

Celebrating Success

On the last day of the previous term, we presented our special awards for maths, the arts, sport and a Governor award for perseverance and resilience.

The maths award was given to Adam because he is an outstanding member of his class. He particularly shines in maths and has already completed his 2, 5 and 10 times table awards! He always works hard through the success criteria and uses his problem solving and prior learned knowledge to complete every task to a high standard. Well done Adam.

The arts award was given to Iris because her delicious vocabulary is rich and varied. She chooses the correct word when needed, to add a richness and depth to her beautiful writing. She can write across many a genre and is very talented, as well as humble. Well done Iris.

The sports award was given to Isaac because he is amazing at sport and is developing a really good sense of fair play, and sportsmanship. He works hard to improve in all PE and Synergy sessions. Well done Isaac.

The Governor award was given to Amelia because she often doubts her ability and worries about new activities. However, she still tries everything asked of her and succeeded in many, making her confidence grow each week. Well done Amelia.

Clubs

Just some news and a little reminder about clubs.

Our Choir (infant and junior) Clubs will continue until Easter and not continue in the Summer Term. Years 4, 5 & 6 will re-start Monday 16th January and years 1, 2 & 3 will re-start Thursday 19th January.

Our Story, Gardening and year 5 & 6 Running Clubs are not continuing this term.

Our BSL Club for year 2 will continue on a Monday lunchtime until the end of the academic year. It re-starts Monday 9th January.

Our 3/4 football – will continue this term and the children will have a new letter if they have said they wish to continue with the club;

Our 5/6 football – will continue this term on a Monday and the children will have a letter if they have said they wish to continue with the club;

Our Synergy year 3, 4, 5 & 6 lunchtime clubs have changed this term and new letters will be coming home with the children who have said they wish to join them.

Kickboxing for years 3, 4, 5 & 6 will start again next Friday, 13th January. Please see below details of how to book.

WOW!

We have given out our first set of badges today to those children who met the WOW challenge of walking, wheeling or striding 3 times a week in December.

Library Books

We are constantly adding to our school library. We want a current, inclusive and diverse offer of books for our children to be able to identify with and relate to. We have audited the library books and staff have created a wish list which we think represents our school community.

If you would like to gift a book to our library, please click on <https://www.anewchapterbooks.com> Click on "wish lists" (top left, blue background), click "view store", scroll down and click "Wishlists +" and choose Heighington Millfield Primary School and then, if you are able to / would like to, choose a book and gift it to school. It will be wrapped, posted to us and then we will add a bookplate to show that the book has been donated by a parent, grandparent or friend of the school.

We appreciate there is a lot of demands on people and families at the current time and any book would be gratefully received. We thank you in anticipation and thank you all for your continued support.



Warm Welcome Space Campaign

Warm Welcome Space Campaign is about providing a warm welcome for those struggling to heat their home this winter and supporting those who wish to offer those spaces for people to go to. A website has been launched Find a Warm Welcome Space Today where you can find a space to use through a search function.

[Find a Warm Welcome Space Today](#)

Internet Safety

This term's online safety focus is "Self Image and Identity". To support this please find enclosed with this Newsletter, a poster giving information on social pressures linked to appearance.



KICKBOXING AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Dear Parents/ Guardians, I'm pleased to say that kickboxing after school sessions are starting back this term here at Millfield primary school, Led by external Instructor Victoria Brewer who is a former WAKO British kickboxing champion. All of these sessions are high-energy fun kick boxing classes teaching skills that will not only help children physically but are great for building self- confidence, self discipline, respect and leadership skills.

This session is suitable for beginners and those who have had a taste of this fantastic sport before!

To find out more about kickboxing and what it involves go to:

www.scottbrewerkickboxingacademy.com

Or even check them out on social media platforms!

AGES	DAY	TIME	FEE	DATES
Years 3-6	Fridays	15.30- 16.15	£20	13th January - 10th February

HOW TO BOOK:

Email us at: SBKAenquiries@gmail.com with your Childs name, year group and after school club they want to attend.
(E.G. Joe Bloggs, year 4 and Millfield)

New Payment details via BACS:

Lincs Bodyfit Ltd 30-99-50 22684760

Reference- Mill first letter of forename & full surname (For example Mill S.Brewer)

TERM DATES 2022 / 23

Term 3 - Wednesday 4th January 2023 to Friday 10th February 2023

Term 4 - Monday 20th February 2023 to Friday 31st March 2023

Bank Holidays – Friday 7th April & Monday 10th April 2023

Term 5 - Monday 17th April 2023 to Friday 26th May 2023

Bank Holidays – Monday 1st, Monday 8th May & Monday 29th May 2023

Term 6 - Monday 5th June 2023 to Wednesday 19th July 2023

TERM DATES 2023 / 24

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

Dates

Below is our first list of dates for the coming year. We will endeavour to stick to the dates published as much as possible however things happen as the year progresses. We will send you more information when we get closer to the event.

Week beginning 09.01.2023

11th Jan - Positively Different - PCSO Will with year 5 & 6 - 1:15 - 3:15 (hall)

Week beginning 16.01.2023

Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 1 & 2 - Sports Hall Games

Week beginning 23.01.2023

Chinese New Year - food tasting - Barley

Week beginning 30.01.2023

Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 5 & 6 - Football - 9:45 – 12

Week beginning 06.02.2023

8th Feb - parent stay and play - Barley

Week beginning 13.02.2023

Half-term

Week beginning 20.02.2023

Chicks / Ducks for Barley

20th February - Safer Stranger - PCSO Will with year 5 & 6 - 1:15 - 3:15 (hall)

Week beginning 27.02.2023

World Book Day

Week beginning 06.03.2023

Parent's Evenings

Week beginning 13.03.2023

PGL for year 4 12th - 15th March

British Science Week

Week beginning 20.03.2023

Vulcan class assembly

Wheat class assembly

22nd March Rye's class assembly

Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 3 & 4 - Benchball

Week beginning 27.03.2023

29th March - parent stay and play – Barley

Lancaster class assembly

Year 5 class assembly

28th March Poplar class assembly

29th March Willow class assembly

2nd April – PTA Easter Egg Hunt

Week beginning 03.04.2023

Easter Holiday

Week beginning 10.04.2023

Easter Holiday

Week beginning 17.04.2023

Week beginning 24.04.2023

24th April Scam Awareness - PCSO Will - Year 5 & 6 - 1:15 - 3:15 (hall)

Week beginning 01.05.2023

Rand Farm - Year 2

3rd May - Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 3 & 4 - Swimming 9:30 - 11

Week beginning 08.05.2023

Week beginning 15.05.2023

Week beginning 22.05.2023

24th May - parents stay & play – Barley

24th May - Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 5 & 6 - Swimming - 9:30 - 11

Week beginning 29.05.2023

Half-term

Week beginning 05.06.2023

Week beginning 12.06.2023

People who help us visitors day – Barley

Careers week

12th June - Personal Responsibility - PCSO Will - Year 5 & 6 - 1:15 - 3:15 (hall)

Sports days

Reception, year 1 & 2 - 12th June

Year 3 & 4 - 14th June

Year 5 & 6 - 16th June

Week beginning 19.06.2023

Bikeability for year 5

23rd June- Branston Sports Festival for a group of year 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Athletics 10 - 2

Week beginning 26.06.2023

1st July – Summer Fayre

Week beginning 03.07.2023

Week beginning 10.07.2023

Year 5 & 6 Production

Week beginning 17.07.2023

Meeting the New Teacher