

ASH GREEN WEEKLY NEWS

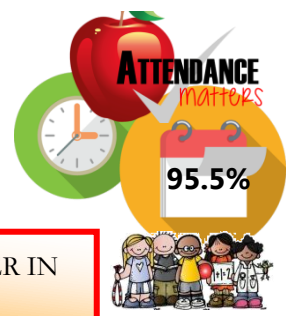
13 December 2019



PRIMARY SCHOOL

Next week at Ash Green is a festive filled week of concerts, parties and buffets – please see overleaf for all details. Various classes will enjoy making Christingles at the Holy Nativity during the week and we will finish on Friday 20 December at 2.15pm.

PLEASE NOTE – there will be **NO** clubs on Wednesday after school and **NO** extended Schools clubs. Sara's After School Club will run as normal.



FOR ONE DAY ONLY WE ARE SENDING OUR NEWSLETTER HOME ON PAPER IN THE HOPE THAT EVERYONE RECEIVES ALL THIS INFORMATION!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SIGN UP TO THE APP....

STAFFING CHANGES

Mr Mayfield is stepping back from his Deputy Head role after the holidays. He will continue to work for Ash Green from Monday to Wednesday each week driving forward exciting curriculum developments as a major part of his leadership role.

Mrs Cotton will be our Acting Deputy Head Teacher and at the Lower Site, where she will be mainly based, you will always be able to talk to her or Mr Sheppard if you need to speak to a senior leader. Mrs Cotton will also work some days at the Upper Site along with Mr Sheppard. Miss Taylor and Mrs O'Shea will lead the Upper Site on Fridays and be available Monday to Thursdays too.

Miss Stewart, who has taught Year 4 for most of the week from September and full time from October, will continue to teach Year 4 until July.

Miss Walker will teach Lower Site Maths groups and Mrs Beaumont is going to be a fantastic addition to the staff, covering Miss Parker's maternity leave. Mrs Main will begin her maternity leave at end of January, Mrs Gelder who already works within school, will cover Year 1 on Thursday and Friday.

SCHOOL GATEWAY IMPORTANT INFORMATION

From January 2020 ALL school payments will need to be paid via the School Gateway system. Below are links for you to click on and download the app.

We need to collect an e mail address from ALL the main parental contact number for every child. If you have not already done this please send your e mail address to us using the following e mail address or bring it in to school:

gateway@ashgreen.calderdale.sch.uk

To use this system Parent/Carers have to download the School Gateway app from the App store and register themselves before any payments - dinners, breakfast club, after school club, trips etc - can be booked and paid for from January 2020.

In order to sign into School Gateway the email address and mobile telephone number that you have given to us in school MUST match your log in details.

Apple iPhone users, download the app here: schoolgateway.co.uk/iosdownload

Android phone users, download the app here: schoolgateway.co.uk/androiddownload



Once registered on the School Gateway then a PIN number will be sent to you via a text message to your mobile phone. This will enable you to log onto the Gateway and set up your account.

PLEASE DOWNLOAD AND SET UP YOUR ACCOUNT BEFORE 20th DECEMBER 2019

You will not be able to pay for after school club, breakfast club, dinners etc. without this account
Thank you for your co-operation

SCHOOL Uniform

From January we will no longer be selling school uniform. Ziggy's uniform shop in Halifax stock our brand and this is the place to buy from in future.

However, we will have a final **Last of Stock Sale** for the uniform we have left in stock.

We don't have a lot of sizes left in stock but what we have will be on sale on Friday morning 10th January – after morning assembly close to the main office. Both sites.

Then – the following Monday, 13th do the same at the end of school 3.00 p.m. for the remaining stock. **When it's gone it's gone!**

Price of cardigans and jumpers £6. PE kit (bag, shorts, t-shirt) only £1 each.

Name of child/ren

Name of number one contact

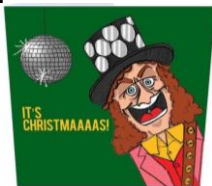
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If you have changed your mobile number please give us your new number here.....



Our Talk Topic next week will be
'IT'S CHRISTMAS!'
As we celebrate our festivities
and tell some assembly stories
linked to the Christmas period..



	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Tues 17 Dec	Both Sites KS1 dress rehearsal 9.20am Both Sites KS2 Dress rehearsal 11.15am	Both Sites KS1 Christmas concert 2.00pm	Lower Site KS2 Christmas concert - 6pm
Wed 18 Dec	EYFS concerts 2:15 p.m Both sites		Upper Site KS2 Christmas concert - 6pm

SINGING UP A STORM!

Well done to our singing club who performed brilliantly at Rev. Robb's Christmas luncheon this week.

A massive bravo to our Christmas Caroller's who sang their hearts out at Morrisons yesterday and today. They raised over £200 – well done children!

LAST DAY FUN!

KS2 children can bring electrical items – with parents' consent
- but no phones or photo/recording devices.



A reminder that next Friday, the last day of term is party day.
Children may come to school in non-uniform that day for parties but equally we support children coming in uniform and bringing a change of clothes – IT'S UP TO YOU!



Thurs 19 December	Christmas Dinner – all staff and pupils will eat together as we do each year.
Fri 20 December	Parties – children will have a buffet lunch in class
WE WILL BREAK UP at 2.15pm	

At EYFS concerts all young children are welcome and for Dress Rehearsals for KS1 and KS2. Afternoon concerts for KS1 and Evening Concerts for KS2 will be ticket only (FREE) for adults and children of secondary school age and upwards – two tickets per child. Extra tickets available on request.

During the KS2 concerts in the evening, a crèche will be available for children up to 11.

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

**WE'RE
CLOSED
FOR CHRISTMAS**

REMINDER

CHILDREN WILL FINISH ON FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER AT 2.15PM

AND RETURN ON MONDAY 6 JANUARY 2020

