

# Weekly News

Friday 6th  
March 2026

Please visit our website : [www.haslett.org.uk](http://www.haslett.org.uk)

## Attendance

Please be reminded that Attendance information including the Attendance Policy is available on the school website. We expect children to attend school every day. Should your child be too unwell to attend, you must report the absence every day before 9am.

Figures from week 23.2.26 to 27.2.26

Overall attendance: **96.67%** Best Class attendance: **Joules 100%**

February figures: Milton Keynes: **92.75%**, National: **94.95%**

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98.6%	99.1%	97.3%	96.6%	99.6%	94.8%	97.1%

Colour guide: **BLUE** – Exceptional 99%-100%, **DARK GREEN** – Strong 97-98.9%, **LIGHT GREEN** – Expected 96-96.9% **ORANGE** – Needs Attention 90-95.9% **RED** – Urgent Improvement needed Below 90%

## 100% Attendance

Last week's winner is Eleonora from Joules class.

Well done Eleonora!



## Star of the Week for 'Being Organised'



- PELTON:** Raiyan Myla
- ASTON:** Clara
- EDISON:** Kiara
- UPTON:** Amelia
- RUTHERFORD:** Tillie
- VOLTA:** Kyle
- CROWTHER:** Abhira
- MAYBACH:** Victoria
- MURREY:** Amelia
- JOULES:** Jake
- MAYER:** Annais
- WINSTANLEY:** Aarush
- HAUKSBEE:**



## Numbots

Well done to Volta class!



## HOUSE WINNERS FOR WEEK ENDING 27.2.26

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## Medal Success for Our Gymnasts!

Twelve pupils from Key Stage 2 proudly represented our school at the MK Schools Gymnastics Competition on Wednesday. The children worked incredibly hard in preparation, learning and memorising three different routines which they each had to perform individually in front of judges and a large audience.

Our Year 3 and 4 girls performed their routines in the morning session and achieved a fantastic 6th place out of 22 schools. This was an excellent result, especially as it was their first time competing together as a team.

In the afternoon, the Year 5 and 6 girls took to the floor and delivered outstanding performances that truly impressed the judges. Their hard work paid off as they secured 3rd place out of 23 schools, bringing home Caroline Haslett School's first ever gymnastics medal.

We are extremely proud of all the children for their dedication, confidence and teamwork. A huge thank you to the girls for the effort put into practising both at school and at home (Eva, Gabi, Paloma, Paige, Abhi, Fearne, Nida, Aaria, Amelia, Eleonora, Isabelle and Sienna).



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## U11 Indoor Athletics

Paige, Daryl and Abhi took part in the South-East region U11 Indoor Athletics Competition at the weekend.

The 'Sportshall' event was designed for children to develop skills in running, jumping, and throwing during the winter season. Team-based activities included the standing long jump, vertical jump, speed bounce and relay races. Buckinghamshire Boys placed 5th and the Girls finished 3rd against the counties Berkshire, Hampshire, Kent, Oxfordshire, Surrey and Sussex.

Well done everyone!

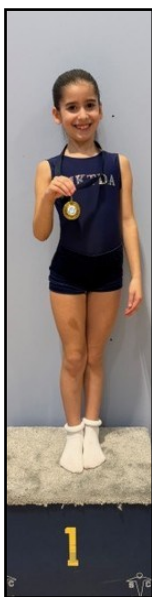


## Pupil Achievement

Eleonora from Joules class competed on Saturday 27th February in the Southern Region Qualifier 2 trampoline competition, scoring 25.75 and winning a Gold Medal in her group.

She has worked really hard in training in both her competitions this month and her dedication paid off as she has now qualified for the April competition.

Well done Eleonora!



The poster features a central graphic of a colorful, stylized 'H' with the text 'hazard alley' inside. It includes the following text: 'Milton Keynes City Council' logo, 'safety centre', 'Easter 2026 HAF Programme', 'Suitable for ages 8-14yrs Must be accompanied by an adult', 'Lots of availability 7th - 10th April SEND Friendly Tours', 'Join us for some fun this Easter. Enjoy a Hazard Alley Tour, plus painting & games.', a QR code, and booking information: 'Please book online. https://eequ.org/book/hazard-alley-interactive-kiln-farm-with-safety-centre-hazard-alley-ltd-16178' and 'Unit 18 Carters Lane, Kiln Farm, Milton Keynes MK11 3ES 01908 263009'. There are also small circular images showing children participating in activities.

## The New Caroline Haslett Computing Blog is Now Live!

Visit <https://carolinehaslett.my.canva.site/computing-blog> for all the latest updates in Computing and STEM. From Digital Leader assemblies to competition success, our blog is the best way for our children and parents to stay connected with our journey as we explore new technologies, celebrate pupil achievements and inspire the next generation of tech leaders!

The screenshot shows a website with a blue header containing navigation links: Home, STEM, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6. The main content area features a large yellow oval with the text 'Caroline Haslett COMPUTING BLOG'. Below this are two circular logos: 'Computing Quality Mark Certificate School framework award 2024 - 25' and 'CAROLINE HASLETT PRIMARY SCHOOL'. At the bottom, it says 'For our Computing Journey before September 2025 Visit https://chpsmrshart.edublogs.org'.

## Learning Behaviours

At Caroline Haslett Primary School, we have 8 characters that help us remember the skills of an effective learner in all of our lessons.

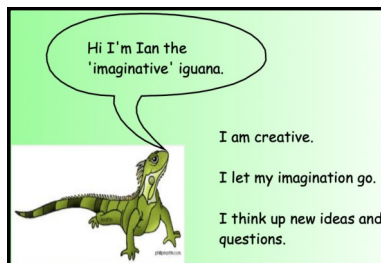
The character for next week will be Ian the Imaginative Iguana.

Encourage your child to practise the skills listed below and be like Ian.

I am creative.

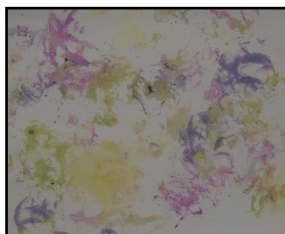
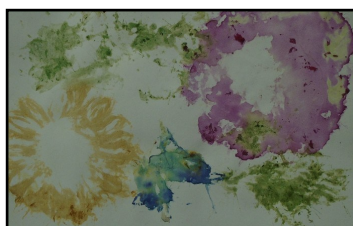
I let my imagination go.

I think up new ideas and questions.



## Year 5

In Art this half term, Year 5 have been exploring the work of Australian artist India Flint, who is known for dyeing textiles and paper using materials gathered from the natural environment. Inspired by her work, the children created their own Hapa-Zome prints. Hapa-Zome is a traditional Japanese printing technique meaning 'leaf dye', where leaves and petals are carefully hammered to release their natural pigments onto fabric or paper. The results were vibrant, unique and truly fascinating – a wonderful celebration of creativity and nature!



## Instrumental Festival

Some of our budding musicians performed at the Instrumental Festival on Tuesday and Friday this week at Christ the Corner Stone church in Central Milton Keynes.

We had Trumpet, Trombone, Flute, Clarinet, Violin and Guitar players from years 3, 4, 5 and 6.

They all performed in front of a large audience of school children, teachers, parents and judges. The children all performed beautifully!



## Dates for the diary

### School Tours

1st Tuesday of the month at 10.30am

**Movies & Munchies (Yr3-6)**  
Thursday 12th March

**Red Nose Day**  
Friday 13th March

**Year 2 Balance Bike**  
16th–19th March

**Friends Bingo**  
Friday 20th March  
(after school)

**Last day of Spring Term**  
Friday 27th March  
1pm finish

**Easter Half Term**  
School Re-opens  
Monday 13th April

**Movies & Munchies (Y1-3)**  
Thursday 7th May

**Movies & Munchies (Y3-6)**  
Thursday 21st May

**School closes Friday 22nd**  
**May Half Term**

**Inset Day**  
Monday 1st June

**School re-opens**  
Tuesday 2nd June

**School Disco**  
Wednesday 3rd June

**Summer Fete**  
Friday 19th June

**Sports Day**  
Friday 26th June

**KS2 Production**  
Wednesday 1st July  
Thursday 2nd July

**Reserve Summer Fete Day**  
Friday 3rd July

**Reserve Sports Day**  
Thursday 9th July

**School closes**  
Friday 17th July at 1pm

# World Book Day at Caroline Haslett

The children and the staff had great fun on Thursday, dressing up for World Book Day and taking part in the book swap!



# FRIENDS OF CHPS



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## EASTER BINGO

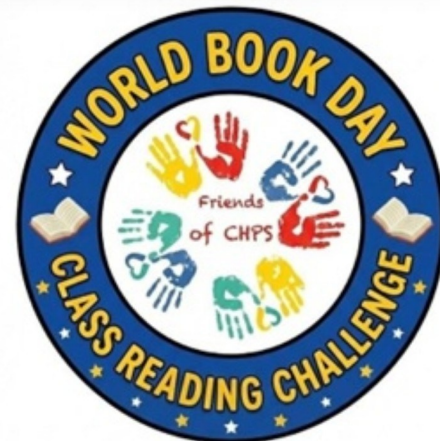
Tickets £1 per person (includes first game)  
Additional games £1 each or 6 for £5

**Friday 20th March**  
Session 1: 4-6pm  
Session 2: 6.30-8.30pm

Featuring teaching staff as our bingo callers!

This is a family event, all children must be accompanied by an adult.

Tickets on sale from Friday 6th March. Ticket sales will close on Thursday 19th March at 1pm or earlier if the event has sold out. Limited number of tickets available, so secure yours now!



Thank you to all the children that have participated in the Class Reading Challenge over the last week and returned your reading logs to school. We will now be busy adding up all the minutes and will announce the winners next week.

Thank you for all the support with the challenge and to everyone who also raised some sponsorship money. We are thrilled to see that, at the time of writing, together we have raised over £2,000!

Sponsorship money can still be donated via JustGiving [www.justgiving.com/page/chps2026readingchallenge](http://www.justgiving.com/page/chps2026readingchallenge)

If you'd like to send in any photos of your children taking part in the challenge and/or details about their reading challenge achievements please send them via e-mail to [chpsfriendschat@gmail.com](mailto:chpsfriendschat@gmail.com) and we will share them next week!

The Friends of CHPS presents

## Movies & Munchies

**Movies and Munchies for Years 3 to 6**  
Thursday 12 March at 3:15pm

£5 ticket includes:

A drink (juice carton or water), a sandwich, popcorn or crisps.  
Tickets available from Monday 2 March until 1pm Monday 9 March.  
Pick up from school reception at 5:30pm.  
The film shown will be Zootropolis 2.