



The Apple



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Dear Parents/Carer



Sometimes it is impossible to sum up all of those things that you want to say in a newsletter. Today was Mrs Anderson's last day as the Deputy Headteacher here at Isaac Newton and I know that whatever I write in this letter will not do justice to the huge difference that she has made to the school during her 26 years here. Mrs Anderson's dedication to the school has ensured that thousands of children here have been well looked after in terms of their emotional, academic and physical well-being. The children whom she has taught can feel extremely fortunate to have counted her as their class teacher. I have never met any teacher who is as insightful, well researched and most importantly child centred.

I feel blessed to have worked with Mrs Anderson for the past 4 years. She has been a real inspiration to us all! We wish her well in her retirement.



I am sure that you are all wondering when a new Deputy Headteacher will be appointed. I am delighted to announce that Mrs Pask was interviewed by myself and members of the governing body last week and will be taking on the position of Deputy Headteacher following the Easter break. Mrs Pask will also continue to teach in Year 2. I would like to say a huge congratulations to Mrs Pask on her promotion.

Last Thursday and Friday the Year 5 and 6 children visited the Yorkshire Wildlife Park. They had an amazing time:



We also welcomed Dr Ken Farquhar to school. He presented his mad science assembly to the children in Years 3-5 which included a range of amazing tricks completed using scientific principles. It was an amazing assembly in which the children saw science in action.

Yesterday we welcomed Les and Maggie to our assembly. They were there to hand out Rotary Stars awards to children who have gone above and beyond this half term. A huge thank you to them for coming in.

Paul Hill
Headteacher

Netball Success

Last Thursday the school netball team took to the court in the Grantham Schools' Netball Tournament. During the day they played 6 games, winning all 6 and scoring 56 goals whilst conceding just 1. As such they were the winners of the tournament. A huge well done to all who played!

Dates For Your Diary:

29th March	Last Day in School
16 th April	Return to school after Easter
27th April	Dance-a-thon for NSPCC

