

# The Apple



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## Dear Parents/Carer

What a week we have had! Last Friday the Year 2 pupils visited Tattershall Castle. It was a fantastic day and they learned a great deal. We were disappointed that the Year 1 visit was cancelled and are sure that they will have a fantastic experience when they do visit.



Last Friday also saw the violins, recorders, choir and choral speakers take part in the Colsterworth Festival of Performing Arts. The children each represented the school brilliantly and their performances were exceptional. The violins even managed to win their category!

On Monday and Tuesday the pupils in Years 5 and 6 visited "The Deep". They had an amazing time studying the huge range of water-based creatures at the aquarium and came back buzzing about the days.

The Foundation Stage pupils continue to meet a range of people in responsible jobs within the local community. This week our local PCSO popped in to tell them about her job and to show a police van (including setting off the siren). It was a fascinating visit.



The school football and netball teams have been in action this week. The Football teams played brilliantly this week with the Year 6s managing to win whilst the Year 5 team lost narrowly. On Wednesday we entered the SWIM GALA.

Finally, thank you all for your support with World Book Day. We had a fantastic time and were amazed at all of the hats that were entered into the competition. The teachers came up with some amazing activities for their classes which we hope have either kindled or re-established the children's love of reading.

Paul Hill  
Headteacher

## Dates for your Diary:

7 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 PGL Day
8 <sup>th</sup> March	Tattershall Castle Visit Y1
14 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents' Evening
15 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents' Evening
16 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Bingo
30 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day
31 <sup>st</sup> March	INSET Day

## Chocolate Tombola

We are still collecting for our chocolate tombola, just drop any donations off at the school office.

## Swimathon Money

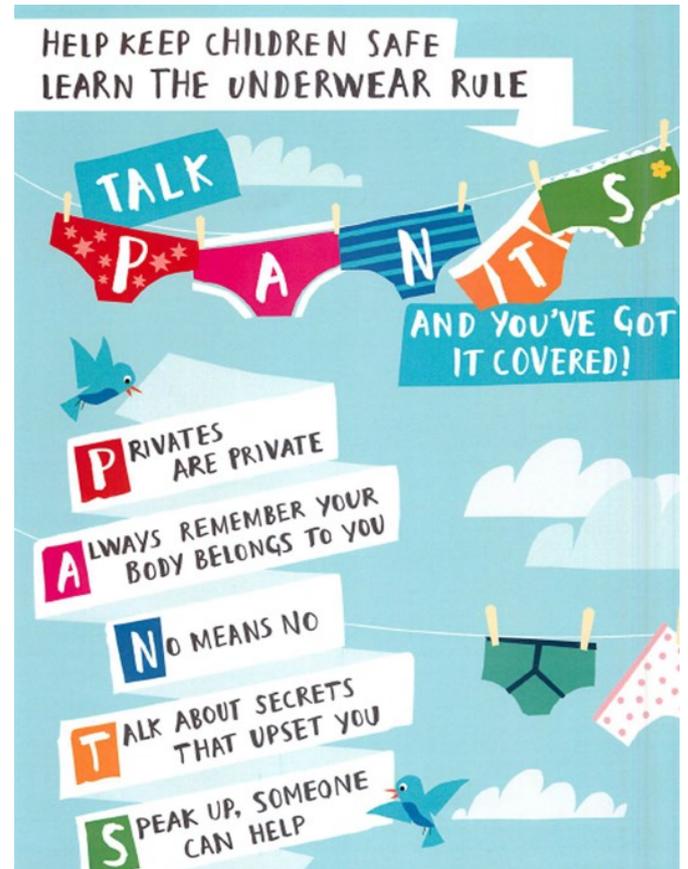
Please bring in any remaining Swimathon money as soon as possible.

## Parents' Evenings

You should now have received your letter to book a time to discuss your child's progress at Parents' Evening. If you haven't received your letter then please call the school office to book you slot next week.

## PANTS

During the week Mrs Dickson has reminded the children of the PANTS rules that they should follow. PANTS stands for the following:



It is an NSPCC scheme which is well worth revising with your child.

## Family Bingo

Tickets are now on sale for our Family Bingo on 16<sup>th</sup> March 3:30pm. Just pop to the school office to get yours - £1.50 which includes your games and a hotdog! It would be great to have a big turnout.

## Red Nose Day

We shall be celebrating Red Nose Day on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March. Children can come to school wearing red. Fun events to be announced later.....watch this space!