



MUSIC MARK
SCHOOL



Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

Learning together - enjoying success - aiming high - celebrating difference – enriching community

Weekly Newsletter –23rd April 2025

'Pupils behave well. They feel safe, valued and able to voice their opinions. They say that staff listen to them.'

OFSTED March 2023

Chair of Governors: Robert Doets

WELCOME BACK!

We hope you have had an enjoyable Easter Break, were able to enjoy the pockets of beautiful weather we experienced and feel ready to return for a fun and busy Summer Term! As a staff team, we are excited to return to the relationships we have with our community.

Across Key Stages learning is currently focussed upon relationships with others - what they are, why they are important, and how we look after them. As a school, the value that we place in relationships sits firmly at the heart of our ethos and values, our aim being that every interaction that we have sits 'within the relationship' that we have with everyone as individuals, as people.



Talking of relationships, over the past year we have been fortunate enough to develop an excellent relationship with our ASDA Community Champion Elaine. Elaine has been supporting our school by providing resources, meeting with children in the School Council to discuss how we can develop our school and providing food tasting sessions for classes across the school. Year 3 will be working with Elaine this week to taste cheeses from around the world.



This half term will see our Year 5s working with the **Mental Health Support Team**, Years 3 and 4 working with **Musician Kip**. This week the children in year 5 will start engaging with a visiting wire artist as part of our new **DAISI Project** funded by Helen Foundation. This project will eventually result in the creation of a wire sculpture for the school. Our Year 6s will take part in **SATS** between Monday 12th May and Thursday 15th May. If your child is in Year 6 and you have any concerns or questions about SATS, please get in touch with Mr Hankin who will be happy to speak with you.

What is on offer?

Blossoms Music

Chris, Alice, Laura, Jordan, Rosie

Piano
Guitar
Ukulele
Drums
Singing
Violin
Flute
Clarinet
Recorder

All lessons during the school day. Children will be collected from class and returned once their lesson has finished.

for more details contact:
Laura Mortimore
07515805812

Buckland Hub
@ The Buckland Centre

Worried about?
Debt
Housing
Energy costs
Mental Health

Need help with?
Benefit applications
Getting online
Contacting organisations
Contacting about the Foodbank

Pop in, even if you just need a chat and a cuppa!

Other groups provided at The Buckland Centre by Buckland Support:

- Gentle Exercise Class
Open to all
Tuesdays 2pm-3pm
£3 a class.
- Baby & Toddler Group
Come and join us for fun and activities!
Tuesdays from 10am-12pm
£1 per family.
- Coffee & Games Morning
Open to all, for crafts, card games, dominos, board games, refreshments and a chat.
Fridays 9.30am-12.00pm
Free!

For more information contact Yvonne: 03411 573776

COMMUNITY FUND **THE BUCKLAND CENTRE**

Libraries Unlimited **Newton Abbot Library**

LEGO Club

Sat, 3 May
13:00 – 15:00
Newton Abbot Libraries

Free session for children aged 5 +

APPS AND WEBSITES USED IN SCHOOL

In school we use a variety of Apps and Websites to support your children's learning across all areas of the curriculum. Here are the details of some Apps/websites we use to support children in their **Art Learning**:

<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids>

This website provides information about particular artists and types of art as well as having programmes to create your own art online and ideas to create art with different mediums. There are also some fun games and quizzes children can play.

<https://paintz.app/>

An App to draw and edit images on your device. There are easy to use features that are accessible to all ages.

<https://www.canva.com/>

This website makes it easy to create professional designs and to share or print them.



PLAYLEADER NOMINATIONS FOR POSITIVE PLAY

We are really pleased that our Year 5 playleaders, who meet after school each Thursday, and have been supporting play at lunchtimes have been keen to nominate children that they see demonstrating positive play behaviours.

The children that they have noticed this week who will be receiving certificates in assembly on Friday are:

Aria Cockman– for helping others with the stamps and ensuring the equipment got put away properly.

Ajax Parkins-Harman–for excellent dancing at lunch time and encouraging others to join in.



Congratulations to you all, and many thanks to all of our playleaders.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS – 'GOING FOR GOALS'

This week we are encouraging children to celebrate the way in which they engage with the school's Core Offer, particularly how they are connecting with those around them as part of our focus upon **'Going for Goals'**. Children are currently spending time thinking about and developing an understanding of their aspirations for themselves and the world and working together.

This sits firmly within the **British Values** of understanding of the value of mutual respect as well as an understanding of responsibility.

The following children will be **celebrated in assembly on Friday 25th April** with a focus upon:

'I demonstrate a sense of value as a person.'

- Miss Butler has nominated Alexa Kelly
- Mrs Penn has nominated Alfie Chapman
- Miss Jacob has nominated Henry Thompson
- Miss Dennis has nominated Lucas Sandford
- Miss Cameron has nominated Archie Waddell and Edward Little
- Mrs Brown has nominated Ajax Parkins-Harman
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Reece Fox and Piper Ash-Fuller
- Miss Manley has nominated Maisy Luxton and Alfie Darke
- Miss Shopland has nominated Alex Campbell
- Mr Hankin has nominated Alfred Gidley and Iris Ionescu
- Mrs Russell has nominated Jacob Robson and Joshua Groft



All parents, relatives and wider community members are encouraged to join us for this weekly celebration – it's a great way to round off the week, whether you are connected to nominated children or not. We look forward to seeing you.

ATTENDANCE

Please find below the attendance information for each class last week, great effort. Well done!



OVERALL	Nursery SB & SJP	Reception LJ	Year 1 CD	Year 2 SB	Year 3 MC	Year 4 JM	Year 5 IF	Year 6 GH
90.1	89.8	82.6	88	90	94.2	91.1	93.1	78.6