



Ashlands News

Week beginning 13th April 2026

Diary Dates week commencing 13/04/26

**School re-opens Monday 13th April
Tuesday 14th April - Year 6 Trip to Eden Camp**

**Fridays 3 Apple swimming until July 2026
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

Please can we remind children not to ride bikes and scooters in the playground.

NUT AND SEED FREE

Please note we are a nut and seed free site.

This includes packed lunches, please remember no pesto and humous 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.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 6th May - Class Photos

Friday 8th May - Year 5 Trip to Oakwell Hall

Break up - Friday 22nd May

School reopens - Tuesday 2nd June

Wednesday 3rd June - Year 2 Trip to Skipton Castle

Wednesday 17th June - Year 1 Trip to Harlow Carr, Harrogate

Friday 19th June - Year 4 Trip to Bradford Industrial Museum

Wednesday 23rd June - Year 3 - Tempus Fugit Educational

Theatre Company visiting school.

Friday 3rd July - Reception Trip to Thornton Country Farm Park

Break up - Friday 17th July

Friends of Ashlands Dates for 2026

Spring Term

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

Lunchtime Netball post Easter

We are going to start on a Monday lunchtime after Easter for **Years 4, 5 and 6**.

This is in addition to the football offered throughout the week.

If you expressed an interest in your child taking part then you will be contacted directly by LaunchPad.

If you would like to register your interest, please copy and paste the below link to your browser:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-Jlinu3AzYsU-Y38y7dQvi_fNCFBptd6UiYQBwlvwLvMblA/viewform?usp=publish-editor

The sessions will start w/c Monday 13th April 2026. They are priced at £5 per session, payment and booking is direct with Launchpad via the above link.

If your child is 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.

At present there has not been enough interest for other year groups but we will continue to monitor this.

Medical Tracker

All first aid incidents are logged on Medical Tracker. We will no longer be sending paper 'Notifications of First Aid' home.

If your child has had a minor injury you will get an email notification.

We will only call you if is a more serious injury.

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

If you are having any problems please contact the school office for assistance.

SCHOOL TRIP INFORMATION

You can order a packed lunch on Appetite.

Just log onto Appetite to order your meal as normal, there will only be a sandwich option on the school trip day and you can choose the filling. The packed lunch will contain a sandwich, biscuit, piece of fruit and a small bag of nachos.

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

MENU WEEK 1		SERVED W/C: 2nd Mar, 23rd Mar, 13th Apr, 4th May, 15th June, 6th July					Hutchison
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Main Meal	OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Mixed bean bolognese with penne pasta	Vegetable sausages with roast potatoes & gyoza	Pea-powered vegetable stir fry with carrot rice	Vegetable nuggets, chips & tomato ketchup	
	OPTION 2	Pepperoni pizza & oven baked wedges	Beef & lentil bolognese with penne pasta	Roast gammon with roast potatoes & gyoza	Creamy coconut chicken & chickpea curry with carrot rice	Fish fingers, chips & tomato ketchup	
Veggies		Broccoli	Carrots & peas	Carrot & cabbage	Broccoli & Cauliflower	Baked Beans	
Sandwiches		Ham, Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham, Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham, Cheese Tuna mayo	Ham, Cheese Tuna mayo	Cheese Tuna mayo	
Sweet Treats		Lemon shortbread biscuit	Chocolate & banana brownie sponge	Apple Strudel & Custard	Baked apple & cinnamon sponge	Chocolate shortbread	
Available Every Day - Crunchy colourful Salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Cheese, Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise & Cheese & Beans							
KEY Wholegrain Vegetarian Nutritionist's Choice Vegan							

ALLERGEN AWARE MENU WEEK 1		SERVED W/C: 2nd Mar, 23rd Mar, 13th Apr, 4th May, 15th June, 6th July					Hutchison
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Main Meal	OPTION 1	Margherita pizza & oven baked wedges	Mixed bean bolognese with pasta (may contain eggs)	Vegetable sausages with roast potatoes & gyoza	Pea-powered vegetable stir fry with carrot rice	Vegetable Sausages, chips & tomato ketchup	
	OPTION 2	Roasted vegetable pizza & oven baked wedges	Beef & lentil bolognese with pasta (may contain eggs)	Roast gammon with roast potatoes & gyoza	Creamy coconut chicken curry with carrot rice	Fish & chips with tomato ketchup	
Veggies		Broccoli	Carrots & peas	Carrot & cabbage	Broccoli & Cauliflower	Baked Beans	
Sweet Treats		Lemon shortbread biscuit	Chocolate & banana brownie sponge	Chocolate Brownie	Baked apple & cinnamon sponge	Chocolate shortbread	
Available Every Day - Crunchy colourful Salad Bar & Jacket Potatoes with Vegan Cheese, Beans, Vegan Cheese & Beans or Tuna with Vegan Mayonnaise							
KEY Vegan Nutritionist's Choice 50-50 White & Wholegrain Rice							

PE Kit Days this Half Term

Reception - Thursday

Year 1 - Friday

Year 2 - Wednesday PE & Friday Forest Schools

Year 3 - Thursday PE & Friday Swimming

Year 4 - Tuesday Rowan PE & Yew Forest Schools

Year 5 - Thursday Forest Schools

Year 6 - Wednesday Birch PE & Chestnut Forest Schools

Music Lesson Days in School

Piano - Tuesday

Guitar - Tuesday

Drums - Thursday

Woodwind - Thursday

Strings - Thursday

Lunchtime Clubs

Le Club Francais French Club - Monday

If you would like your child to take join please email
svpringle66@gmail.com

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Singing Club - Wednesday

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Gardening Club Friday @ 12.30pm

Friday 20th March - Year 6

Friday 27th March - Year 6

(please bring waterproof and wellies)

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

MOVIE NIGHT





Friday 17th April 2026
3.30pm-5.30pm
£10.80 including snack and popcorn
Booking closes Wednesday 15th
3.30pm prompt

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
15.30 - 15.45	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack	Registration & snack
15.45 - 16.45	Craft with Mrs Myers All	Get Active All	Drama with Mrs Hunt KS2	Dance with Mrs Pastuszczak Nursery, Reception & KS1	Movie Night All
15.45 - 16.45				Coding Club with Mr Preece KS2	
16.45 - 17.30	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	Return to Saplings Room	

Friends of Ashlands

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!

FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS
Curry & Quiz

Thursday 30th April,
6:30-9:30pm, School Hall

BOOK NOW ON ARBOR!!!

Ticket includes curry and quiz with prizes to be won

£10 per person

Bring your own booze and soft drinks, hot beverages available.
Card only

Can't make the quiz? Don't despair!

TAKEAWAY SPECIAL AVAILABLE!!
£10 for rice, naan, curry (veggie or meat)
pre order via link below, collect + pay school kitchen door 6:30pm

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Ky71Wi2hSO6gWF817Klwj4_5pFwKhW7-ADv0d-cZ-Wo/edit?usp=sharing

FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS
ASHLANDS GO CAMPING

June 12th - 14th

Sleningford Watermill
North Stainley
Ripon
HG4 3HQ

www.sleningfordwatermill.co.uk

Booking system live 2nd March, email friendsofashlands@gmail.com if you would like to join for the first time this year and we will add you to the Camping Whatsapp Group where we share information.

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FRIENDS OF ASHLANDS
2025-26
EVENTS



Thursday 23rd OCTOBER HALLOWEEN DRESS-UP, PUMKIN COMP & BAKE SALE	Saturday 8th NOVEMBER BONFIRE & FIREWORKS	Friday 5th DECEMBER CHRISTMAS FAIR
Thursday 11th DECEMBER SPARKLE & SHINE DISCO	1st - 14th MARCH AUCTION OF PROMISES	Friday 27th MARCH EASTER HUNT, HAT CONTEST & BAKE SALE
Thursday 30th APRIL CURRY & QUIZ NIGHT	Monday 4th MAY ASHLANDS PARADE @ BURLEY CARNAVAL	Sunday 17th MAY PEN Y CHENT HIKE
12th - 14th JUNE ASHLANDS CAMPING WEEKEND	Friday 3rd JULY SUMMER FAIR	Thursday 9th JULY END OF YEAR DISCO

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