



Friends of Heighington Millfield

PTA Newsletter | 9 Oct 25

PLANS ARE COMING TOGETHER

This week we have an exciting update on one of this year's events. But first, a thank you to all those who attended the AGM, including some new faces. We had a really good meeting, ratifying the 3 committee positions with the existing persons of Kerrie, Kat and Kim. We heard the chair and treasurer report, approved spending on school trips and discussed options for the year ahead with events and fundraising aims. If you'd like to know more, the minutes and reports are available on the school website.

WINTER LIGHT SHOW

We are delighted to formally introduce the Laser Light Show being held in the school field on Thursday 20th November! Supplied by Fusion Events, prepare to Ooh and Aah at a fabulous light show run to music.

We will be opening the school gates at 5.30pm. We will have the spud wagon and the lincolnshire fryer selling jacket potatoes, hot dogs, burgers, loaded fries and more. The PTA will be selling tea, coffee and hot chocolate plus canned drinks and glow toys.

The light show will start at 7pm launched by 2 children pressing the big red button - more details to come on how they can win this fun prize. The evening will conclude at 7.30pm.

This is a ticketed event, with limited numbers available for safety. Tickets are now available for sale on our charity hive website with a discount on advance ticket purchases that will be available until a couple of days before the event.

Advance tickets £4.50 adult, £4 child, under 3 free
On the night (if available) £6 adult, £5 child, under 3 free

<https://fohmpa.charityhive.co.uk/tickets/1/winter-light-show>

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Autumn Disco -
23rd October

Winter Light Show -
20th November

Christmas Movie
Night -
4th December

Christmas Market -
7th December

Visit our Facebook page for all the latest info!

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsOfHeighingtonMillfieldPrimaryAcademy>

Email us with questions or ideas for future events / fundraisers at:
friendsofheighingtonmillfield@gmail.com

EASYFUNDRAISING

Thank you to all the people who signed up since our last newsletter. You can still register to raise free donations for us when you shop online! Over 8,000 retailers will make a donation to Friends of Heighington Millfield Primary Academy - Lincoln on your behalf when you shop with them. All the big names like Sainsbury's, Argos and Just Eat are ready to donate at no extra cost to you. Last year we raised over £250.

Join now at:

<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/friends-of-heighington-millfield-primary-academy/04xszs/c2s/ahT9laEN/CE945/facebook/>

PRELOVED

A victim of our success, we are low on branded jumpers and cardigans, particularly larger sizes. Please donate any outgrown uniform into reception for our preloved drawers. Preloved clothes are free but if you would like to make a donation it is always welcome.

BIRTHDAY BOOKS

Celebrate your child's birthday by gifting a favourite book to their class instead of sweets. Each book will include a special "Donated by..." sticker and placed in the library, creating a lasting gift for all to enjoy.

NEWSLETTER FOCUS - AUTUMN DISCO

The first of our school discos will take place in the school hall on Thursday 23rd October.

For new families, and those that may not have attended before, we thought it may be useful to explain how we run them.

We hold the reception/KS1 disco from 6-7pm and the KS2 disco from 7.15-8.15pm. We have a DJ come in to do the music and lights and take requests from those children that have some musical favourites. The KS1 disco is always a bit quieter music and less lights to ease them into it and we may do some games too.

Arrival is through the KS2 playground entrance to the right of the hall to allow for coat drop-off. We ask for £3 in correct change (where possible) and your permission slip that will be sent home with your child the week of the disco. Collection is through the library. You will go through the hall to collect your child and exit through the rear of the hall. We have free water and squash available and the option for children to buy haribo sweet bags and glow sticks for 20p each.

We have teachers and volunteers on site throughout to supervise and help with drinks/sweets/glow sticks. If you would like to volunteer for either disco, please reach out to Kerrie on 07731 557750.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Whilst it may be a little early for the 'C' word, searching for raffle prizes is something we try and start early so that we can promote our prize givers during the sale of the raffle tickets.

If you have, or are in, a company that would like to donate a prize, or if you have contacts with someone who might, then we would love to hear from you. Every year the lucky squares raffle offers great prizes and raises great funds for the children so we are truly grateful for every donation.

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MILLFIELD PRIMARY ACADEMY
PTA AT THEIR 2025



WINTER LIGHTS SHOW

CELEBRATE THE SEASON WITH AN AMAZING LASER LIGHT SHOW
SET TO MUSIC - PLUS FOOD, DRINKS AND FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY

THURS 20 NOV 2025, HEIGHINGTON MILLFIELD
SCHOOL FIELD - GATES OPEN 17:30 FOR 19:00 SHOW

ADVANCE TICKETS £4.50 ADULT, £4 CHILD, UNDER 3 FREE
ON THE NIGHT (IF AVAILABLE) £6 ADULT, £5 CHILD, UNDER 3 FREE