## **ASH GROVE NEWS**

Week Ending 26.09.2025

## What's On?

Parent Year 6 Northumberland Meeting	Tues, 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept - 3:30pm to 4pm
Inspire Session - 3D	Wed, 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct - 2:15pm
Black History Month	Wed, 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct
National Poetry Day	Thurs, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct
Parents Evening	Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct & Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> Oct

## STAR OF THE WEEK

Nursery - Teddy B Reception - Jack T

1A - Iris J

1/2W - Bailey C

2B - Paloma H

3D - Carina B

3/4MC - Lucca P

4E - Tommy J

5J - Calum H

6W - Troy-Reece W

ATTENDANCE (TARCET 97%)

Whole School

94.11%

Compulsory School Age Attendance

94.98%

**Winning Class** 

100% - 1/2W

Classes 97% above

2

Students above 97%

210

## Active Families - Rainbow Run

For our next Active Families event, we are holding a Rainbow Run, where parents/carers are invited to join the children and take part in the races. Our school community are heartbroken to share the news that one of our pupils, Rosie, passed away early this month. Rosie was a vibrant, happy and courageous little girl who loved to play with her friends and loved all things bright and sparkly. To collectively remember Rosie, we have chosen to hold a Rainbow Run and ask that children come to school in their PE bottoms with a bright, colourful top. Parents are also invited to attend in bright coloured clothing. The more sparkle the better! The event will take place at 2:30pm on Friday, 10th October & parents will need to collect their children from their classroom doors at this time. Throughout the event, we will also be fundraising for the Candlelighters charity, who have been supporting Rosie and her family at this difficult time. We will have fundraising buckets on the playground and donations can also be made via the school office. Thank you for your support with this event and we look forward to seeing lots of you there, as we celebrate Rosie's life together.



## **Pupil of the Week**

We loved welcoming parents/carers into our assembly today to celebrate the wonderful achievements of our Pupil of the Week. These children have been chosen for a variety of excellent reasons and we are extremely proud of them all.





## **Parents Evening**

Parents Evenings will take place on Monday, 6th October & Wednesday, 8th October. Please ensure you sign up via Class Dojo to meet your child's teacher. The teachers will be sharing key information about your child's first few weeks in their new year group and discussing how the home-school collaboration can further support your child with their learning.

## **Jungle Fest Lunch**

On Thursday, 2nd October, our kitchen will be cooking up a roarsome lunch! All children are invited to take part. Please book your child's lunch via Swift Kitchen.







# PACKED LUNCHES AT ASH GROVE



Our aim is to ensure all packed lunches brought into school are packed safely, are healthy, (based on the national standards set for school lunches) and consumed around a positive dining experience.

#### **ENERGY FOOD**



Choose wholegrain varieties like bread, pasta, couscous, rice, chapattis and wraps.

#### PROTEIN FOOD



Choose protein varieties like meat, fish, dairy, eggs, lentils and beans.

#### DAIRY FOOD



Choose dairy varieties such as cheese, yoghurt or calciumenriched plant-based dairy alternatives.

#### **FRUIT**



Choose at least one portion of fruit per day such as apples, bananas, berries, melons, pineapples and plums.

#### **VEGETABLES**



Choose at least one portion of vegetables per day such as carrots, cucumbers, peppers and salad.

#### WATER



Please send your child to school with a filled water bottle. We ask that you don't send juice or fizzy drinks. Water will be provided at lunch times.

#### OCCASSIONALLY



Approximately once a week, you may include a cake, a biscuit or a meat-based food item such as sausage roll.

#### DO NOT INCLUDE



Confectionary like sweets, chocolate bars, snacks high in salt or any form of nuts.

#### HAND WASHING



All children will wash hands thoroughly before eating their lunch.





