

## Ashgrove Primary School

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# Newsletter

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### Half-Term Holiday - Reminder

The school will close for the half-term break next Wednesday, 29 October, at:

P1	12:30
P2	14:00
P3, P4, P5, P6 & P7	14:50

I wish you all a safe and enjoyable break and look forward to having the children back in school for 08:55 on Tuesday 4 November.

### M&M Theatre

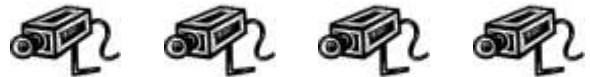
Last Wednesday the children in P3 – P7 enjoyed a visit from the M&M theatre group. Their production of Sleeping Beauty was excellent; a great start to the panto season – “Oh yes it was!”



All of the children will have opportunities to enjoy more live arts events later in the year.

### CCTV

The school's security system has now been upgraded. Six CCTV cameras are now in operation to monitor and record any activity outside the building.



### Energy Fitness Day

The date of next week's fund-raising fitness day has been changed to **Wednesday 29 October**. Children may wear PE kits instead of uniforms – but should remember something warm to put on top. It was decided to run this event instead of asking for donations to our school fund this year. Please help your child to find suitable, generous sponsors and make this a huge success as we aim to purchase two more interactive whiteboards. **All sponsorship money and/or donations should be returned to school by Tuesday 4 November.** Perhaps you'll bump into that millionaire uncle over the holiday!

### Transfer Tests - Reminder

Transfer Tests will be held on 7 and 21 November. Only children involved should be in school before 11:10.