# Keep Hatch Primary School

Headteacher's Newsletter - 15 March 2024

#### **Calendar of Events**

18th - 22nd March -Neurodiversity Week

18th March - Year 3 - Visit to All Saint's Church

18th March - Parent's Evening - 3.50pm - 6.30pm

19th March - Girls home football match vs Earley St Peter - 3.45pm

20th March - Year 6 Easter Experience - Wokingham Baptist Church

20th March - Parent's Evening - 3.30pm - 6.30pm

21st March - Cross Country Relay competition - Braywick - 12.30pm

#### **Reminders/Notices**

Year 6 - PGL Residential:

Please make sure that all payments to date have been made - next payment due 28th March.

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Year 5 - Bikeability: Please complete the online form by 11.59pm on 19th March.

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Parent's Guide to Cyberbullying: Please see attached flyer

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Berkshire Music Trust: Please see attached newsletter. \*\*\*

Please follow us on Facebook for regular school updates

> Attendance this year:

94.8%

#### World Book Day Winners

We were delighted to celebrate the achievements of the many entries of the Potato and Book in a Box competitions from World Book Day. All of the winners received a book as a prize in assembly this week.

	Book in a Box Winners	Potato Character Winners
EYFS	Henry - How to Catch a Star Daphne - Crystal the Snow fairy	Archie C - Elmer and the Rainbow Jessica - Snowman
Year 1	Ethan H - Stickman Nancy - Crayons	Kaia - The Gruffalo, Mouse and Snake
Year 2	Grace M - The Tiger that came to Tea Kacey - The Hungry Caterpillar Daisy P - Room on the Broom Georgia K - The Cat in the Hat	Ruben - Where's Wally Max R-H - Harry Potter James W - Trunkinator
Year 3	Defne - Quidditch Ksenia - Castle Charlotte W- Story Treehouse	Eunice - Elmer Molly - Worst Witch Albie P - Mr Men Bonnie S - Superworm Reuben W - Hungry Caterpillar Charlotte S - The Cat in the Hat
Year 4	Sheryl and Yannis- Alice in Wonderland Eleanor T- Where's Wally?	Freya L - Hedwig Henry B - The Very Hungry Caterpillar Isla C - Veg Patch Party
Year 5	Belle - Paddington Harry W - Percy Jackson	Olivia - Oompa Loompa Ashley - Hedgehog
Year 6	Isabella K-The Cat in the Hat Izzy, Livvy and Lydia - Mr Men Sofie - Harry Potter	Jessie C - Oompa Loompa Khole - The White Rabbit Ellie - Pooh bear Mason - Paddington

#### Comic Relief

Thank you to all families for supporting Comic Relief again this year and for your generous donations for this worthy cause. Comic Relief does fantastic work in supporting communities and every donation makes a real difference in helping those in need. Thank you to everyone who participated and donated!

#### Sharing Assemblies Y3 and Y5

A big 'well done' to our Y3 and Y5 children for their fabulous sharing assemblies, and thank you to all parents and families for coming along to support your children and hear about their exciting learning.

#### Parents' Evenings

We look forward to welcoming parents and families into school next week for our Spring Term parents evenings. If we could request that all families are mindful of the time allocated per appointment to allow for the evenings to run as smoothly as possible. We look forward to sharing your children's learning journeys with you.

#### Football Match

The Keep Hatch boys unfortunately lost on Tuesday night in a tough fixture but one that we definitely edged! After going behind twice, we managed to get it level at 2-2 and were much the better team and definitely deserved to win! Unfortunately, the dreaded penalties were to decide the winner and we didn't manage to get over the line. The boys should be so proud of their performance and it was great to see the training in action!

#### Cake Sale

Keep Hatch will be celebrating Neurodiversity Week  $18^{th} - 24^{th}$  March. We will be holding a cake sale after school on the  $22^{nd}$  March to fundraise for resources to support the SEND Department. We would welcome any donations of (nut free) cakes and biscuits to be brought into school on the morning of the  $22^{nd}$  March. Please do come along and purchase a cake to celebrate this important week in our school calendar! Many thanks in advance for all your support.

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Puffins	Remi for her attention to detail and huge effort painting so many fantastic pictures for our topic on birds this week.			
Sparrows	Kaden for his super magnet eyes, perseverance and hard work in phonics this week! Lenny for being such a superstar whilst taking part in group work this week!			
Blackbirds	Georgie B and Tayvis for really working hard with their story writing this week.			
Robins	Theo for his amazing effort in writing. Toby S for super quick mental maths.			
Kingfishers	Frankie for always working hard and showing her school values! Well done Frankie!			
Skylarks	Ruben, for working really hard on his handwriting . Keep it up Ruben! Noah B and Cole for working so well as a team during our STEM activity for Science Week. Well done!			
Cedar	The whole of Year 3 for their excellent job in sharing assembly this week. You really impressed everyone with all your learning from last term.			
Rowan				
Hazel	Oliver and Sebby for showing resilience, working hard and improving their work in maths and English.			
Sycamore	Harry for an excellent definition of 'grown', 'caught' and 'reared' in DT! Thomas for being polite! Cassidy for playing TT Rockstars for 6 out of the last 7 days!			
Laurel	Noah for always being polite and putting in 100% effort into all areas of his learning. Well done!			
Maple	Summer for being a superstar. She is helpful and reliable and always tries her best. Well done!			
Mulberry	Ellie for amazing effort across the curriculum and for approaching everything with a smile.			
Willow	Kianna for some excellent DT on the computer this week.			
Oak	Hubert and Bella who were initially reluctant to join in with dance in PE but approached it with enthusiasm and a big smile this week			
Headteacher's Awards	Lena (Y1) for being so brave and resilient.			



This week's top Times Table Rock Stars are:

Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kingfishers -	Cedar- Jack W	Hazel – Aidan	Laurel - Ashley	Mulberry - Cindy
Cameron	Rowan- Rehan A	Sycamore –	Maple - Lacie-	Oak - Anson
Skylarks- Zach		Lucas	Ann	Willow - Jessie

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