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Bulletin 37 Friday 5th July 2024



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...SUMMER TERM 2024

NEW EVENTS / PTA EVENTS / FUNDRAISING EVENTS



5th July

PTA Ice-cream sales 3.30pm

10th July

Year 6 Production 1:45pm
(Afternoon performance)

11th July

Year 6 Production 6:00pm
(Evening performance)

12th July

Last PTA Ice-cream sales 3.30pm

16th July

Year 5 GREEK DAY

23rd July

Y6 Leavers Assembly (9.15am start
Y6 parents invited - Letter to follow) -

23rd July

School finishes at 1:30pm

2024/2025

2nd & 3rd September

x2 Inset Days (Wren & Kestrel in Tuesday
3.9.24. 8.45—10.00am)

4th September

AUTUMN TERM 2024 STARTS

9th September

5.30pm PTA AGM...all welcome!

10th September

Y3—Parent Welcome Meeting—hall, 9.00am

11th September

Y4—Parent Welcome Meeting—hall, 9.00am

12th September

Y5—Parent Welcome Meeting—hall, 9.00am

13th September

Y6—Parent Welcome Meeting—hall, 9.00am

13th September

Year 3 FUN FRIDAY 6.00—8.30pm

18th October

WEAR RED DAY—Stand Up to Racism

4th November

Inset Day

24th February

Inset Day

2nd June

Inset Day



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Letters home link

Do remember all letters home are available on our new Website:

Y5

Pizza making

Robin Picnic

Whole School

Safeguarding
Social Media letter

Class photo link

<https://www.ashleyjunior.school.co.uk/page/?ti=Letters+Home&pid=71>

Sports Day 2024

Very well done to the AJS Houses for the team work that shone through at this year's Sports Day event. The winning team will be announced in Celebration assembly next week! Thanks to all the families who were able to come along to support everyone.



The Arnewood Cup - Pictures



Look at the fun that Y5 had at last week's event!



Staff News - We would like to congratulate Mrs Pounds on the safe arrival of her beautiful baby boy.

Welcome to the world, Baby Pounds!



Please note that penalty notices can be issued to 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.

Please help your child in their AJS learning journey by making sure that they are in school

everyday, on time...THANK YOU.



Your child recently had their school class photograph taken. To view and order these please go to www.orderphotos.co.uk and use the proof card I.D. which has been emailed to you.

Please place your order by Sunday 14th July to receive free delivery to school. If you have any queries please contact Fraser on 01202 692433.



Year 4 have had a busy week carrying out Geography fieldwork around Ashley and Wilverley Inclosure. They collected data about the living things and man-made features they could see and used the information in their Maths lessons to create bar charts. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves and we were proud of how well they all represented our school in the local community.



DISCO FEVER!

Thank you to all of the disco kings and queens for coming to last night's discos! A great time was had by all. Thank you to the PTA volunteers for giving up their time to help out.



Sports Day

Thank you for supporting our PTA refreshments stall—we raised £67.75

Reminders:

- **BAG2SCHOOL:** Reminder to **drop off any unwanted or old clothes** to school from Monday 15th July to raise extra pennies for the PTA (Collection date Wednesday 18th July)
- **Our PTA AGM** will be on Monday 9th September at 5.30-7pm – Any Interested OFFICIAL PTA roles which includes Chair, Secretary or Administrator – Expression of Interests need to be sent to Mrs Bartolomeo (Head teacher) via the school office by Friday 19th July.
- **Stikins name labels** ready for September – please support your PTA and use our school code 880 when purchasing - [Buy Your Stikins Labels Here | Stikins®](#)



Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility



URGENT MESSAGE- Safeguarding: Social Media

It has been brought to our attention some of our AJS parents have posted photographs and video clips of our recent Sports Day event, which have images of lots of our children, on personal Facebook pages. These must be removed with immediate effect.

Parents do not have permission to post information about, or images of, groups of AJS pupils from our school on social media; this is a serious safeguarding breach. Parents are, of course, free to post images of their own individual child(ren) on personal pages, but any other group image or video clip is not permitted.

If this request relates to your own social media posts, we would very much appreciate your prompt, full co-operation with this matter,



RESPECT & SHOW RACISM THE RED CARD

We are very proud of how diverse our school community is, with children from a wide range of cultural backgrounds; this helps to make AJS such a special place to be a part of. We are thrilled to have such a rich tapestry of cultures and beliefs within our school family.

With this in mind, we would like to respectfully remind parents that we do not tolerate racist or offensive language, or actions, at Ashley Junior School. We have a zero-tolerance approach to any such behaviours and would ask that you help support us in our efforts to educate the children on how to show **RESPECT** in their everyday interactions with each other.

*We note that in recent months, there has been a notable increase in references made by children to unsuitable and offensive online materials, which have been viewed at home on devices, and which are then being used as 'playground' songs, comments or chats in our school. Please could we ask that all parents play their part in ensuring that AJS children do not have open, unsupervised access to online platforms, such as Tik-Tok and YouTube for example, whilst at home. These platforms are unsuitable for children under the age of 13, and do contain examples of offensive material. **Parents must take responsibility for ensuring that online material viewed by their children, at home, is carefully managed, supervised and controlled.***

Diarrhoea and vomiting in children

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Keep kids home from school for



after symptoms have passed. This is enough time to let the virus run its course

If your child already has a serious illness, or symptoms last longer than a few days, contact your GP to seek advice



You don't need to visit the GP for stomach bugs such as **Norovirus**. Symptoms usually clear up in a few days.

Visit [nhs.uk/norovirus](https://www.nhs.uk/norovirus) for advice on managing the spread of Norovirus

Home Treatment



Paracetamol is useful for fever or aches and pains



Give kids plenty of water to stay hydrated and replace lost fluids



If your child feels like eating, give them bland foods



Online Safety Strategies for PARENTS

Please click on the link below to see our updated parent page, with **very** useful guidance:



www.ashleyjuniorschool.co.uk/page/?file=Online+Internet+Safety+Information&pid=82&action=saved

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Get all your school essentials and more from our Preloved School Uniform Shop.

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Finally, a sunny week for all the staff and pupils to enjoy outside time at Breakfast and After School Club this week!!

The children were very excited to get out and do some dodgeball and football. The arts and crafts creativeness has been outstanding along with the ever popular Mrs Ross "cross the river" game!!

We waved a very fond farewell to one of our longest serving guests last week. Soren departed the infants school for pastures new and we wish him and his family well. Freddy was very touched to receive the model pictured below!!



Good luck Soren!!

Please make sure you book your child online via www.premier-education.com. If children are not booked in for Breakfast and after school club we will be contacting parents to come and collect them. If anyone has any problems booking please contact us and we will be happy to help you.

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SUMMER HOLIDAYS

PREMIER HOLIDAY CAMPS

INSPIRING ACTIVITY

YOUR NEAREST HOLIDAY CAMPS

Ashley Junior	New Milton Jrs	Milford-on-Sea	Free Spaces
Running between 24th July - 30th August	Running between 24th July - 9th August	Weekly Gymnastics Day running on 1st, 7th, 14th and 21st August	Free School meal children will receive free spaces at our camps this summer - contact us for more info
Open between 8am - 4pm	Open Between 8am - 4pm		

PLEASE BRING

- A packed lunch
- Plenty of water
- Suitable clothing
- Loads of energy!

Mix it up this Summer with our multi-activity holiday camps!

These camps are a perfect blend of activities for all ages, combining different sports with a variety of team games.

Every day is different, with a mix of fun activities - from archery to fencing, dodgeball to cricket, plus much more!

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