



# The Apple



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## Dear Parents/Carer

I cannot quite believe that next week is the final week in school prior to the summer break. It has been another epic year here at Isaac Newton and the time has simply flown by. Whilst we were disappointed to have to cancel Sports Day on Tuesday the rest of the week has been brilliant.

Throughout the week pupils from each year group have been designing rockets. This aspect of science has really caught their imagination and the test flights have been brilliant! Hopefully (so long as the weather is good) the classes will have entered a competition against one another this afternoon. The judges will be checking the aesthetics (look) of the rocket, the height it reaches and the distance travelled when declaring the winners.

Last Sunday saw the school hockey team attend the County Finals. They acquitted themselves brilliantly and we were really proud of the way in which they played. Well done to all who represented the school.

On Wednesday we had a great time as Frank's Ice Cream Van visited the school. This is an end of year tradition which the children (and staff) love!

The Year 4 Cricket Team was in action on Wednesday. They went to Knipton to play in a tournament against other local schools and managed to come back as champions. Well done to all of the pupils that played.

Thursday saw the Foundation Stage pupils visit White Post Farm. They had a great day learning all about animals and did brilliantly to cope so well with their first school visit outside of Grantham.



Finally, the pupils in Years 5 and 6 have completed their Relationships Education lessons this week. They handled the sessions with great maturity and we were proud of the way in which they engaged in the lessons.

**Paul Hill**  
**Headteacher**

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## Message for pupils in Year 2

Can all of the Parents/Carers in Year 2 please remember that children **DO NOT receive a FREE school meal when they reach Year 3**. If you would like your children to continue to have a hot meal then you will need to pay for the meals that you order. If not then your child will need to bring a packed lunch from home each day.

## Reports

Your child should have brought home his/her report this evening. If it has not arrived then please get in touch with your child's class teacher.

## Year 6 Leavers

The Year 6 leavers' presentation evening will take place on **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm**. All Parents/Carers and Grandparents are welcome.

## Headlice

We currently have a high number of pupils with headlice within the school. Can all Parents/Carers please check their children's hair this weekend and take the necessary action should lice be spotted.

## KS2 Sports Day

As you know, we had to cancel the KS2 Sports Day on Tuesday. We have rescheduled for Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 1:30pm. This time the events will take place on **the school field**. Let's hope that it's sunny!

**We would love to see as many Parents/Carers and Grandparents as possible!**

## Ear Rings

Can all Parents/Carers please remember that if pupils are going to have their ears pierced then the best time is at the beginning of the summer holiday. This ensures that they are able to remove their ear rings for PE when they return in September. Pupils are not allowed to participate in PE if they are unable to remove ear rings. Also, please remember that pupils should **only have one stud ear ring in each ear** if they are wearing them for school.

## Dates for your Diary

19 <sup>th</sup> July	6pm – Y6 Leavers Assembly
20 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Day at School
5 <sup>th</sup> September	Children return to school