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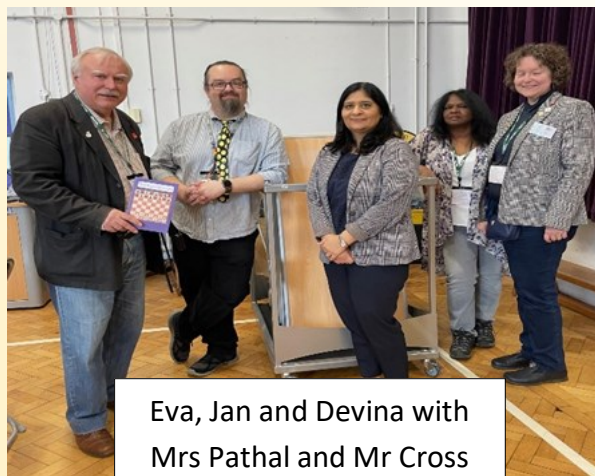
Our school's Chess Club is incredibly grateful to Eva from Twickenham Rotary Club and Jan from Shepperton and Sunbury Rotary Club for their generous donation of new chess tables worth £3,700. What makes this contribution even more special is that it came directly from their own pockets, reflecting their commitment to supporting our students.



Rotary International have been supporting our Chess Club since the spring term of 2012. Globally and nationwide, Rotary International support chess as well as other youth activities like Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, Rotary Young Chef and Rotary Technology Tournaments. For further information, please visit their [website](#).



Eva and Jan cutting the ribbon on the new tables



Eva, Jan and Devina with Mrs Pathal and Mr Cross

Eva and Jan have both been dedicated volunteers at our school for a number of years, consistently helping and supporting the children in our popular drop-in Chess Club. Their ongoing generosity and involvement are truly appreciated by both the pupils and staff.

Teddy, one of our chess masters, said *"We really appreciate their support. They*

noticed some of our tables were a bit damaged and were very kind to give us some new ones. We put them to use immediately for Round 2 of our chess tournament."



With our Chess Masters



One of the new tables in action