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School Newsletter

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EYFS

This week in EYFS we have been looking at farm machinery and equipment. The children enjoyed finding out about how combine harvesters worked and led the discussion to watching them in action on YouTube.

In Class we have been looking at distance and linking it to length and time. We have been investigating how things look smaller the further away they are from us.

Ash and Oak Class both enjoyed PE today practising on the Astro for our Sports Day Races. The children enjoyed taking part in individual and team races and they are getting very excited about you joining them for a picnic on the BIG day!

We have been talking to the children about how to be a good team player and not to worry about where the place in the race.

Just a reminder that there will not be Forest School for the next 2 weeks. Please refer to the letter sent home this week.

Have a lovely weekend!

Dear Parents,

Congratulations to our pupils in Years 5 and 6 who attended (and won) a rounders tournament held at The Gilbert School this week. We're really proud of their achievement - well done everyone! Thank you to the staff who accompanied the pupils to the event.

Thank you to all those of you who've been in touch with the FAFA to offer help for the forthcoming BBQ: we greatly appreciate your kind offers and are very much looking forward to the event. No doubt the afternoon will be lots of fun for everyone.

This week we've been delighted to welcome the parents of our new pupils joining Reception in September: thank you to everyone who attended Monday evening's meeting. We're very much looking forward to seeing the children next week on their visits on Tuesday and Thursday morning, although we can't quite believe how quickly the year is flying by!

We'd all like to wish Eid Mubarak to our Muslim families as Eid al-Fitr is celebrated to mark the conclusion of the holy month of Ramadan. Have a lovely weekend everyone!

With kind regards,

Clare Woodward

Ms Clare Woodward - Headteacher

Reception & KS1 Attendance & Punctuality Monitor


Attendance for this Week:

Harry the Happy Hippo Lenny the Learned Lion Daisy the Determined Dragon	Ash YrR 91.91%	Oak YrR 97.08%	Elm Yr1 95.93%	Beech Yr1 100%	Birch Yr2 97.93%	Hazel Yr2 96.67%
Absences	19	7	12	0	6	10
Lateness	1	0	1	0	3	1

Gold = 98 -100%, Green = 95 – 97.9%, Grey = 91 – 94.9%, Blue = 85 – 90.9%, Red = <84.9%

KS2 Attendance & Punctuality Monitor

Attendance for this Week:

	Maple Yr3 92.83%	Rowan Yr3 96%	Holly Yr4 95%	Willow Yr4 97.33%	Hawthorn Yr5 96.07%	Sycamore Yr5 96%	Chestnut Yr6 91.67%	Aspen Yr6 98.05%
Absences	20	12	15	8	11	12	25	6
Lateness	0	0	2	0	3	2	5	0

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CLEAN AIR DAY IN COLCHESTER 21 JUNE 2018 FIRSTSITE

Clean Air Day is a chance to find out more about air pollution, share information, and take action to make the air cleaner and healthier for everyone.

Join us on 21st June 2018 at Firstsite for:

- 4.00 pm Children's Illustrated Storybooks and Booklets Competition
 - 5.15 pm: Sales and screening of "AIR: A film about the air we breathe"
 - 6.15 pm: Air Quality Action Competition - winners announced at 6.30 pm!
 - 7.15 pm: Cafe Showcase by Professor Ian Colbeck - finding all ways that cities across the world are tackling air pollution.
- Other local events for the day advertised on our website.

Find out more about the day, our group + air quality at
WWW.CLEANAIRCOLCHESTER.ORG



This weeks Character Counts Award was presented to: **Hannah in Rowan Class**

For:-

Hannah is always a kind, caring and polite member of Rowan Class. She continues to follow the Purple Promises and is the perfect role model to all of her peers. She is an absolute pleasure to have in class. Hannah is a superstar!

FINAL Reminder – YR4

If you would like your Yr4 child to take part in the Colchester Castle Trip next Wed 20th, please ensure that you have given permission and made your £4.25 contribution via SIMS Agora.
Cut off is 9am Monday Morning.



To this week's Head Teacher Award Winners:

- Haney in Ash Class
- Rowan in Oak Class
- Elias in Elm Class
- Billie-Jo in Beech Class
- Kieran in Birch Class
- Kody in Hazel Class
- Jake in Maple Class
- Oliver in Rowan Class
- Elliott in Holly Class
- Emma in Willow Class
- Angelica in Hawthorne Class
- Jonny in Sycamore Class
- Corey in Aspen Class
- Holly in Chestnut Class

Old Supplier Uniform Items – Reduced to Clear

Check availability and sizes available on SIMS Agora

Code	Name	Visible	Pricing Type	Stock	Price
QBSS(3to4)	QB Logo Embroidered Crew Neck Sweatshirt (Age 3/4)	✓	Fixed	1	£4.50
QBCrewSS	QB Logo Embroidered Crew Neck Sweatshirt (Age 5/6)	✓	Fixed	4	£4.50
QBSS(6to7)	QB Logo Embroidered Crew Neck Sweatshirt (Age 6/7)	✓	Fixed	1	£4.50
QBFleece	QB Logo Embroidered Fleece	✓	Fixed	16	£8.25
QBCardi	QB Logo Embroidered Knitted Cardigan	✓	Fixed	2	£5.00
QBPETshirt	QB Logo Embroidered PE T-shirt	✓	Fixed	6	£2.50
QBPolo	QB Logo Embroidered Polo	✓	Fixed	2	£3.00
QBRC	QB Logo Embroidered Reversible Coat	✓	Fixed	2	£9.50
QBKCardi	QB Logo Embroidered Sweat Cardigan	✓	Fixed	4	£5.00
QBSS	QB Logo Embroidered VNeck Sweatshirt (Age 5/6)	✓	Fixed	2	£4.50
PEBAG	QB PE Bag	✓	Fixed	43	£3.50

School Uniform Supplier



www.yourschoolwear.co.uk



DEAR PARENTS

Correspondence Sent Out This Week

Missed letters can be download from the school's website or requested from the school office.

- EYFS – Forest Schools Alterations
- Whole School – Sports Day Arrangement
- Drama Club – Production date
- Year 4 – Colchester Castle Trip – Photographic Permissions

This week's Golden Dustpan Award Goes To...

Award Goes To...



Hawthorn Class

SPORTS DAY Arrangements

Venue – Queen Boudica Primary School, Astro Turf

KS2 Sports Day – Tuesday 26th June, 9:30am to 12:00pm

Lunch, 12:00pm – 12:45pm, whole school picnic

EYFS & KS1 Sports Day - Tuesday 26th June, 1.15pm to 3.00pm

Families are welcome to join children in all year groups to enjoy a picnic lunch (brought from home) after the KS2 Sports Day on the Astro Turf. EYFS and KS1 children will join the KS2 children and their families down on the Astro Turf at 12:00pm before their Sports Day events start at 1.15pm.

Reserve Sports Day – Friday 29th June if bad weather occurs on the above date

Everyone is invited to come along and support on the day. Please note however, that during the events pupils will be seated in separate areas to spectators and will be supervised by members of staff. Please can we ask parents and carers not to enter the pupil areas as this makes supervising the children more difficult.

Toilets will be available on the day; however you will need to be accompanied by a staff member into the school.

In the coming days you will receive further information regarding your child's Sports Day including what your child/ren will need on the day.

We look forward to seeing you on the 26th.

Trip reminder...

Final Reminder - EYFS

If you would like your EYFS child to take part in the Hollowtrees Farm Trip on Wednesday 27th June please ensure that you have given permission and made your £10.80 contribution via SIMS Agora.

Cut off is 9am Monday Morning

Thank you

Bikeability Level 1 & 2 Learn to ride courses

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BOOKING FEE: £10

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For details of courses available visit:
www.saferessexroads.org/road-users/cycling

Essex County Council

Safer Essex are running **Bikeability Courses** here at Queen Boudica during the summer holidays, dates below.

Children from throughout Colchester are welcome and can be enrolled on the courses via the website detailed opposite.

Date	Course	Times
2 nd of August	Level 1 & 2	9:00 to 13:00
3 rd of August	Level 1 & 2	9:00 to 13:00
2 nd of August	Learn to Ride	13:30 to 14:15
2 nd of August	Learn to Ride	14:30 to 15:15
2 nd of August	Learn to Ride	15:30 to 16:15
3 rd of August	Learn to Ride	13:30 to 14:15
3 rd of August	Learn to Ride	14:30 to 15:15
3 rd of August	Learn to Ride	15:30 to 16:15

Date	Course	Times
20 th of August	Level 1 & 2	9:00 to 13:00
21 st of August	Level 1 & 2	9:00 to 13:00
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