

Ashley Chronicle

9th October, 2009

Dates For Your Diary



Spooky Disco - Wednesday 4th November

Half Term - School Closes - Thursday 22nd October
School Re-opens - Monday 2nd November

Parent Evenings - Monday 2nd Nov / Monday 9th Nov

Christmas Fair - Friday 4th December

Christmas Concerts - Wk beg 7th December

Customs House Pantomime - Thursday 10th December

Christmas Parties - Mon 14th Dec - Nursery & Reception

Tues 15th Dec - Year 1 & 2

Wed 16th Dec - Year 3 & 4
- Year 5 & 6 (Evening)

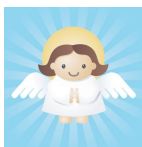
Christmas Holidays - School Closes - Thurs 17th Dec
School Re-opens - Tues 5th Jan

*Please note that the following are staff training days -
Friday 23rd October, Friday 18th December &
Monday 4th January*

Christmas Show - Key Stage 2

Children in Key Stage 2 have been auditioning for the Christmas Show. The show is called Angels on High. Children who were interested in taking part, auditioned for Miss Douglas and Miss Cox and it was very much like the X Factor.

Everyone who is involved is really excited about it and it promises to be a show to remember.



Report by Clodagh Denham

Next School Nurse Drop In Session

**Thursday 15th October
from 8.40am**



The nurse will be available to discuss any health or behaviour issues you may have, regarding your child.

No appointment is necessary, just hand your name in at the main office on that morning.

Shoe Box Appeal

Once again we will be taking part in the Operation Christmas Child Appeal. This involves us collecting as many filled shoe boxes as we can, to send to children in less advantaged countries.

The boxes should be filled with items which are suitable for children, e.g. pens, pencils, cuddly toys, small packets of sweets (not chocolate). The leaflets which were given out explain exactly what to send.

Operation Christmas Child is the world's largest Christmas project. It has been running for 19 years and the project has Delivered gifts to children in Africa, Eastern Europe and Central Asia.

We are collecting the boxes now, so as soon as you have made one up, please send it in to school.



Thanks.

Report by Bethany Kelly

School Council 2009 - 2010

The following children have been elected by their classmates to our School Council:

Y1 GH - Jay Simpson
Y1JH - Charlie Watt
Y2LS - Owen Boddy
Y2JL - Olga Mehvari
Y3SP - Kyle Ferguson
Y3KH - Dylan Alexander
Y4SB - Yasmin Yhia
Y4JC - Morgan Mitchell
Y5JC - Elise Randall
Y5JE - Amber Holmes

The Year 6 members on the School Council are automatic members, following their election as House Captains.

Y6AM - Owen Smeatham
Daniel Gray
Ruth Thomson
Philip Woodley
Jordan Capeling
Sophie Boddy
Y6JD - Lily Bridgestock
Julie-Ann Abbs

Sporting Achievements

Football

Ashley's football team has made a great start to the season, with back to back victories in the Snowden League. The team started the season with a home victory against Valley View, winning 8 - 0. They then followed this up with a terrific 5 - 2 victory away to Temple Park Juniors.



Athletics

A team of Year 6 children represented the school at an athletics event, at Temple Park Leisure Centre on Monday. They did really well and made it through to the finals this coming Monday. Best of luck to them!



School Council News

As the new School Council members have been elected, we would like to tell you about some of the projects we will be working on this term.

Firstly, our Year 6 members will be working with Mrs Morton and staff from South Shields Community School to design a new poster to show who is who on the school council. Photos will be taken of all members of the council and the Year 6 children will devise the poster by manipulating the images. The finished poster will be on display soon in the small entrance hall.



We have also been invited to take part in a consultation meeting about the refurbishment of the play area in the West Park. The junior councillors will attend a meeting at Primrose Community Centre on 21st October, to discuss their ideas. We will report on this in a future newsletter.

Report by Elise Randall

CAKE SALE REMINDER

A reminder that we will be holding a cake sale for the infant children next Friday morning. We would be grateful for any cake donations, which should be sent in on the morning of the 16th.

Thanks for your support!



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