

ASH GREEN WEEKLY NEWS

Next week at Ash Green we have an extra bank holiday on Monday to commemorate the coronation of King Charles III. On Wednesday we see 1M visit Cliffe Castle and on Thursday Year 2 classes will take part in a Florence Nightingale Day in the Lower Site Hall. We end the week on Friday with our celebration assemblies at each site.



YEAR 6 SATS

As you will be aware, your child is taking their Key Stage 2 SATs examinations in the week beginning **Tuesday 9th May 2023**. This year ALL Year 6 children will complete the tests at the Upper Site and be transported via mini bus.

The SATs tests are nothing to worry about and are the same as other tests that your child has taking during their time at Ash Green, with the major differences being that they are marked externally and not by school staff. It is important that your child tries their best in these tests as the results will be sent to high school to determine which sets they will be in and are used to measure how much progress has been made since Year 2.

The tests will take place in the mornings from Tuesday to Friday.

The timetable is as follows:

Tuesday 9 May	Wednesday 10 May	Thursday 11 May	Friday 12 May
Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Papers 1 & 2	English Reading	Maths Papers 1 & 2 (Arithmetic & Reasoning)	Maths Paper 3 (Reasoning 2)

As this is a very important stage in your child's education, please ensure that they are in school on time every day to achieve their full potential.

There will be a FREE SATs breakfast club run during the week from 8.15 each morning they will be able to have a relaxing breakfast and chat with their friends and staff.

TOP TIPS

EAT BANANAS

If you get nervous the morning before a test, try eating a banana. Bananas can help calm you down and slowly release energy to keep you going until lunch.

SATS WEEK

STICK UP POST-ITS

If there's something you're struggling to remember, write it on a post-it note and stick it on your bedroom door. That way, you'll see it every time you leave the room.

TAKE A BREAK

If you've been revising, take regular breaks and do something you enjoy for a bit. This will help you feel more relaxed.

GO AND EXERCISE

There's no better way to de-stress than physical activity. Take some time to kick a ball around or take a bike ride. Your brain will thank you.

GET AN EARLY NIGHT

Don't stay up late revising! Get a good night's sleep and you won't be tired in the morning.

FOCUS ON YOU

Don't worry about what other people in your class are doing. Everyone is different. Just focus on doing the best you can – that's what matters.

Year 2 SATS

Standard Attainment Tests will be ongoing for our Year 2 pupils during this half term.

These tests are important!

Please make sure your child has a good breakfast, gets plenty of sleep and arrives promptly every morning. The children have been well prepared for these assessments through their classroom learning all year.

However, if you require more information please visit: www.gov.uk/education/primary-curriculum-key-stage-1-tests-and-assessments - where previous assessments can be accessed or speak to the class teacher, who will be happy to help.

ITV CALENDAR TONIGHT!

Watch us at 6 tonight as Calendar covers some of our Coronation celebrations. Thank you to the staff for making it such a memorable day for all!!



More congratulations to Miss Thompson and Matt on the birth of another beautiful daughter – Betsy, 7lb 11oz. Another wonderful addition to the family who we hope to meet soon.

A reminder that we are closed on Monday 8th May for a Bank Holiday to mark the coronation of King Charles III.

Calling all young people

Free holiday activities and food sessions

HALF TERM FUN

29th May to 2nd June 2023

Join #HealthyHolidaysCalderdale for a variety of activities during Half Term!

Calderdale Council

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HALF TERM FUN

This is your chance to take part in free, fun activities during the half term holidays! Scan the QR code to find out what activities are available to book.

Find out what's on and book your place at... www.calderdale.gov.uk/healthyholidays

Whether it's abseiling or caving, drama or dance there is something for everyone.

Calderdale Council are providing free activities for young people eligible for free school meals aged 5-16.

Calderdale's Healthy Holidays Half Terms provides enriching activities, delicious nutritious meals, and a chance for young people to meet new friends in a safe & fun environment, during the school holidays.

Calling all 5-16s on Free School Meals - Book your place now!

For Ages 5 to 12

Mixenden HOLIDAY CAMP

FREE!

Monday 29th May - Thursday 1st Jun

At Ash Green
10am till 2pm

HEALTHY BREAKFAST & LUNCH IS INCLUDED

Join us for some May Half Term "FUN"

Activities:

- Ultimate Dodgeball
- Archery
- Football
- Boxing
- Lacrosse
- Arts & Crafts
- Obstacle Course

Book now Scan the QR code

All photos will be put on socials! Go check them out!

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Fee: £4

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2023 MIXENDEN COMMUNITY FOOTBALL

SESSIONS

NEW!

June 10 TH

TIDDLY KICKS SESSION

Fun Community football session aimed at 4-7 year olds. The session enables children to develop their football skills while making new friends. The session is appropriate for mixed ability. No pressure just fun!

Ages: 4-7 years
Time: 9:30 till 10:30
Fee: £4

Every Saturday

MIXENDEN COMMUNITY FOOTBALL

Fun Community football session aimed at 8-12 years. The session enables children to develop their football skills while making new friends. The session is appropriate for mixed ability. No pressure just fun!

Ages: 8-12 years
Time: 11am till 12pm
Fee: £4

BOOK NOW

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on a train ride adventure!



THOMAS & FRIENDS

DAY OUT WITH THOMAS

WHISTLESTOP VALLEY
13-14 MAY 2023

FOR TICKETS
DayOutWithThomas.co.uk

EVENT HOURS
9.30am-5.00pm

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