Ashburnham Weekly Newsletter - Friday, 02 February 2018



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A busy week as Ash- children had brilliant workshops from guests in Maths and Science, culminating in Maths Day on Friday. Have a great weekend- see you on Monday. -Ash staff

Quote of the week: " What sculpture is to a block of marble, education is to a human soul." Joseph Addison



Hands on experiments this week!



Y3 gettting the hang of it.



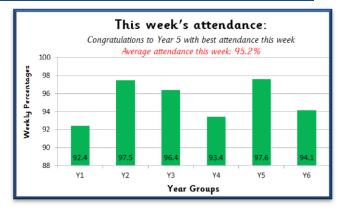
The courageous Girls' Football team campaigning Y6 at the Ravenscourt Park Greenhouse

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Monday	Children's Mental Health week
Tuesday	Y4 and Y5 writers trip; Oxford Story Museum workshops all day
Wednesday	School tour 9.15am; Y6 athletics
Thursday	Reception to Cremorne Gdns; Open Table tennis session 4.45pm-5.55pm
Friday	Whole School assembly; School finishes at 2.15pm; HALF TERM

NSPCC: Number day at Ash

Thanks to everyone who brought in £2 for the NSPCC, and those who dressed up in a way that relates somehow to maths. The NSPCC is a fantastic charity dedicated to helping children who need support. The assembly featured a knockout maths challenge designed by Mr East.



Roots of Empathy

This is a fantastic group originally from Canada who have established projects at Ash with the help of Ms Zanabi. Check out this BBC segment on their work. With have had babies visit our classrooms, including Ms Caesar's own baby Evelyn, who is currently teaching the Yr5 pupils about child development, personal growth and emotional empathy: http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p05vpw3f

Nuts and seeds: not allowed in school

Please remember that nuts and seeds cannot be brought to school in any form (including snacks and cakes).

Uniform labelling: please name all items

To avoid confusion and loss of uniform, please ensure that all items are labelled with a permanent pen or an iron-on name label (these can be ordered online for about 10p each, and last for as long as the garment. For example: https://www.wovenlabelsuk.com/school-labels/wl-14.html)

Community Ping at Ashburnham Primary School: Thursday Table Tennis

Ashburnham Primary is the latest school in the West London area to open up its tables to the local community. Following on from the very successful community sessions at Chelsea Academy on Fridays and William Hogarth Primary on Wednesdays, Ashburnham will be offering community table tennis every Thursday from 4.45 to 6pm. The cost will be a very reasonable £1 for students and £2 for adults. Parents, carers, and extended family members are particularly welcome as are former Ashburnham students and their friends and families. Table tennis is great fun and great exercise and a wonderful way to bring friends and family together. All standards and all ages are welcome. We look forward to your company, Best Regards Jon Kaufman, Manager, West London Ping.

Half Term activities with EPIC

Check out the website for the many opportunities for various ages over the half term break. Flashpoint is open Monday-Friday of half term. https://www.epiccic.org.uk/halftermactivities

Changes to pedestrian and cycle provision: have your say.

Proposals have been put forward that will impact the roads around the school in a very positive way. It is important for our local area to have suitable bike and pedestrian zones. The proposals would greatly improve the safety of the surrounding roads for all users. Please log your opinion via this link: consultations@tfl.gov.uk

Dance Create- Saturdays at Fox

Our very talented Ms Blesky, who teaches here every Wednesday, has started a range of sessions for children and adults involving dance, yoga and mindfulness- all hosted at Fox in Notting Hill. www.dancecreate.co.uk

Y6 Weekly Report (three Y6 Journalists research and report an area of our school life each week- all their own unedited content). This week: Isaac and Gabby

Good afternoon everyone. This week has been very productive week for the whole school. In Y5, they are studying the Titanic in literacy and are doing fractions (mixed and improper) in Numeracy. Meanwhile, Y4 are looking at John Lyons' poems. Simultaneously, Y2 are learning how to show arrays of multiplication and division. Also, the amazing Book Fair is coming to our school next week, Monday to Thursday. Thank you for reading and see you next week.

No Stars of the Week this week as we had a special maths assembly