

Letter from Mr Morris and Staff

From The Headmaster

The penultimate week of the year has been typically busy, with matches running alongside rehearsals for the play, and lessons carrying on as normal. It was wonderful to see so many people at the Friends barbecue last Friday. It was a beautiful evening, with so many of the parents working so hard on the bar, over the grill or on other stalls. The boys involved thoroughly enjoyed the Junior World Cup, with France atoning for their dreadful showing in South Africa.

Tickets are going fast for 'The Wind in the Willows', so if you haven't yet ordered tickets you will need to do so very soon. Costumes need to be in for the play in a named bag for Monday 5th July.

And a final reminder that prize-giving starts at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 9th. July (in the QEH Theatre) after which term ends for the boys. If you have not done so already, please complete the form telling us how many seats you would like for the ceremony so that we can ensure all who want to come have seats.

Arrangements for After School Care and The Play

After School Care will be available up until 6 p.m. as normal next week (other than Friday!). However, there will be no clubs on Wednesday and Thursday next week because of the play, and we strongly recommend that boys are picked up after school. Please note that we will not be able to offer After School Care after 6 p.m. on these nights prior to the play.

Year 6 boys should be at the Theatre by 6.30pm on each performance night, in time to get into costume. Boys in all other years should be at the theatre by 6.45 p.m., in costume.

Sports Update

The last fixtures of the term, against The Downs School, were played in very hot conditions on Wednesday. The U11s, who were facing county standard bowling for the first time this season, fielded well on a bumpy surface and batted well to reach a respectable 79. The U10s, chasing 109, were unable to reach their target and came up short. Friday has seen the first round of the Inter-House Cricket competition with Birds playing Carrs and Ramsey taking on Hartnells, with the finals taking place on Monday for Years 3 & 4 and Wednesday for Years 5 & 6.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the coaches who have worked with the boys this season, the parents who have given up their time to support the boys and finally to the boys themselves for all the tackles, passes, bowls, runs and strokes they have made this season. I am already looking forward to next season. An Autumn Term fixture list will be given out next week.



Star Performers

Year 3	George Hutton
Year 4	Matthew Fackrell
Year 5	Callum Pugh
Year 6	Patrick Dore



Weekly House Points Trophy

1	Bird
2	Hartnell
3	Carr
4	Ramsey

School Nurse School

Reminder re; Babysitting: Several of the sixth formers have supplied their names and contact details for babysitting purposes. If you are interested in obtaining a list of potential babysitters please speak to Mrs Macleod. The only involvement of the school is that of supplying the list. The list will only be given to QEH parents and should not be passed on to other parties

Photography Competition

Congratulations to all the boys who entered the Photography Competition. All the photographs were of a high standard and definitely reflected the mood of summer! The winners, as judged by Mr. Morris, are as follows:

Year 3—Oliver Pitt

Year 4—Matthew Fackrell

Year 5—Matthew Caple

Year 6—Andreas Richardson



Overall Winner— Oliver Pitt.

Flute Exam

Congratulations to Edward Vicary who recently, under the expert tuition of Miss Holtham, passed him Flute Exam gaining a Merit. Well Done Edward!

TV Star at QEH Junior School!



We are so proud of Oliver Bell (Year 5) for having been cast to play one of the leading roles in a new CBBC TV series to start filming soon. Oliver was picked out from many hundreds of children up and down the country who auditioned to star in the children's series called 'Sparticles'. It will involve time off school next term during filming, but he will continue with his studies during periods when not filming. Well done Oliver, we look forward to watching the show in the autumn.

Year 3 has a taste of India!

This half term, Year 3's topic has been India. As a celebration of the topic, they have been exploring some Indian food this week. They looked at the sorts of foods used in Indian cooking including some very unusual vegetables, fruits and spices most of Year 3 hadn't seen before!



On Friday aromatic smells have filled the Junior School, as the class cooked themselves their own lunch of rice, dahl and vegetable curry.

Many thanks to Mrs Anderson-Bickley for her time, patience and culinary expertise.

Diary for the Week

Monday 5th. July

8.50 a.m. Whole School assembly, led by Mr Thomas

Technical rehearsal for the play (all day). Normal end to school.

Tuesday 6th. July

PE for Years 3 and 6 as normal

2.00 p.m. Dress rehearsal for the play. (ends 3.30 p.m.)

There will be no Airfix club tonight.

Wednesday 7th. July

8.50 a.m. Singing assembly for whole school

7.00 p.m. 'The Wind in the Willows', QEH Theatre

No After School Clubs

Thursday 8th. July

Lunch picnic for Year 6, on The Downs.

7.00 p.m. 'The Wind in the Willows', QEH Theatre

No After School Clubs

Friday 9th. July

8.50 a.m. End of Term assembly

10.30 a.m. Prize-giving, QEH Theatre

12 noon Term ends