



Queen Elizabeth School

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This Week

Vaccinations: The Year 9 booster vaccination and HPV vaccination for Year 8 girls were given in school today. (Friday 21st September) for students whose parents had given consent. Please be aware of this if anyone complains of a sore arm!

Wills & Trusts Event in Crawley: West Sussex Parent Carer Forum are holding an event 31st October. You can find out more and book a place by following this link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/wills-and-trusts-crawley-event-tickets-48064147158>

Parents' Evening: Don't forget our Parents' Evening this coming Tuesday from 5pm-7pm.

Solar Panels: We are having solar panels installed on the school roof. Work starts next week, will last about 1 month & has been planned to cause as little disruption as possible.

Prevention and Control of Head Lice

Head lice are a persistent nuisance in schools

The leaflet attached to this newsletter explains how to check your child's hair and the importance of doing this every week. It explains the options available for treatment if you find your child does have head lice. Head lice are not a health hazard because they do not carry serious diseases.

It is **not** County Council policy that pupils with head lice are sent home from school or to send letters to parents whenever a case is discovered or reported in a school.

To help prevent the spread of head lice:

- * Comb your child's hair regularly with a nit or bug-busting comb. You can buy these from you local pharmacist;
- * Periodically inspect the hair of all the children in the family;
- * Do not be embarrassed to tell the parents of any other children who may have had head-to-head contact with your child.
- * Thank other parents if they let you know that their child has lice.

Thank you

Class News from Palms Class

Palms class have had a really busy week! We went to visit the Horsham Montessori Nursery and had great fun exploring their outside area. The children loved playing with the big tyres and exploring pouring and mixing stones. Next time we visit we will be helping to dig and plant in their allotment.



Class News from Limes Class

Limes class had a great time on the trip to Fishbourne Roman Palace this week. As well as looking around the ruins, students had the opportunity to take part in Roman activities such as bridge-building, wool-spinning and dressing up in togas! We are looking forward to doing some exciting follow-up work about the Romans, over the next few weeks



Support Groups

Behaviour Support Clinic: These are on Fridays. Upcoming dates are 12/10/18, 09/11/18 & 14/12/18. To book yourself a clinic slot to see Dr. Elizabeth Scott Gilba please contact Alison Mitchison in the Office.

Tina Knight's Continence Clinic: 19/10/18 & 23/11/18. If you have a current referral to Tina Knight from the Children's Continence Team for toilet training and/or continence products for your child and would like an appointment, please contact Alison Mitchison to book.

Parent Support Group: These are on Thursdays and will resume soon. If you are planning to attend please let us know in advance as we are unable to order lunches on the day.