

NEWSLETTER



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Every child has the right to an education

Dear Parents. Carers and Friends

TONIGHT

Friday 7th July BBQ / Summer Fayre

The HSA have been very busy organising the BBQ. We hope that you will be able to join us TONIGHT (Friday) 6pm—8pm. Thank you to everyone who supported the mufti day last week and for your donations.

Year 6

This week has been very busy for our Year 6 pupils who have been on transition in their new secondary schools. It sounds like they have all had a great time. Practice is well under way for their end of year production. Please encourage your child to learn their lines / songs.

Reports & Class Arrangements

End of year reports, data and class arrangements will be sent home on **Friday 21st July.**



Praise Awards

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

W/C 3/7/ 2023

Key Stage One

RR Foxes Carter
RT Hedgehogs Niya
1/2B Squirrels Rowan
1/2D Moles Ivy B
2W Badgers Libby B

Key Stage Two

3/4B Elder Evie J
3/4R Oak Oscar S
4D Chestnut Max W
5E Beech Connie W
5/6H Holly Harry E
6RB Rowan Lewis W

Totally UN FORM

Our school uniform will be available from **TOTALLY UNIFORM** in Kingswinford.

It will be available in store and online. Please visit:

https://www.totallyuniform.co.uk/

We do still have limited uniform in school (as below, while stocks last). PE Tops - 3/4ys, 5/6yrs, 7/8yrs PE Shorts - 18/20", 26/28", 30/32" Jumpers - 3/4yrs, 11-12yrs, 13yrs,

Small / Medium

Cardigans - 3/4yrs, 5/6yrs, 7/8yrs,

11/12yrs, Small / Medium

Book Bags with School

Logo £3.50 each

Available from the school office.



Bags 2 School



Thank you for supporting our first 'Bags 2 School' clothing collection. It was a great success raising £230.00 for school. Watch out for the next one in the Autumn term.

Sports Day

The Reception & Nursery Sports Day is **Wednesday 12th July.**

9.15am—Nursery AM & RT (Mr Thornton)

1.15pm—Nursery PM & RR (Miss Reynolds)

Let's hope the sun shines this time!

Menu

WC <u>07.04.23 (</u>Week 3)

<u>Monda</u>v

Fish fingers
Vegetarian Meatballs in tomato sauce
Potato wedges, pasta, sweetcorn
&peas
Iced sprinkle sponge.

Tuesday

Sausage & Gravy
Vegetable Fingers
Salmon Bites
Mashed potatoes, broccoli & mixed
vegetables.
Melting moments & custard.

Wednesday

Traditional roast chicken
Halal chicken
Quorn chicken fillet
Fish goujons
Baby boiled potatoes, carrots & peas.
Apple & shortcake & custard.

Thursday

All day brunch
Veggie all day brunch
Cod bites
Hash browns , baked beans & country
vegetables.
Marble cake & custard.

Friday

Cheese and tomato pizza
Battered fish
Chipped potatoes, spaghetti hoops &
sweetcorn.
Fruit & ice cream.

Available Every Day

Grab bags which contain a sandwich either cheese, tuna or ham filling.
Salad bag. One from a cake, biscuit or yoghurt. Fresh fruit. Water
Jacket Potato with a choice of cheese, beans or cheese and beans.
Fruit jelly, yoghurt

All dinners must be booked through School Money the day before they are needed. Please contact the school office if you are having any issues.

Toddler Group Tuesday's 9.00—11.00

£3.50 for the first child, £1.00 for the second.

Lots of toys, activities, singing and much more.

Parent, grandparents, aunts, uncles, childminders etc are all welcome.

NO NEED TO BOOK — JUST TURN UP!

Take a look at our Toddler's Facebook page for more information & photos etc. Search Tree Tots Ashwood Park Toddler Group.

KS1 News

This week in Key Stage 1 we have had a special visitor, John Taylor, who worked at Thomas Webb Glassmaker's. He came to show the children some of the glass he had made when he worked there in the 1960's and 70's. They thought of some good questions to ask him and enjoyed looking at examples of crystal cut glass, paper weights and glass swans.

We have also been busy finishing our puppets in Design Technology and creating some superhero pictures in Art.

Next week the children will be adding to their Art images with paint and comic strip paper.

Dates for the Diary

Friday 7th July Summer BBQ 6pm—8pm



Tuesday 25th July

Children break up for Summer at 3.15pm

2023-2024 INSET Days*

Monday 4th September Friday 27th October Monday 8th January 2024 Thursday 2nd May (VOTING) Friday 3rd May

*Please not these are PROVISIONAL dates and can be subject to change.

KS2

This week, most of our year 6 children have been on their transition days at their new secondary schools. We really hope that you have all enjoyed yourselves. The year 7 tutors have commented how mature you all were - well done year 6!

Also in years 5 and 6, the children have been practising their athletics skills by participating in circuit training activities.

In years 3 and 4, the children have been continuing their work on the development of retail in the local area. They have been honing their map reading skills by exploring OS maps

EYFS News

Our topic in Early Years this week was holidays and Reception have been designing sandcastles, role playing an aeroplane and building tents on the field! Nursery have packed suitcases and learned about different countries!

Next week it is our Sports day at 9.15am for Mr Thornton's class and morning Nursery and 1.15pm for Miss Reynolds' class and afternoon Nursery. See you there!

PE Days

Please support your child to have their PE kit in school on the correct day.

3/4R - Monday and Tuesday

3/4B - Monday (swimming kit) and Tuesday

4D - Monday and Tuesday

5E - Wednesday and Friday

5/6H - Wednesday and Friday

6RB - Friday

Year 6 dates

18th July - Year 6 production at 2pm*

19th July - Year 6 production at 6pm*

24th July - Year 6 games night, 5pm-7pm (children only)

25th July - Year 6 leavers' assembly at 9:15am (parents / carers invited)

*Please ensure that you have returned your ticket request form.

RBD News

We hope that the children who have been on their transition days have enjoyed themselves this week and feel a little more ready for starting their secondary school in September. Good luck to the other Y6 children who will be going to their transition days next week!

Next week we say goodbye to Teddy from the RBD as he starts his new school. We know that he will have a fabulous time and we look forward to hearing all about it. Good Luck Teddy, we will miss you!

Dates for your diaries: Mr Molony clinic on 18th July (am). Letters will be sent out next week but if anyone outside the RBD would like to be added to the clinic list please let the school office know. Thank you.

Sign of the week: General Sign vocabulary.

There is another new video on the Ashwood Park YouTube channel that will help you to learn new vocabulary in sign... please take a look!

https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCb3VQs9stq-1QwEYfprn19Q



Maths Challenge

Spot the shapes 2

1. How many triangles can you count?



2. How many squares can you count?



Draw your own diagram to count triangles.
 Don't use too many lines!
 How many triangles can a friend find?
 Can you find more?

TT Rockstars

This weeks Rockstars are;

1st Smilona J 2nd Kaitlyn G 3rd Skye P

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Well done to you all.