODAY

Mitchells Estate Agents donated some free footballs to AJ'S this week—

THANK YOU!



Class photographs

Class photographs were taken this week. You will have received an email with details on how to purchase.



Please note that the photographs are available for you to purchase for sole use. We would like to remind you of the importance of protecting our pupils' privacy, especially in the context of social media sharing. This precaution is necessary to safeguard our pupils from any potential misuse of images by AI technologies or social media.

MEETING REMINDER:

We look forward to welcoming parent/carers to join us for a short meeting regarding our Learning for Life Curriculum, which focuses on PSHE and RSE. These sessions will take place on Thursday, 25th June. Full details were sent on 22nd May. If you have not already done so and wish to join the sessions please click the link below.

[Learning for Life - Meeting Thursday 25th June 2026 – Fill in form](#)

Consultation meetings times:

- 9.15am
- 2.15pm
- 5.00pm

During the sessions, you will:

- View curriculum overviews
- Explore sample resources
- Learn more about the programme
- Ask any questions



Year 2 Welcome Evening



We were delighted to have had the opportunity to welcome our current Year 2 families this week at our open evening, in preparation for their start in September. It was a pleasure to see both familiar and new faces joining us.

As we look ahead, we are **very** excited about welcoming the new intake into our school community in September!

The Clean Air Challenge:



This week marked our Clean Air Challenge, thank you to all the families who participated! Your commitment to walking, wheeling, and cycling to school not only helps reduce our carbon footprint but also promotes a healthier lifestyle for our children.

Every step taken and every pedal pushed brings us together in a fantastic effort to protect our environment and promote active travel.



TREAT TUESDAY will be in full swing again from 3.30pm onwards - please bring along **CASH** to buy some ice creams or lollies.

Lollies will start from 50p.

All cash donations will be added to the MURAL PROJECT FUND.



HOT WEATHER AHEAD:

As we approach next week, the weather forecast indicates that it will be very hot and sunny. We would like to remind all parents and carers to ensure that children come to school prepared for the heat.

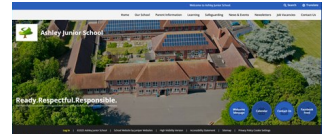
Please encourage your child to bring their named water bottle to stay hydrated throughout the day. It would also be beneficial for them to apply sunscreen before coming to school. Given the warm weather, shirts will not be required to be tucked in; this will help keep everyone comfortable.



STAR READER**Benjamin****Ayda****Rosen****Lexie****Curie****Lyla****Farah****Jasper****Simmonds****Priya****Zephaniah****Arya****Kahlo****-****Attenborough****-****Earhart****Aria****TIMES TABLES ROCK
STARS****Benjamin****Poppy****Rosen****Juan****Curie****Jack****Farah****William****Simmonds****Isabella****Zephaniah****Leon****Kahlo****-****Attenborough****Theodora****ROLE MODEL OF THE WEEK****Benjamin****Thomas****Rosen****Austyn****Curie****Lois****Farah****Jasper / William****Simmonds****Lucy****Zephaniah****Sophie****Kahlo****Kaitlin****Attenborough****Phoebe****Earhart****Sebbie**



'Letters home' links



All letters sent home are available on our school website:

<https://www.ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/page/?title=Letters+Home&pid=71>

'Local Look Out' - Local Community Communications:

[.https://www.ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/page/?title=Local+Look+%2D+Out&pid=105](https://www.ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/page/?title=Local+Look+%2D+Out&pid=105)

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ONLINE SAFETY NEWSLETTER:

Please click on the link below for our latest edition:

www.ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/page/?title=Online+Safety+Newsletters&pid=67

Visit our online pre-loved school clothing and accessories shop.

<https://app.uniformd.co.uk/items/ashley-junior-school>

AJS Social Media Platforms

We wanted to remind you to check out our social media pages on Facebook and Instagram.

Our **Insta** and **FB** posts are a great way to keep up with all the latest happenings, celebrate pupils achievements, and stay informed about school events.

Engaging with us online will help you to feel a part of our school community and share in the joy of your child's journey. Don't miss out on the fun!

<https://www.facebook.com/share/16DqgnsR4E/?mibextid=wwXlfr>



https://www.instagram.com/ashleyjuniorschool?utm_source=ig_web_button_share_sheet&igsh=M2M0Y2JmOTAYOA==



All schools are required to consider a fine when a child has missed 10 or more sessions (5 days) for unauthorised reasons.

If your child is absent and you have not received advance permission from Mrs Bartolomeo to take your child out of AJS, the school and Hampshire County Council may take action.

These measures can include:

- ⇒ **Issuing a fixed penalty notice***, otherwise known as a 'fine' – the Local Authority, Hampshire County Council, can give **each parent** a fine;
- ⇒ The fine for school absences across the country are **£80 if paid within 21 days**, or **£160 if paid within 28 days**.
- ⇒ **If you do not pay the fine after 28 days you may be prosecuted by the Local Authority for your child's absence from AJS;**
- ⇒ In the case of repeated fines, if a parent receives a *second* fine for the same child within any three-year period, this will be charged at the higher rate of £160;
- ⇒ Fines per parent will be capped to two fines within any three-year period. Once this limit has been reached, other action, like a parenting order or prosecution, will be considered by HCC.



***Please note that fixed penalty notices can be issued to AJS parents in these circumstances:**

- **Holiday taken during term time; we cannot make any allowances for the comparative high cost of travel during school holiday weeks themselves**
- **Children who are persistently late for school**
- **Children who are persistently late after registration closes.**