



# The Apple

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We had a fantastic start to this week with Years 5 and 6 visiting Gainsborough Old Hall to find out more about their topic on the Tudors. The experience really did enhance their knowledge and understanding of the theme and they all got fully involved in the role play!



On Wednesday we had two exciting events! The Grantham Journal visited to celebrate our OFSTED report. The report should be in the Journal this week. No sooner had the Journal left then Shona McCallin arrived to take an assembly. Shona (gold medal winning Hockey player at the Rio Olympics) really inspired the pupils with her story of success and ways in which to deal with the pressure in a range of situations.

Yesterday the netball team played their first matches of the season and managed to win both convincingly. Well done to all involved in the team.

*PJ AM*

### Dates for your Diary:

18 <sup>th</sup> Oct	School Discos
20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Last Day at School
30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	INSET day – No Children
31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Children Return to School
7 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Parents Evening (late)
8 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Parents Evening

### School Disco

We have now sold out of tickets for the KS2 disco (Years 3-6). Please do not turn up and ask to enter without a ticket. **We are not allowed to have more** than the allocated number of pupils in the hall due to fire regulations.

### Governor Vacancy

We are currently seeking to appoint a new Parent Governor. If you would like to put your name forward then please pick up a letter from the school office. Mr Hill would be delighted to meet with anybody who would like to discuss the role – just book an appointment by calling the office.

### Foodbank Thank You



We would like to say a huge thank you to everybody who contributed to our collection for the Grantham Foodbank. It was amazing to be able to donate so much. Brian from the Foodbank popped into assembly to tell us about the number of families it would help to feed and to thank us for the collection.



Percentage Attendance	Days off per year	School Time Missed By Year 6
100%	0	0
95%	9½	$\frac{1}{3}$ of a school year
90%	19	$\frac{2}{3}$ of a school year
85%	28½	1 whole school year
80%	38	One and $\frac{1}{3}$ school years
75%	47½	1 and $\frac{2}{3}$ school years