

# NEWSLETTER

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## Hildenborough Road Races



It was great to see over 50 children from our school running in the Hildenborough Road Races on Monday. Congratulations to everyone, we were impressed with their determination and fitness!

Bonnie received a special medal for being the third girl across the line in her race and many congratulations to Year 1 and 2 who won the trophy for their age group.

A great time was had by all.

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## **Kent Test - September 2017**

We sent leaflets home this week with information regarding the Kent Grammar School Test.

If your child is in Year 5 and wishes to sit the test you must register your child's details between 1st June and 3rd July.

Register online at [www.kent.gov.uk/ola](http://www.kent.gov.uk/ola)

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## **Year 1 and Year 2 Gardening**



Year 1 and Year 2 will be looking at plants this term and understanding how they grow. The children are hoping to grow vegetables but need your help. They would be grateful for any donations of trowels or small forks and young vegetable plants or seedlings.

Please let Miss Thompson, Miss Deacon or the office know if you are able to donate any of the above.



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**Fidget Spinners**

Please can we ask that fidget spinners are left at home as they are becoming a distraction in class.



Whilst they are marketed as a stress reliever the school provides resources for children who benefit from this type of aid.

**Head Lice**

Just to let you know we have had a case of head lice in Year 2 this week so please check your child's hair thoroughly over the weekend and treat if necessary. It may also help to wash pillow cases, hats & towels your child may have been using.



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**Saturday School Classes at Hillview School**



Hillview School are currently offering a **free trial** on any/all of the classes that your son/ daughter might be interested in. They cater for most age ranges and classes run on Saturday mornings: Drama- 10-11am, Musical Theatre- 11-12pm, Dance- 12.30-2pm and Baby Ballet/ Tap- 11.15-12pm. (Age 3+)

Their fees are really reasonable with classes averaging at just £4 a lesson. (Payable Termly)

If you would like to book your son/ daughter on a trial session, please email [popec@hillview.kent.sch.uk](mailto:popec@hillview.kent.sch.uk) to arrange a suitable date.

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**17<sup>th</sup> Tonbridge Scout and Guide Band ([www.17th.org.uk](http://www.17th.org.uk))**

On Saturday 6th May, we are running an open morning from 9am to 11am. All young people aged 7 upwards are invited to come along, try our instruments, have a go at marching and find out what we do.

For more Information call Sarah on 07941 504836 or email

[sarah@17th.org.uk](mailto:sarah@17th.org.uk)



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# DIARY DATES



- 17 May High Hopes Act of Worship  
24 May 9.00 am Y3 Act of Worship ( Y3 parents welcome)  
26 May End of Term
- 05 Jun Inset Day  
06 Jun Term 6  
06 Jun 9.30 am Pentecost @ St Johns (children only)  
21 Jun High Hopes Act of Worship  
07 July Sports Day - details to follow  
08 July 2.00 pm - 4.00 pm PTA Summer Fair  
19 July 9.30am Prize Giving  
21 July 9.30 am Leavers Service @ St Johns  
21 July End of Term

**Letters home**

**Y1 & Y2 Farm Visit**

**Y6 SATS Information Meeting**

**Y5 Meeting for PGL 2018**

Worship theme next week: Reflection



Thought for the week : A heart at peace gives life to  
the body