



Ashburnham Community School Part of the Fox Federation

Please note: we will be giving only one newsletter per household in an effort to save resources

Quote of the week: ‘The only way forward, if we are going to improve the quality of the environment, is to get everybody involved.’ Richard Rogers



Freshwater Theatre Company giving WW2 workshops



WW2 veteran Derick Finch sharing artifacts and experiences with Y3



Y6 enjoying the best seats in the house!



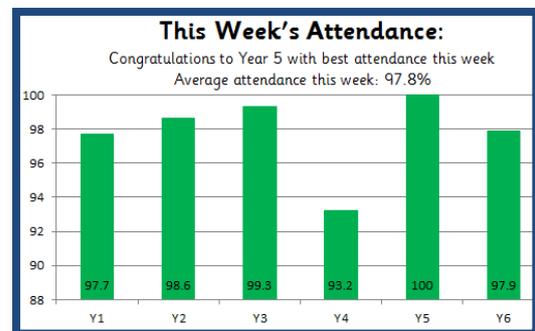
Author and evacuee David Merron speaking to Y6 about his wartime experience

Monday	Anti-bullying Week all week Y5 Science museum trip; Y6 British museum trip
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Y5+6 multiskills festival at Westway;
Thursday	
Friday	Parent Gym 9am; School ends 2.15pm

History Week: Fantastic Learning

Thank you to everyone for a truly great History Week. It has been great to see everyone getting involved in History and enjoying learning about the past! Years 3,4,5 and 6 were especially brilliant when listening and speaking to our evacuees and authors, who in their old age, travelled all the way to Ashburnham to speak to the children.

I was especially impressed when they phoned back to let everyone know how well the children behaved and what interesting questions they asked! It was also great to see KS1 turning into real historians digging for artefacts and sorting these from oldest to newest. Well done to everyone for their enthusiasm during this week! -Miss van Vliet



Children in Need

Thanks to everyone who brought in money for own clothes day today. The funds will go to the CiN charity to support young people in need locally and further afield.

Easyfundraising – support our school every time you shop online

We have recently signed up to Easyfundraising which is a site that allows you to raise money for good causes, like Ashburnham, whenever you purchase things online.

It's really easy and there are thousands of online retailers such as Amazon, Next, ASOS, House of Fraser, Boots, Apple and so many more, that have signed up and every time you make a purchase online, a percentage of the value of your purchase will go to Ash from the retailer. The money raised will go to subsidising school trips and learning resources. In order for us to receive the donations from the retailer you must sign up and can do this by clicking the 'Join us' button on our fundraising page:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ashburnhamcommunityschool-worldsend/>

Once you've joined you will be able to search through the retailers, choosing the store you wish to purchase from and that will then re-directed to their site and in doing so will activate the donation on the purchase you then make. If you're using your laptop/computer to shop you can also download the donation reminder which will notify you when you go onto a site that offers donations with 'Easyfundraising' and will prompt you to activate your donation each time:



Alternatively there is also the app! You can download this, log in and find retailers that way and can be re-directed in order to activate the donation. It would be great if you could all sign up to the site and help raise money for the School and pass the message on to friends and family especially with all the online Christmas shopping coming up! If you have any queries please do let me know. Thanks- Ms Redmond

School tours

If you know of anyone who has a child interested in a place at Ashburnham, we hold regular short tours of the school with our very professional Y6 Ambassadors. There is one at 9.30am on December 5th.

Staff Training:

This week MEND led training on active playtimes, and Family Friends illustrated the work they do with families.

Education News: Could your child's eating habits be affecting their behaviour?

<https://www.livestrong.com/article/262789-how-diet-affects-childrens-behavior/>



Stars of the week- Well Done!

Yr Rec: Sofia; Yr1: Ibrahim; Yr2: Rabia;

Yr3: Anas; Yr4: Moamin; Yr5 Eamon; Yr6: Kairan;

Ms Bell + Mrs Dormer's manners award: Lulya (Y3);

Mr Garcia's Sport Award: Rokas (Y4); Mr East's Maths Award: Jaden (Y2)

Mr Brown's Speaker Award: Ahmed (y4); Mr Tuitt's Playground Award: Nuriyah (Y3);