

# Astbury Express

Walk in love as Christ loves you

Ephesians 5:2



Astbury St Mary's CofE Primary School

19th September 2025

# This week in school

The weather has taken a colder turn this week, providing a good opportunity to remind everyone that children need to wear a warm coat to school



every day, as we like to make the most of the fresh autumnal air. The children continue to work hard and across school there is evidence of impressive learning & progress.

#### Dance, dance, dance...

Children from Reception, Year One, and Year Two enjoyed a dance session with Miss Sophie from Louise Carter School of Dance.





More information regarding their out-of-school dance classes can be found by emailing lcschoolofdance@yahoo.com.

#### Attendance Matters!

Jonah	Hosh	Mary	Jacob
92.5%	97.5%	94.1%	96.6%

#### Harvest Festival



Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2:45 Astbury St Mary's Church

Please bring a bag/box of non-perishable items to donate to the Storehouse foodbank in Congleton.

All welcome to join us in church

## After School Clubs:

booking via admin@astbury.cheshire.sch.uk

Ks2: Netball Thursdays 3:20-4:15pm
Football Thursdays 3:20-4:15pm

Ks1: Sports Fridays 3:20-4pm

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#### Macmillan Coffee Afternoon 26/9/25 2pm - 3:15pm

Cake donations welcome, please leave with staff on the playground in the morning 26/9/25. Please come to school for a brew and a natter, collect your child/grandchild - they can join you and then go home.

#### Upcoming Dates

- 22/9/25 Y6 Bikeability & 23/9/25 Y5 Bikeability
- 24/9/25 3:30 Class Mary parents' information session
- 25/9/25 Individual & Family Group Photographs
  If you have younger siblings you would like including, please come to school for 9am.
- 26/9/25 2pm -3:15pm MacMillan Coffee Afternoon
- 3/10/25 after school until 4:30pm PTFA Karaoke night with DJ Buzz
- 8/10/25 2:45pm Harvest Festival in Church
- 15/10/25 Yr 5/6 CDAT Tag Ruby at Brereton 9:30-12
- 24/10/25 PTFA Disco look out for posters with more info



### Singfest Years 3-6

St George: Sofia

We are pleased to announce Singfest 2025/2026 with the theme 'This is Me.' This year, the repertoire includes 'We Are the Champions, 'Completely Uniquely Me, 'and 'This Is Me' from The Greatest Showman, along with medleys titled 'Celebration' and 'Inclusion.' The first rehearsal in school earlier this week was brilliant with fantastic songs and everybody had lots of fun! It is not too late to join, please email admin@astbury.cheshire.sch.uk or let a member of staff know on the playground in the morning. It promises to be an exciting Singfest experience this year!

# All Saints Schools & Community Remembrance Project

We will be taking part in the all saints schools & community remembrance project again this year by creating poppies.

#### We need some help...

To help, we require clean, transparent, plastic bottles in a variety of sizes. Plastic bottles can be handed to your child's class teacher or dropped in at the school office. Bonus points if your bottles are cut into a poppy shape as pictured. Thank you!

#### Spotlight on...



# HISTORY

Our history learning for the year is off to a flying start! The Early Years Foundation Stage have begun by exploring the Understanding the World topic, 'Me and My Family', while Years One and Two have embarked on their exciting 'Explorers' topic. I wonder where that learning will take them? In Years 3 and 4, the children are taking a trip back to explore 'Life as a Victorian Child', while Years 5 and 6 are delving into 'WW1: Women during the War'. These varied and fascinating topics will surely inspire our young historians.

## Friday Celebrations

Jonah Noah Mary Jacob

Walk in love: Skye Myah Sofia Lucian My Happy Mind: Mabel Oliver Jenson Lola

# Contact Us:

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