



Queen Elizabeth School

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This Week

OFSTED: We are delighted that our recent OFSTED visit confirmed that "Queen Elizabeth II Silver Jubilee School, Horsham continues to be an outstanding school." The full report has been emailed to all our parents/carers and will be on the OFSTED website (and linked from the home page of our own website) soon.

Art Exhibition: After the popular success of last year's event, we are holding another Art Exhibition of students' amazing work in the Studio on **Thursday 29th June**. There will be a preview that day from 10am for invited guests, followed by a public event that evening. Details to follow soon.

Open Afternoon: In place of next term's online Parents' Evening, we are holding an in-school Open Evening for parents & carers on **Wednesday 21st June** between 4-6pm. You will have the opportunity to meet the teacher and see the classroom that your child will be in from September. If you do wish to speak to your child's current teacher, please message them via eSchools and they will arrange a telephone call with you.

Horsham District Community Lottery: Please see the attached leaflet from Horsham District Community Lottery. Buying tickets via our page helps to raise money for the school.

Horsham Rotary Funfair: Horsham Rotary are resuming their offer of free access to the funfair in Horsham Park. This year it will be on **Sunday 9th July**. If you wish to take your child you will need to register by completing an application form which can be obtained by emailing Dave Smith at davesmithrotaryhorsham@gmail.com Deadline for registrations is **Thursday 6th July**.

PTFA AGM: Our PTFA are holding their Annual General Meeting at 10am on **Tuesday 11th July**. If you would like to attend, please let the school office know.

Sports Week: We have exciting SPORTS WEEK next week! There are lots of wonderful events going on, visitors leading sessions for our students during the week and Sports Day for the whole school happening on Friday morning. Please can we ask that students all come prepared on Friday morning wearing appropriate clothing to participate and wearing sun cream. Parents are welcome to join us from **9.15-11.45**. Please let your class teacher know if you are coming so we know who to expect. Please remember we have no parking available onsite, so if you are coming by car you will need to park nearby - being considerate of our neighbours - and walk in to school.

Computers Donation: Thank you to Feri's Fix computer repairs for the donation of some refurbished laptop and desktop computers. They will be very useful to help us maintain access to ICT for all our students.



Headteacher's Award Winners

Oscar D, Balloonists - Being so kind to his friend, reading to him, playing with salt dough with him and signing

Fleur, Globetrotters - An excellently written job application.

Letters Home

Astronauts, Pilots & Balloonists: Van Gogh Alive! Exhibition letter & consent form. (In bags.)

Class News from Cavers Class

Cavers have been enjoying lots of outdoor activities with the better weather and sunshine. This week we've been looking at The Tortoise and The Hare story, we even met a real life tortoise. We have loved riding the donkeys, grooming them and feeding them treats. This week we had extra challenges where we had to pick up cups and bean bags while we were riding them. We've enjoyed practising position and direction in our Maths lessons and putting our new aprons to good use! We enjoyed a spring topic exploring flowers, weather and animals including our amazing trip to the farm as well as looking after our very own tadpole (now froglets!).

