



Ashburnham Community School



Yr3 at the Natural History Museum



Bring in £1 to wear a festive jumper on Wednesday



This is what champions look like: Ashburnham are borough-wide Netball winners.



Fantastic Bethlehem story from Nursery, Reception, Y1 and Yr2.

Next Week: Last week of term

Monday	Children's Christmas Lunch
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Festive Jumper Day; End of term- 2pm sharp

Calendar announcements

- School closes for holidays on Wednesday 21st at 2pm
- No FlashPoint on Wednesday 21st
- Children return on January 4th (except Nursery who return on the 5th)



Christmas Performances- Amazing!

A fantastic congratulations to all the children, Mr Brown and all the staff who helped to make the Productions this week so incredible. The standard was brilliant- acting, singing, choreography, and production.

World's End Christmas market

A massive thank you to everyone who helped to make the Ashburnham stall a great success. The items made by the pupils were a smash hit, and £177 was raised. The money will go towards the cost of the Christmas Productions. See Worlds End Lotts Road Big Local for other events <http://welr.org.uk/>



Festive Jumpers

Staff and children are encouraged to wear festive jumpers on the last day of term. Please bring £1 to wear a fun jumper (all money raised goes towards Save the Children charity).



Christmas Lunch

Nina will be making a terrific Christmas lunch on Monday (19th). If your child normally has packed lunch, but would like a school meal on this day, please contact Ms Lindsay with payment of **£1.85**.



Parentgym is running again

Parent Gym is a 6 week programme proven to increase parents' skills and confidence to improve the behaviour and wellbeing of their children. Parents attend once a week here at school. There is a sign up list with class teachers and with Miss Lindsay.

End of term parties

Classes will be having small end of term celebration parties on Wednesday 21st. If you would like to bring in healthy food, please label clearly: meat/veg/dairy. No sugary drinks or nuts please.

Clubs for next term

Clubs will start on the week of January 9th. The arrangements are being finalised ready to go out the first week back.

Staff Training

This week there was no staff meeting due to the Christmas Productions.

Educational news- assessment data comparison not reliable

Parents are being urged to ignore the latest school league tables, after "chaotic" changes to tests in England. Union leaders say that last year's results cannot be compared to others due to the drastic changes to the assessment system. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-38315195>



Stars of the week- This week the Stars get to help out in Nursery during the week:

Nursery: Tino; Reception: Yasmin; Yr1: Areeka; Yr2: William;

Yr3 Lataiyah Yr4: Leemar ; Yr5: Zak; Yr6: Breannah ;

Mr Garcia's Sports Award: Alfie (Yr1)

Mrs Dormer's manners award: (Frank Yr5)

Ms Blackshaw's reader of the week: Isabella (Yr2)