



Keep Hatch Primary School



Headteacher's Newsletter – 14 June 2024

Calendar of Events

Sat 15th June - PA Pool painting - 10am - 2pm

Wed 19th June - Girls Football Final vs Polehampton - collect at 2.50pm

Fri 21st June - PA Non uniform day, in return for Summer fayre donations.

Reminders/Notices

Year 1 - Milestones Trip:

Please complete the online ParentMail Form and make payment of £24.45 by 14th June.

Year 3 - River & Rowing Museum:

Please complete the online ParentMail Form and make payment of £18.42 by 25th June.

Year 4 - Ufton Court visit to Keep Hatch:

Please make payment of £18.50 by 18th June.

Class Photos:

Deadline to order photos is 20th June.

Superheroes holiday club:

Please see attached flyer.

Sports Afternoon ParentMail Form:

Please complete by Tuesday 19th June.

Please follow us on Facebook for regular school updates



Attendance this year: 94.7%



Diabetes Awareness Week

This week is Diabetes Awareness Week. In Monday's assembly, the children learned about diabetes and its impact. We were fortunate to hear from some of our own students who shared their personal experiences with this important health issue. Their stories provided valuable insights and helped raise awareness within our school community.

Summer Athletics Event

Last week, a selection of children from Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 took part in a cluster summer athletics event at St. Crispin's. We were delighted to receive the results that Keep Hatch came in first place for all of the games!

Year 6 Maths Challenge

On Wednesday afternoon, a few of our Year 6 children had the opportunity to take part in a Maths competition, completing against several local primary schools. This event was hosted by Westende Junior School. The children had 1 hour to answer 40-word problems, mentally! All the children worked brilliantly, however, a huge congratulations to Team Keep Hatch, who managed to win the competition within 40 minutes! We're all very proud of you!

Parent Survey

Please complete the parent survey that was sent out last week by Friday, 5th July. Your responses are invaluable to our whole school's continued improvement. Thank you for your time and feedback.

Fathers' Day Gifts

I would like to extend a huge thank you to our wonderful Parents' Association for organising this week's Fathers' Day gifts. Not only is this a lovely opportunity for our children to buy a gift for someone special, it is also an opportunity for the PA to raise valuable funds to support children's provision at school.

Caterlink Debts

We are required to clear all debts with Caterlink before the end of the school year, so we would appreciate your prompt attention to this, so we don't have to spend a lot of time chasing payments. Thank you.

Year 5 and 6 Quad Kids Athletics School Games

On Tuesday, a group of year 5 and 6 children spent the morning at Palmer Park competing in a school games Quad Kids athletics competition. They each competed in sprints, long distance, howler throw and standing long jump events. It was lovely to see their brilliant efforts at all the events, and to hear them cheering on their team mates too. Well done- we will share the results as soon as we can!

Year 1 and 2 Multi-skills School Games

After school on Thursday, a group of Year 1 and 2 children attended a School Games multi-skills competition. They took part in a variety of football, sack and hopper relays, throwing and catching and howler javelin events. The children were brilliantly behaved, supportive of each other and so enthusiastic towards every station- well done! Results are to follow.

Frays Academy Wokingham Schools Music Concert

This week some of our choir and musicians took part at our joint Frays Wokingham Hub Music concert at All Saints Church. They were all amazing in the performance!

Safety before and after school

We have noticed that some children have been playing on the outside wooden adventure equipment next to the school field before and after school and we would like to remind parents that this is not permitted from a safety perspective. As you may have noticed that some of the area has been coned off, this is due to the equipment being unsafe, therefore is not used during the school day, so children should definitely not use after school.

No smoking on school site

A reminder that there should be no smoking or vaping on the school site at anytime.

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Sparrows	Hazel for her super effort in Phonics this week. Well done, Hazel!
Blackbirds	Hughie for an amazing effort in his English this week. Neeva for being super brave at swimming and putting her head in the water.
Robins	Sebastian for making huge improvements in swimming lessons .
Kingfishers	Ella for a great effort in her Maths quizzes this week! What fantastic progress you have made! Well done!
Skylarks	Noah B for good effort with all our quizzes this week, particularly the reading quiz!
Cedar	Runako for her excellent and well thought contributions in science, she has been working hard to include the taught vocabulary in our class discussions. Well done!
Rowan	Everly for her positive attitude and supportive behaviour, and well thought out contributions within class. Ksenia for being an 'always' child- well done for always being hard-working, polite and a helpful hand to both adults and peers.
Hazel	Charlie Peck and Edie for excellent focus and trying their best in every lesson especially in English and History. Well done both of you!
Sycamore	Henry and Oliver Charlton for demonstrating exemplary learning behaviours and working hard in all subjects. Well done to both of you!
Laurel	Sophie – for a super effort in her writing this week, and for contributions towards class discussions. Well done.
Maple	Eva for always asking questions if there is something she is unsure of. Well done Ava this is really helping with your independent learning.
Mulberry	Sofie, for always meeting expectations and demonstrating the school values.
Oak	Jacob and Eva for their determination and effort in PE this week.
Willow	Ellen for her outstanding writing and for learning all her lines with expression.
Headteacher's Award	Ansh (Y6) and Lacie (Y4) for talking so confidently in assembly this week.



This week's top Times Table Rock Stars are:

Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kingfishers - Oakley Skylarks - George	Cedar - Luna Rowan - Rehan A	Hazel - Sycamore -	Laurel - Arthur Maple - Lacie-Anne	

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