



NEWSLETTER



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Article 28

Every child has the right to an education

Message from The Head

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Book Amnesty

Please check at home for reading books that have not found their way back to school. We will give the children a golden ticket for each book returned!

Harvest Collection

From Black Country Foodbank: You collected 55.2kgs of food and 4.4kgs of non-food an incredible amount, enough to provide emergency food parcels of three days' worth of food for 3 families of 4 people. This is absolutely wonderful and we are so thankful that you have supported us in this amazing way.



Book Fair

Thank you for all your purchases from the Book Fair, we will be able to select over £400 worth of new books for school.

Parents' Night

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended their meetings with the class teachers. If you have any worries at all, please contact us, we're here to help!

Secondary School Places

Reminder the closing date for applying for places for secondary school is **31st October 2017**

Photograph Money

Could all photograph money for orders through school be sent in by **Wed 1st November**. Thank you

We break for half term on Friday 20th October and return to school on **Tuesday 31st October**. **Monday 30th October is a staff training day.**

Free School Meals

Is Your Child Entitled to Free School Meals? If you think your child may be eligible to receive free school meals please visit : <http://www.dudley.gov.uk/resident/your-council/council-tax-and-benefits/benefits/free-school-meals/> to complete an application online or collect an application form from the school office. Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and receiving a universal free school meal, we would ask you to still apply as this can raise valuable additional funding from Central Government for the school

Can I just remind you that **holidays in term time are not authorised**. And may result in a **fixed penalty notice** being served. Please see recent attendance newsletter for further information.

Many thanks!
Keith Butler

Sports Clubs

No Football this week on Thursday 19th October due to Monster Mash. Multi- skills, tennis and football will all take place week commencing 31st October on Tues 31st Oct, Wed 1st Nov and Thurs 2nd Nov to make up for the sessions missed this half term.

Letters will go out after half term offering new clubs for week commencing 6th Nov. Football will be continuing on a Thursday.

PRAISE ASSEMBLY

Children who gained badges and certificates in Praise Assembly deserve our special congratulations:

w/c 9/10/2017

Key Stage One

RM Hedgehogs	Ismail Abassi
RR Foxes	Mary Morris
1/2B Squirrels	Amelia Taylor
1FH Moles	Martha Morris
2W Badgers	Niamh Lamb

Key Stage Two

3S Oak	Sienna Bradley
4LR Elder	Bethany Roden
4A Chestnut	Chloe Berridge
5H Beech	Reegan Westwood
5PHolly	Anne-Marie Joseph
6W	Carys Groucutt

WELL DONE ALL!

Year 2 Parents and Friends


Have some fun by solving this problem together at home.

Number Detectives

7. Isla has 32p. She gets 7 lots of 10p for her birthday.

She says...

I have more than £1.



Is she correct?
Explain your answer.

Look out for the Year 3 problem next week!

Dinner Money

Dinner money can be paid weekly, please send it in to the school office on a Monday in an envelope clearly marked with the name and class and the amount enclosed, cash or cheque made payable to Dudley MBC.

School meal prices are £2.30 per day .
Old £1 coins are no longer accepted.

Dinner Menu

w/c 16th October (Week 1)

Monday

Chicken Popems with sauce
(V) Meat free Sausage Roll
Bubble coated fish (gluten free)
Served with Creamed Potatoes,
Pasta, Sweetcorn & Broccoli
Jacket Potato, Salad and Fillings

Rice pudding and strawberry compote
Fresh Fruit Salad

Tuesday

Meat Lasagne (V) Quorn Lasagne
Mediterranean chicken grill
Served with Baby Potatoes,
Sauté Potatoes, Peas, Coleslaw.
Jacket Potato, Salad and Fillings

Apple Crumble & Custard
Fresh Fruit Salad

Wednesday

Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding
(V) Cheese Omelette, Served with
Country mix, spaghetti hoops.
Roast & boiled Potatoes
Jacket Potato, Salad and Fillings

Strawberry Swirl Cheesecake
Fresh Fruit Salad

Thursday

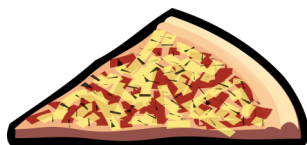
Marinated Chicken Wrap
(V) Quorn Cottage pie
Served with Wedges, Mixed
Vegetables, Carrots
Jacket Potato, Salad and Fillings

Flapjack & Custard
Fresh Fruit Salad

Pizza Friday

(V) Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Tempura Fish Goujons
Served with Baked Beans, Peas,
Chipped Potatoes
Jacket Potato, Salad and Fillings

Lemon Muffin and Lemon Sauce
Fresh Fruit Salad



Starting Primary School in September 2018

Why not apply for a place online?
If your child was born between 1 Sept
2013 and 31 Aug 2014 they will be due to
start primary school in September 2018.

You **MUST** complete an application either
online at www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions
or by completing an application form from
your home local authority by
15 JANUARY 2018. You can include
five school preferences on the
application; there is nothing to gain by
only putting one preference.

The online system will be available 24
hours a day, 7 days a week from 1 Sept
2017 until the closing date for
applications on **15 JANUARY 2018**

Starting Secondary School in September 2018

Why not apply for a place online?
If your child is due to start secondary
school in 2018 then you will have to apply
for a school place before 31 October
2017.

You **MUST** complete an application either
online at www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions
or by completing an application form from
your home local authority. You can
include six school preferences on the
application; there is nothing to gain by
only putting one preference.

The online system will be available 24
hours a day, 7 days a week from 1 Sept
2017 until the closing date for
applications on **31 OCTOBER 2017**.

You should not assume that your child
will get a place at a secondary school
without you having to apply, even if you
have an older child already attending the
same school.

Tag Rugby Competition

Well done to Orla Bickley, Sophie Randle,
Shereen Choudhary, Harry Melia, Czar Collins,
Clayton Allen, Harry Mason, Kyla Bickley,
Simba Nyamwanza, Caitlin Quaife, Lily Cole
and Bradley Davies who all represented
Ashwood Park at DK Rugby Club on Thursday
5th October. The children worked extremely
hard as a team following great skill drills and
team tactic talks led by Orla. We got off to a
good start with a speedy run by Shereen to
secure our first try. Everyone made some
super tags to prevent the opponents from
scoring whilst many valiant attempts to the try
line were made by Czar and Clayton, as well as
Simba who scored two fantastic tries in our
final match.

Great work, team!

MONSTER MASH

Thursday 19th October

All tickets £3.00 each

KS1 4.30pm-6pm
(including Reception & Nursery)
KS2 4.30pm-6pm
Disco and light refreshments.

Children are invited to dress up in
their best monster gear.

***Temporary tattoos available on
the night for KS2 children only—
Please sign the consent form
below.**

For a fun night please fill in the
pro-forma below including the
correct money and any dietary
requirements/ food allergies.

Child's Name _____

Class _____

I would like to order:

_____ tickets for KS1 Monster
Mash Disco @ £3.00 each

_____ tickets for KS2 Monster
Mash Disco @ £3.00 each

I enclose a total of
£ _____

**Dietary requirements/Food
allergies:**

***I give consent for my child
to have a temporary tattoo.
Parent Signature:**

