



# Ashgrove Primary School Newtownabbey

## Our Weekly Newsletter

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FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2017

### Rights Respecting Schools

Article 23 (children with a disability)

"A child with a disability has the right to live a full and decent life with dignity and as far as possible with independence and to play an active part in the community."

In school, we welcome all children regardless of disabilities. We work hard to ensure that the support which children with disabilities may require is in place. It is part of our ethos and identity to provide a caring and nurturing environment for everyone.

### Easter Holiday!

We wish all our families a wonderful Easter break – school will reopen to pupils at the usual time on **MONDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL.**

Please remember that children should NOT be left unattended in school grounds before 8.40 am. If children need to come to school early they should attend the Breakfast Club which is open from 8.00 am.

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## House Points this 1/2 Term...

Our House points for this 1/2 Term have been counted by the House Captains and Vice Captains, the results are below...

Ash	Oak	Willow	Chestnut
2,540	3,075	2,763	2,370

Congratulations to the OAK House! They received a treat for gaining the most House Points- an Easter Egg Hunt!



# Stars of the Week

## Celebrating Positive Behaviour

Our focus this week was: EXCELLENT BEHAVIOUR

<b>Primary 1</b> Miss Morrison  Abbie Bustard	<b>Primary 1</b> Miss McLaughlin  Bella Craig	<b>Primary 2</b> Miss McDowell  Evie Best
<b>Primary 2</b> Mrs Cartmill  Maddison Butler	<b>Primary 3</b> Mrs Douglas  Sophie Douglas	<b>Primary 3</b> MissCrozier/Manion  Filip Biskupski
<b>Primary 4</b> Mrs Torrie  Josh Dodds	<b>Primary 4</b> Mr Hutcheson  Bobby Wallace	<b>Primary 5</b> Mrs Luney  BEN MONTGOMERY
<b>Primary 5</b> Mrs Carberry  Oliver Fleming Magee	<b>Primary 6</b> Mrs Ewing  Zane Taney & Jude Scott	<b>Primary 6</b> Mr Morrow  Olivia Ferris
<b>Primary 7</b> Mr Agnew  Ellie Redfern	<b>Primary 7</b> Miss Taylor  Ellie Davison	Next week our focus is <b>NUMERACY</b>

### Happy Birthday to...

Carosn (P1) Roxy Beagan, Hannah Darragh, Bobby (P4), Allannah Currie, Elysha Cummings, Alfie Stewart, Calum Mumro, Matthew Dunn, Kendra Fenton, Cassie McCullough, Logan McCullough, Josh Sloan, Rhys Byers, Ethan Kelly, Erin Symington, Ryan O'Reilly, Jude Molyneaux, Anna Maginnis, Jamie Hedley, Demi Logan, Anna Hedley, Dylan Gormley, Stephen Frecknall, Zara McGrath, Annabelle Black, Ella Henry & Christina-May Crumlin.

### Thank you Miss Taylor...

Today is Miss Taylor's last day in Ashgrove Primary School – she will take up her new post of VP of Ballyholme Primary after Easter. I am sure many parents and staff would join me in thanking her for her hard work and dedication – we wish you much happiness in your new job! We also extend a very warm welcome to Mrs Rachael Duff who will teach Primary 7 to the end of June- Mrs Duff met her lovely class yesterday and can't wait to start with them!



## School Dinner Menu (£2.55 per day)

### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April

Fish Whiting, Baked Beans, Chips &  
Tomato Sauce

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Yoghurt, Fruit & Wraps

### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April

Irish Stew & Crusty Bread

**OR**

Ham & Cheese Panini, Salad & Coleslaw

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Apple Crumble & Custard

### Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April

Roast Beef, Turnip, Oven Roast, Mashed  
Potatoes & Gravy

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Canadian Tart & Custard

### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April

Sweet & Sour Chicken

**OR**

Gravy & Chicken, Boiled Rice, Mixed  
Vegetables, Naan Bread

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Cupcake & Fruit

### Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April

Fish Fingers, Peas & Mashed Potatoes

**OR**

Lasagne, Peas & Crusty Bread

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Jelly, Fruit & Ice-Cream

## HEALTHY BREAK

P1-4, 30p per day

Tuesday: Toast, Pear & Carrot

Friday: Crusty Bread, Apple & Celery

**(AFTER EASTER HEALTHY BREAK WILL  
BE AVAILABE TO ALL CLASSES FROM  
P1-5)**

## After School Clubs

**In the Summer Term the following Clubs will continue or start in school..**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eco Club, Miss McDowell, Thursday 3.00-3.45pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drama &amp; Orchestra, Mr Agnew &amp; Mrs Douglas, Monday 3.00-3.45pm</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library, Mrs Cartmill &amp; Miss Crozier, Thursday 3.00-3.45pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PlaySport (Multisports), <u>commencing Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May-28<sup>th</sup> June</u></li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cycling Proficiency, Mrs Ewing (Primary 6 only) Tuesday 3.00-3.45pm</li> </ul>	<p>P1&amp;2     2.00-3.00pm</p> <p>P3&amp;4     3.00-4.00pm</p> <p>A booking form will be sent home after Easter</p>

