

# The Apple



# The weekly news from Isaac Newton School, Grantham

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# **Dear Parents/Carers**

It has been another incredibly busy week here at school. We began with a Legacy Tour assembly on Monday. We have been involved in Legacy work each year since the Olympic Games in 2012. Our Bronze Sports Ambassadors led the assembly brilliantly, giving us a great overview of the history of the Olympics and telling us all



about the games at Rio this year. It was fantastic and Madeline and Kasey presented brilliantly.

As you all know, parents' evenings took place on Tuesday and Wednesday. Thank you to all of the Parents/Carers that attended. We will reorganise the appointments for Mrs Clark as soon as she is better, thank you for your understanding.

Yesterday the school netball team attended the Grantham School's Tournament. They have been playing brilliantly all year and yesterday was no different as they managed 3<sup>rd</sup> place. We also found out that we had come second in the Grantham League and will represent Grantham in the County Finals!

This week has been "Science Week" here at school. As such we have been using the afternoons to focus on projects and experiments. The children have had a great time and learned a lot – why don't you ask them what they have been doing? Our Sport Relief gym lessons are taking part as I write. It has been great to raise money and keep fit at the same time. We will inform you of the amount raised in next week's newsletter but are grateful for your support.

Finally, we have just totalled up the amount of money that we raised for the Rotary Club when doing the Swimarathon. It was an amazing £1000. Thank you to everyone who took part.

Paul Hill Headteacher



#### Does vour newsletter ever disappear?

If it does then don't worry. You can either:

- Make sure that you have given us your email address – the newsletter can then be sent electronically, or:
- Check the school website (usually on a Friday but always by the following Monday). Just go to the website and click on the newsletters tab.

#### **Dates for Your Diary:**

24th March Chocolate Tombola and Second

Hand Uniform Sale in big hall

24<sup>th</sup> March Break-up for Easter

12<sup>th</sup> April Children return after Easter

# **Easter Competition**

The annual Easter Bonnet and Egg Decoration competition is underway! All entries need to be completed by 23<sup>rd</sup> March. We will announce the winners in assembly on 24<sup>th</sup> March and they will receive an Easter Egg.

#### **Easter Chocolate Tombola**

We will be having an Easter chocolate Tombola on 24<sup>th</sup> March. All chocolate donations would be gratefully received – just drop them off at the school office.

#### **Tweeting**

We were delighted to receive a tweet to the school twitter account about Phoenix this week. She managed to win the Cliffedale Chandlers under nine table tennis competition – well done!

# Year 3 Residential

All of the pupils in Year 3 should have received a letter about a residential visit next year. Please ensure that you respond as quickly as possible so that we can confirm our arrangements. Priority will be given to those pupils whose Parents/Carers returned the slip in the letter previously sent out.

# E-safety

As a school we constantly highlight the need for pupils to stay safe online. Here are some of our top tips!



#### **Second Hand Toy Sale**

We will be holding a second hand toy sale on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April at 3:40pm. All donations of toys and books in good condition will be gratefully accepted. Just drop them off at the school office.

#### DON'T FORGET

We break up for Easter on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March and the children return to school on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April.