

ASHWOOD NEWS – May 2019

Please make time to read our newsletter - it's full of information about what is happening, or about to happen at Ashwood.

SPORTS DAY

Tuesday 11th June 2019

This year, the event is being held at the Cranworth Road Sports Facility. The facilities, which are almost opposite 'Aldi' on Fitzwilliam Road in Rotherham, belong to Clifton Comprehensive School, which is part of the Wickersley Partnership Trust. We will be transporting the children by coach and parents are very welcome to join us, but will need to make their own way there. Timings and more details about the venue and parking will follow.

- Please note that school will be closed for Foundation stage 1 children that day.

INSET DAYS

The school has 2 INSET days planned which are to be used for training and staff professional development. The new Head Teacher, Miss Bent, is going to be leading the INSET days at Ashwood in preparation for the new school year in September. The dates when school will be closed to all children are as follows:

- Monday 24th June 2019
- Friday 12th July 2019

PLANNED VISITS

Class teachers have been busy organising visits out of school as part of our aim to deliver an exciting and engaging curriculum at Ashwood.

Monday 20th May to Friday 24th May - Year 6 Residential visit to Scarborough

Wednesday 5th June - Year 3 visit to 'Eureka' Science Museum

Thursday 6th June - Year 2 visit to Yorkshire Sculpture Park

Friday 7th June - Year 1 visit to Yorkshire Sculpture Park

Tuesday 18th June - Year 4 visit to 'Eureka' Science Museum

Thursday 27th June - Year 4/5 visit to Ulley Country Park for water sports

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Letters giving details and costings will be sent out by the class teachers once they have finalised all their plans.

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EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS

Ashwood School will be used as a Polling Station on Thursday 23rd May. Please note that School will remain open, but the outside classroom will be fenced off as usually happens. Safeguarding of the children is of paramount importance and rigorous risk assessments have been done and plans are in place.

SPRING BANK HOLIDAY

The children will finish school at 3:15pm on Friday 24th May and will return to school on Monday 3rd June.

KEY STAGE 1 and KEY STAGE 2 SATs

SATs week for our Year 6 children is Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May 2019. They have been working really hard and we wish them all the best - we know they will all be fantastic! It's really important that all the Year 6 children are in School that week. Please let us know as early as possible in the mornings if there are any problems.

Year 2 SATs will be taking place throughout May as part of normal classroom routine.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY

For parents of Year 6 children, the Leavers' Assembly will be held in school on Friday 21st June at 9:15am.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Please note that, due to staffing issues, unfortunately, there will be no breakfast club on Friday 24th May.

MYED

Thank you to everyone who has downloaded the 'MYED' app in order to receive messages from school. Please ensure that you check the app on a regular basis as messages will no longer be received if your account becomes inactive.