



# Keep Hatch Primary School



## Headteacher's Newsletter – 28 March 2025

### Calendar of Events

Wed 2nd Apr - EYFS -  
Bring your bike/scooter  
to school

Wed 2 Apr - Year 1  
Sharing Assembly -  
2:45pm Main Hall

Thurs 3rd Apr - Year 3  
Sharing Assembly -  
2:45pm Main Hall

Thurs 3rd Apr - Year 6 -  
PGL Information Event -  
6:00pm - Main Hall

Fri 4th April - End of Term  
- 1:30pm finish

### Reminders/Notices

#### Year 6 - PGL:

Please make sure that all  
payments to date have  
been made - next  
payment due 3rd April  
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#### Year 5 Bikeability:

The deadline to book  
your child on the  
Bikeability course has  
been extended to 30th  
March.

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#### Avanti Cycling Bikeability Holiday Courses:

See attached flyer  
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Attendance

this year:

95.7%



### WASMA Performance

I would like to say a big well done and thank you to our choir members who took part in the annual WASMA concert on Saturday evening at the Reading Hexagon. The evening was filled with fabulous choral singing, dancing, and speaking, showcasing the incredible talents of our students. A special congratulations to our three soloists whose confidence was truly remarkable. It was a thoroughly enjoyable evening for all, and I would like to extend my thanks to the WASMA team for allowing this opportunity, and to all parents and family members who came along to support the children. I hope you all enjoyed it as much as the children did!

### Go Green for Cerebral Palsy

On Tuesday this week, our school community came together to dress in green for the day to raise awareness for cerebral palsy. The children learned about this in Monday's assembly, where three guest speakers shared their personal experiences and how cerebral palsy affects their families. This was an enlightening and impactful session for everyone involved, and we are proud of our students for their engagement and support in raising awareness.

### Cross Country

We are so proud of all of our cross country club children and well done to those who came and represented our school at the competitions. Year 5/6 girls finished in 3rd place overall 🏆. As a team we finished in 8th place and will be staying in division one.

### Thank you to the Parents Association

I would like to say a big thank you to the Parents' Association volunteers for all their hard work and organisation around the Mother's Day presents this week, and thanks to all the families who bought these lovely gifts for someone special. Also, don't forget about our Easter Eggstravaganza competition including designing an Easter egg poster, guessing the bunny rabbit's name, and guessing how many eggs are in the jar. We'll be choosing the winners next week, so make sure to get your entries in by Monday 31st March! Your support means a lot and every contribution helps us provide better opportunities for our children.

### School Meal Debts

Please could we ask parents to please check that their school meal account is in credit as we must clear all debts before the end of term, so we would appreciate your prompt attention to this, so we don't have to spend a lot of time chasing payments. Thank you.

### Comic Relief

Thank you all again for the donations to support Comic Relief. We can confirm that we raised a total of £325.60.

### British Summer Time!

This is to remind you all that the clocks will be going forward one hour on Sunday.

### Happy Mother's Day

Finally, we would like to wish all mothers within our school community a very happy Mothering Sunday.





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### Shout Out

Georgia, Layla and Sophie (Yr 3) all play for Wokingham town FC U8's Lionesses. They played in the semi-finals last weekend where they played the team before and it was a 4-4 draw, the weekend game was the semi-finals and it finished on 0-0 which meant penalties, where Wokingham Lionesses won! Congratulations girls!

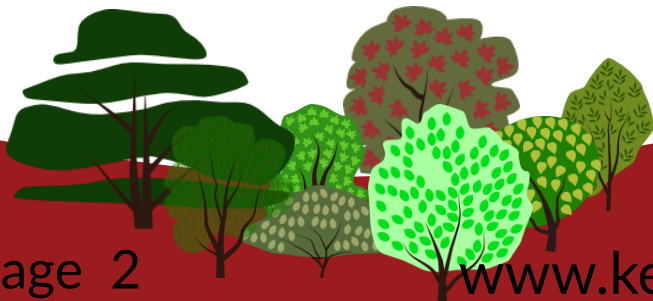


<b>Puffins</b>	Miyah S for being a kind friend and helping others. Well done!
<b>Sparrows</b>	Leo for making brilliant choices this week- we are impressed with your listening and following of instructions. Well done.
<b>Blackbirds</b>	Lewis for lovely neat handwriting!
<b>Robins</b>	Chloe for producing an amazing Moon landing picture.
<b>Kingfishers</b>	Jim for always demonstrating superb school values in the classroom and around the school. Well done Jim!
<b>Skylarks</b>	Amelie and Ethan L for demonstrating resilience in their learning! Well done both.
<b>Cedar</b>	Emilia for working hard on her maths. Well done.
<b>Rowan</b>	Kacy for working hard, participating in discussions and sharing her ideas in RE and Science. Well done Kacy!
<b>Hazel</b>	Owen for his hard work and excellent learning attitude in all his lessons-well done and keep it up.
<b>Sycamore</b>	Rehan for working really hard on his writing, particularly with adding description and finding his 'storyteller voice'.
<b>Laurel</b>	Harry for amazing progress in his recent tests.
<b>Maple</b>	Oliver and Edie for showing a love for reading by focusing really well during quiet reading times and picking up a book at every opportunity.
<b>Mulberry</b>	Jayden, for his consistent, diligent effort resulting in detailed written work across the curriculum. Lottie, for powerful writing in her suffragette speech.
<b>Willow</b>	Louis and Eliza for some amazing writing this week.
<b>Headteacher's Awards</b>	Jack S (Y4) for excellent manners and behaviour demonstrated consistently in school. Thank you for being such an excellent role model! Oliver, Noah & Henry for being so confident in Monday's assemblies.



### This week's top Times Table Rock Stars are:

Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kingfishers: Zach	Cedar: Maisie	Hazel: Jayden J	Laurel: Lily	Mulberry:
				Willow:



Headteacher Mrs C Appleby  
Executive Headteacher Mr C Cole