

QE NEWS

Autumn Term - Issue 13 09/12/2016

Cracking Carol Service....

House Point Total

This week's house point totals are.....

Wey	4323
Abbot	3993
Castle	4279
Carroll	4351

What a fantastic week it's been at QE with both our Carol Services and the PSA Fayre tonight. The Carol Service at All Saints was excellent and so well supported by parents. A huge thank you to those of you who attended especially as many of you had to stand throughout the whole service. Sadly, I had to attend an urgent meeting with Surrey so could not be at the Year 5& 6 Carol Service at St. Nics but I am reliably informed that it was an excellent service. The singing practices I have heard around the Year 5 and 6 classes were certainly wonderful. As usual, a huge thank you to all of the staff and Mrs Kearns in particular for all of her hard work in putting the services together.

It's the Christmas PSA Fayre tonight and it would be great to see as many of you as possible there. The PSA do an amazing job of putting on these events and the sheer number of hours of work that goes on behind the scenes is incredible especially when the PSA members all work as well. If you are able to come and support us tonight we would really appreciate it. I also want to give a payment reminder to those of you who ordered personalised gifts online. I have to say I was so impressed with the quality of the items when they were delivered to school this week and I am sure there are some relatives somewhere who are in for a real treat!

Next week is our last full week at school and it is packed with activities. We have the Parent Focus Group on Tuesday (13th), Christmas jumper day and the children's Christmas lunch on Thursday (15th) as well as the QE Choir Concert. It promises to be a great week and I am really looking forward to hearing the Christmas Choir sing on Thursday.

Finally, can I ask that those of you collecting from an afterschool club do not drive into the staff car park. A couple of times over the last two weeks there have been near misses where parents collecting from the After School Care or from one of our clubs have not seen children walking down the drive to go home. Please park on the road or in the visitor car park at the front of the school.

It's actually quite dark down that drive and I would hate for someone to get clipped. A whole newsletter and no mention of stopping or parking on the road.....or did I? Have a great weekend!

Mr Blackburn & the QE Staff

Thoughtful Time....

In the post box this week we have been thinking about coping with disappointment...

- Are you good at coping with disappointment?**
No, whenever I get disappointed I can't cope with it.
- When have you been disappointed?**
I was going to go to my friends pyjama party but we were going on holiday.
- When have you ever felt a failure?**
I felt a failure when I lost a game against my younger sister.



Year 4 Abbot

- Are you good at coping with disappointment?**
Well when everybody is disappointed they feel sad and upset with themselves. I cope by cooking and look forward to the next good thing and not let it drag you down.
- When have you been disappointed?**
Lots of times but I mostly feel disappointed when I don't get picked for something or I'm second best and I feel that really you have to have bad days so you can enjoy the good days even more.
- Are you good at coping with disappointment?**
When we can't do something or when we feel sad we feel failure but for some things you don't feel that bad but if you do feel failure, never give up.

Year 6 Abbot

Weekly value

Our theme for this week's values is.....

Consideration and Kindness

God at Work

DEFEATING

ROAD
AHEAD
CLOSED

DEATH

ROAD
AHEAD
CLOSED

How do you cope
with failure?

CLUBS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Magic, Chess, Drama, Y5&6 Football, Y5 Netball	Y3&4 Running, Yoga, Hockey, Y5&6 Dodgeball, Y5 Dodgeball at Lunchtimes	Judo, Y5&Y6 Basketball, Yr 6 Lunchtime, Basketball Y3&4 Dodgeball, Maths	Street Dance, Drama, Y6 Netball, Sewing, Cookery Club, Cricket/ Multi-sports, Pottery	Y5&6 Running, Orchestra, Sewing, Y3&4 Football, Cookery Club, Y3&4 Ball Skills

QE Diary Dates

Next Week

13/12/16	Parent Focus Group Meeting - 7.00pm
15/12/16	Christmas Jumper day and Christmas Lunch
15/12/16	Christmas Choir Concert - 7.00 pm

Next Few Weeks

20/12/16	Children's Christmas Parties
21/12/16	Last day of Term, 1.15pm finish
03/01/17	Start of Spring Term
05/01/17	Prospective Parents' Coffee Morning 9.30am
13/01/16	Year 3 Trip to Butser Ancient Farm
16-20/01/17	Year 6 Bikeability
19/01/17	Young Voices Concert @ The O2

LETTERS SENT OUT THIS WEEK...

- Christmas Fayre Stalls
- Christmas Fayre 1 day to go
- Clubs Cancellation on Friday 9th December
- Christmas Jumper Day
- Lost Property



The deadline for Junior Applications is 15th January. For full details please visit www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions.



If anyone is missing a blue buggy, we have it in our office. It was found in the playground recently!

Sport at QE



Year 5 B Team played a match against Weyfield and drew 1-1 with Daniele Grossi scoring the only goal. Weyfield had 10 players against our 9 and 8 of them had a chance to play in goal. A big well done to Nathan Frost who tried several times to score a goal but was just unlucky. Well done to all.

KIDS-BIZ

Kids-Biz are closing for Christmas from 19 Dec 2016 to 1 Jan 2017 inclusive. During this time the Click & Collect Store will be shut and they will not be despatching orders.

The last school delivery will take place either Friday 16th or Monday 19th December so online orders need to be placed by Thursday 15th at the latest but ideally before then.

FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE....



Christmas Cards... There is a Christmas post box in school just outside the office for children who want to give out Christmas cards to their friends. Please can I remind you to label the Christmas Cards clearly with the child's name and class as the prefects will sort the cards.

Spring Term Clubs... All Club Letters have been sent out to the children. Please send the slip back with payment (or pay on ParentPay) by 9th December otherwise your child will lose their place as we have waiting lists for most of our clubs.

Lost Property... There will be a table outside the office on Thursday 15th & Friday 16th December and also on Monday 19th & Tuesday 20th December from 3.00pm onwards. There is a lot of uniform, lunch boxes etc. Please come and take a look and claim anything that might belong to you. Anything left over by the end of term will be disposed of. There is a huge amount of unnamed garments, please can I remind you to name your belongings so we can return them to your child during school hours.

Absences... If your child is absence for any reason please can you contact the school by 8.50 am. Thanks.

Residential... There are a significant number of residential payments still outstanding, reminders have been sent out. Please send your payment in with your child in a clearly labelled envelope.

Many thanks



Thank You!

Many thanks to all the helpers at the Christmas Fayre tonight, we couldn't run it without you. We hope you all have a great evening!