



Queen Elizabeth School

# QEI Newsletter

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## This Week

**Student Absence Notification:** If your child is going to be absent from school due to sickness or emergency, please can you notify the school office by telephone between 8-8.30am or email to [office@qe2school.co.uk](mailto:office@qe2school.co.uk) instead of (or in addition to) sending an eSchools message to their teacher. This helps us to ensure no information is missed out.

**Thank You to Lynda & Lewis:** We would like to say another Thank You to Lynda and Lewis Griffin, this time for donating a lovely selection of classroom resources!

**Brighton Half Marathon Sponsorship:** Eden Richards, the mother of one of our students, is running the Brighton Half Marathon in March to raise money for us. If you would like to sponsor her, please use this link to access her JustGiving page: [www.justgiving.com/page/eden-richards-173531116528](http://www.justgiving.com/page/eden-richards-173531116528)

**Number Day:** Number Day is coming up on Friday 7th February. Details of this year's activities have been emailed to parents & carers today.

**Horsham Family Hub:** Please see the attached flyer for Horsham Family Hub's upcoming SEND events.

**Ariel Othellos Horsham:** Ariel Drama Academies are opening a Saturday branch of their Othellos drama group for students with special and additional needs aged 7-18.

It will be at Bohunt School, please see the poster here for details or visit their website at

[www.arielothellos.com](http://www.arielothellos.com)

**OTHELLOS SATURDAYS**  
For students with special & additional needs ages 7 - 18yrs  
**BOHUNT SCHOOL**  
**5:00PM - 6:00PM**  
**HORSHAM**  
**WWW.ARIELOTHELLOS.COM**  
**PASSION FOR PERFORMING SKILLS FOR LIFE**  
**01444 - 250407**

## Headteacher's Award Winners

**Oscar M & Anthony, Adventurers** - Excellent teamwork around being kind.

**Anthony, Adventurers** - Fantastic ASDAN work about his routine.

**Earl, Astronauts** - Excellent personal care independence.

## Yoimoji of the Week: Roly

This week's Yoimoji was Roly the empathetic raccoon. We are using "Yoimojis" in our Assemblies, to help with learning and celebrating OFSTED's Fundamental British Values.

Yoimoji is a blend of the Japanese words "yoi" (good) and "emoji" (slang for character.) You can see our Yoimoji posters on our website's news pages.

## Letters Home

**All Classes:** Number Day Information



## Class News from Astronauts

Astronauts class are really enjoying our new topics this term so far! We have enjoyed playing in our class 'castle', as well as starting our learning about castles. In Science we have been exploring colour mixing, and in Maths we have been really enjoying using our new class shop/role play area to work on our communication and money skills!

