



Queen Elizabeth School

# QEII Newsletter

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## This Week

**Careers Week:** 11th - 15th March is Careers Week at QEII! All our students will have the opportunity to explore the world of work throughout the week through roleplay, class activities or internal and external work experience. We will be creating a "Future Me Will Be..." display board and ask that students bring in a prop to represent a job or career that they would like to do. Something as simple as a toothbrush could represent dental professions or an apron to represent catering professions. Photos will be taken of students to add to a whole school display. Please can props be sent in on **Monday 11th** to allow for photos to be taken throughout the week.

**QEII Connections:** Reaching Families will be coming into QEII connections on **Wednesday 13th March** from 11-12. Please email the [office@qe2school.co.uk](mailto:office@qe2school.co.uk) with your name, your child's name and their class. Here is an introduction from our guest speaker, and you can learn more on their website:

[www.reachingfamilies.org.uk/background.html](http://www.reachingfamilies.org.uk/background.html)

*"My name's Abi and I work for Reaching Families. I am looking forward to coming to your QEII Connections Parents Meeting to talk to you about the services and support Reaching Families can provide. Reaching Families is a parent-carer led, grassroots charity which aims to support parents and families of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) in their daily lives, in particular through the delivery of information, training and peer support."*

**Red Nose Day:** For Red Nose Day on Friday 15th March, everyone is invited to wear pyjamas and/or red clothes and we are asking for a suggested donation of £1 each for the Comic Relief charity please. We will be having special Comic Relief themed activities happening on the day.

**Key Stage 2 Open Afternoon:** It is the open afternoon for our KS2 classes on **Thursday 14th March** from 1.45-2.30. If you have a child in those classes (Balloonists, Pilots, Astronauts & Mountaineers) and would like to come, please let your class teacher know.

**QEII Garden Working Bee:** We are having a "working bee" on our school gardens on **Saturday 16th March** from 10am-2pm. Please join us for clearing, cutting back, sorting and tidying on our gardens. No experience necessary. Bring a packed lunch. Tea & cake will be provided. Please bring any tools you are willing to use/share.

**Book Week Makaton Signs:** Please see the attached sheet of Makaton signs to accompany this week's Book Week.

**Out of Bounds SEN Event:** Out of Bounds in Angmering are holding an SEN event on **Sunday 7th April**. You can see details and book on their website:

[www.out-of-bounds.co.uk/send-friendly-activities-event/](http://www.out-of-bounds.co.uk/send-friendly-activities-event/)

**Pulborough SEN Events:** Please see the attached poster for details of a series of SEN events in Pulborough over the coming months.

**Early Help Service Event:** Please see the attached poster for details of an event at Horsham Family Hub on **Tuesday 9th April**.

## Headteacher's Award Winners

**Harrison & Zack, Trailblazers** - Collaboratively creating a great PowerPoint presentation.

**Mark, Trailblazers** - Excellent reading of questions and working out the right and wrong answers.

## Letters Home

**Trailblazers:** Sayers Croft Activity Centre letter & online consent link (sent by email.)

**Adventurers & Pioneers:** Harry Potter Studio Tour letter & online consent link (email.)

## Class News from Pilots Class

Pilots have loved learning about their topic Muck, Mess and Mixtures this term! We have been getting creative creating our own mixtures as well as experimenting seeing what happens when we mix different liquids together. We have created our own mud houses as well as learnt about some famous artists and Roald Dahl creating our own marvellous medicines out of glitter paint, oil and water! We can't wait to see what the rest of our topic has in store for us!

