



QE NEWS



QE Diary Dates

SUMMER

8-12/7/13	Year 6 Residential trip to Little Canada
17/7/13	Final Transition Day - Year 2 children
18/7/13	Sports Day (class activities am/races pm)
19/7/13	PSA Disco
23/7/13	Summer Picnic (& Sports Day if raining on 18th)
24/7/13	End of term - 1.45pm finish

AUTUMN

3/9/13	INSET - school closed for children
4/9/13	Start of term for the children
26/9/13	Year 3 Sleepover
11/10/13	Year 3 trip to Marwell Zoo
16/10/13	Parents Evening
25/10/13	INSET - school closed for children
28/10 - 1/11/13	Half Term
20/12/13	End of term - 1.45pm finish
6/1/14	Start of Spring term

In the post box this week....

This week we have been thinking about temptations..

What are you tempted by?

Food, because at the moment I'm fasting.

How do you resist temptation?

I put an ice pack on my jaw and that helps.

How do you feel if you give in to temptation?

Guilty, because I'm not meant to eat, but luckily I haven't!

Wey, Year 5

What are you tempted by?

By sucking my thumb because it calms me down.

How do you resist temptation?

By putting a plaster on it !

How do you feel if you give in to temptation?

Annoyed! So annoyed!

Castle, Year 4



Every One's A Winner!



The photo above shows the magnificent team who represented QE at last week's District Sports. Please see over the page for a report of the event!

What a fantastic week we have had on the Isle of Wight. The weather has been amazing and the children have enjoyed some excellent activities both on and off the water. It's hard to pick out a favourite but the Dragon Boat racing will stay in my memory for a long time. Our children even took on a school that had a boat full of teenagers and gave them a real run for their money. It was great because one of the girls said 'we nearly beat them and they were like 40 or 50 years old'. I did laugh at that as the oldest child was only about 15! The children have really got a lot out of this week and have behaved themselves well. Night times have been a bit tricky for some but we haven't had too much homesickness to contend with which is nice. They have also eaten a huge amount to keep their energy up as the activities are very draining.

Back at QE, Mr Papworth and Miss Hines have been running the school while Mr Day and I have been in the Isle of Wight. They've done a great job and came up with their own theme for assembly this week which was Temptation; something I think we all struggle with every now and then! A selection of Thoughtful Times is included as usual and I am sure the children did a great job as they always do.

You should have received a traffic survey this week which is related to the proposed expansion of the school. It's really important that we get these completed and returned as quickly as possible in order for us to get an idea of your views of traffic at QE. Our end of year parental survey will also be coming out next week so please keep an eye out for that.

It only remains for me to wish you all a great weekend. The weather report says we are going to have amazing weather so I hope you all find time to get out and enjoy the lovely countryside we have around Surrey. Until next week! Mr Blackburn & the QE Staff

From the PSA....

PSA Disco... A reminder that our next School Disco will take place on Friday 19th July. There is still time to order tickets but these must be handed in no later than at registration on Tuesday 16th July.

Sport at QE.... District Sports

On Friday 12th July, 72 children represented QE at the District Sports. The children behaved and performed impeccably in the scorching heat and were a credit to the school.

We were one of seven schools who took part in the event at Urnfield sports ground. We came 2nd overall which was a fantastic effort from everybody involved. Year 3 won their year group and QE took 14 first places, 17 second places and 20 third place finishes. Well done QE!

Coach Scott

Letters sent home....

PSD Summer Holiday Activities
QE School Pupil Travel Survey
Ketsy's Young Magicians - Years 3/4/5
Concover Hall confirmation/payment plan - Year 5
Dinner money chase ups
Sports Day



Local Events....

Fire Station Open Day

Saturday 27th July 10am-4pm



Guildford Fire Station opens its doors and offers you the chance to experience life as a member of the watch. There will be displays to look at, demonstrations to watch and lots more. Refreshments will be on sale. This is a free fun filled, interactive event for the whole family.

Guildford Fire Station, By- Pass, Ladymead, Guildford

METAL FRUIT

TEMPTATION



Armour and Fruit

How do you resist temptation?

From the School Office....

Dinner Money Refunds... These will be issued on Monday 22nd July. If you would prefer to collect your refund from the office rather than via your child, please arrange this in advance. We will be sending out chase ups for any outstanding meals today. Please note that the cost of a school meal will increase by 5p to £2.05 from September.

Library... As we are now approaching the end of term, please note that no new books should be borrowed from the Library. Please return all books to the Library as soon as possible. The Library will be closed to all children from Friday 12th July.

Lost Property... All unclaimed and un-named items of lost property will be disposed of via Phil the Bag after Monday 15th July. We have a large amount of un-named items so it is well worth a last rummage before they disappear forever!

Medicines in school... Any medicines not collected by Wednesday 24th July will be disposed of. A reminder that medicines should only be collected by an adult.

Measles and MMR catch up... Please go to the Latest News section on the QE website to see a letter and information regarding a Measles and MMR catch up initiative from Surrey County Council and Public Health England.

Memorable Evening at the BAFTA Theatre....

QE have had an association through Mrs McManus with the makers of Peppa Pig for some years. We provide a little choir for any singing they need. The latest group have been hobnobbing with celebrities:

Last Saturday it was a very memorable day for us 4 pupils in Y5 – Esther, Tilly, Jacob and Charlie. We went to the BAFTA Theatre in London! This was because over the past few years we have been background singers for Peppa Pig and Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom, which are both made by the same animation company. It was the Wrap Party (end of series for Ben and Holly), and we were all invited with our mums. We had to get up on stage and take a bow with all the rest of the cast. Then we watched 4 episodes of Ben and Holly (which were great!). Soon after, we went to the bar and had cool refreshing drinks (Champagne for the grown ups!) and dainty little canapés. After having the time of our lives, we left with round tummies, wonderful memories and a crew T shirt! For this we would like to thank Mrs McManus, Mrs Cheetham (also well known as Miss Mountain) and our parents.

Tilly and Esther

