

Dear Parents/Carers

It has been wonderful this week to see many of our parents / carers joining us at a variety of school events. Earlier in the week, we welcomed Anji Keegan, who delivered a 'Making Sense of Autism' workshop. The parents who attended found this incredibly useful & moving forwards we will be offering some SEND drop-in sessions with Anji – so, watch this space for further info! This morning we held our Macmillan Coffee Morning. It was lovely to share a cake & cuppa, whilst raising money for charity. The week was finished off with a fabulous Inspire afternoon for our Kestrels class & their parents / carers. If you don't already, please follow us on our school Twitter account, [@Ash Grove \(@IPMATAshGrove\) / X \(twitter.com\)](https://twitter.com/IPMATAshGrove) where you will get regular updates about what we've been up to in school!

Harvest Festival

Thank you for all of your generous donations for our Harvest Assembly. Our Student Council members delivered an excellent assembly to the rest of the children. Our Head Boy & Head Girl then delivered the donations to the Westfield Lane Food Bank.



Times Tables 'Dress Like a Rockstar' Day

On **Monday 9th October**, children will be taking part in our Rockstar Day to celebrate all things maths! Children can come dressed as a rock star or in non-uniform if they would prefer.

During the day, children will be accessing TTR and Numbots and will take part in some problem-solving sessions. KS2 will be taking part in a TTR tournament. I wonder which class will win?

Open Day

Our first Open day session is just around the corner. Please share the information on page 3 within the community.

Golden Table 100% Weekly Attendance Winners

Week Ending 22.09.2023

EYFS ~ Beau E (Kingfishers) KS1 ~ Carson S (Hawks)

LKS2 ~ Betsy F (Falcons) UKS2 ~ Anderson R (Ospreys)

Job Vacancies

We are currently advertising for a Premises Support Officer and a Lunchtime Supervisor. Please follow the link for further information, or share the link within the local community.

[Job Vacancies - Ash Grove Primary Academy \(ipmat.co.uk\)](https://www.ipmat.co.uk)

This week's Picture News — **Race to the Moon** please log onto our website www.ashgroveprimaryacademy.co.uk and take a look at the assemblies page.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs K Gawthorp



Dates for your Diary

2nd Oct – School Nurse to see Y6 – 9:30

2nd Oct – Inspire Session – Harriers & parents 1:45 – 3:15

5th Oct - Space Day Lunch

6th Oct – Inspire Session – Falcons & parents 9:15 – 10:45

9th Oct – TT Rockstar Event (dress up like a Rockstar or non-uniform)

Sat 7th Oct – Early Years Open Day – prospective new parents, 10am -12 noon

11th Oct – Inspire Session – Red Kites & parents 1:45 – 3:15

13th Oct – Inspire Session – Buzzards & parents 9:15 – 10:45

16th Oct – Inspire Session – Ospreys & parents 1:45 – 3:15

18th – 20th Oct – Residential, Dobroyd Castle

23rd Oct – Inspire Session – Eagles & parents 1:45 – 3:15

24th Oct – Immunisation Team Nasal Flu – R to Y6

24th Oct – Book Look – Whole school & parents 3:15 – 3:45

25th Oct – Tempest Individual School Photographs – 8am to 2:30pm

26th Oct – Parent Inclusion Workshop – Sleep & Healthy Lifestyle, 1:45 – 3:15pm

26th Oct – Halloween Disco – TTBC

27th Oct – Break Up for Half Term

★ Star of the Week

Owls ~ Reuben B
Kingfishers ~ Polly W
Kestrels ~ Jack M
Hawks ~ River B
Harriers ~ Alice G



Falcons ~ Rejoice F
Buzzards ~ Olivia C
Red Kites ~ Alexander J
Ospreys ~ Kaisha K
Eagles ~ Gabriels L

Attendance Winners w/e 29th September

Class ~ Red Kites ~ 98.97%

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You're invited to our Open Days!

Saturday 7th October
10am-12pm

Wednesday 22nd November
3:45pm-5:15pm

Both of our Open Days are for potential Reception 2024 applicants and Nursery 2024 applicants (Jan, April & Sept).

Our Open Days will give you the opportunity to explore the EYFS provision, tour the school, meet the EYFS staff and ask any questions.

Here at Ash Grove Primary Academy, we nurture minds and hearts and inspire bright futures.



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At Ash Grove Primary Academy we are committed to supporting our children to be **the best that they can be.**

We are:

- Proud of our community and our heritage, and we know that together we can achieve more.
- Ambitious for our children and have high expectations of what they can achieve.
- Committed to engaging and inspiring learners by expanding their world, vocabulary and experiences.
- Supportive of learners in a positive culture where all are confident to try and believe they can succeed.
- Tolerant and understanding of others who are different to ourselves.

We can't wait to show you everything we have to offer!

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