

Update

It has all seemed very quiet around Millfield but everyone has been very hard at work to ensure that the school is ready for September 2024. Starting next week, contractors are beginning to strip the contents. This will take approximately a week. Following this, another group of contractors will be removing floor tiles. After this, the building will be filled with dryers. Once dry, contractors will begin to strip the walls and plaster. These three stages will take us up to the beginning of January. Then in the New Year, the refit will begin.

Works will begin on Monday getting us ready for the porta cabins; this will include temporarily removing the large adventure trail and wall at the top of the playground. This will be followed by drainage systems being put in. From mid-December, the porta cabins will begin to appear on the playground.

We will, of course, continue to ensure our children are kept safe during this time. The playground will be fenced and we will continue to have limited access to the hall. Work will be done to make the infant play areas clean and safe for us to use.

Miss Woosey joined us on Wednesday and will continue to join us over the next 15 days so that she is fully aware of what will happen over the coming weeks.

PE Reminder

- Monday – 11:30-12:30 Year 6
- Tuesday – 11:30-12:30 Year 6
- Wednesday – 10:00-11:00 & 11:00-12:00 Year 3 & 4; 1:00-2:00 Year 5; 1:15-2:00 Year 1
- Friday – 11:05-12:05 year 2; 1:15-2:00 EYFS

It would really help us if the children in Reception, year 1 and year 2 (Barley, Wheat and Rye), can come in their PE kits (e.g. joggers, trainers) with their school jumpers and coats on their PE days. Everyone else (year 3, 4, 5 and 6 - Poplar, Willow, Typhoon, Vulcan and Lancaster) just need to bring their PE kit but only on the days they have PE. We have nowhere to store anything at the moment.

Meeting Reminder

Just in case you have missed this meeting announcement - Lincolnshire County Council and the Environment Agency are holding an open session for residents to ask questions following the recent flooding issues in the village. This meeting will take place on Tuesday 28th November at Washingborough Community Centre from 6.00pm.

I am sure we all agree that we don't want the current situation to happen again and this meeting might be a very interesting place to start. It is my understanding that the school was built in the 1970s and first flooded in 2007. I have been at Millfield since 2018 and the school has experienced two floods in my time; 2019 (when the infant outdoor areas flooded) and the recent flood in 2023.

PTA News

Many thanks to everyone who supported and donated during the PTA's one-day book donation. Everyone's efforts have provided each year group with a box of books to read for pleasure.

The PTA will again host a stall at the Heighington Christmas Market on 3rd December. To help with our fundraising please can you donate a bottle of wine (ideally in a bottle bag) and/or a box of mince pies. These will help towards our 'water or wine' game, always a huge hit, and the refreshments stall, further enhancing our fundraising success. Please drop these in the school hall or with a PTA member before Friday 1st December. Don't forget to join us on the day for fun, games and refreshments!

Next PTA meeting: Monday 4th December 7:30 Turks Head, Heighington

Christmas Events

Unfortunately, we are going to have to change the days and times of our Christmas events, as it is sadly not going to be possible to undertake what we have in the past. We have been trying to find a venue that is big enough for us whilst having the car park facilities that we would require. We are meeting on Wednesday to come up with a plan B which we will share with you on Thursday of next week. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Support the Friends of Heighington
Millfield Priory Academy PTA stall at the

Heighington Christmas Market

SUNDAY 3 DECEMBER 2023 11:00 - 16:00
MILLFIELD SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

Mulled Wine £3.50
Tea, Coffee & Hot Chocolate £1
Baileys Hot Chocolate £3.50
Mince Pies 50p

Water and Wine Game £1
Children's Games 50p
Festive Prize Draw £1

Preloved Christmas Jumpers £3
Face Painting £1.50
Festive Face Glitter £1.50

All money raised by the PTA supports the children attending Heighington Millfield Priory Academy

TERM DATES 2023 / 24

Term 2 - Monday 30th October 2023 to Friday 15th December 2023

Bank Holidays – Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th December 2023 & Monday 1st January 2024

Term 3 - Wednesday 3rd January 2024 to Friday 9th February 2024

Term 4 - Monday 19th February 2024 to Thursday 28th March 2024

Bank Holidays – Friday 29th March & Monday 1st April 2024

Term 5 - Monday 15th April 2024 to Friday 24th May 2024

Bank Holidays – Monday 6th & Monday 27th May 2024

Term 6 - Monday 3rd June 2024 to Friday 19th July 2024



Enter the Friends of Heighington Millfield
Priory Academy PTA

FESTIVE LUCKY PRIZE DRAW

Raise funds to support the children of Heighington Millfield Priory
Academy and be in with the chance to win a fabulous prize!



Star Wars Lego
Festive Hamper
Teepee Sleepover
Beauty Hamper
Jump Inc. Voucher

Enter HERE via the QR code or go online to enter via
<https://tinyurl.com/Heighington-PTA-festive-draw>

Draw closes at 20:00 on
Wednesday 13 December 2023

GOOD LUCK!



TERM DATES 2024 / 25

Term 1 - Wednesday 4th September 2024 to Friday 18th October 2024

Term 2 - Monday 28th October 2024 to Friday 20th December 2024

Bank Holidays – Wednesday 25th & Thursday 26th December 2024 & Wednesday 1st January 2025

Term 3 - Tuesday 7th January 2025 to Friday 14th February 2025

Term 4 - Monday 24th February 2025 to Friday 4th April 2025

Bank Holidays – Friday 18th & Monday 21st April 2025

Term 5 – Tuesday 22nd April 2025 to Friday 23rd May 2025

Bank Holidays – Monday 5th & Monday 26th May 2025

Term 6 - Monday 2nd June 2025 to Friday 18th July 2025

Dates

Any date updates are highlighted in yellow.

27.11.2023

- *Heighington Christmas Market – Sunday 3rd December*
- *New Parents – Reception 2024 – 29th November (10.00am and 12.00pm)*
- *Willow visit to the Collection – 1st December*

04.12.2023

- *Barley to Rand Farm - Wednesday*
- *Rye - Christmas Play - Wednesday 6th December – 2:00*
- *Year 3 & 4 Christmas Service – Thursday 7th December – 2:15*
- *Official Christmas Jumper Day – Thursday 7th December*
- *GLC Christmas Lunch – Friday 8th December – Christmas jumpers can be worn*
- *ISP Reviews*

11.12.2023

- *Year 1 & 2 to the Panto*
- *Choir at Jubilee Hall - Wednesday*
- *Barley - Christmas singalong –Wednesday – 9:00*
- *Wheat nativity – Wednesday 13th December – 2:15*
- *Year 5 & 6 Christmas Singalong – Tuesday 12th December – 2:15*
- *Festive Party (PTA Children's Disco) - Thursday 14th December – letter to follow*

18.12.2023

25.12.2023

01.01.2024

- *Year 4 music tuition starts*

15.01.2024

22.01.2024

- *Sports Hall games BCA - year 3 & 4 - 25th Jan*

29.01.2024

- *EYFS - Reading Stay & Play*
- *Year 1 & 2 games BCA - 1st Feb*

05.02.2024

- *Children's Mental Health Week*

12.02.2024

- *Random act of kindness - 17th Feb*

19.02.2024

- *Eggs arriving from Rand Farm for Barley during this half-term*

26.02.2024

- *Typhoon - Space Centre*
- *Rye - class assembly - Wednesday- pm*
- *Year 5 & 6 Football BCA - 1st March*

04.03.2024

- *World Book Day*
- *Willow - PGL - Sunday 10th*
- *Class & Group photos - Wednesday (9 - 11:30)*

11.03.2024

- *Red Nose Day*
- *Career's Week*

18.03.2024

- *EYFS - Maths Stay & Play*
- *ISP reviews*
- *Year 3 & 4 Benchball BCA - 21st March*

25.03.2024

- *Autism Acceptance Week*
- *Poplar & Willow class assembly*
- *Typhoon, Vulcan & Lancaster - class exhibition (Vulcan and Lancaster will be moving their class exhibitions more information to follow)*
- *Year 6's residential to Laches Wood*

01.04.2024

08.04.2024

15.04.2024

- *Autism Awareness Month (start)*
- *Rye to Rand Farm (Wednesday & Thursday)*

22.04.2024

- *Typhoon – Bikeability*
- *Year 3 & 4 swimming gala - 22nd April*

29.04.2024

06.05.2024

13.05.2024

- *Poplar trip to Magna*
- *EYFS - Writing Stay & Play*
- *EYFS New Parents Meeting*

20.05.2024

27.05.2024

03.06.2024

- *Times table Check*

10.06.2024

- *Phonics Screen*
- *Times table Check*

17.06.2024

- *Year 1 to Clumber Park*
- *Tuesday - Year 3 & 4 - Sport's morning*
- *Thursday - Year 5 & 6 - Sport's Event*

24.06.2024

- *Tuesday - Infant Sport's morning*

01.07.2024

- *Reports out*

08.07.2024

- *Year 5 & 6 - Production*

15.07.2024



Heighington Millfield Primary Academy



Open Mornings

22nd November

&

29th November

10:00 am and 12:00 pm



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Our school is currently closed due to flood damage but we would love to meet you!
Please come and see us, in the school playground, at either 10.00am or 12.00pm on the above dates.
There is no need to book and the Head Teacher will be available for questions.

Please follow the link below for more information:

[Heighington Millfield Primary Academy - Visiting School](#)

