



Next week- 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

As the summer holidays approach we would like to wish our students a happy and safe summer. Should you have any safeguarding concerns during this time please contact Children's Services on 0300 123 4043. In the event of an emergency or an immediate risk to safety please call 999.

Sports Day

Congratulations to all of our students that took part in our sports day on Tuesday. We managed to avoid the rain and had two new records set by Eimear M and Sonny M.

Full results are below in the Sports Results section and a special mention must go to the Overall Best Tutor Group **9H1** who amassed a whopping 155 points.

This year's house winner went against previous recent history with Handel having won 9 out of the last 10 events.....

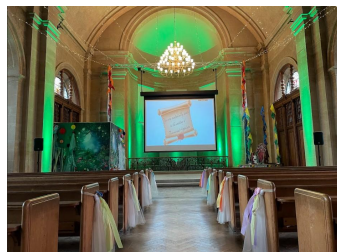
Congratulations to Bourne! Bourne's previous best performance was runners up in 2012. What a fantastic achievement.

It was a great day with all students fully embracing the house spirit and the atmosphere in the afternoon for the 100m and relays was electric.



'A Midsummer Night's Dream'

This week the drama department produced a wonderful version of 'A Midsummer Night's Dream', set in the atmospheric space of our chapel. This was a real team effort between the cast, the set designers, front of house, lighting and music, and the producers and directors; everyone did an amazing job!



Senior Citizens' Tea Party

On Thursday we welcomed some of the senior citizens from the local area to a tea party here at Ashlyns. Students delighted the guests with their musical performances and fantastic food made by the Y10 Food and Nutrition students. The guests thoroughly enjoyed themselves and are already looking forward to the Christmas Carol Service!



Key Dates

- **14 July: Ashlyns Festival Comedy Night**
- 17/18 July: Activity Days
- 19 July: Last Day of Term **12.30 finish**
- 19 July: Non-uniform Day

Next Week Lunch Menu: Week 1

House Points



Current house points



Bourne	Coram	Handel	Raven
49701	50060	50672	51618
4 th	3 rd	2 nd	1 st



14/07/2023



Attendance

Forms with the highest attendance week ending 07 Jun:

7R1 95%
8B3 99%
9H2 97%
10H1 93%

Vacancies

Support Staff:

- [Teaching Assistant 18 or 30hrs](#)

Dacorum Family Services

Please click [here](#) for the latest newsletter from Dacorum Family Services including ideas for things to do over the Summer.

Sports Shoe Network

Please click [here](#) for details of a charity who collect and give out sports shoes for free. They have local locations for their pop up stand over the summer holiday.

This year has seen our busiest careers programme to date with over 30 events covering a variety of industries and job roles. These events have been enthusiastically received by our students, providing an invaluable insight into the world of work and the qualities and skills employers seek. A large number of our events have been made possible by parents who have generously shared their career journey with us. If you have a career that you would like to share with our school community, then we'd love to hear from you. Please contact Becky Lambert: rlambert@ashlyns.herts.sch.uk to find out more.

With summer just around the corner, a quick reminder that students have access to our eLibrary to borrow books to continue to read during the holiday. The eLibrary is a fantastic resource of books all available to borrow for free. The eLibrary can be accessed via the LRC tile on RM Unify on students' chromebooks. Happy reading!

Well done to Sophie R and Ella R, Y9, who represented team England at the Dance World Cup finals in Portugal last week. The girls and their Allstars Academy team mates were in 6 routines and they won a gold medal and a silver medal and also achieved 2 fourth places, a 7th place and a 9th place.

	Y7	Y7	Y8	Y8	Y9	Y9	Y10	Y10			
Hurdles	Matilda W	Seb B	Anya L	Freddie P	Ruby V-D	Riley M	Milly H	Shea M	Hurdles		
100	Nelli G	Harry G	Anya L	Sonny W NEW RECORD	Lily M-L	Alex H	Claudia C	Matthew D	100		
200	Klara S	James W	Lola B	Benji N	Mollie R	Archie W	Chloe E	Lewis D	200		
3/400	Julia A	Max W	Daisy T	Leon C-W	Eva G	Jobe G	Lucy W	Oscar W	3/400		
800	Freya B	Alfie B	Freya W	Freddie P	Florence H	Noah B	Suri D	Mathei B	800		
1500	Eimear M NEW RECORD	George B	Freya W	Oscar H	Rose M	Rhys G	Saffron H	Ross G	1500		
Relay	H2	R1	R2	B1	C1	H1	R2	B1	Relay		
Long Jump	Sophie Z	Drew C	Scarlett W	Laurence A	Zara S	Alex H	Eleanor P	Kai W	Long Jump		
Triple Jump	Lexie J	Jack M	Eleanor G	Ryan H	Emilia C	Robin S	Rebecca H	Arthur C	Triple Jump		
High Jump	Latika P-P	Seb B	Ella K	Freddie R	Rose B-C	Jobe G	Harper C	Saul C	High Jump		
Shot Put	Amber R	William B	Anees M	Jack C	Zhaklin S	Robert E	Abi O	David A	Shot Put		
Discus	Eimear M	Henry R	Grace B	Sonny M	Hannah S	Connor F	Libby M	Leonard B	Discus		
Javelin	Jasmine L	Red G	Serena B-C	William D	Imogen S	Robert E	Nadia P	Jasper D	Javelin		
	Overall House		Winning Tutor Group		Rounders	Football	Basketball	Benchball	Alternative	Dodgeball	
1st	Bourne	7	C1		1st	Bourne	Handel	Handel	Bourne	Coram	Raven
2nd	Handel	8	R2		2nd	Handel	Bourne	Bourne	Handel	Bourne	Coram
3rd	Raven	9	H1		3rd	Raven	Coram	Coram	Raven	Raven	Handel
4th	Coram	10	B1		4th	Coram	Raven	Coram	Handel	Handel	Bourne
					7	8	9	10	H2		
	<u>Previous Winners</u>	Overall best Tutor Group	1st	C1	R2	H1	B1				
		9H1	2nd	B1	H1	C1	R1 & R2				
			3rd	R1	B1	B2					
			4th	R2	H2 & R1	C2	B2				
			5th	C2 & B2		R2	H2				
			6th		C1	B1	H1				
			7th	H1	C2	H2	C2				
			8th	H2	B2	R1	C1				
			9th		B3						

The Festival Team

Tooled Up at Ashlyns - resources from Dr Kathy Weston



Good Things: Feeling Good
about Things That are Going
Well



2023 Summer Activities for
Children & Teens

Celebrate Achievements, Embrace Goals

As the school year comes to a close, it's time to reflect on all of our children's achievements and growth and before you file away those school reports, we have the perfect [activity](#) to get children thinking about all that they've achieved throughout the year and nudge them to make some plans and goals for the summer. By taking the time to acknowledge their accomplishments, they will approach the summer break with a sense of purpose and fulfilment, preparing them for the next academic year.

Feeling Good about Things That are Going Well

You might also want to introduce your child to our mood and mindset boosting [template](#) that will help them take stock of all the things that are going well in their lives and evaluate their progress, as well as identify areas for improvement. By setting goals and making plans, young people will have a clear direction and a sense of accomplishment to guide them throughout the summer break. And it helps them to make the most of their time off!

Exciting Summer Activities

We understand the importance of keeping our children engaged and stimulated during the summer break. That's why we have curated a [list](#) of the best fun and educational activities available for children and teens. Take a moment to explore the diverse range of options in our roundup. Looking for something more quirky? Then you should check out our top 10 informative, exhilarating and creative [ideas](#) for tweens and teens this summer.