



The Apple



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Dear Parents/Carer

The weeks keep on flying past as we approach the end of the school year. We have crammed a lot into the week and I have spent most of it having nightmares about being forced to volunteer for the stunt cycle show that we enjoyed last week:



Last Friday we sent a group of children to the KS2 Grantham Athletics Festival. We managed to come 4th overall and had a record number of pupils finishing either 1st, 2nd or 3rd.

This week has been packed full of trips and theme days. Years 3 and 4 had an amazing time learning about Diwali and produced some beautiful art work:



Years 1 and 2 had a fantastic time when they visited Skegness the week. It has really helped with their theme and inspired their work in class.



Yesterday Year 5 visited Charles Read Academy. They set off rockets, went in the labs and met a Bearded Dragon (lizard) called Norbert. It was a great visit.

Our Year 3/4 golf team was also in action yesterday evening winning the Grantham Schools Competition. They will now go on to the County Finals!

Finally, thank you to everyone who attended KS2 Sports Day on Wednesday. The children performed brilliantly and we were delighted to get through all of the races before the downpour. Saunders House (yellow) managed to win the Sports Day Cup by just 4 points. Thank you for your support

Paul Hill
Headteacher

Dates for Your Diary:

5 th July	Year 5 Yorkshire Wildlife Park
8 th July	Sports Day FS, Years 1 and 2
8 th July	School Fete (3:30pm)
11 th July	Moving on Morning
13 th July	Violin concerts (invites to follow) 2:15pm
20 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (after school)

Communicating with school

Can all Parents/Carers please remember that any concerns that you have about your children should be discussed with the child's class teacher in the first instance. It is essential that you report concerns as soon as they arise so that we can deal with them quickly. In this way we can ensure that all of our children are happy with their school experience!

Using the Zebra Crossing

As a school we know that a number of children walk to school without adult supervision. This is all part of growing up and is an important skill to learn prior to moving on to secondary school. However, a number of children have been spotted crossing Dysart Road at points where it can be extremely difficult to find a safe gap in the traffic. It would be fantastic if Parents/Carers were able to reinforce the message that such pupils should be using the zebra crossing.

SPORTS DAY – Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2

Sports day for pupils in the Foundation Stage and Years 1/2 will take place on 8th July. Pupils should arrive in their PE kit. Parents and Carers should drop their children off as normal and then head to the school field. We will register the children and then bring them onto the school field as quickly as possible in readiness for the races. Please remember to send in a hat and a water bottle. You should also ensure that pupils have applied sun cream prior to their arrival at school.

For both sports days we would love to see as many Parents/Carers and Grandparents as possible!

Year 6 Leavers

The Year 6 leavers' presentation evening will take place on **Wednesday 20th July at 6pm**. All Parents/Carers and Grandparents are welcome – please put the date in your diary.