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Headitorial

I am delighted to be able to share with you the excellent news that, following last month's review, Queen Eleanor Primary Academy has maintained its status as an IQM Flagship school.

This is an important award for the school as it celebrates the diversity within the school community as well as the wonderful way that everyone works together to provide the children here with the best possible education.

The report, which will be available online in the next few days, highlights some of the strength of the school and its inclusivity. I would just like to take this opportunity to thank each one of you for all of your support and for the excellent partnerships between home and school, which are enabling this learning community to thrive.



The children in Key Stage One had a great time at the seaside this week!



School Council Column

By Eloise & Regan

Welcome back everyone! We hope you had a splendid holiday and are enjoying the final half term of the school year. What stormy weather we had during the week off! We would like to let all of you affected by the flooding in Far Cotton know, that we do care and are willing to help if we can.



On Friday 6th July, School Council will be holding an Emoji biscuit sale at the end of the day, to continue fundraising for our playground equipment. Please bring along a little money on this day and buy a biscuit (or two) to help our cause.

Staying on the topic of playtime, school council have noticed that sometimes pupils are left out, while other children play. If your friends don't want to include you in their game, then it may be the time to find a 'butterfly buddy'. The butterfly buddies will hopefully start new friendships and widen your friendship circle by helping you to join in games and meet people. Look out for School Council members wearing butterfly badges. The reason it's a butterfly badge is because butterflies go around pollinating flowers, but we go around making friendships!



Thank you for your continued support.

An interview with...

Mrs Horrocks



1. What do you like most about working at Queen Eleanor?

I love meeting all of the children and their parents and seeing the children grow and become more confident as they progress through the school. I think it is great when children come to our school and I remember their parents learning here years before!

2. What has changed since you first started working here?

All the computers! The children can access everything now. When I first started, everything was written in books and the teachers used blackboards and chalks. When I started, there was only half of the school – the classrooms on the far side of the school were added later.

3. What events do you enjoy the most throughout the school year?

I love seeing the children going on trips and waving them goodbye! I also love it when the new children start in Reception and come up to visit me in the office. I like it when the children wear their birthday badges so that I can say 'Happy Birthday' to them. And, of course, I love putting up my decorations at Christmas!

4. Have you ever thought about becoming a teacher?

No! The teachers all work so incredibly hard and do a wonderful job – but I enjoy my role within the school most of all.

Class Photos

Your child should be bringing home their class photo today. If you would like to order a copy, please complete the attached form and return it, with payment, to school or order online.

Term Dates

As always, the last few weeks of the year will be very busy at Queen Eleanor Primary. Below are some of the key dates that you need to know.

Tuesday 3 rd July	CET Primary Day of Sport (Amundsen, Attenborough)
Monday 9 th July	Transfer Day
Wednesday 11 th July	Art Exhibition
Wednesday 11 th July	Pirate Picnic (Cook)
Thursday 12 th July	Botanical Gardens Trip (Earhart, Columbus)
Monday 16 th July	Awards Evening
Tuesday 17 th & Wednesday 18 th July	Year 6 Performance
Friday 20 th July	Last Day of Term



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Don't forget, that your children can use these at home...

