

Summer Fair Saturday - THIS SATURDAY – 8th JULY

Friends of Hillcroft have been working hard preparing for the Summer Fair tomorrow. Please come along and enjoy the fun – there will be pony rides, crafts, refreshments, including beer tent, BBQ, all the usual stalls and sideshows, facepainting and bouncy castle. This year Mr Fuhrmann has very sportingly agreed to have his legs waxed in public! 'Wax the Teacher' is a sponsored event so please find the stall and sponsor Mr Fuhrmann at 50p a go! The more money raised the more of his leg we will wax!



After the fair, from 2.00pm, call in to the dining hall to see the Caterham and District Horticultural Society Annual Summer Show. Entry is 50p per adult, see if you can spot the display created by children in Year 3.

Summer Reading Challenge

This week during assembly a member of staff from Caterham Hill Library on Westway, came to tell us about this year's Summer Reading Challenge, Animal Agents. Children are invited to join the Animal Agents in solving a mystery at the library.

Children's reading can 'dip' during the long summer holidays. The annual Summer Reading Challenge helps to get children into libraries to help keep up their reading skills and confidence. The Summer Reading Challenge encourages children aged 4 to 11 to read six books during the long summer holiday. There is a different theme each year. Children can read whatever they like - fact books, joke books, picture books, audio books - just as long as they are borrowed from the library. Children receive special rewards each time they finish a book and there is a certificate for everyone who completes the Challenge.

Children can sign up to the Summer Reading Challenge at their local library from 8th July. They will receive a free collector folder to keep their special Animal agents stickers in. There are three sets of stickers to collect. It's fun, it's friendly and it's FREE.

Find out more about the Challenge at <http://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk>

Find out more about your local library, including how to join at <http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/people-and-community/libraries>



School Meals

We advise that there may be some minor changes to the school meal menu towards the end of the last week of term as we are having the kitchen floor replaced. This includes all the food storage areas and therefore the kitchen need to run stock down on those last few days. We apologise for any inconvenience.

School Uniform

If you are thinking of placing a uniform order, please note the LAST FREE DAY for delivery to school before the summer holidays will be 21st July – please place your orders by 5.30pm on 18th July. There will also be a delivery to school on 6th September which is an INSET Day. Orders will be available for collection from 12.30pm. Please place your order by 5.30pm on 17th August to have it delivered free to school for 6th September. Home deliveries take approximately 10-15 working days depending on stock levels.

Acorns

Please note that **Acorns will be closed** on the three INSET days in September. These days are:

Monday 4th September
Tuesday 5th September
Wednesday 6th September

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause. Acorns will be open from Thursday 7th September.

Guitar and Ukulele Lessons

Would your child like to learn the ukulele or guitar? Tino Rainone, is a music teacher who offers guitar and ukulele lessons after school at Hillcroft each Tuesday. The lessons can be individual or group, if there are enough students. For more information please contact :
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Dates for your Diary

Friday 7 th July	Mufti Day for Summer Fair
Saturday 8 th July	Summer Fair 11.00 – 2.00pm Caterham RHS Flowers Festival 2.00pm
Wednesday 12 th July	Year 2 Trip to Polesden Lacey
Thursday 13 th July	School Discos
Friday 14 th July	Year 6 Trip – Hawthorns School KS1 Celebration of Work – 2.30pm
Monday 17 th July	Year 6 Productions Year 1 Trip to Coulsdon Common
Wednesday 19 th July	Year 6 Prize Giving
Friday 21 st July	Last day of term
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Monday 4 th September	INSET Day
Tuesday 5 th September	INSET Day
Wednesday 6 th September	INSET Day