QEII Newsletter

4th April 2025

THIS WEEK

Happy Easter: We hope you all have a lovely Easter break and we look forward to seeing everyone at the start of the Summer Term on Tuesday 22nd April.

QEII Connections: QEII Connections will return next month with a presentation from Reaching Families on **Thursday 24th April** from 9.30-11am. They will be providing professional advice regarding accessing financial support for SEND children. If you would like to attend, please email Paula via office@qe2school.co.uk with your name, your child's name and their class. Please see the attached poster for more information.

Stage Right Juniors: We currently have vacancies in our Stage Right Juniors afterschool drama group, as run by our Creative Arts Lead, Rosie. This runs straight from the end of the school day until 5pm on a Tuesday for students aged 8 to 16. Please contact Rosie if you would like to know more via office@ge2school.co.uk.

INSET Day: A reminder that the school will be closed for INSET on Tuesday 6th May.

Grapes: Please can we remind everyone that grapes sent in as part of a packed lunch should be cut in half, to avoid being a choking hazard.

Easter Makaton Signs: Please see the attached document of Makaton signs you may like to learn and share with your children.

WSPCF Competition: Please see the attached poster from West Sussex Parent Carer Forum about their Easter competition.

West Sussex Mind Events: Please see the attached posters from West Sussex Mind about their upcoming events.

West Sussex Road Safety Facebook: West Sussex Road Safety have asked us to share their Facebook page with you: www.facebook.com/RoadSafetyWSCC.

Darts Fundraising: We would like to say a huge thank you to the Horsham Darts League who have raised money for our school for a third time! H&W Dart League, Southwater Summer Dart League, Horsham 5's Dart League, H&W Pentathalon and Southwater Sports Club have raised an amazing £5000 between them. This continued support is much appreciated by us all.

Easter Eggs Donation: We would also like to say our annual Thank You to Carl and his lorry driving friends who have once more donated Easter Eggs to every student in our school!

YOIMOJI OF THE WEEK

This week's Yoimoji was Dufflepaw the reflective koala.

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Jayden, Pioneers - Amazing help and support at the school gate at the beginning and end of the day.

LETTERS HOME

There were no letters home this week.

CLASS NEWS FROM ADVENTURERS

Adventurers have been learning about the colourful Hindu festival, Holi. Each week, we have learned about the meaning of colours, how people celebrate Holi all around the world and had a wonderful parent visit and share their experiences of Holi. Adventurers enjoyed hearing about the festival so much that we decided to have our own Holi festival at school! We had lots of fun getting together with friends, dancing to our favourite music and throwing colourful powder paints.