



Mini Milton Messenger

Friday 13th October 2023

Autumn Term 1

Dear Families,

We have had a lovely and busy week in school and on Tuesday we celebrated HelloYellow World Mental Health Day and it was super to see so much yellow in school on such a beautiful and sunny day. The children took part in activities during the day to promote positive mental health. There are lots more photographs on the school's Twitter account.



Thank you for your very generous donations to the Daylight Centre Foodbank over the last couple of days. It was wonderful to see so many of you join us this afternoon for our wonderful Harvest Festival.



Attached is an article in the Northampton Chronicle & Echo regarding our Ofsted Inspection in the summer with a super photograph of our House Captains and School Council: [Milton Parochial Primary School celebrates 'good' rating from Ofsted \(northamptonchron.co.uk\)](http://northamptonchron.co.uk).

Good luck to our Dodgeball team from Brixworth class who are going to the Pacesetters Games at Benham Sports Centre on Monday morning. Please remember to be in school for 8.30am.

We look forward to seeing those of you who are able to join us next week on Friday 20th October at 2.45pm for Book and Biscuit.

THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

Delapre: This week we have enjoyed researching and creating our harvest art linked to thanksgiving. We also carried out an experiment in science to test whether older people have larger feet than younger people. We are going to be looking at our results closely next week.

Stanwick: This week we have been talking about our emotions and recognising that although they can be positive or negative, they are all natural reactions. We have been trying to think about how we can boost the positive feelings for others.

Brixworth: This week we have been learning about different types of numbers: primes, squares and cubes. We enjoyed thinking about positive affirmations for World Mental Health Day and also learning about harvest festivals from around the world.

PARENTS' EVENING

MONDAY 16TH AND TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER

Parents' Evening appointment slips have been sent home in bookbags so please do check.

Jules at Home will be with us for any uniform requirements.

Rhino Sports Academy afterschool club will be going ahead but will take on a different format as the hall is used and it is weather dependent but the provision of childcare is still available.

Any queries with appointment times, please let Mrs Dowdells know.

DELAPRE CLASS TRIP - WEDNESDAY 18TH OCTOBER

Can all children please bring a coat and a water bottle with them for the class trip to Holdenby House on Wednesday 18th October and wear warm clothes under their costumes as they will be outside for part of the day.

Consent and payment is available on ParentPay and please book a sandwich lunch or ask Mrs Dowdells to.

BOOK AND BISCUIT - FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER

We are very much looking forward to seeing those of you who are able to join us next week on Friday 20th October for Book and Biscuit at 2.45pm.

BRIXWORTH RESIDENTIAL - JUNE 2024

The next instalment is available on ParentPay for the residential for Brixworth class. If you have any queries please don't hesitate to let Mrs Dowdells know.

PARENT / CARER CONSENT FORM FOR PHOTOGRAPHS

Please return completed forms to Mrs Dowdells in the School Office, thank you.

ABM SPECIAL LUNCHES

Next term's new menus are available to book via ParentPay

Tuesday 14th November - Happy Diwali



FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES Have you checked to see if you are entitled to free school meals for your children Years 3 to 6?

Information can be found via [Free school meals and pupil premium | West Northamptonshire Council \(westnorthants.gov.uk\)](https://www.westnorthants.gov.uk/free-school-meals)

If you find your child is entitled to a free school lunch in Y3 to Y6 please let Mrs Dowdells know.

PDET PARENT VOICE SURVEY

AUTUMN 2023

Further to Ruth Walker-Green's letter sent on 11th October, please take the opportunity to feedback on the links below. The closing date is Friday 20th October.

<https://forms.office.com/e/35GZCjTRU2>

PDET Parent Survey Autumn
2023/24



RHINO SPORTS ACADEMY

Rhino Sports Academy half-term holiday camps are available to book online at: [Camps - Rhino Sports Academy](https://RhinoSportsAcademy.co.uk/camps)



Friends of Milton School Annual General Meeting

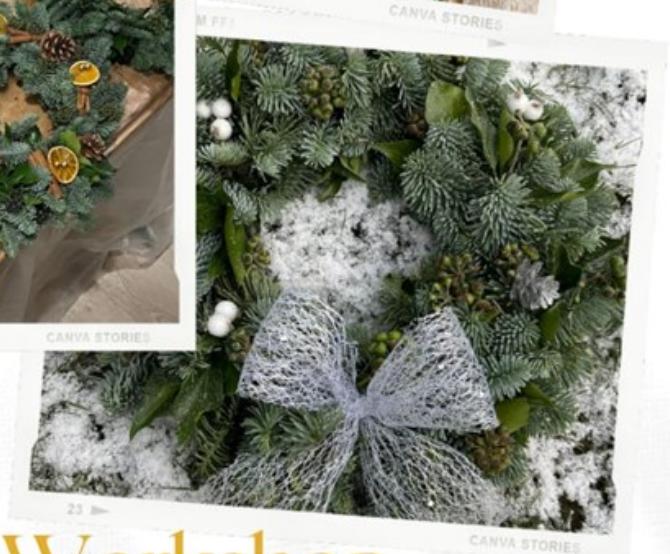
Our AGM will take place on
Thursday 19th October 2023 at 3.00pm
and will be held at the school

If you are interested in joining FOMS and/or would like to attend the meeting to find out more about what we do, then please contact us by email:

thefriendsofmiltonschool@gmail.com

Friends of Milton School
Registered Charity Number: 1104785

Milton Parochial Primary School, Green Street, Milton Malsor, NN7 3AT



Wreath Making Workshop

With the Friends of Milton Parochial Primary School

Saturday 18th November 2023 - 1.30pm, 4.30pm and 7.30pm

At Milton Parochial Primary School

£40 per person

Includes all materials, mulled wine, mince pies.

Just bring an apron and secateurs

To book, please email thefriendsofmiltonschool@gmail.com

Dates for the Diary:

Monday 16th October:	Pacesetters Dodgeball, Years 5&6 at Benham Sports Centre (for those participating please arrive at school for 8.30am via the car park gates)
Monday 16th & Tuesday 17 October:	Parents' Evening (appointment slips in bookbags)
Wednesday 18th October:	Delapre Class trip to Holdenby House (please book a sandwich lunch & consent is available on ParentPay)
Thursday 19th October:	FOMS AGM at 3.00pm, please join us if you are able to
Friday 20th October:	Book & Biscuit at 2.45pm Last Day of Term
Monday 30th October:	Back to school
Wednesday 1st November:	Brixworth Class swimming lessons
Thursday 2nd November:	Brixworth Class trip to The Tower of London
Friday 3rd November:	Achievement Assembly at 2.45pm
Wednesday 8th November:	Brixworth Class swimming lessons
Wednesday 15th November:	Brixworth Class swimming lessons
Saturday 18th November:	FOMS Wreath Workshops 1.30pm, 4.30pm & 7.30pm
Monday 20th November:	Pacesetters Boys Football, Years 3&4 at Benham Sports Centre
Tuesday 21st November:	Stanwick Class trip to Conkers
Wednesday 22nd November:	Brixworth Class swimming lessons
Monday 27th November:	Pacesetters Boys Football, Years 5&6 at Benham Sports Centre
Wednesday 29th November:	Brixworth Class swimming lessons

Further dates will be added in due course

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