



# Ashgrove Primary School Newtownabbey

## Our Weekly Newsletter

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FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017

### Rights Respecting Schools

Article 31 (leisure, play and culture)

"Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities"

In school we promote good quality effective play which enhances the children's social skills- this is especially important in the Foundation Stage where our pupils can learn through play. In the Playground our Buddies model and help with playtimes. Our artistic endeavors such as Grease and the promotion of music in the school.

### Rights Respecting School's Assessment

On Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June our school is being assessed by an external moderator for Level 1 for the Rights Respecting Schools Award. As you may be aware this has been a priority for us in our School Development Plan.

Staff have received training and resources and pupils themselves have enjoyed Rights Respecting lessons – I'm sure many of you have heard children talk about their Rights at home... if you would like more information on this please look at our RRSA page on our website.

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## Sports Day 2017

Thank you all for your patience with the rearrangement of Sports Day. This has now been rescheduled to **TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**. The same times apply, but as a reminder please see below...

- **Foundation Stage Sports Day (P1&2) will begin at 9.15am.** After Foundation Stage Sports Day parents may take their child home if they wish, otherwise P1&2 children should be collected at 1.15pm. **PLEASE COLLECT YOUR CHILD FROM THE CLASSROOM WHERE THEIR TEACHER WILL HAND THEM OVER SAFELY!**
- **Key Stage 1 Sports Day (P3&4) will begin at 11.15am.** After Key Stage 1 Sports Day parents may take their child home if they wish, otherwise P3&4 children should be collected at 1.15pm. **PLEASE COLLECT YOUR CHILD FROM THE CLASSROOM WHERE THEIR TEACHER WILL HAND THEM OVER SAFELY!**
- **Key Stage 2 Sports Day (P5-7) will begin at 1.30pm.** We expect KS2 Sports Day to finish at 2.45pm. Please collect your child from their classroom where the teacher will hand them over safely.

A note was sent home during the week informing parents of the new arrangements. Please remember that original collection arrangements still stand, if you can not collect your child at the earlier time on Sports Day, please send a note to the class teacher.

## PTA, Summer Fair...

**Please read the message below from the PTA**

Please help us make our summer fair great! We would like EACH child in school to donate a cuddly toy (clean and in good condition) to the Summer Fair.

We are also asking for the following donations:

- ✓ P1 & P2 multipack / family pack of sweets
- ✓ P3 - P5 toys (in good condition)
- ✓ P6 & P7 books

**The Summer Fair is on FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> June starting at 6.30 pm**



## School Dinner Menu (£2.55 per day)

### Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Fish Fillet, Peas, Chips, Mashed Potatoes & Tomato Sauce

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Ice Cream, Jelly & Fruit

### Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Chicken Nuggets, Beans & Mashed Potatoes

**OR**

Salmon Cakes, Beans & Mashed Potatoes

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Egg Sponge Flan, Fruit & Custard

### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Roast Pork, Carrot & Parsnip, Oven Roast & Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

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Biscuit, Fruit & Strawberry Milkshake

### Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Chicken Curry, Boiled Rice, Broccoli & Nann Bread

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Carrot Cake, Custard & Fruit

### Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Pasta Bolognese, Sweetcorn & Crusty Bread

**OR**

Pizza, Salad & Crusty Bread,

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Rice Pudding & Fruit

## HEALTHY BREAK

P1-4, 30p per day

Tuesday: Toast, Green Apple & Celery

Friday: Crusty Bread, Melon & Carrot

**(HEALTHY BREAK NOW AVAILABE TO ALL CLASSES FROM P1-5)**

## Primary 1 Assembly- Miss Morrison's Class

Miss Morrison's Class will be holding a special Class Assembly on **WEDNESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JUNE** based on "Our Year in Primary 1". Miss Morrison has already sent a note home inviting parents and friends of Primary 1 to attend. If you have not yet returned your reply-slip please send this to us on Monday.

We look forward to seeing you all next week!

