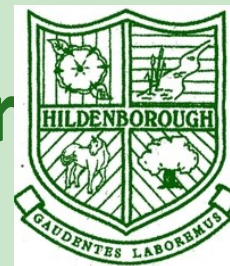


## Hildenborough CE Primary School

# Newsletter 22nd September



Our Christian theme this term is: Knowing about God who helps us to be wise.

Christian values: Love, Compassion, Courage, Endurance, Hope, Honesty

### TERM DATES 2023-2024

**Term 1**  
5th Sept to 20th Oct  
INSET  
1st & 4th Sept

**Term 2**  
30th Oct to 15th Dec  
INSET  
24th Nov

**Term 3**  
3rd Jan to 9th Feb  
INSET  
2nd Jan

**Term 4**  
19th Feb to 28th Mar

**Term 5**  
16th Apr to 24th May  
INSET  
15th April  
Bank Holiday  
6th May

**Term 6**  
5th June to  
23rd July

### MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER:

Dear Parents/carers

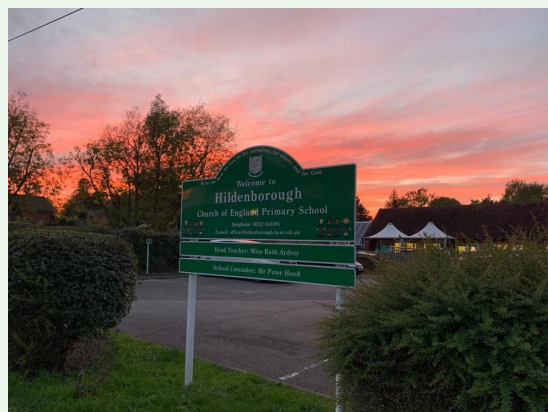
Happy Friday to you all, it was a wonderful way to end the week. There were 2 Headteacher's, the sun was shining, the burgers at lunchtime (cooked by Emma's Kitchen) were enjoyed by many and the smiles from the classrooms shone in abundance.

In Act of worship, we have focused on 'flourishing together'. Miss Welch shared a book called, 'have you filled a bucket today?' The children discussed ways that we can fill our own buckets as well as others and how we want to avoid dipping into other people's buckets. This links nicely with compassion and kindness focus the previous weeks. Perhaps this weekend, you could discuss this as a family and consider what you can do for each other to ensure your bucket is full. Perhaps doing some little jobs around the house fills your parents bucket. Small acts are all that matter and they are totally free to do. How can you fill someone's bucket today?

Our last years school council joined Hyllden Heights care home for a community litter pick as part of their Green Week. We were pleased that we did not find a lot of litter which is a great thing for the village, but we still enjoyed it. We are looking to make links with our local community, so if you have any other suggestions or ways we can do that, please let us know.

Please try to pop along to The Johnson's for tea and cake on Sunday. Or if you are unable to make it, please support by baking a cake. They are supporting Nourish Foodbank and the Walk Tonbridge Marathon on Sunday 24th September 11am - 5pm: Hawden Bungalow, Leigh Road, Hildenborough, TN11 9AH.

Have a lovely weekend!  
Miss Ardrey and Molly 😊



**"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me," (Philippians 4:13) so that I can be the best that I can be, for myself, for others and for God.**

## HOUSE POINTS:

8

10

13

7

**Hilden**

**Riding**

**Weald**

**Brook**

### Pride Award:

#### Reception:

**Year 1:** Noah C

**Year 2:** Ava

**Year 3:** Alex

**Year 4:** Henley

**Year 5:** Amelie

**Year 6:** Oscar

### Learning Values Award:

#### Reception:

**Year 1:** Elizabeth

**Year 2:** Dylan

**Year 3:** Eve

**Year 4:** Harley

**Year 5:** Patrick

**Year 6:** Elijah

### Daily Move:

This week, the class who moved the most during curriculum time was

**Year**

## Worship Reflections from Y5

Jamie - We learnt about teamwork and how one person can do only a little but together we can do a lot.

Ben and Paddy - We listened to the story of Jesus and the 100 sheep and that when you are lost Jesus will find you.

Summer - I liked the use of candy cane to represent the crook of a shepherd from the story of Jesus and the 100 sheep.

## Hot Chocolate Friday:

This week, I was joined by:

- Ellie
- Isla
- Sebastian
- Amelie
- Flora
- Asia-Rae
- Charlotte
- Miss Noone



We each shared some news, either something from the summer, something from the week, or something for the future. It was great to see the children talk so confidently about their interests and it helps me to get to know the children on a personal level. It really is one of the best parts of a Friday!

A wonderful way to end the week!

## Headteacher for the Day

On Friday I became the Head teacher. I really liked spending the day with Miss Ardrey and Molly.

In the morning I got to help Miss Ardrey at the gate and gave out all the certificates in assembly then had some tea [decaf] while doing my work.

At break I helped Miss Ardrey do hot chocolate, yum. After I finished my maths, I had lunch in the staff room with Miss Ardrey, Mr Kenward and all the other teachers.

When we got back to the office me and Miss Ardrey had some of the cup cakes she got for her birthday. In the afternoon I did lots of other important jobs. I really enjoyed being Miss Noone for the day.



## PTA News

**Headteacher Raffle** - we are thrilled to announce that our Headteacher for the day raffle raised £175.00. We loved our colour co-ordinated headteachers today!

**A Night at the Musicals** - tickets are still available to purchase on Arbor for both the children's cabaret and the adults cabaret being held in the school hall on Saturday 7 October. See poster for full details. It's a fantastic night not to be missed!

**PTA WhatsApp Group** - would you like to keep up to date with PTA news and reminders? Please sign up to the WhatsApp group. This is a closed group so only admins are able to send messages; you won't be inundated with messages!

**AGM** - our AGM will be held on Tuesday 10 October in the school hall. Do come along and listen to our review of the last academic year and get involved in our planning for this coming year - everyone is welcome.

FriendsHildenboroughPTA  
WhatsApp group



## Diary Dates:

**Monday 25 September:** Harvest Festival at St Johns Church (parents welcome)

**Tuesday 26 September:** Martial Arts Worship

**Tuesday 3 October:** Y2 Trip to Tonbridge Castle

**Thursday 19 October:** Nasal Flu Immunisation being administered in school

**Friday 20 October:** End of Term 1 (normal finish time)

**Monday 13 November:** KS2 only Remembrance Service (children to wear a poppy)

**Wednesday 13 December:** Rock Steady Concert, 2pm School Hall

**Thursday 14 December:** Christmas Service at St Johns Church (parents welcome)



FRIENDS OF HILDENBOROUGH PTA  
WELCOME...

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UNTIL 10:30PM

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Adult tickets £15 - 80 tickets available - BYO Drinks & Snacks

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**With Claudia Goodman**

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23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> October

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