

## **Tower Times**



# Reach for the Moon Week Commencing 10<sup>th</sup> February 2014

#### **ISSUE 105**

Dear Parents / Carers

You will have seen that the builders' compound is being set up in the far corner of the KS2 playground. Portacabins have been brought in and other building materials will be arriving over the next few days/weeks. Thank you to all parents/carers for their co-operation regarding morning arrival and afternoon departure. This will continue after the half-term break.

We break up tomorrow, Friday  $14^{th}$  February, for the half-term break, returning again on Monday  $24^{th}$  February.

#### CONGRATULATIONS!

Miss Steeples is getting married tomorrow and we wish both Miss Steeples and her finance, Jack Dilloway, the very best for their future together.

#### SAFER INTERNET DAY - 11TH FEBRUARY

Please visit <u>www.thinkyouknow.co.uk</u> and make sure we are all doing all we can to keep children and young people safe online!

## SWIMARATHON LAST WEEK -FRIDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY AT THE MERES LEISURE CENTRE

What a totally amazing evening! The amount so far raised by school is over £600. We have also now heard from the Rotary Club of Grantham that they have raised a staggering £40,000 towards local charities and deserving causes in and around Grantham.

Thank you to everyone who took part or sponsored the event.

### Question of the Week

Why can't penguins fly?

#### YEARS 3 AND 4 "PENGUIN DAY"

On Wednesday we had a Penguin Day, so we could feel what it would be like to be a penguin. It was awesome! You wouldn't guess what it was like to be a penguin! When we experienced it, it made us feel as if we were penguins.

First of all, we watched some small clips about penguins which gave us some ideas for what we could try out. We went outside in our fabulous, brilliant penguin outfits! Once we were outside we started to do the march of the penguins. Afterwards we created a large huddle and tried to call our partner with our special penguin call.

Now I know that penguins are very intelligent and smart to take in all of these things and then teach their babies all of it as well. We learnt that team work is very important to penguins.

By Ella, Harry, and Emily M



#### SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS 2014

Vouchers are again being issued by Sainsbury's - one voucher for every £10 spent. These vouchers will be issued for purchases made between 29.01.14 and 20.05.14. The more we receive the more free items we will be able to order

#### PE - Reminders

Just some general reminders:

- children should have their PE kit in school every day
- girls should not wear tights for PE
- earrings need to be removed before a PE lesson.

#### INSET DAY - No children in school

Teacher/Staff Training Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March - just to confirm this is our next training day for all staff. The school will be closed!



#### Dates for your Diary:

#### Term 3

Term Ends Friday 14th February

#### Term 4

Term Begins Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February
Class Photographs date to be confirmed
Teacher/Staff Training Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March
Parents' Evenings (March - date to be confirmed)
Ragtex Textile Recycling Collection Thursday 27<sup>th</sup>
March

Term Ends Friday 4th April

#### Term 5

Term Begins Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April
Bank Holiday - Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May
Y6 SATS Monday 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> May
Y3, Y4, Y5 SATS (date to be confirmed)
Term Ends Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

