

## Headlands Primary School: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2023

### Diabetes UK



Thank you for supporting the Diabetes Bake Stall last Friday after school.

They raised a fantastic £152.80 for the charity.

The leftover cakes were donated to Ivy Lodge retirement home for the residents to enjoy.



### Royal British Legion



Together we raised £84.16 for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

This support has made a real difference to those in the Armed Forces Community.

### Thank you PTA for the new school performing lights



The PTA organised and purchased new stage lights for the whole school. They set themselves this target earlier in the year on top of funding additional books for the children. They have worked incredibly hard to achieve this goal during the Autumn Term and have the lights installed ready for the performances!

These were used at the Nativity and KS1 performance of Santa's Hat, and will be used later in the year for Year 3/4 and Year 5/6.

**Thank you** for all the fundraising efforts and for your support in making this possible.

### Parent Forum



Thank you to the Parent Forum who raised £238.50 in selling programmes and photographs at the Christmas performances last week for Reception and Year 1/2. We hope you enjoy the mementos of the fabulous productions which will be sent home this week. All proceeds will be used to support the children's parties!

### Christmas parties



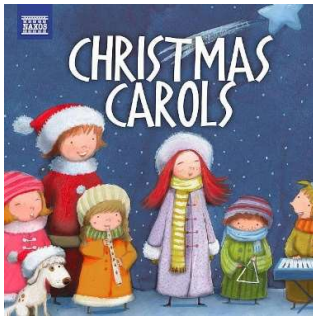
In full festive spirit, each phase group will have a Christmas Party with games, food and lots of fun!

Our party days are:

- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December: EYFS and KS1
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December: Year 3/4 and 5/6

Children are invited to come in non-uniform/ party clothes all day on their designated party day if they so wish.

## Headlands Christmas Carol Service: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December



Headlands Christmas Carol Service will take place in St. Mary's Church Haxby on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 5.45pm. The school choir will be performing special Christmas pieces.

There will be readings and carols for everyone to join in so let the joy of Christmas begin.

You are warmly invited to this special event

## Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day: Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December



Its Christmas dinner day! YUMMY! The children are also invited to wear a Christmas jumper for the day to join in the Christmas celebrations if they so wish.



## Father Christmas Letters



The children will be bringing the PTA Father Christmas letters home on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December.

Please look in their book bags to find them.

## Christmas cards and presents



Children love sending and receiving Christmas cards. Children will be able to hand out their Christmas cards during playtimes and lunchtimes.



**Please exchange any gifts between families and other children outside of school.**

## Christmas Elves in the Kitchen!



Here are some of the antics the Kitchen Elves have been getting up to this week.

Poor Mrs Nunn and the kitchen team.



### PTA doughnuts



This fundraising event has been postponed until next year.

### Holiday clubs over the Christmas break



Please refer to the section on the school website for information on holiday clubs/ activities running in our local area.

<https://www.headlandsprimary.org.uk/page/?title=Holiday+Activities&pid=229>

### Haxby Playgroup at Headlands Primary

Spaces are currently available at Haxby Playground which is based at Headlands Primary School. Please contact Jodie for further details on 01904 768966 or refer to the website:

<http://www.haxbyplaygroups.org.uk/>

### School vacancy

We are currently recruiting for the role of midday supervisor. If you are interested in this post please contact Carol Prangnell via the school office.



**Thank you very much for the wonderful gifts to the members of staff for Christmas. You are extremely generous and your support is very much appreciated.**

### Dates for your diary

18.12.2023: KS1 Party

18.12.2023: EYFS Party

19.12.2023: Christmas Carol Concert at St. Mary's Church 5.45pm

20.12.2023: Christmas dinner and 'wear your Christmas jumper!'

21.12.2023: Year 5/6 Party

21.12.2023: Year 3/4 Party

22.12.2023: School closes for Christmas break

08.01.2024: School closed as Training Day

09.01.2024: School opens.



**From everyone at Headlands, we wish you all a very Happy Christmas and look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.**

Best wishes,  
Headlands Primary School





## WIGGINTON GRASSHOPPERS **COSMOS U11 GIRLS**

We are looking at going into the  
9v9 League around February time,  
possibly sooner.

For this to happen we will require a couple  
more players to add to the existing squad,  
especially a budding Mary Earps...



Training is held Thursday evenings 6-7pm at the LNER Community Stadium

**If your daughter is in school Year 6 and  
football mad, then please get in touch:**

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