



## FRoGS Class Reps Update

Thank you to those parents who have signed up to be class reps or helpers at our events! We do have some classes who do not have any class rep at all so we still need more volunteers.

We all lead busy lives, but it really won't take up too much of your time, and it makes such a huge difference!

Please sign up using the online form if you'd like to join the PTA Class Reps team, each class needs representation in the PTA and we need to be able to continue to provide so many fun and rewarding events for our pupils and their families. [Link to Sign up Form for Class Rep](#)

The FRoGS will be in touch with everyone who has signed up very soon, if you haven't heard from them already. We'd like to say a big thanks to you all!

## Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Bonnet Competition

Our fabulous FRoGS PTA have already placed an order with the Easter Bunny and will have lots of yummy chocolate eggs ready for the Easter Egg Hunt this year.

Tickets must be purchased in advance, either from the school office before 23<sup>rd</sup> March or online at <https://www.charity-hub.co.uk/friendsofgreathollandsschool>

As in previous years, there is also a Decorate an Easter Bonnet Competition running, which will be judged on the day. Plain hats can be purchased for £1.50 each.

**Please see the flyers later in the newsletter for full details of both events.**



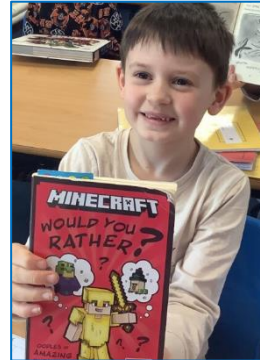
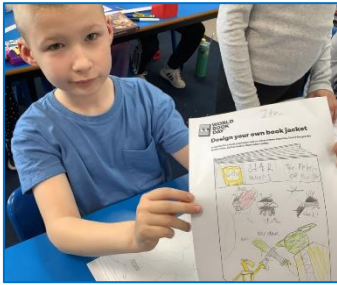
## Year 1 Local Area Walk

Last week, Badgers and Foxes classes started their new topic, 'What makes me proud of our place?' We walked around Great Hollands and looked at the features of our local environment. The children had great fun walking around and were very excited to point out where they lived. We would all like to thank all the parents who came along with us.



## World Book Day

We celebrated World Book Day this week, with the children being invited to come into school wearing their comfy clothes and to share their favourite book to read. It was lovely to see such a range of different stories, both fiction and non-fiction, and to hear the many reasons why they are special to everyone.



### Our Special Visitor

We had a very special visit this morning from 'Punctuality Pete', who popped in to see just how GREAT our children are at getting to school on time every day!

He was very impressed to see so many coming through the school gates, ready to go into class and begin their learning.

Did you get to see him today?

## SEND Surgery

We are holding our next SEND surgery on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March and you should have received a message today detailing how to request an appointment. These appointments are optional and provide a chance to speak with the team if you would like to discuss any concerns you may have about your child.

The aim of the SEN Surgery is to offer advice, answer questions, and discuss possible support strategies or signpost to support where needed.

If you would like to book a short appointment, please use the QR code or click the following link to complete our online form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/xkKKKchLSc>



Appointments will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis.

Thank you for your continued support and have a relaxing weekend!

**Richard Ferris**  
Headteacher



## Attendance Stars

Classes with the highest attendance this week:

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Tigers – (100%)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Falcons (99.0%)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Lions (98.3%)



## Diary Dates

MARCH 2026	
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 5:</b> Family Learning Science Workshop, 9.00-10.30am in Gold Hall
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Family Learning Resilience Toolkit Workshop Session 2 – 1.00-3.00pm
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SEND Surgery:</b> To request an appointment please visit <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/xkKKKchLSc">https://forms.office.com/e/xkKKKchLSc</a> and one of the team will be in touch to arrange a convenient time.
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Reception:</b> NCMP Height, Weight, Vision and Hearing Screening
	Family Learning Resilience Toolkit Workshop Session 3 – 1.00-3.00pm

	<b>Year 5:</b> Experience Easter Workshop at St Michael's Church, Easthampstead – 1.30-2.30pm Consent form link: <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/8E0gRLrajR">https://forms.office.com/e/8E0gRLrajR</a>
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>RSE Parent Consultation Meetings:</b> 2.30pm and 5.00pm – letter to follow
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 2:</b> ZooLab Animal Encounters Workshop, cost £9.20 per pupil
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Last Day of Spring Term</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School closes at 2.15pm for pupils</li> <li>• After School Club closes at 4.45pm</li> </ul>
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>FRoGS Easter Egg Hunt and Bonnet Competition:</b> 11.00am – 1.00pm (winners chosen at 12.45pm)
<b>APRIL 2026</b>	
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>First Day of Summer Term</b>
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Year 2:</b> Family Learning English 'Story Maps' – 9.00-10.30am
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Whole School:</b> Class Photos and Year 6 Individual Photos
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 1:</b> Family Learning English 'Story Sandwich' – 9.00-10.30am
<b>MAY 2026</b>	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>May Bank Holiday:</b> Pupils not in school
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 3:</b> Family Learning Maths 'Kaboom' Times Tables – 9.00-10.30am
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 4:</b> Family Learning Maths Division – 9.00-10.30am
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Year 6: SATs Assessments Week</b>
w/c Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Whole School:</b> Walk to School Week
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Nursery:</b> Family Learning English 'Messy Writing' – 9.00-10.30am
<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>HALF TERM BREAK</b>
<b>JUNE 2026</b>	
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>First day of Term</b>
w/c Monday 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Bikeability Course – specific days TBC
	<b>Year 4:</b> Multiplication Tables Check – more info to follow

Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> to Friday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 3&amp;4 Swimming</b> – details to follow
w/c Monday 8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 1:</b> Phonics Screening Check
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Family Learning Transition to Year 7 – 9.00-11.00am in Gold Hall <i>Session 1 of 2 - This is a parent only session</i>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> to Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Book Fair:</b> 3.00-3.30pm every day – more info to follow
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Family Learning Transition to Year 7 – 9.00-11.00am in Gold Hall <i>Session 2 of 2 - This session is for parents and children.</i>
<b>JULY 2026</b>	
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Transition Day to Bracknell Forest Secondary Schools
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Transition Day to Bracknell Forest Secondary Schools
	<b>New Reception Intake:</b> Family Learning Starting School – 9.00-10.30am in Gold Hall
<b>Friday 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>INSET DAY – school closed to pupils</b>
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> End of Year Production Performances – details to follow
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Residential Trip to PGL Liddington
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Whole School:</b> Sports Day, details TBC
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Whole School:</b> Reports go out and pupils meet their new teachers (9.30-11.00am)
	<b>Year 6:</b> Water Day
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Prom – 6.00-8.00pm in Gold Hall
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Graduation Celebration – 10.00-11.00am in Gold Hall
	<b>End of Summer Term</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School closes at 2.15pm for pupils</li> <li>• After School Club closes at 4.45pm</li> </ul>

**These dates are subject to change, we will try to give as much notice as possible!**

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PRESENT

# EGG HUNT

Sunday 29th March 2026 11am - 1pm  
£5 per child (includes 1 full size egg\*)  
\* Booking required

Come along to join the fun and win an  
Easter egg! 🐣 🥚

Indoor games and refreshments also available.  
Plus enter our Easter bonnet decorating  
competition to win an extra prize.

Buy tickets online or complete form below  
and return to school office by  
WEDNESDAY 23RD MARCH  
Online tickets available at :  
[Charity-hub.co.uk/friendsofgreathollandsschool](http://Charity-hub.co.uk/friendsofgreathollandsschool)

Entrance via Silver Hall and last entry 12.40pm  
**All children must be accompanied**

FROGS PRESENTS  
**EASTER  
BONNET  
COMPETITION**



**Decorate an Easter hat  
to win a prize at our  
Easter Egg Hunt**

**Plain hats can be pre-ordered at  
£1.50 each**

**Winners picked at 12.45**

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