



Keep Hatch Primary School



Headteacher's Newsletter – 13 June 2025

Calendar of Events

16th - 20th June -
Diabetes awareness week

Wed 18th June - Happy
Bag collection

Fri 20th June - Non-
uniform day - (children to
bring in donations for the
Summer Fayre)

Tues 24th June - Year 1
Milestones Museum trip

Reminders/Notices

Year 1 - Milestones Museum:

Please make payment of
£30.35 & complete the
online ParentMail Form

Year R - Beale Park Trip:

Please make payment of
£24.40 & complete the
online ParentMail Form

Year 2 - Windsor Castle trip:

Please make payment of
£18.08 & complete the
online ParentMail Form

Year 3 - River & Rowing Museum trip:

Please make payment of
£24.83 & complete the
online ParentMail Form

Just Play Sports:

See attached flyer

Attendance
this year:
95.3 %



Thought for the Week: We all need to talk to someone who listens and someone who understands.

This week in our assemblies and PSHE lessons, the children have been thinking about how important it is to have someone who really listens and understands us. They listened to two lovely stories that showed how being there for someone during tough times can make a big difference. The children really impressed all the staff with how thoughtfully they joined in the discussions and shared their own ideas. It was great to see them showing our school values of respect, responsibility, and resilience—whether it was by listening carefully, supporting a friend, or thinking about how they can help others feel heard.

VR day workshop

This week, pupils in Years 4, 5, and 6 took part in an exciting virtual reality workshop delivered by Prime VR. The experience was a fantastic way to enhance their learning, with immersive sessions exploring the Ancient Greeks, world biomes, and the wonders of the world. The workshop brought these topics to life in a fun and engaging way, sparking curiosity and enthusiasm across all year groups. A big thank you to Mrs Moore for organising such a memorable and educational event.

Bookworm Bulletin

Thank you to Mrs Wesley for the latest edition of the Bookworm Bulletin. Please find a copy attached to this week's newsletter.

Ashridge Road Fun Day

Please see attached to this newsletter a flyer about a Funday taking place on Ashridge Road this Sunday 15th June.

School Games Orange Ball Tennis Competition:

On Tuesday, 5 children from Years 5 and 6 competed in the Orange Ball Tennis Qualifiers organised through the School Games. They played multiple matches against different schools, earning points for their team. They played excellently and demonstrated the school values brilliantly, finishing in 3rd place! Well done!

Father's Day Gifts

I would like to extend a huge thank you to our wonderful Parents' Association for organising this week's Father's 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.

PA Non-Uniform Day - Friday 20th June

The PA are holding a non-uniform day on Friday 20th June, and in return will be asking for donations of chocolate, a children's gift or a bottle (e.g. alcohol, non-alcoholic drinks, bath smellies) for the Summer Fayre.

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.

Happy Bags

Please bring your filled bag to school in the morning of Wednesday 18th June for collection.

Parent Survey

Please complete the parent survey that was sent out on 5th June 2025.

Simply Portrait

Please note that the deadline for ordering class photos & Year 6 leavers photos is Sunday 15th June 2025.



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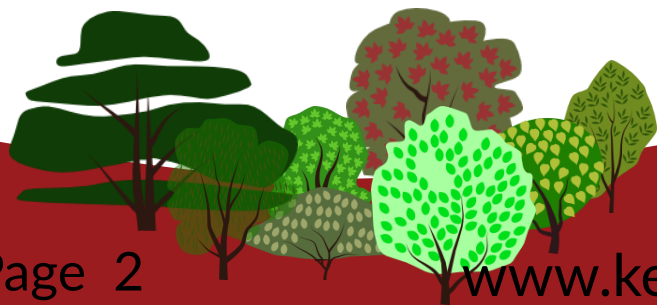
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Puffins	Valerie and Rosie S for always being kind, helpful and hardworking Puffins. Well done for being great role models!
Sparrows	Zain for showing such confidence whilst settling into Sparrows. We hope you have enjoyed your first few days!
Blackbirds	All of Year 1 for their magnificent efforts learning their phonics.
Robins	All of Year 1 for their magnificent efforts learning their phonics.
Kingfishers	Carter for being a kind and caring friend and taking pride and care in his artwork this week.
Skylarks	Amara for being a caring and supportive friend. Thank you. Toby S for drawing a lovely sketch of a crown.
Cedar	Salma for a great first week in Year 3.
Rowan	Lola and Sophie for working hard, showing resilience and great skills in DT. Well done!
Hazel	The whole of Year 4 for the excellent efforts in the MTC check this week! Everyone worked super hard, and we couldn't ask for any more! Well done!
Sycamore	The whole of Year 4 for the excellent efforts in the MTC check this week! Everyone worked super hard, and we couldn't ask for any more! Well done!
Laurel	Freya for wonderful pacing during a long-distance run in PE and for also doing some extra writing at home.
Maple	Isla for going out of her way to show kindness to someone and help them be included.
Mulberry	Nula, for her lovely ideas in writing. Noah, for his dynamic observational art.
Willow	Hayden and Joe for showing great long jump technique.
Headteacher's Awards	Paige M (Y6) for being such a kind friend, and excellent Y6 role model looking after younger children in the school.



This week's top Times Table Rock Stars are:

Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kingfishers:	Cedar: James W	Hazel: Kyle	Laurel: Olivia	Mulberry:
Skylarks:	Rowan: Cameron	Sycamore: Paige	Maple: Abi	Willow:



Headteacher Mrs C Appleby
Executive Headteacher Mr C Cole