

# QE NEWS



## Support for Charities...

**Macmillan Coffee Morning...** We have been delighted to welcome so many people to our Macmillan Coffee morning today. It was lovely to spend time with so many of you, just chatting and enjoying cake whilst supporting a charity that is very close to our hearts. We would like to thank those of you who came and also anybody who was able to donate some of the delicious cakes. At present, we are unable to inform you of the total we have raised but I will include it in my next newsletter.



**Aquathlon Event at Guildford High School...** Mrs Curtin and myself are looking forward to cheering our children on at the Aquathlon event this afternoon at Guildford High School. Unfortunately, Year 6 were unable to attend due to being on their Haslemere visit today but I am sure there will be many other events they will be able to take part in. Please keep an eye out for all correspondence regarding sporting events this term. Good luck to our Year 3-5 girls for the Aquathlon this afternoon!

**Netball Tournament at Guildford High School...** Queen Eleanor's Year 6 team were the only state school at the Guildford High School netball tournament last Wednesday having got through to the Cup semi-finals. They put up a terrific show against the eventual tournament winners and we are very proud to say that they came third in the whole tournament. Well done girls and many thanks to Mrs McManus and Mrs Holmes-Higgins for training the girls. Also thank you to all of those who were able to attend and support the team.

**Parking at Queen Eleanor's...** On many occasions I have written to you regarding the parking in and around school. This is now becoming an issue that is worrying and upsetting me. Parents and Carers are still not considering the welfare and safety of our children and staff. In order to stop cars entering our site after school, I have resorted to placing cones in the entrance to the car park. I believed that this would stop people from entering the site. However, it does not seem to have worked as we now have people moving the cones, driving in and not replacing the cones as they leave. May I ask you once again not to enter the school premises in a vehicle at any time. This is paramount for both the safety of your children and the staff.

**Class WhatsApp Groups...** It has been brought to my attention this week that not all classes are using the WhatsApp groups for the purpose that they were set up. These groups were intended to be used for passing on information regarding homework, mufti days, cake sales etc. and not for the sharing of personal information about children or staff members. Some information that has been shared is inaccurate and private. If you have any concerns regarding the school or staff please come to the School Office. We would appreciate it if you would take care when sending messages to class groups.

**Mindfulness Day...** On Thursday 10th October, Queen Eleanor's will be recognising World Mental Health Day. The children will be taking part in a variety of activities in school to make them aware of the need to look after their mental health. On this day, we would ask you to allow the children to attend school in something yellow.

**We hope you have a lovely weekend!**

**Mrs Davies and the QE Staff**

**A prayer for MACMILLAN NURSES and other carers**

Thank you for all the Macmillan nurses and other carers  
who echo your love in the care they give,  
the time they lavish,  
the words they speak  
and the tears they cry.

Lord Jesus, give them a place of rest and comfort too  
where they know how treasured they are  
and can process their own grief and strain.

Amen

## CLUBS - AUTUMN 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dodgeball Y3&4 Drama Football Y5&6 Homework Netball Y6	Running Y3&4 (am) Yoga (am) Football Y3&Y4 Gymnastics Dance Cookery Coding Y5&6	Judo (am) Art Basketball Tag Rugby Y5&6 Homework	Drama Tag Rugby Y3&4 Netball Y5 Green Craft Club Maths	Running Y5&6 (am) All Star Choir Dodgeball Y5&6 Hockey

### QE Diary Dates

- 1/10/19 Head of school prospective parents tour - 1:30pm
- 4/10/19 PSA Cake Sale (Y4&6 to bring cakes) & Nearly new uniform sale (£1 per item)
- 7/10/19 Prayer spaces week
- 7/10/19 Prospective parents tour - 9:30am
- 8/10/19 Messy church in Class 3K - 3:30pm-5:00pm
- 11/10/19 PSA Quiz & Chilli night - 7:00pm

### 2019/20 Term Dates and INSET Days

#### Autumn Term

Break up for Half Term - Thursday 24th October - 3:15pm  
INSET DAY - Friday 25th October  
Back to school - Monday 4th November  
Break up for Christmas - Thursday 19th December - 1:15pm

#### Spring Term

Back to School - Monday 6th January  
Break up for Half Term - Friday 14th February - 3:15pm  
Back to school - Monday 24th February  
Break up for Easter - Friday 3rd April - 1:15pm

#### Summer Term

Back to School - Monday 20th April  
BANK HOLIDAY - Friday 8th May  
INSET DAY - Friday 22nd May  
INSET DAY - Monday 1st June  
Back to school - Tuesday 2nd June  
INSET DAY - Friday 10th July  
Break up for Summer - Tuesday 21st July - 1:15pm

### AUTUMN TERM DINNER MONEY

**£2.35 per day**  
**£11.75 per week**

**£82.25 per half term (approx)**

Please ensure that your ParentPay account is kept in credit with a weeks worth of lunches.

### Letters Sent Home

- Year 5 trip to Natural History Museum
- Important Safeguarding information
- Year 6 weight and height check
- Year 5 - Fort Purbrook
- HEAD LICE ALERT - PLEASE READ
- IMPORTANT: After school swimming - Still Cancelled
- Year 6 Bikeability - Reminder
- No more swimming this term
- Cartoon vegetable design competition



### Head lice

To prevent the reoccurrence of head lice, Please can we ask that you send your child to school with their hair tied back. Many thanks



### Earrings

Please remember on days that your child has PE, any earrings need to be removed at home or send your child with some surgical tape.

### MUFTI DAY - Thursday 10th October

**Mental Health Awareness day**

Children to wear something yellow

### Nearly new uniform sale - Friday 4th October

**£1 per item**

Alongside the PSA cake sale



**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 3.30-5pm**

**In the Courtyard and Mrs Kearns' Classroom.**

**Come and join us!**

