

# ASH GROVE ACADEMY

# ASPIRE

## **Events from last week w/c 4/11/19**

*\* Ash Grove celebrated Culture and Religion through Art throughout the week. Events included making Diva lamps to celebrate Diwali, the creation of Mendhi patterns to celebrate Eid, the participation in Operation Christmas Child, Tree of Light Remembrance Stars and the creation of Ash Stars from Silk with local artist Hannah Woolham. Thank you to everyone from our community who joined us in school to support the children and lead the workshops.*

*\*Ash Grove Careers Day was a big hit. We listened to presentations from the Police, a Wind Turbine Engineer, a Health Visitor and a Graphic Designer. Thanks to the grownups who came into school to share their roles and passion for their jobs. It was truly aspirational and inspirational.*

*\*The Ash Grove Girls' football team showed so much passion and enthusiasm playing in torrential rain last week. We may have lost the tournament but it was clear that we have some very talented and potentially gifted players. Are there any parents or volunteers out there who would be keen to coach our girls' football team one or two mornings a week for 45 minutes?. Say 8am until 8.45am? If so, please let Mrs Finnegan know.*

**Please check out the Ash Grove twitter feed @ashgroveacademy for updates and photos from all classes across the week.**

## **What's on this week w/c 11/11/19**

### **Monday**

Year 4-6 PE Club  
Anti-Bullying Production  
Remembrance Ceremony at  
11am

### **Tuesday**

Able Robotics Day Year 5&6  
After school Football Club  
Tree of Light Stars Workshop  
9am

### **Wednesday**

Year 3 and 4 at Robinwood

### **Thursday**

Teacher Clubs  
Year 3 & 4 at Robinwood

### **Friday**

Year 3 & 4 at Robinwood  
Children in Need  
Choir Rehearsal

## Diary Dates for Autumn Term 2

Date	Event
4.11.19	Ash Grove Careers Day
5-8.11.19	Ash Grove Culture and Religion through Art Week
7.11.19	Year 5 & 6 Girls Football Tournament
11.11.19	Anti-Bullying Workshop
12.11.19	Tree of Light Stars Workshop
12.11.19	Ash Grove hosting Able Robotics Day
13-15.11.19	Year 3 & 4 at Robinwood Residential
15.11.19	Children in Need Day
19.11.19	Lloyds TSB in school with Y3& 4 Bringing Money to Life
21.11.19	Y3 at St Barnabas Church
21.11.19	Year 2 Multi Skills Tournament
22.11.19	Parent Feedback Morning 8,30am
22.11.19	Year 5 and 6 Football Tournament
22.11.19	2 <sup>nd</sup> Choir Rehearsal
26.11.19	Lloyds TSB with Y5 and Y6
28.11.19	Y2 at the Silk Museum
28.11.19	Last Teacher led club for the term
29.11.19	3 <sup>rd</sup> Choir rehearsal
3.12.19	Y4 Class Presentation 3pm
3.12.19	Academy Photography taking Candid shots
4.12.19	Parent Council Meeting 5.30pm
5.12.19	Family Christmas Night
10.12.19	Y5 class presentation – Debate
11.12.19	Nursery Nativity
12.12.19	Whole school trip to the Pantomime
13.12.19	Choir Performing in Macclesfield
13.12.19	Y3 at Quarry Bank Mill
13.12.19	Next Steps Report to Parents
16.12.19	Reception and Y1 Nativity at St Barnabas Church
17.12.19	Y2-Y6 Performance of Aladdin 6pm
18.12.19	Aladdin 2pm and again at 6pm
19.12.19	Choir Performing in Macclesfield
19.12.19	Parent Feedback afternoon 3pm
20.12.19	End of term and Progress Cup Assembly 9.30am

## Relationships and SRE Policy

We have consulted previously with parents on the Relationships Curriculum. However, an Aspire Educational Trust Policy has now also been devised in support of our curriculum. The policy is live on our website and you will receive a letter outlining more about the policy this week.

### Parent Feedback Morning and Afternoon Dates

Further to the Parent Council meeting the dates have now been agreed: **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 8.30am and Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 3pm.** All parents and carers are welcome to join the children in school to look at books and find out more from the children about what they have been learning over the term.

### Parent Survey

This year's parent questionnaire has been devised on survey monkey, an online electronic tool. Please look out for the letter and link to the survey in the near future. We welcome your general feedback but if you have any specific concerns please feel free to pop in or email me directly on [principal@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:principal@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk).