

Public Notice

6th January 2025

Garrett's Charity (Registered Charity 1053847)

The charity intends to change the purpose of the Heritage Rooms formerly known as Heighington School and playground which is governed by the Scheme dated 24 July 1995 as amended on 2 December 2020. The proposed change will amend the purpose of the Heritage Rooms to be:

for the benefit of the residents of the area of benefit and the neighbourhood, without distinction of sex, sexual orientation, race or of political, religious or other opinions by associating together the said residents and the local authorities, voluntary and other organisations in a common effort to advance education and to provide facilities in the interests of social welfare for recreation and leisure time occupation including artistic, craft and cultural activities with the objective of improving the conditions of life for the residents.

You can find further information about the proposed change on our website:

<https://sites.google.com/view/garrettscharity>


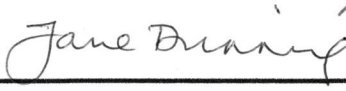

or by contacting the Secretary of the charity on the following email:

garrettscharity@gmail.com

If you wish to make comments on the proposal please send these to the above email address or in writing to:

Garrett's Charity, c/o 2a Fen Road, Heighington, Lincoln LN4 1JL.

Comments must be received not later than Friday 7th February 2025.

Chairman  Secretary  Treasurer 

Background information: *The Heritage Rooms were previously leased to North Kesteven District Council to operate as a specialised community centre for "local heritage purposes" including "practical activities, exhibitions and exhibition workshops" on a not for profit basis. This lease ran from 1993 to 2018. The Heritage Rooms reverted to the Charity on expiry of the lease. The proposed change to the "purpose" of the Heritage Rooms as set out above is intended to reflect the expiry of that lease but also the continuation of such artistic, craft and cultural activities at the premises. The proposed new purpose above is consistent with formal written advice provided by the Charity Commission for England and Wales.*

The proposed change will have no impact upon the separate charitable purpose of the adjacent chapel of ease, which will remain unchanged.