

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Welcome Back SENCO

We are delighted that our new SENCO is Mrs Caroline Francis. She will be available in school discuss any worries on to Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. If you wish to talk to her, please book an appointment in the school office.

HSA

The HSA Annual General Meeting is at 6.45pm on Tuesday 18th September. All welcome! Come along and see where you can help support the school. The HSA work extremely hard to raise funds that benefit the children in school.

Lunchtime Supervisors

We have vacancies for 'as and when' Lunchtime Supervisors, if you are interested please collect an application form from the school office.

Free School Meals

All of Reception and KS1 children receive a free meal at lunchtime, but if you are in receipt of benefits, your child may be eligible for extra funding within school. Further details are available from the school office.

Uniform

Please could you ensure that your child is wearing their school tie. Our school tie has a single yellow stripe not a double stripe. We sell the ties in school.

Many thanks

Keith Butler

PRAISE ASSEMBLY

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

w/c 4/9/2018

Key Stage One RDR HedgehogsSebastian Walker **RR** Foxes Lilly-Mai Watkinson 1/2B Squirrels Riley Letts 1/2D Moles Noah Reynolds 2W Badgers **Evie Smart**

Key Stage Two

3/4A Chestnut	Henry Sparshott
3/4H Oak	Sydney Bradley
4LR Elder	Ollie McMurrugh
5S Beech	Chloe Berridge
5/6T Holly	Jamie Brightman
6W Rowan	Matthew Gutteridge
6W Rowan	Jamie Shutt

WELL DONE ALL

Starting Secondary School in September 2019

Why not apply for a place online? If your child is due to start secondary school in 2019 then you will have to apply for a school place before 31 October 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. 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 2018 until the closing date for applications on 31 OCTOBER 2018.

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.

Let's Go Fiching

Free Childrens Fishing Sessions

At Bells Mill Fishery Wednesdays 4.00 to 6.00pm All tackle and bait provided. Food and drinks available

For more information please telephone 07875 354300

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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.

Dinner Menu WC 17th Sept (Week 3)

Monday Quorn Curry Steak Pie

Served with Potato Mash Carrots, Broccoli

Iced Sponge and Custard

Tuesday

Tempura Fish Goujons Veg Meatballs Spaghetti Served with Fat Free Wedges, Peas, Baked Beans.

Cornflake Cake

Wednesday

Roast Chicken and Seasoning Bacon Tagliatelle Carbonara Served with Fat Free Roast and Creamed Potatoes. Cauliflower, Broccoli

Chocolate and Beetroot Surprise and Chocolate Sauce

Thursday

BBQ Chicken Wrap Cheese Savoury Served with Boiled New Potatoes, Peas, Carrots

Fruit Cheesecake

Friday

Cheese and Tomato Pizza Fish Bites Served with Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Sweetcorn

Fruit Crumble and Custard

Items Available Everyday

Jacket Potato and Filling, Salad, Fresh Bread, Cheese and Biscuits, Yoghurt, Jelly, Fresh Fruit Salad, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Water, Chef's Choice Dessert.

Grab Bag including a Sandwich or Roll with a variety of filling including Cheese, Tuna or Ham. Crudites or Salad Pot. Fresh Fruit, Cake, Biscuit or Yoghurt, Water

2018/2019 School Term Dates 2018 Autumn Term Half Term Mon 29th October to Fri 2nd Nov Term Ends Fri 21st Dec 2019 Spring Term Term starts: Mon 7th January Inset Day Tues 8th January Children return to school Half Term Mon 18th Feb to Fri 22nd Feb Term Ends Fri 12th April 2019 Summer Term Term starts: Mon 29th April Thurs 2nd May Local Elections Inset Dav Fri 3rd May Inset Day Mon 6th May May Day Bank Holidav Tues 7th May Children return to school Half Term Mon 27th May to Fri 31st May Fri 19th July Children break up Term Ends Mon 22nd July

Inset Day

Parent & Toddlei (every Tuesday morning 9.00am-11am) At Ashwood Park Primary School Parents, Grandparents, aunties ٠ and uncles, childminders etc. are all welcome! £2.50 for 1st child, 50p for 2nd child KS1 Hall ٠ ٠ Lots of toys and activities including art & craft, singing and much more. Adult refreshments provided ٠ (children to bring their own) Just turn up on the day and you ٠ will be made very welcome. OSH Old Swinford Hospital You are invited to the following Open Events: Saturday 15th Sept 9.00-11.00am Thursday 18th October 17.30-19.00pm 'Come on Board' Evening. Experience what it's like to be a boarder. Our Open Events are very informal and no appointment is necessary.



NEW PRICES FROM SEPTEMBER

2018

Afterschool Club: 3.15pm-4.30pm £3.50 per session 3.15pm-6pm £7.00 per session (Healthy snack/drink included)

Activities include:

Colouring & craft Sewing Computers Construction toys

Board games Puzzles Outdoor play Group games

To book your place collect a booking form from Mrs Janet Oakes before or after school in the KS1 block.

BOOKINGS

Due to safeguarding requirements all bookings must be made at least a week in advance with Mrs Oakes in the KS1 Hall. No last minute bookings will be accepted except in a dire emergency.



NEW PRICE FROM SEPTEMBER 2018

Breakfast at School Why not come along and have breakfast with us? We now offer a longer session.

> 7.30am-8.45am £3.50 per session

All cooked breakfast food needs to be ordered by 8.00am.

Two choices from the following will be available each day: Beans on toast, crumpets, pancakes, bagels, croissants.

Available every day:cereals, toast with butter or jam, yogurts, fruit, milk or water . Available everyday: toys, colouring etc.