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Friday 16th October 2026

Edition 274

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Hello from Mrs Anderson ...

Well done to Bears for a fantastic class assembly, your very first one at Astley. Thank you to all the families who were able to join us in celebrating the children's learning. Next Wednesday 21st October is Sharks class assembly, we look forward to welcoming Sharks families.

Thank you to everyone who made Apple Day a huge success and a special thank you to Mr Dart for organising. Children were able to enjoy taking part in a range of activities including the longest peel competition and cutting and squeezing apples to make their very own fresh apple juice. There was also the opportunity to taste and explore the 11 plus varieties of apples grown within the school grounds including the orchard.

Next week on Thursday 22nd October is our last day of the half term, we will be having a special Harvest Open morning in classes followed by our final Celebration Assembly. There is also a non school uniform day in order to support Astley's Christmas Fair. The Friends of Astley Primary School are hoping for donations of unwanted gifts, bottles of alcohol (please take to the office) and wrapped sweets to help make this year's Christmas Fair even more successful than last year! All money raised for this event helps make our school even more special for the children. Please leave donations on the labelled tables near the office next Thursday.

The Friends of Astley are a hardworking group comprising of parents and the occasional grandparent! They aim to raise funds towards events and resources which benefit the whole school. Being part of the team is fun; and they welcome you to join them at the next AGM on Thursday 5th November at 2pm to find out more about this essential work. Even if your available time is limited, what little help you may be able to offer us is invaluable.



This week's Feel Good Friday tunes have been chosen by Miss Morant.

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TOP CLASS ATTENDANCE:



Bears



ACE LEARNING THEME:

BRITISH VALUE: *Confidence* 



RANK	NAME	CLASS
1	Emily Andresiunaite	Dolphins
2	Theo Mears	Turtles
3	Abigail Mears	Penguins
4	Edie Kirk	Sharks
5	Poppy Andrews	Dolphins

ASTLEY CALENDAR AND EVENTS

w/c 19th October:

Monday 19th October:

Wednesday 21st October 2:45pm:

Thursday 22nd October:

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Friday 23rd October:

w/c 26th October:

Monday 2nd November:

Monday 2nd November:

Wednesday 4th November:

Thursday 5th November:

Wednesday 11th November:

Wednesday 11th November 2:45pm:

Friday 13th November:

w/c 16th November:

Wednesday 18th November 2:45pm:

Wednesday 25th November 2:45pm:

Monday 30th November:

DECEMBER:

Tuesday 1st Decemeber

Wednesday 2nd December:

Thursday 3rd December:

Friday 4th December: 3:15-5pm

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Tuesday 8th December

Friday 11th December 9:05am:

Monday 14th December:

Tuesday 15th December 9:15am:

Wednesday 16th December 2pm:

Thursday 17th December:

Friday 18th December 9:30am:

Friday 18th December 1:15pm:

Wednesday 6th January 2027:

Thursday 11th February

w/c 15th February:

Thursday 25th March:

Monday 12th April:

3rd May:

w/c 31st May:

Monday 7th June:

Wednesday 23rd June:

Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd July

Tuesday 20th July:

Parents Evenings this week

Sharks Crucial Crew trip to Gresham's

Sharks Class Assembly

Non school uniform – Donations for Christmas Fair

Harvest open mornings in classes / Final Celebration Assmebly

Last day of half term – usual 3:15pm finish

School closed – training day

Half Term

Start of Autumn Two – pupils back to school

Autumn 2 After school Clubs start

Whole school nasal flu vaccinations

Friends of Astley AGM – new members welcome

School Remembrance Service

Penguins Class Assembly

Children in Need - non school uniform day

Anti Bullying Week – details to follow

Dolphins Class Assembly

Turtles Class Assembly

Turtles trip to Time and Tide

CHRISTMAS JUMPER MONTH

Lions and Tigers - in school visit from Norfolk Owls

Bears and Sharks Vision and Hearing

Bears trip to Holkham Christmas Magic

Christmas Fair

Last week of Forest School this week

Last week of after school clubs

Nasal flu vaccinations

Final Celebration Assembly

Christmas Show Dress Rehearsal (Bears, Lions and Tigers)

Christmas Show – Families

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Christmas Lunch and Party Day

Final Rocksteady Christmas Show

Last day of Autumn Term – 1:15pm finish

Start of Spring Term – pupils back to school

Safer Internet Day 2027

Half Term

End of Spring Term – Easter Holidays – usual 3:15pm finish

Start of Summer Term – pupils back to school

Bank holiday – school closed

Half term

Start of Summer Two – pupils back to school

Sports Day: Key Stage 2 - morning/ Bears, Lions and Tigers - afternoon

ALL invited to bring a picnic lunch to the field between 12-1pm

School closed – training days

Last day of Summer Term – Summer Holiday – finish at 1:15pm