

Excel, Endeavour and Enjoy

“Passion transforms dreams into actions and turns possibilities into realities.”

Staffing News

Mr Cosgrove is returning to school on Monday after his paternity leave, baby bubble! We are also pleased to announce that there will be another addition to the Millfield baby family this year! Mrs Brown, Barley class teacher, is expecting her second child in September. Her maternity dates are yet to be confirmed, we will inform the class parents as soon as they are agreed.

The staffing structure for next year will be shared next term with children and parents.

Rand Farm

What another wonderful Year 2 residential! It was crammed packed full of awe and wonder - from holding a fluffy chick, milking the cows, kneading dough to make our pizza bases or feeding the newly born lambs with very waggly tails! It was the first year we had so many volunteers to do the messiest cleaning out jobs!!! So, we had to find extra messy jobs- cleaning out the chickens, the donkey stalls and wheelbarrowing mountains of soiled straw!! Very entertaining for all concerned. The best bits for the staff were hearing the laughter as they all played indoors and out- all getting muddy and playing together- really knitting our class family together. Thank you for allowing us to borrow your wonderful children overnight!

Values Celebration Assembly

This week we have celebrated our school values. We are very proud to announce that the following children have been presented with a Passion values certificate and Head Teacher award.

Barley – Carys W and Iona L
Wheat – Thomas B
Rye – Ernest A
Poplar – Darci C
Willow – Jennifer S
Typhoon – Ivy P
Lancaster – Katy A
Vulcan – Scarlett C



Wildlife Garden – help!

We are so lucky to have a wildlife garden at our school but unfortunately it is a little unloved. I will be in school on Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th May if any parents can lend a hand. There will be a lot of weeding, clearing and barrowing to ensure that our wildlife garden is able to be used by children. Please contact the school office if you are able to help! (no children please).

Rebuild

Lindum are starting the refit of our school on Monday 29th April and are still on track for a September 2024 completion. Please do not block the main carpark to the school as there will be many skips and vehicles arriving on Monday. I will keep you updated on the progress.

Mill Fest - Save the Date!

On Saturday 29th June we will be ramping up the energy on our traditional summer fair and hosting a summer festival instead - this year has been anything but normal so why not?! Packed full of all our usual stalls, tombola, BBQ, cakes and games, we will also be having a children’s entertainer and two live music acts under a festival tent!

We shall also be running the summer raffle in the lead up to the festival when the prize winners will be announced. We are already busy sourcing prizes and festival sponsors, but will always accept help from our amazing Millfield family, so if you know anyone/company that might wish to get involved with a prize or donation then get in touch with Kerrie and she can coordinate with you.



Academy Calendar Dates Term 5

Date	Event	Class
17.04.2024-18.04.2024	Residential to Rand Farm	Rye
17.04.2024	Whole class music tuition - weekly	Willow
29.04.2024-02.05.2024	Bikeability	Typhoon
8/5/24	Welcome to Millfield	Parents of children starting in Reception Sept 2024
13.05.2024-16.05.2024	SATs	Vulcan & Lancaster
22.05.2024	Magna Science Centre	Poplar

Date	Event	Class
3.6.24 – 7.6.24	Times Tables Check	Willow
10.6.24	Careers Week	All Classes
11.6.24	Climbing Wall	All classes
18.6.24	Sports Day	Vulcan and Lancaster
20.06.24	Sports Day	Poplar and Willow
27.6.24	Sports Day	Barley, Wheat and Rye
29/6/24 2-6pm	Millfest	Everyone welcome
03.07.2024	Reports out	All classes
5/7/24	Y5 and 6 production (afternoon and evening performance)	Typhoon, Lancaster, Vulcan
11/7/24	Disco at Jubilee Hall	R and KS1 6-7pm KS2 7.15 – 8.15pm
16/7/24	Y6 Funday	Vulcan and Lancaser

Term Dates 2023 – 2024

Term 1 – Tuesday 5th September 2023 to Friday 20th October 2023

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

Warm Regards,



Miss Donna Woosey (Headteacher)



Community Litter Pick

We're trying to make Heighington a little more beautiful, but we need your help!

Heighington Parish Council have organised a Community Litter Pick to take place on Sunday 28th April 2024 10am - 12pm. Meeting at Jubilee Hall 10am, we have a limited number of litter picking kits available and we invite all participants to join us in some light refreshments in the Hall afterwards. We look forward to seeing you there!!



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