

Astley Advertiser

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Friday 20th June 2025

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Hello from the Head...

We have so enjoyed the sunshine this week and it has been fantastic to make the most of our beautiful school grounds. Please ensure all children have a water bottle, sun cream (either already applied or one they can apply themselves) and a hat as necessary, so we can continue to make the most of the weather.

Wednesday was a fantastic day – our inaugural Careers Day for our Sharks Class. Year 6 learnt all about career opportunities, the range of skills and experiences you might need for a variety of jobs and had some visits from a range of professionals. A big thank you to Miss Harrold and Dr Pickhaver for organising the day, and for all of the inspirational visitors who came to talk to the children. Each class were also lucky enough to visit the Holt Fire Crew out on the field where they learnt lots and had a great time.

Thursday was another enriching and special day as we celebrated our Design Technology ACE Day. The day focused on the principles of DT and thinking about the purpose and marketing of a product. It was an excellent day and we were very impressed with the range of work produced. Please join us at Open Morning today at the usual time of 8:30am to see work in classes.

It has been brought to my attention that there have been a few instances of car safety issues when arriving to school. Please ensure for the safety of all, that children are transported to and from school safely using the correct car seats etc, where appropriate.

Monday 23rd June is Class Photos – please ensure children are smart in school uniform, ready with their best smile!

You will have received a letter and poster about Active Week – please let us know if you have any questions following this information. Miss Broughton picked our Friyay songs today - enjoy and have a lovely sunny weekend.



Some of our Sharks enjoying Feast on the Field



Microscope Club



Penguins visiting the Fire Engine



Mrs Goakes









ACE LEARNING THEME: CURIOSITY

	RANK	NAME	CLASS
	1	Harry Knowles	Dolphins
	2	Mabel Holmes	Sharks
	3	Olivia Willimott	Sharks
	4	Isla Willimott	Dolphins
	5	Ted Bowes	Penguins

ASTLEY CALENDAR AND EVENTS

Monday 23rd June: Class Photographs for all

Monday 23rd June: Sharks team Greshams STEAM final

Monday 23rd June 5pm: Hilltop Residential Meeting – current Penguins, for residential in September '25.

Tuesday 24th June 2-3pm: New Hello Bears Party (Bears Sept 25)

Wednesday 25th June: Travelling Book Fair

Wednesday 25th June: Non Uniform / Mufti Day for Friends Summer Fair donations

Thurs 26th/Fri 27th June: School closed – training days

w/c Monday 30th June: ACE Active Week
Monday 30th June: Travelling Book Fair
Tuesday 1st July: Travelling Book Fair

After school – mobile library van at Astley

Thursday 3rd July: Sports Day

Turtles, Dolphins, Penguins and Sharks morning

Bears, Lions and Tigers afternoon

Friday 4th July 9:05am: Final Celebration Assembly

Friday 4th July 3:15-5pm: Friends Summer Fair – more details coming soon

w/c 7th July: ACE Year Ahead – move up to new classes Mon-Thurs mornings this week

Tuesday 8th July 8:30-9:15am: Meet the Teacher (new classes – open morning)

Tuesday 8th July: Governor Meeting

Thursday 10th July: Year 6 Induction Evening at Reepham High School
Monday 14th July: Year 6 Induction Day at Reepham High School
Tuesday 15th July 1:30pm: Key Stage Two Summer Show – families

Wednesday 16th July 9:15am: Key Stage Two Summer Show – families
Thursday 17th/Friday 18th July: Sharkitude – Year 6 Leavers Festival Camping

Friday 18th July: Annual Reports out to Families
Tuesday 22nd July 9am: Year 6 Sharks Leavers Assembly

Tues 22nd July: End of Summer Term - Summer Holidays - 1:15pm finish

2025/2026

Wednesday 3rd September: Start of Autumn Term - children back to school

Friday 24th October: School closed – training day

w/c 27th October: Half Term

Monday 3rd November:

Autumn Two – children back

Friday 19th December:

End of term – Christmas holidays

Wednesday 7th January 2026: Spring One – children back

w/c 16th February:

Monday 23rd February:

Friday 27th March:

Monday 13th April:

Monday 4th May:

Spring Two – children back

End of Term – Easter Holidays

Summer One – children back

School closed- bank holiday

w/c 25th May: Half Term

Thurs 25th/Fri 26th June: School closed – training days

Friday 17th July: End of Summer Term – Summer Holidays

