



Ash, Cartwright & Kelsey Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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Friday 19th April 2024

Newsletter Term 5 Week 1

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back and I hope you all had a lovely Easter break. We have lots of exciting trips and events planned for the summer term so please keep an eye on diary dates. We were delighted to welcome Rev Caroline into the school on Thursday morning as she led her first Ash CK worship – Rev Caroline will continue to share leading Thursday worship with Grandma Pat.

The children have been straight into their new topic learning. As part of their 'What is life like on a farm?' Robins made their own farm maps. The finished maps were excellent. As part of their 'Were the Vikings always vicious and victorious?' topic, Owls were writing Viking stories based on an enchanted object. We are looking forward to reading their final edited and improved versions. Year 5 have re-enacted the Battle of Bosworth to begin their Tudor topic – looked like an epic battle!

Our value for the term is community and our big question is:

If you had to go on a journey to the moon, which two story characters would you take with you and why?

The awning has been delivered for our EYFS outside area and this will be installed next week. There will be new playground markings outside EYFS and year 1 in a few weeks – a huge thanks to the Jack Foot Trust for funding these much-needed projects.

Have a lovely weekend

Fiona Crascall
Headteacher



Birthdays to celebrate

Robins

Marley

Falcons

Noah



School starters



If you have, or know somebody who has a child who will start school next year, please ring the school office to arrange an individual tour with me.

PTFA

FILM AFTERNOON – TUESDAY 23rd APRIL

We hope you all had a wonderful Easter Break; we're launching straight back into things with our Film Afternoon next week! Letters with details about our film afternoon went out on Monday and slips need to be in today! If you've not yet handed it in to Mrs Bailey in the school office, please do so as soon as possible. We will be showing 'Trolls Band Together' and providing the children with snacks, tickets are £3.50.

TUCK SHOP ETC

Tuck is on today – come and see us in the playground after school! Also, we will be giving you some dates for your diaries soon, so keep an eye out for those in the Newsletter and on the School Facebook page.

About the PTFA

The PTFA is an integral part of the school community made up of parents, teachers and friends of the school. All parents & carers are automatically members. We are charity reg. number 1042205. Read more on the school website <https://www.ashckschool.org/about-us/ptfa>
All money raised goes back into the school to benefit the children.



Fledglings	Eleanor for always making good choices and being helpful.
Year 1 Robins	Mila for being a constantly kind and caring member of the class.
Year 2 Magpies	Taylor-May for starting the new term with more independence, maturity and a smile on her face.
Year 3 Owls	Jess for a great attitude towards her work, reading and helping others.
Year 4 Hawks	Jack for his outstandingly positive attitude to learning. Well done Jack! You are happily approaching tasks with drive, determination and resilience. Keep it up because you are flourishing!
Year 5 Eagles	Toby for showing a huge improvement in his attitude towards learning and working hard in all lessons. Keep it up!
Year 6 Falcons	James for his positive start to the term and his improved focus in all lessons.

Attendance Award

Week Ending 19/04/2024	Robins Class	99.50%
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Dates for your diary

Tuesday 23rd April	PTFA film afternoon
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday – no children in school
Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th May	Parent/teacher meetings – more details to follow
Monday 13th May	Year 6 SATs week
Monday 20th May	Science week in school
Friday 24th May	End of term 5
Monday 3rd June	Children back in school for term 6
Monday 1st July	Sports Week in school.
Thursday 4th July	Secondary transition day and meet the teacher
Friday 5th July	Sports Day in school (am)
Tuesday 8th July	Year 6 production to parents at 5pm in the school hall
Wednesday 10th-12th July	Year 6 residential at Caroty Wood
Friday 19th July	Year 6 Leavers Service at the Church at 1.45pm. End of term 6 for the children
Tuesday 3rd September	Children back in school for term 1