

The weekly news from Isaac Newton School, Grantham

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Dear Parents/Carers

It has been another fantastic week here at school, especially for the pupils in Year 6 who went on their outdoor activity residential. They were involved in a range of activities including raft building, aeroball, fencing, going on the giant swing, archery and orienteering. As ever, they behaved brilliantly and were a credit to us all.

School Council have been extremely busy this week. They have updated the school rules (see below, reopened the swap shop and decided that they would like to raise money for the NSPCC during this school year. Each member of the school council was elected by his/her classmates and we are delighted with the attitude that each councillor has shown!

The school cross country team were back in action this week and ran really well. They are showing great perseverance and we are seeing great improvement.

Finally, thank you to those Parents/Carers who have returned volunteer slips. I will be in touch soon so that we can organise induction sessions for each of you.

Paul Hill Headteacher

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Swap Shop – School Uniform

School Council reopened the school's swap shop on Fridays. The swap shop was set up so that items of school uniform could be swapped as children grow out of their own. As such, you can either swap an item of school uniform or buy one for 50p.

Dates for your diary:

5th Oct Foodbank Week 12th Oct **NSPCC** Assembly 15th/16th Oct Open Day (FS 2016)

20th Oct Disco 4th Nov E-safety day 18th/19th Nov Parents' Evenings

Parking Around School

A number of local residents have expressed their concern about both the driving and parking of cars during the drop off and pick up times at school. We do not want there to be an accident or for our neighbours to find it difficult to manoeuvre near school. Your support in this would be appreciated.

Adults in School

Please remember that Parents/Carers should not be entering the school building either before or after school unless invited in by a member of staff. This is not because we do not like to see you but because we need to ensure that our child protection and fire regulations are followed. If you are late for school then you should take your child to the office where they will then be directed to their class.

Parent View

OfSTED offers the opportunity for Parents/Carers to complete an online survey about the school each year. In order to complete this survey you should go to:

parentview.ofsted.gov.uk

To leave your views click on "Give your views" and follow the instructions.

We will be holding discos for the pupils in Years 1/2 and Years 3/6 on 20th October tickets are available in the office next week:

Years 1 and 2:

4:30pm – 5:30pm, tickets cost £1 and a packet of crisps and a drink will be provided.

Years 3-6

6:30pm-8pm, tickets will cost £2 and a packet of crisps and a drink will be provided.

We do not invite reception age children at this time of year as they are still settling into school life.

Aim high and always try your best

Be helpful and considerate towards others

Respect everyone's opinions and ideas

Take on board advice from others

Be polite and remember your manne

Feel proud to belong to Isaac Newton School

Always listen carefully to one another