

# The Apple



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# Dear Parents/Carer

What a week! As the end of the school year approaches the children continue to maintain their focus the teachers have continued to ensure that they have incredible experiences. Monday was particularly busy as both the Year 5s and 6s were out on school visits. The Year 5's had a brilliant time at "The Making of Harry Potter". The trip fits perfectly with their theme (The Alchemist) and will help to maintain the rates of progress that we are seeing in writing.

Year 6 visited Knipton to play cricket and see some birds of prey. Their behavior was impeccable and they participated well in all activities.

On Wednesday the Violinists, Year 6 recorder players and Miss Clark's class treated us to an amazing musical extravaganza. All of the children performed brilliantly. Their timing and concentration was exceptional and we were really proud of the way in which they performed.

On Thursday Sophie Alan (former national swimmer) came in to take an assembly and workshops for the girls in Years 5 and 6. She was really inspirational and provided a great example to the girls.

Finally, next Thursday evening will see "Marks Magic Kingdom" coming to school. It would be great to have a good turn out — details about tickets can be seen below.

Paul Hill Headteacher



#### **SPORTS DAYS**

Sports days are approaching quickly. As ever we will expect all children to participate unless their Parents/Carers have discussed any injuries or issues with the pupil's class teacher.

Sports Day for pupils in years **3-6** will take place on 11<sup>th</sup> July. Children should arrive at school at the usual time in their PE kit. It would be great if as many pupils as possible were able to wear a t-shirt in the colour of their house. As soon as the registers have been taken we will set off for the Meres. Parents/Carers should meet us there (we hope to begin at approximately 9:30am). We will then compete and have a prize giving at the end. All children in the Juniors will have a packed lunch on sports day. Those who have booked a hot meal will be provided with a pack up by the school.

Sports day for pupils in the **Foundation Stage** and **Years 1/2** will take place on 7<sup>th</sup> July. Again 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.

For both events 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.

We would love to see as many Parents/Carers and Grandparents as possible!

#### MARK'S MAGIC KINGDOM

We have booked a fantastic family show for Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July here at School. Mark's Magic Kingdom will begin at 6:15pm. Tickets are £3 each and are available from the school office!



### **Dates for Your Diary**

5 <sup>th</sup> July	Visiting Theatre Company
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Mark's Magic Kingdom
7 <sup>th</sup> July	KS1 Sports Day (morning on the school field)
9 <sup>th</sup> July	Hockey County Finals
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Years 3-6 Sports Day (morning at the Meres)
13 <sup>th</sup> July	Classes 1 & 2 White Post Farm
13 <sup>th</sup> July	PGL Meeting in Studio
19 <sup>th</sup> July	6pm – Y6 Leavers Assembly

# Bake Off

We still have a number of plates left following the bake off. Please collect yours from the office if you haven't picked it up yet.

# FAO Parents of pupils in Year 5 who will be going to

On 13<sup>th</sup> July (straight after school in the studio hall) we will be holding a meeting for the Parents of children in Year 5 who will be going on the PGL residential in September. We will outline the types of activities that will be taking place and giving an overview of the site and arrangements.

#### **Relationship Education**

Each of the children in Years 5 and 6 should have received a relationships education letter last week. A number of the reply slips still have not been returned. If you would like your child to participate then we need the reply slips back ASAP.