



QUEEN ELEANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Unbelievably half term is almost upon us and we have no doubt that the children are looking forward to a break after having worked hard for the first part of this term. Over the half term there are a number of activities being organised by Andy, our Community Mobiliser (who, we are pleased to report is back at work). Andy will be telling the children in Assembly on Friday about what is happening and you will also be receiving a flyer detailing the various activities.

It was really funny when Mr Waterman was talking to us and the cows were interrupting his speech.

We learned about a Victorian school and it's still there. It was built in 1830.

Angel Nketia



A COUNTRY SIDE WALK

Last Wednesday Year 5 went for a walk over the fields to Calverton - here are some of the reports and some photos.



YEAR 5 WALK WITH MR WATERMAN

On Wednesday the fourteenth October two thousand and nine, Year 5 went on a long walk to Calverton. It was a very long walk but it was fun. It was funny when we went through the first gate and when we were all through he told us that we had just went through a kissing gate! We learned that with the school house the children went to school and the teachers lived there. The funniest part was when the cows were mooing over Mr. Waterman. We learned the different names of trees which were sycamore, weeping willow and ash.

Casey-Anne Neale

YEAR 5 WALK WITH MR WATERMAN

On Wednesday 14th October year 5 went to Calverton for a long walk.

We went all over these fields, Jib ground, Peter's Grave, Ley Close, Bushey Fields and Thistle piece.

I really enjoyed learning different types of trees which were weeping willow, sycamore and ash.



HALF TERM

A reminder that next week - 26th October - is half term. Children return to school on **TUESDAY** 3rd November as there is a teacher training day on Monday.

YEAR 6 CLASS ASSEMBLY

On Wednesday - 21st October at 9.00 - Year 6 have their class assembly. Parents and other relatives are welcome and refreshments will be served in the Learning Mentors' room from 8.35.

SICKNESS

There has been a great deal of sickness in school over the last couple of weeks and we have had to send a large number of children home during the school day. In order to try and avoid any re-infection could we ask that if you child has been sick or has had diarrhoea, that they do not return to school until at least 24 hours after the last incident.

Thank you for your co-operation.

ATTENDANCE

Whole school attendance for last week was 87.6%. The class with the highest attendance rate was Year 5 - Indigo - with 98.4%.

GOLDEN BOOK

Children nominated in the Golden Book last week were :

Hamza Dawood (Green)
Southam Gaskin (Indigo)
Kyle Grant (Blue)
Nikki Hillyar (Red)
Marnie Wesley (Violet)

HOUSE POINTS

W/E 16.10.09

Diamonds : 147
Emeralds : 205
Rubies : 137
Sapphires : 216

A very high scoring week - well done, Sapphires!

PARENTS EVENINGS

With this newsletter you will receive your appointment with your child's class teacher. We hope to see as many of you as possible for these appointments as the partnership between school and home is an important part in your child's learning journey.