



# Ashlands News

Week beginning 2nd February 2026

## Diary Dates - w/c 02/02/26

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February - No music lessons (the Music Service's Annual Conference) guitar and keyboard. Music and Arts to inform parents.**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - Year 2 Trip to the Yorkshire Air Museum**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February - Ghill Royd Cross Country**

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\*\*\*

## Ashlands Cross Country CANCELLED - Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> Jan

We are very disappointed that we have had to cancel this Saturday's cross country due to unsafe conditions.

The re-arranged date is Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February - see details below:

Ashlands Primary School would like to invite you to take part in the Wharfedale Primary Schools XC League event, which takes place on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February at Ashlands Primary School.

- o Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2026
- o Venue - playing fields adjacent to Ashlands Primary School
- o The school car park will be closed but 1 person from each school may use it, please be careful if driving into the car park as pedestrians will be crossing from the event into the school playground. There is limited disabled parking available at the school.
- o Please park responsibly. Please be mindful when parking around the streets.
- o If there is any chance of the event being cancelled a decision will be made at 8am and a message put on the Junior Ilkley Harriers website and Facebook page before 8.30am
- o Certificates will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd placed runners
- o Winning team competition (first 4 runners to count). Certificate is awarded to winning teams
- o Award ceremonies will be held in the playground
- o Refreshments and food available in playground - We are a cashless school
- o Participants should arrive at least 10 minutes prior to their race starting and register at their own school's flag

Race start times for each year group are below and [full course new details](#) can be found on the Junior Ilkley Harriers website: [Junior Ilkley Harriers](#)

Key Stage 1	Lower Key Stage 2	Upper Key Stage 2
Reception Girls	9.15 Y3 Girls	10.30 Y5 Girls
Reception Boys	9.20 Y3 Boys	10.20 Y5 Boys
Y1 Girls	9.25 Y4 Girls	10.30 Y6 Girls
Y1 Boys	9.30 Y4 Boys	10.40 Y6 Boys
Y2 Girls	9.35	
Y2 Boys	9.45 Lower KS2	10.50 Upper KS2
KS1 Prizegiving	9.55 Prizegiving	11.45

## Messages from school

### NUT AND SEED FREE

Please note we are a nut and seed free site.

This includes packed lunches, please remember no pesto and hummus and seeded bread.

We have children in school with airborne as well as ingested allergies so this is very important.

### 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)**

## FEBRUARY EARLY YEARS HOLIDAY CLUB

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February**

**Open to children in Nursery, Reception and Year 1.**

### Opening Times and Fees

9.00am - 3.30pm = £45.50  
8.00am - 5.15pm = £60

For any questions, to discuss availability or to book a place, please contact the school office.



### CONTACT US:

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## MENU WEEK 3

SERVED W/C: 10th Nov | 1st Dec | 22nd Dec | 12th Jan | 2nd Feb | 23rd Feb | 16th Mar | 6th Apr

### THE FOOD EXPLORERS

#### Hutchison

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



Quorn Dippers with Oven Baked Mashed & Tomato Ketchup



Margherita Pizza & Wedges



Peas



Ham Cheese

Vegan Bolognese Ragu Penne Pasta

Beef Bolognese Penne Pasta

Sweetcorn

Chicken Egg

Roast Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy

Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy

Broccoli

Ham Cheese

Baked Mac 'n' Cheese

Chicken Pie with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

Carrots

Tuna Mayo Cheese

Vegan Sausage Roll & Chips

Fish Fingers & Chips

Beans

Egg Cheese

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Our crunchy colourful salad & jacket potatoes with cheese, beans, tuna mayo or cheese and beans



Vanilla Shortbread

Mixed Berry & Apple Crumble with Custard

Apple Strudel & Custard

Gingerbread Squares with Custard

Garden Brownie

Desserts available every day - a choice of jelly, fruit or yoghurt

KEY

Nutritionist's Choice

Vegetarian

Vegan

Added Wholewheat

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Mild Plant Based Chilli & Wedges



Vegan Margherita Pizza & Wedges



Peas



Tomato, Vegetable & Basil Pasta

Baked Mac 'n' Cheese

Beef Bolognese & Pasta

Sweetcorn

Tomato, Vegetable & Basil Pasta

Vegan Sausage Root

Roast Chicken, Roast Potatoes & Gravy

Broccoli

Tomato, Vegetable & Basil Pasta

Vegetable Korma Curry

Creamy Chicken Curry & Carrot Rice

Carrots

Tomato, Vegetable & Basil Pasta

Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Chips

MSC Approved Fish Fingers & Chips

Beans

Tomato, Vegetable & Basil Pasta

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Our crunchy colourful salad and jacket potatoes with vegan cheese, beans, vegan cheese & beans or bana with vegan mayo



Lemon Shortbread

Chocolate Beetroot Cake

Orange Jelly & Mandarins

Vegan Chocolate Brownie

Chocolate Shortbread

#### ALLERGEN AWARE MENU

## Hutchisons Catering

Don't forget to keep ordering, you can order up to 7 weeks in advance and can order / cancel up to 8.55am on the day.

If you forget we will of course feed them but we cannot guarantee they will get their first choice - they may get a sandwich or jacket potato option if there is not enough of the main meal choice.

If you are having any problems creating an account or using the Appetite system please contact the school office for assistance.

If you pay for dinners this will be on your account to clear when you make your next payment.

### SCHOOL TRIP INFORMATION

You are able to order a packed lunch on Appetite. To do this just log onto Appetite to order your meal as normal.

There will only be a sandwich option where you will be able to choose the filling.

The packed lunch will contain:

Sandwich

Biscuit

Piece of fruit

Small bag of nachos

You are able to supplement the lunch with additional home treats and please remember to pack a water bottle.

## PE Kit Days this Half Term

Reception - Thursday  
Year 1 - Friday  
**Year 2 - Wednesday (PE), Friday (Forest Schools)**  
Year 3 - Thursday and Friday  
Year 4 - 4 Rowan - Tuesday PE  
**Year 4 - 4 Yew - Tuesday Forest Schools**  
Year 5 - Thursday  
Year 6 - Wednesday

## Music Lesson Days in School

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

## Lunchtime Clubs

Le Club Francais French Club - Monday

Singing Club - Wednesday

## Lunchtime Football with LaunchPad

Monday Year 3 (will need to bring kit)  
Tuesday Year 4 (PE Day already in kit)  
Wednesday Year 6 (PE Day already in kit)  
Thursday Year 5 (PE Day already in kit)  
Friday Year 1 & 2 (PE Day already in kit)

The session will take place on the school field. Children taking part will need to bring an additional pair of trainers as well as pair of tracksuit bottoms in the muddier weather - no studs. Any queries please email:

launchpadfootballclub@gmail.com

These are priced at £5 per session, payment and booking is direct with Launchpad - If your child is eligible for free school meals on economic grounds then you are eligible for a 33% reduction - If you indicate this on the link then LaunchPad will contact Ashlands to verify this.

## SAPLINGS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

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

