



Ashlands
Church of England
Primary School

Headteacher: Miss Nicola Ball
Chair of Governors: Mr David Harvey

3rd July 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Pre Loved Event – Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th July

Our School Councillors met today to talk about our pre-loved uniform. They are very keen to continue the pre loved event that was started in 2019.

The Pre-Loved Event enables families to have the opportunity to choose from pre-loved as well as new uniform as they start to replace clothes for the next academic year. It also gives our children the knowledge that they have been courageous advocates for our environment. They talked about the environmental impact of clothes going to the dump, the cost of new clothing for parents and the raising of funds for school.

The last two days of term will be non-school uniform days. This will mean that uniform that is too small but is still in good condition can be washed and brought into school on the Monday and Tuesday to be sorted for the pre loved rail. This is a great event, which once again has my full support.

Beach Fund Raiser – Wednesday 10th July 2023

In addition, the School Council have asked for an end of term bubbles and water battle. This will coincide with Butterfly Classes Beach Day. They are keen for fun and laughter and a celebration of everybody's efforts across the year. They are also keen to have one last fundraiser for our chosen charity of the year – The Crewkerne Kitchen. We ask that pupils bring £1 to participate, however if parents wish to donate more, they are more than welcome to do so.

Please ensure that your child has a change of clothing, including shoes and a towel in school in order for them to be able to participate. If pupils wish, they are also permitted to wear swimming costumes/swimming shorts underneath their clothes. Children may also bring in a water pistol or large water bottle to school but please do not send in water balloons. The School Council realise that some children may not want to take part in the activities above, therefore there will be bubbles and quiet time on the MUGA. The PTSA have funded an ice-cream for every child. Many thanks to Mrs Collicutt for organising this. This will be weather dependant.

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We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.

Thank you to Miss Wines and our School Councillors for their continued efforts to promote pupil voice. I hope you are able to support their efforts and we see lots of pre-loved uniform going home to new homes next year.

Yours sincerely,

Nicola Ball – on behalf of the School Councillor