

Newsletter - Term 4



25th March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

**COMIC
RELIEF**

Thanks to everyone for getting involved in Red Nose Day and donating to this great cause. Through selling noses and donations, we'll be sending off over £700 to Comic Relief – well done!

As you will know from my Parent Hub note, we have been working hard to cover absences caused by Covid-19 and I'd like to thank you for your patience and support with the changes we've had to make. Cancelling the school disco was a difficult decision, but the safety of our children is paramount and we will do everything we can to continue opening school, with as few changes as possible to ensure continuity for them.

As always, please speak to your class teacher or the school office, if you would like to discuss anything.

Have a lovely weekend – let's hope this sunshine stays with us!

Mrs Cox

Reception

This week, our Reception children have been reading 'Handa's Surprise' and exploring what it is like to live in Kenya. They enjoyed tasting the different fruits from the story (including pineapple, mango, passion fruit and avocado) and talking about their favourite ones. *Thank you to Horncastle Fruit and Veg Shop for delivering us the fruit.*



World Book Day – Mr Men and Little Miss

These are the winners of our World Book Day competition and they are now on display in school! Can you see your winner?



11+ for Current Year 5 Children

A reminder that if you have a child in Year 5 and would like them to sit the 11+ exam at QEGS, you need to register them before 31st March 2022. The link is below, but if you have any queries, please contact QEGS directly on 01507 522465.

<https://www.qegs.lincs.sch.uk/Parent/Admission/>

Non-Uniform Day

We have a PTA Non-Uniform Fundraising Day on Thursday 31st (our last day of term!). We will send a reminder next week and details of how to pay online, if you wish to (or you can send donations via the school office/class teacher). Funds go directly towards trips, events and items that benefit all our children.

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Term Dates

Term 4: 6 weeks

School starts on **Monday 21st February 2022**

School closes for Easter holiday on **Thursday 31st March 2022**

SUMMER 2022 (62 school days)

Term 5: 6 weeks

School starts on **Wednesday 20th April 2022**

May Day Bank Holiday Closure on Monday 2nd May 2022

School closes for half term on **Friday 27th May 2022**

Half Term Holiday:

Monday 30th May 2022 - Friday 3rd June 2022

Term 6: 7 weeks

School starts on **Monday 6th June 2022**

School closes for the summer holiday on **Friday 22nd July 2022**

Upcoming Diary Dates

Spring Events

Thursday 31st March – PTA Non-Uniform Day

Summer Events

Friday 22nd April – Young Voices, Sheffield

Monday 25th April – School Class Photographs

Friday 29th April – **Wear Red Day (for Children's Heart Surgery Fund)**

Mon 9th - Thurs 12th May – KS2 SATS Week

Thursday 26th May – PTA Queen's Jubilee Disco (tbc)

Friday 27th May – Queen's Jubilee Lunch Day
(PTA Non-Uniform Day - **Red, White & Blue/Kings/Queens**)

- Afternoon Tea Celebrations

Monday 11th July – Year 6 Transition Day (with secondary schools)