

'Flying saucer' children say: All we get are leg-pulls

Six children are regretting the day they mentioned seeing "The Thing"—a mysterious flying object which hovered over their school one night.

For ever since life has been made a misery by their friends taking the mickey.

In fact the leg pulls have proved so wearisome that the six children are now trying to find an adult who also spotted "The Thing."

"We feel if we can find just

one grown up who saw the object then it will stop all these wisecracks," said 14-year-old Marlene Bremner, of Ferry Path, Chertsey, Surrey.

She added: "At the moment our friends keep saying we're stupid, and it's getting us down."

Marlene and her five friends saw "The Thing" near the

Meads secondary school, Chertsey, at about 9.30 p.m. on July 24.

They spotted it while taking a break during an end of term concert.

The children say the object was round and glowing brightly—and that it hovered for about 10 minutes before shooting off across the darkening sky.