



Next week, after Christmas break - Week 1

Attendance reporting procedures Please report children's absence by 08:30 each morning using our [online google form](#) which can also be found on the school website. This form should also be used to report future absence e.g. dentist appointments.

Safeguarding

We wish our parents and students a safe and happy Christmas. In the event that you should need support from a safeguarding or child protection perspective please contact Children's Services on 0300 123 4043.

Careers

Royal Navy *Ready, Steady, Cook* event

Last week Year 10 students had a busy and insightful careers morning with the Royal Navy Catering Team, taking part in a Ready, Steady, Cook event. The Navy personnel commended their exceptional teamwork and gave prizes for the best dishes - meatballs and sticky toffee pudding.

Carol Service Collection

Thank you to everyone who donated to the collection at the Carol Concert; we raised £475.12 for the Coram Foundation.

Christmas Tree Collection

Ashlyns students who are part of local scout groups will be helping with collecting Christmas trees on 8 January, [for details please click here](#).

After School Canteen

From the New Year, our caterers, Culinera, will be operating an after school service. Open to all students, they will be serving reduced priced snacks and drinks until 15:45.

Mental Health First Aid

The Emotional Mental Wellbeing in Education Team are trialling a 1 day Mental First Aid Training course for Parents and Carers running on Wednesday 1st February 2022 at Robertson House, Stevenage. This is suitable for those who care for children aged 8-18 years. Please click [here](#) for more information.

ASA News: 100 Club

This is a great way to raise money for Ashlyns with a chance to win a prize. Anyone can buy one or more numbers in our monthly draw. Each number is £2 per month or £24 a year, half of this money is used for 3 cash prizes and half to the ASA. You have to be in to win, so sign up today to be in the next draw. Email ASA100CLUB@gmail.com for more info.

Congratulations to the winners of the November draw:

1st prize - H King

2nd prize - K Beamish

3rd prize - N Few

Merry Christmas & thank you to everyone who has supported us this year.

Key Dates

- 5 Jan: First Day of Term
- 6 Jan: Y12 Trial Exams Start
- 19 Jan: Y11 Raising Achievement Evening

Next Week Lunch Menu - Week 1

Communications

- [Headteacher's End of Term Letter](#)

House Points

Current house points			
Bourne	Coram	Handel	Raven
20926	20343	20626	22041
2 nd	4 th	3 rd	1 st
21/12/2022			

Attendance

Forms with the highest attendance week ending 16 Dec:

7R2 95%

8R2 96%

9R2 94%

10B2 93%

11H2 91%

Vacancies

Teaching Staff

- [Teacher of Art, part time](#)
- [Teacher of French](#)

Support Staff

- [Cover Supervisor](#)
- [LRC Assistant](#)
- [Science Technician](#)
- [Teaching Assistant 18hrs](#)
- [Teaching Assistant 30hrs](#)

Local Food Banks

Please click [here](#) for a list of food support in the local area.