



# QE NEWS



## QE Diary Dates

### AUTUMN

1-5/10/12	Book Week
5/10/12	Book character dress up day
12/10/12	Year 3 trip to Butser
17/10/12	Parents' Evening from 3.30pm
26/10/12	INSET - school closed for children
29/10 - 2/11/12	Half Term
15/11/12	Polling Day - school closed for children
19-23/11/12	Level 2 Bikeability (Year 6)
26-29/11/12	Level 2 Bikeability (Year 6)
14/11/12	Year 6 Egypt Day
30/11/12	Day of Difference
4/12/12	Level 2 Bikeability (Year 6)
5/12/12	QE Factor
11/12/12	Carol Service @ Guildford Cathedral am
12/12/12	School Development Plan eve 7pm
20/12/12	Christmas Lunch for children
20/12/12	Christmas parties pm
21/12/12	Last day of term - 1.45pm finish

### SPRING

7/1/13	Start of Spring term
15/2/13	INSET - school closed for children
28/3/13	Last day of term - 1.45pm finish

### SUMMER

15/4/13	Start of Summer term
6/5/13	Bank Holiday
24/5/12	INSET - school closed for children
1/7/13	INSET - school closed for children
24/7/13	End of term - 1.45pm finish

## In the post box this week....

### This week we have been thinking about bad things we have done.

The worst thing I have done was when I was six and so was my cousin. We were fighting over who had the most bread to feed the ducks at the pond. We ended up pushing each other in and we got wet. It was ok because it was very shallow.

I was very angry with my cousin and he was very angry with me too!

If I have a problem I always try my best to face up to it and not to run away. I always try to find a way to make them right!

**4C, Abbott**



## Didn't they learn well...!



It's been learning styles day today at QE and the children have had the chance to experience a range of different activities based on their learning styles. It's been a really fun day and hugely rewarding for the children who have certainly enjoyed the variety of activities the teachers have planned for them. I really believe in learning styles and it's something we want to build on over the course of this year. In case you are interested, I am an Eeyore. The children can explain it to you.

We have reached the part of Moses' story when he flees to Midian. Moses felt a lot of remorse for what he did and we have been thinking about that in Thoughtful Times this week. The children are very reflective and there were some superb and very thought - provoking letters this week. We have also been thinking about controlling anger which fits in quite well to some of the issues Mr Day and I have been dealing with in the playground this week.

We have had two more sets of parental tours around the school and the feedback has been excellent. The Year 6 House Captains and Vice Captains have done a very good job of promoting the school and have been very keen to answer questions from parents. They are clearly the best people to sell the school and I have been incredibly proud of the way they have gone about it. Mr Day and I also attended the open evening at King's College earlier in the week. They have a new Principal, Kate Carriett, and she gave a very good talk on how they were working to change the school's reputation. We have at last had the courtyard cleared as well so we are safe to begin using that again which is excellent news.

I would also like to take this opportunity to ask you all to make sure your children's homework diaries are signed on a weekly basis. We have a lot of children who are coming in with no parent contact in their books and it's really important to us that you are aware of what is going on in school. It also allows you to keep track of your child's homework which is also very important. We hope you have a very good weekend. Mr B and the QE staff

## From the PSA....

### Dates for your Diary...

**School Disco:** our first school disco of the school year will take place on Friday 25th October.

**Quiz and Chilli Night :** this popular event will take place on Friday 16th November.

**Christmas Fair:** this will take place on the evening of Friday 7th December.

Look out for details of all these events in the weeks to come.

## Letters sent out this week....

Entitlement to free school meals

Home-School agreement - Years 4/5/6

Activation for ParentPay

Guildford County School booklet - Yr 6 only

King's College booklet - Yr 6 only

National Child Measurement Programme— Yr 6 only

PSA Contact List

Book Week



## Sport at QE....

### Netball

#### FIRST NETBALL MATCH OF THE SEASON

QE played the first match against Tormead last week. Both matches were really close and the QE girls tried really hard. In the year 6 game, Immy played well and Alice was equally as good at GD and GA. For the year 5s, this was their first proper match for QE. Both Lily and Dominique were effective in their turns at GK, and Jade made a strong WA. A good start to the season.

Results:

QE Y6A 3 - Tormead Y6A 5

QE Y5A 3 - Tormead Y5A 2

*Mrs McManus*

## From the School office....

**Entitlement for Free School Meals...** You will be receiving a letter today about Free School Meals. If you think your child may be entitled to these, even if they don't wish to have them, please fill in the form and return it to the office as the school receives additional funding for this.

**Home- School Agreement...** Children in Years 4/5/6 will be bringing home an updated version of the Home-School Agreement today. Please discuss, complete and sign it with your child and return it to the office as soon as possible. Many thanks.

**Letters sent home...** We are now aiming to send the majority of letters home on Fridays but do check your child's bag or the ParentPay website daily as there will be occasions when more urgent letters are sent out on other days.

**Book Fairs next week...** A reminder that there will be Book Fairs during next week's Book Week. They will be held on Wednesday 3rd in the Hall from 3.15 - 4pm and on Thursday 4th in the Gym from 3- 4pm. If you are coming along on Wednesday, please make sure you come into school via the front door and sign in.

## Local Events....

### Back to Netball!

Sharon Garner, one of our QE mums, already coaches Back to Netball sessions on Friday mornings at Surrey Sports Park. There is now a new back to Netball league launching on Thursday evenings, starting on 4th October.

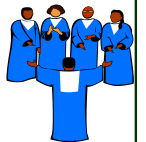
Please contact Sharon on [Sharon.garner@ntlworld.com](mailto:Sharon.garner@ntlworld.com) or Claire Shapland at Surrey Sports Park on [c.shapland@surrey.ac.uk](mailto:c.shapland@surrey.ac.uk) for more details

### Surrey Sports Park Autumn Junior Activities

Surrey Sports Park offers a comprehensive sports activity programme for juniors and under 6's. These activities are designed to introduce children to sport and develop key skills. Whether you are a complete beginner or want to improve a skill or sport, our activities offer something for everyone.

### Guildford Choral A Great and Glorious Victory Music by Haydn and Mozart at G Live

7.30pm on 11th November 2012 (Remembrance Sunday)  
[www.guildfordchoral.org](http://www.guildfordchoral.org)



### The Wintershall Nativity Play Wednesday 19th - Sunday 23rd December 2012

Wintershall is located just 7 miles south of Guildford off the A281. All the action takes place in and around Holly Barn where the audience can enjoy hot mince pies just before the play.

Further information can be found on [www.wintershall-estate.com](http://www.wintershall-estate.com)  
Ticket sales on 01483 892167 or email: [boxoffice@hutleygroup.com](mailto:boxoffice@hutleygroup.com)

# God at Work

## CONTROLLING



# ANGER



## WHAT MAKES YOU SEE RED?