

# ASH GREEN WEEKLY NEWS



A busy week, but our KS2 children at the Upper Site are now settled in the new modular blocks. Everything went smoothly and we had a visit from BBC Look North on the Monday who spoke to staff and pupils. The finished piece was absolutely superb and people up and down the country have been in touch to pay tribute to the work that has taken place so far. Our Year 3 classes enjoyed a day at Jorvik Viking Centre and The Dig in York on Wednesday, the sun shone and the children had a wonderful day! We were contacted by the museum who asked to pass on their praise to the 'children in the green jumpers'!!! This weekend, we will fit more furniture in our Upper Site modular buildings and every week seems to bring something new at present!

## A message from Barry Collins Chair of Governors

Six weeks ago, Ash Green was ablaze. Yet, here we are: back to life. Just as we promised. All the tears are gone. Our kids are smiling again - on television. And already, we're busy planning our school's longer-term future. What a story!  
What an amazing achievement, Mr. Sheppard - by everyone concerned!

## COVID REMINDERS

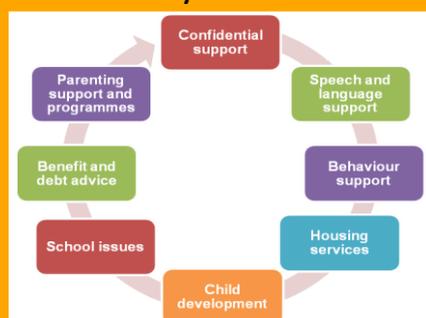
Sadly, we have had more cases of Covid amongst staff, pupils and parents and carers this week. A reminder that if anyone is showing symptoms of Covid- specifically: temperature over 37.8 C; persistent cough; loss of smell or taste- that a PCR test should be booked. The person should isolate until the result is known. If negative, isolation can end. If positive then isolate for 5 days and start LFD testing on Day 5- 2 days consecutive negative tests means isolation can end. Contacts of Covid cases no longer need to isolate or test but should be vigilant to symptoms and changes. Often, headaches and a lack of energy are as common these days as the 3 original main symptoms.

## SPORTS STARS

A massive congratulations to our amazing athletes. Runners up in the North Halifax athletics event, a very close second of the 7 North Halifax schools competing and missing some star performers through injury and unavailability. Superb work from each and every child and a positive attitude from them all.  
Next Wednesday, our unbeaten football team will put their 100% record on the line away at Abbey Park. Good luck children, we hope to see lots of families and staff members supporting- 3:30 kick off at the Abbey Park Bernebaull!

## North and East Family Support advice and call back service

For advice, information and support on a variety of issues....



Sessions will run on the following days and times: please call Kevin Pearce Children's Centre on 01422 251090 to request a drop in worker who will call you back. Every Tuesday and Wednesday all day!

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All calls to drop in will receive a call back within a week.

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Don't forget to keep up to date with our Twitter - @AshGreenPrimary. There are daily posts of all the exciting things that have been going on in school!



## SUSTRANS BIG WALK AND WHEEL 21<sup>ST</sup> MARCH - 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL

Next week is the last week of 'The Big Walk and Wheel' at Ash Green.

We ask that everybody gets their walking boots on and their bikes and scooters out. Let's try and boost the numbers and give ourselves a chance to win!

The National Prize - £1000 for the top school!  
And prizes for schools placing 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup>.  
Calderdale Prize - a playground refurbishment up to the cost of £1000.

