

27th October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Our final week of the half term has been full of activity and enjoyment. Each class has celebrated International Artists Day and produced some amazing artwork under the theme 'Art is good for the health'. We look forward to seeing some of this fantastic work displayed around the school. Yesterday, it was wonderful to see the children dressed up in their Halloween costumes at our discos! Finally, I would just like to take this opportunity to thank all of our parents/carers for the support you have provided to school over the last half term. Have a wonderful half term break and we look forward to seeing you all in November.

Bennett Court

Earlier this week, our Year 6 children were out in the community singing some autumnal songs to the residents of Bennett Court. The residents commented on how polite and sensible the children were & it really brightened up their day when the weather outside was so miserable. Well done to our Year 6 children!

Parents / Carers Consultation Evening

Parents/Carers Consultation Evening are taken place week beginning **6th November**. Don't forgot to sign up for an appointment on the poster outside of your child's classroom. Please also be aware that some classes are holding their consultation evenings on different evenings, due to staff training commitments.

Parent Workshop - Sleep

Our next Parent Inclusion Workshop has been re-arranged for **Thursday, 9th November**. The focus of this workshop is sleep & heathy routines. Lorraine Martin, a CAMHS Mental Health Support Team Practitioner will be running the workshop, which will be a great opportunity for you to come along & have a chat over a brew & biscuit. Lorraine will be sharing information, answering questions & giving any specific advice you may require. On Thursday, 9th November, parents/carers can make their way round to the main entrance after drop-off. We will sign everyone in & give them chance to get a drink before we start at 9:15am. We hope to see you there!

Golden Table 100% Weekly Attendance Winners

Week Ending 20.10.2023

EYFS ~ Hallie T (Owls) KS1 ~ Arthur C (Ketrels)

LKS2 ~ Harper O (Falcons) UKS2 ~ Lyla M (Eagles)

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

Thank you for your continued support. Have a lovely half term holiday.

Mrs K Gawthorp



Dates for your Diary

Fall back

Daylight saving time ends at 2 a.m. Sunday, so don't forget to set your clocks back one hour.



29th Nov – Clocks go back 1 hour

6th Nov – School re-opens

Mon 6th Nov – Parent Evening, 3:30 – 6pm, Ospreys, Red Kites, Buzzards, Falcons, Hawks, Kingfishers & Owls

Tues 7th Nov – Parent Evening, 3:30 – 6pm, Eagles, Harriers & Kestrels

8th Nov – Parent Evening, 3:30 – 6pm, all classes

9th Nov – Parent Inclusion Workshop – Sleep & Health

12th Nov – Remembrance Parade 10:40 from Soldiers

15th Nov – South Elmsall Christmas Lights Switch On

17th Nov – Children in Need – Wear Something Spotty!

20th to 24th Nov – Scholastic Book Fair

22nd Nov – Early Years Open Evening for prospective new parents, 3:45 – 5pm

28th Nov – Parent Inclusion Workshop – Online Safety, 1:45 – 3:15

29th Nov – Eagles Class Assembly, 9:00 – 9:30am



★ Star of the Week

Owls ~ Iris H
Kingfishers ~ Alaska W
Kestrels ~ Lucas D
Hawks ~ Evelyn T
Harriers ~ Harriett M



Falcons ~ Alexis C
Buzzards ~ Carl B
Red Kites ~ Patrycja F
Ospreys ~ Awa D
Eagles ~ Chloe P

Attendance Winners w/e 27th October

Class ~ Buzzards ~ 95%