



Diary Dates for next week - w/c 15.12.25

Tuesday 16th December 10am KS2 Church Service, St Johns, Ben Rhydding
Wednesday 17th December 10am KS2 Church Service, St Johns, Ben Rhydding
Thursday 18th December - 2.30pm Early Years Nativity (Reception and Nursery)
Break Up - Friday 19th December
Fridays 3 Apple swimming
Running Club is never on the last week of every half term.
*****Coding Club is never on the first Thursday of every half term.**

Messages from school

NUT AND SEED FREE

Please note we are a nut and seed free site (this includes pesto and hummus) due to allergies in school

Sickness and Diarrhea

Reminder - please return to school 48 hours after the last episode of sickness and diarrhea
 Water Bottles in Classroom

Reminder - the children are welcome to have a water bottle in the classroom but this must contain water and not juice.

There is a water fountain in school to refill during the day.
 Nursery and reception children do not require a water bottle.

Please remember to name all uniform, coats etc

Gardening Club Rota Friday's @ 12.30pm
(please bring waterproof and wellies)

Friday 19th December Year 4 Yew

Christmas Parties

Monday 15th December - KS1 Christmas Party (PM)

Tuesday 16th December - Year 3 and Year 6 Christmas Party (PM)

Wednesday 17th December - Year 5 Christmas Party (PM)

Thursday 18th December - Year 4 Christmas Party (PM)

Friday 19th December - Reception and Nursery Christmas Party (PM) children who do not attend Nursery on a Friday afternoon are welcome to attend
More details to follow

Diary Dates

School re-opens - Tuesday 6th January 2026
Saturday 17th January - Addingham Cross Country KS2 only
Thursday 5th February 2026 - Year 2 Trip to the Yorkshire Air Museum

Friends of Ashlands Dates for 2026

Spring Term

1st – 14th March Auction of Promises
Friday 27th March Easter hunt, hat contest and bake sale
Thursday 30th April Curry and Quiz night

Summer Term

Monday 4th May Ashlands Parade at the Ilkley Carnival
Sunday 17th May Pen Y Ghent Hike
12th – 14th June Ashlands camping weekend
Friday 3rd July Summer Fair
Thursday 9th July End of Year disco

Hutchisons Update

We have sent further information on Hutchisons, our new catering supplier from January 2026.
 We have set up a page on the website for easy reference should you have missed anything.

You will have received a welcome email from Appetite inviting you to create an account.

The link is valid for 24 hours after which time another email link will be generated if you have not signed up.

Once you have created an account you will be able to view the menus and order meals for the Spring Term at your convenience.
 If your child has an allergy you need to complete the form sent out earlier this week.
 School cannot share any information that we hold as they need to know it first hand from you.
 The welcome email will be sent to the highest priority email address held on Arbor.
 Please check junk and clutter.

Inspiration Tree Holiday Clubs at Burley Oaks

MULTI-ACTIVITY & LEGO WORKSHOP – Christmas & New Year Courses

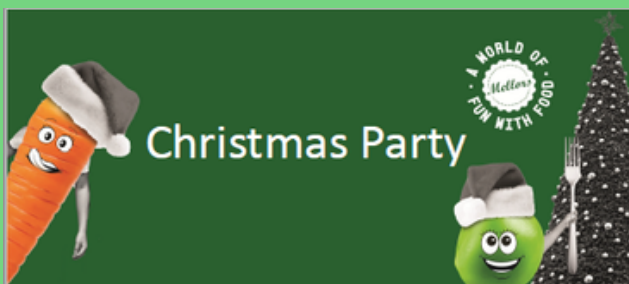
Inspiration Tree are offering Multi-Activity courses and LEGO workshop this half term at Burley Oaks. The courses are £20 per day from 9am-3pm. There is an option for an extended day if required.

Please look at the attached flyer for further information.

To make a booking please go to www.inspiration-tree.com.

Pupil Premium

If your child qualifies for Pupil Premium you are able to attend at a rate of £7 per day. Please contact the Ashlands school office who will share your details with Inspiration Tree, they will then contact you to complete the booking.



Join us:
Friday 19th December 2025

Selection of Sandwiches
Sausage Rolls
Crispy Wedges
Carrot and Cucumber Sticks

Chocolate Crispy Cakes
Mince Pie Rolls
Fresh Fruit
Cordial Juice



WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN DISH	Homemade Pizza of the Day	Fishcakes wholegrain rice	Traditional Roast Dinner all the trimmings	Creamy Chicken Pasta Bake garlic bread	Butcher sausage hotdog chunky chips
VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH	Homemade Margherita Pizza	Crispy Vegetable Fingers wholegrain rice	Quorn Fillet Roast Dinner all the trimmings	Vegetable Pasta Bake garlic bread	Veggie sausage hotdog chunky chips
ACCOMPANIMENTS	Baked Beans Mixed Salad	Mixed Salad Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables Mixed Salad	Baked Beans Sweetcorn
DESSERT	Fruit & Pancakes	Jam Sponge & Custard	Ice Cream	Marble Cake	Ginger Biscuit
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



Ashlands Choir visit Abbeyfield

On Thursday 11th December our choir visited the residents of Abbeyfield Residential Home where they sang a selection of carols and Christmas songs.

They were treated to goodie bags by the residents and everyone had a wonderful time.

We were extremely proud of our children, they were a credit to our school.

Well done to all who took part.



SAPLINGS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

	15.30 - 15.45	15.45 - 16.45	16.45 - 17.30
Monday	Registration & snack	Craft with Mrs Myers All	Return to Saplings room
Tuesday	Registration & snack	Drama with Mrs Hunt KS2	Return to Saplings room
Wednesday	Registration & snack	Baking with Miss Smith All	Return to Saplings room
Thursday	Registration & snack	Dance & Music with Mrs Pastuszcak Nursery, Reception & KS1 Coding Club with Mr Preece KS2	Return to Saplings room
Friday	Registration & snack	Movie Night All	

Saplings

MOVIE NIGHT




Friday 19th December 2025
3.30pm-5.30pm
£10.80 including snack and popcorn
Booking closes on Arbor
Wednesday 17th @ 3.30pm prompt

Lunchtime Clubs

Le Club Francais French Club - Monday
Singing Club - Wednesday

Message from the French Club

If you are interested in joining please email Sophie Pringle Van Berckel direct on svpringle66@gmail.com

Music in School

Piano - Tuesday
Guitar - Tuesday
Drums - Thursday
Woodwind - Thursday
Strings - Thursday