



The Apple

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Dear Parents/Carer

It has been another busy week at school. The children are producing some fantastic writing based on the trips and experiences from last week and there is a real sense of purpose within each classroom.

The pupils in the Juniors have democratically elected their student council representatives. The representatives have already ensured that the school rules are updated and will have presented the rules in today's assembly. The school council always decide upon the rules for the year and this years are as follows:



The larger the writing the more important School Council think the rule is! Having the school council decide upon the rules is a massively significant factor in giving ownership to the pupils and helps us to maintain the fantastic levels of behaviour that we see day to day!

House Captains have been selected. This is an important role as we expect the Captains to set a great example with their behaviours and attitudes, as well as performing responsible jobs. For those of you who are new to the school the children in Years 1 to 6 are each in one of the following houses.

Foale – Green
Roberston – Red

Saunders - Yellow
Tennyson - Blue

We have also selected our Bronze Ambassadors. These children help to ensure that the legacy from the 2012 London Olympics continues. They liaise with other schools and help to organise events so that children can see the value of sport in their lives.

Finally, we have begun appointing playground leaders. This is another important role for Year 6 pupils. Playground leaders are trained to run games and activities on the Infant Playground at lunch times. It helps the younger pupils to enjoy breaks whilst developing leadership skills for our older children!

Paul Hill
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary:

28 th -30 th September	Year 6 PGL Visit
18 th October	Disco
15 th November	E-safety day and Anti-Bullying Week

Year 1 – Mrs Fulcher and Mrs Brockington's Class

I am delighted to be able to report that we have appointed Mrs Feekins as the class teacher. She will begin as soon as we have gained all of the necessary clearances and will be their full time teacher.

Open Evenings

Pupils should have been receiving flyers about open days/evenings of the local secondary schools. Please ask at the school office if you are interested but haven't received the flyer.

Cross Country

The school cross country have been in action over the last two weeks. They have performed brilliantly giving 100% to each and we are extremely proud of each member of the team.



Lincolnshire Day

October 1st is Lincolnshire Day when we "Yellow Bellies" celebrate all things Lincolnshire. As year six will be at PGL on that day we shall be celebrating a week later on Friday October 7th.

We like to use this day as an opportunity for the children to discover the area in which they are growing up, its history, famous people, places, industry, agriculture and food. Each class will be researching some aspect of Lincolnshire and producing something to form part of an exhibition that we shall be holding in the school hall.

As part of our celebrations we are having a non- uniform day when the children can come dressed in yellow to represent the nickname for Lincolnshire people. As part of their homework we would like the children to find out the origins of this nickname.

Local Event:



Raffle tickets for the above event are also available.