



Week commencing 31.03.25

Tuesday 1st April - Year 3 Ilkley Manor House Museum (am 3 Maple & pm 3 Apple)

Tuesday 1st April - Parents Evening - 4.00pm

Wednesday 2nd April - Parents Evening - 4.00pm

Wednesday 2nd April - Year 1 - local walk - 9.15am - 11.30am

Wednesday 2nd April - Year 4 Trip to Murton Park

Thursday 3rd April - Curry and Quiz 7pm to 10pm

Friday 4th April - Easter Hats, Easter Egg Hunt and Bun Bake

Friday 4th April - Break Up

Friday's - Class 3 Apple Swimming

***Running Club is never on the last week of every half term.

***Coding Club is never on the first Tuesday of every half term.

Messages from school

To remind you that there is no Coding Club in Saplings on Tuesday 1st April due to Parents Evening.

There was a little confusion re Razzmattazz start time this morning. Just to confirm it starts at 8.30am



Lost Property box is now on the playground, please feel free to have a look if your child has lost something. (Early Years have their own lost property).

Congratulations to the Kitchen!!!

For maintaining their 5 star rating following a visit from Environmental Health this week. Well done to all our kitchen team.



Diary Dates After Easter School Re-opens Tuesday 22nd April

Wednesday 23rd April - Year 6 Trip to Eden Camp

Friday 25th April - Wear it Blue Day - donate £1.00 - Yorkshire Dales Rivers Trust fundraiser

Support Us - Yorkshire Dales Rivers Trust

Thursday 1st May - Class 5 Hawthorn to Oakwell Hall

Monday 5th May - Ilkley Carnival

School Photos

Tuesday 6th May - Class, individual and sibling photos with Arts School of Photography

Thursday 8th May - Class 5 Cedar to Oakwell Hall

Friday 23rd May - Break Up

FRidedays Bike Bus

Come join our journey to school on Fridays. There's nothing like riding side-by-side with friends to get our day off to the best start!

Look out for the adults with music. We will have a lead and sweep as a minimum.

We set off at 8:35 from Wheatley Lane and cycle down Valley Drive to Ashlands.

Join the bike bus when it comes past your house or the nearest street to you!

Scan to join our Whatsapp group



Saplings

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack
Craft All	Dance & Music Nursery, Reception & KS1	Sports KS2	Sport KS1	Movie Night All
	Coding Club KS2	Baking Nursery, Reception & KS1	Art KS2	
Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	Homework Club	

Change to Saplings Booking for Summer Term

Booking for Saplings Summer Term opens on 02.04.25 @ 9.00am.

Please find attached a copy of the letter sent out on Monday regarding a change to the view when booking.

Rolling week snack choice

In order to ensure that it is not the same snack on a set day we operate a rolling week for snacks Monday - Thursday between Sandwich (Ham, Cheese or Tuna), Bread sticks,dips, bagels and cream cheese, Pan au Chocolat and Cheese and Crackers. Friday's 'Movie Night' is either crisps, popcorn or choc ice. There is always a choice of fruit and vegetable every night.



Saplings

MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 4th April
3.30pm-5.30pm
£10.25 including snack & crisps
Booking closes on Arbor
Wednesday 2nd @ 3.30pm

WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main dish	Pizza of the Day	Spaghetti Bolognese garlic bread	Chicken & Veg Stuffed Yorkshire Pudding roast potatoes	Chicken Breast Wraps new potatoes	Bucher sausage hoedog baked wedges
Vegetarian Main dish	Margherita Pizza	Vegetable Bolognese garlic bread	Savoury Quorn Mince Yorkshire Pudding roast potatoes	Vegetable Samosas brown rice	Quorn sausage hoedog baked wedges
Accompaniments	Baked Beans Sweetcorn	Seasonal Vegetables Mixed Salad	Seasonal Vegetables	Mixed Salad	Baked Beans Mixed Salad
Desserts	Chocolate Crunch	Fruity Cheesecake	Blueberry Swirl Cake	Oaty Biscuits	Fresh Smoothie Fruit Salad
Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato and sandwich selection



Arts Photography

The below information was sent out earlier this week regarding the Individual, sibling and class photos with Arts Photography on Tuesday 6th May

Arts Photography are a local, Leeds based, company who works with many schools in the Yorkshire area. They use a secure access portal for parent / carers use to view and order their children's photos / images.

Ashlands is required to seek parental consent to share the following information with Arts:

- Child's name / class
- Primary guardians email address.

The below link is to a Google Form for you to consent / decline for your child's photograph being taken and this information to be shared with Arts.

We are asking you to consent / decline to:

- Arts photography taking a picture of your child and their details (name / class) being shared with Arts
- Your email address being shared with Arts.

In the instance of a split family or if you want both parents to be able to view / order prints then both need to complete the form and consent to their email address being shared. The other parent will not be able to see this information.

Please note that you do need to actively consent or decline, and school cannot assume. In the event of no response, this must be taken as no consent.

If you consent, then Arts will communicate with you directly and photos will be sent direct to your home address. If you do not wish for your email address to be shared then then you will be given a paper proof and be able to contact Arts and manually place an order by phone with Arts.

The link to the Google Form is: <https://forms.office.com/e/p5tAyp0SpU>

A link to Arts Privacy / GDPR policies is here: <https://www.artsphotography.co.uk/privacy-policy/>

Once you have completed this Google Form then we will update Arbor with your consent preference, and you are able to contact the office if you wish to change your mind at any point in the future.

Please complete the form by Friday 28th March, thank you.

Music in School

Tuesday Guitar & Piano

Wednesday Strings

Thursday Vocal, Drums
& Woodwind

Friday Razzamatazz

Lunchtime Clubs

Monday - French Club

Tuesday - Spanish Club

Thursday - Singing Club

PE KIT DAYS THIS 1/2 TERM

The children should come to school in their PE kit on the below days regardless of whether they tell you that they are doing PE, Forest Schools, art or music.

If your child is doing Forest Schools please make sure that they come to school in their PE kit with their forest school clothes in a bag (waterproofs, old clothes and wellies).

Little Acorns 3 and 4 - Thursday.

Please wear white t shirt, black leggings/joggers/shorts and trainers.

Year 1 - Tuesday and Thursday
(Year 1 Forest Schools on a Thursday afternoon)

Year 2 - Both classes Thursday and Fridays.

Year 3 -
3 Apple - Monday and Friday (swimming on Friday)
3 Maple - Monday & Friday
(3 Maple Forest Schools on Monday)
Year 4 - Monday

Year 5 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday
(Forest Schools for 5 Hawthorn on a Wednesday)

Year 6 - Both classes Wednesday and Friday

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Meetings and Events Dates 2025

Tuesday 13th May - 7.30pm The Black Hat, Ilkley - All welcome
Tuesday 8th July - 7.30pm The Black Hat, Ilkley - All welcome

Thursday 3rd April - **Parents Curry & Quiz Night**
Friday 4th April - **Easter Egg Hunt & Bake Sale**
Monday 5th May - **Carnival Parade**
Sunday 18th May - **Pen Y Ghent Hike**
Weekend of 20th - 22nd June - **Camping Weekend**
Friday 4th July - **Summer Fair**
Wednesday 9th July - **End of year disco**

Friends Of Ashlands needs your support for upcoming activities. To get in touch please email friendsofashlands@gmail.com or call Nicola on 07595 110513.

*RUNNING CLUB: in response to our survey where this was requested we would like to know who would join if this was set-up for group runs and general health and fitness discussions. If you are interested please get in touch.

Fundraising goal for 2025 is.....

"A NEW OUTDOOR STAGE IN THE MAIN PLAYGROUND AND A MUCH ANTICIPATED HILL SLIDE". We are currently obtaining quotes for both in order to set the target amount. If you know of a local company who might be able to support with making or sponsoring either of these please let us know.

EVENTS BEFORE EASTER

If you have any of the following, please bring along:

- large containers like a yogurt pot to mix seed and sand in
- gardening gloves - we have a limited number of children's pairs on site
- watering cans
- any old CDS to make bird deterrents

