

23rd January, 2012

Dear Parents,

Year 9 Dads and Lads Evening – 7.15- 9.30 pm Wednesday 29th February

“Dads and Lads” evenings have become an eagerly anticipated part of the School calendar. You may well have got involved in Year 7 and Year 8. Perhaps you were one of our prize-winners. Now is your chance to show your competitive side!

In case you are new to this, the idea is that boys come along with their fathers (or uncle, godparent, family friend...) for an informal, light-hearted(!) competition against other father and son teams. Every fifteen minutes a bell is rung and teams move onto the next event. These typically include table tennis, indoor bowls, darts, chess, Jenga, shooting gallery and word games like *Articulate* and *Pass the bomb*. The evening ends with a general knowledge quiz and small prizes are awarded. Light refreshments are also served.

In the past, dads have found this to be not only good, quality time with their sons, but also an opportunity to get to know other QEH dads.

I hope that many of you will be able to join us. If you would like to participate, please return the reply slip below as soon as possible, or by Friday 10th February at the latest. We will endeavour to accommodate all teams, but in the event of this not being possible, priority will be given to those boys who return the reply slip first. There is no charge for this event.

Best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Clare Winchester
Head of Year 9

Please return this slip to *the school office* by Friday 10th February

We wish to participate in the QEH Year 9 “Dads and Lads” evening on Wednesday 29th February 2012.

Name of Son..... Form

Signature of parent/ guardian.....

Patron: Her Majesty The Queen
Headmaster: S W Holliday, MA



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