

Hiller Newsletter

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Week beginning 23rd February 2026

Timings of the school day

- Gates open at 8:40am / 8.45am
- Classroom doors open at 8:50am
- School starts at 8.50am
- Gates close promptly at 9.00am
- School finishes at 3:20pm

Letters / emails sent out this week...

Special Person's Lunch
Jigsaw PSHE Term 4
letters
Non-school uniform
letter / Easter raffle

Headteacher's Message

Welcome back everyone—we hope that you all had a wonderful half term. Term 4 is here and it's a short one—only 5 weeks (4 now!) and the Easter holidays will be upon us before we know it. It has been lovely this week to actually see the sun and it almost feel like Spring is around the corner too. We are cramming a lot into this term including: Parents Evenings, Special Person's Lunch, Reading Cafes and a residential trip to the Wilderness Centre for Year 4. Please ensure that you check the online calendar on our school website, our Facebook page and this newsletter for regular reminders! Have a great weekend.

Dani Brayshaw #ProudtobeAHiller



Reading café



A reminder that our termly Reading Cafes for Term 4 are taking place from 8.50am—9.10am on:

Tuesday 10th March—Year 2 and Year 3
Wednesday 11th March—Reception and Year 1

Easter egg non-uniform day

On **Friday 6th March** we will be holding a non-uniform day and are asking the children to please bring in **an Easter egg or chocolate donation** in exchange for wearing their own clothes for the day.

Raffle tickets for the draw can be bought online via ParentPay. The tickets are £1.00 per strip, this buys five tickets for the raffle. You can choose to buy more raffle tickets by increasing the value on the ParentPay raffle item.

There will be no tickets available to buy with cash, all raffle ticket sales are via ParentPay. We will be drawing the raffle on **Friday 27th March 2026.**

Dates for your diary

March

3rd—Outdoor learning—Year 2

Year 3 parents evening

Year 1 / 2 disco @ 3.20pm

4th—Year 3 parents evening

Outdoor Learning—Year 6

5th—World Book Day (details to follow)

6th—Non-uniform day for Easter eggs (details to follow)

9th—Special Person's lunch—Reception

10th—Reading café for Year 2 & 3

Outdoor Learning—Year 1 & 5

Special Persons Lunch—Year 4 & 5

11th—Year 4 residential trip to the Wilderness Centre

Reading café—Reception & Year 1

Special Person's Lunch—Year 1 & 6

12th—Special Person's Lunch—Year 2 & 3

16th & 17th—Parents evening (all year groups except Year 3)

17th—Outdoor learning—Year 3 & 4

20th—Year 4 out at 'In the Net' production

24th & 25th—Year 4 production (details to follow)

25th—PTFA Easter egg hunt (details to follow)

26th—PTFA Easter discos (details to follow)

27th—END OF TERM—finish at 1.30pm

April

13th—INSET DAY

Hillier Highlights

Happy Hilliers Preschool

"This week we have enjoyed celebrating the Lunar New Year / Spring festival with Lion and Dragon dancing and lantern making. We really enjoyed sharing a Chinese banquet with our Reception friends and used real chopsticks!"

Reception

"Like Preschool—we have also loved learning all about the Lunar new year and celebrating with our friends in EYFS. We have been exploring ways to move in dance and also did a great job in our sponsored scoot!"

Year 1

"This week we have been learning all about hedgehogs and collecting facts about them to write a non-chronological report. We also had an exciting visit from Cyber First who taught us how to use probots and how to give them instructions"

Year 2

"We have had a great first week back—looking at fractions in our Maths lessons. We have been thinking about balanced diets in our new DT unit and have been fairy tale detectives in our Writing lessons too!"

Year 3

"We loved our Movie Night this week for Fundraising February and hopefully raised lots of money. We also enjoyed writing cinquain poems in our writing lessons and creating informative posters about Easter in Spain!"

Year 4

"This week we have started rehearsals for our production! Which is only 3 weeks away! We have been busy in Maths and had a fun oracy presentation about states of matter in Science!"

Year 5

"We had a great start to the week with our class trip to the Living Rainforest. We saw our Geography topic come to life which was amazing! We have started a new writing unit where we have been engaging in a debate about deforestation and writing a balanced argument"

Year 6

"This week we have been smashing our bikeathon for Fundraising February—some of us have even pushed ourselves to cycle over 5 miles in our session. We have also written some super descriptions inspired by our class novel 'Floodland'. In Can Do Maths we have been working hard to understand ratio and proportion—it is tricky!"

Clubs—Term 4

Children MUST wear their PE kit if they are taking part in an active sport club on the day of the club

Mondays

Dance—Year 2, 3 & 4

Football—Year 3, 4, 5 & 6

Tuesdays

Multi-hock—all year groups

Wednesday

Tag rugby—Year 1, 2 & 3

Thursday

Cricket—Year 3, 4 & 5



Behaviour

In assembly this afternoon, the Behaviour Cup and Behaviour Bear were awarded to Year 6, Year 3 and Reception. Well done everyone! Keep up the hard work!

Golden Learning Behaviour



Congratulations to: Kamari, Kai, Kiara, Isla, Isla, Alexandra and Elo-die, who were chosen as Star of the Week! Well done everyone!



Attendance

Well done to our Year 3 class who were awarded the Attendance Cup for 99% attendance in the last week! Keep this up! #everymomentmatters

Special Person's Lunch

Please check your emails so that you do not miss the letter that has been sent about Special Person's lunch. We are inviting parents in to have lunch the week beginning **Monday 9th March—however orders for lunches MUST be made no later than Monday 2nd March. Orders and payment can be made on ParentPay**

Monday 9th—Reception

Tuesday 10th—Year 4 and Year 5

Wednesday 11th—Year 1 and Year 6

Thursday 12th—Year 2 and Year 3

Due to health and safety reasons—we are NOT able to have younger siblings at this event and the use of personal mobile phones is prohibited to safeguard the pupils.



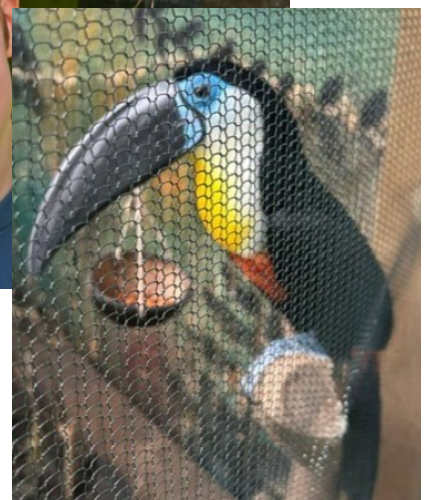
GALLERY



**Fundraising
February**



**Living
Rainforest
Trip Year 5**





Happy Hillers PTFA EASTER EVENT

GAMES

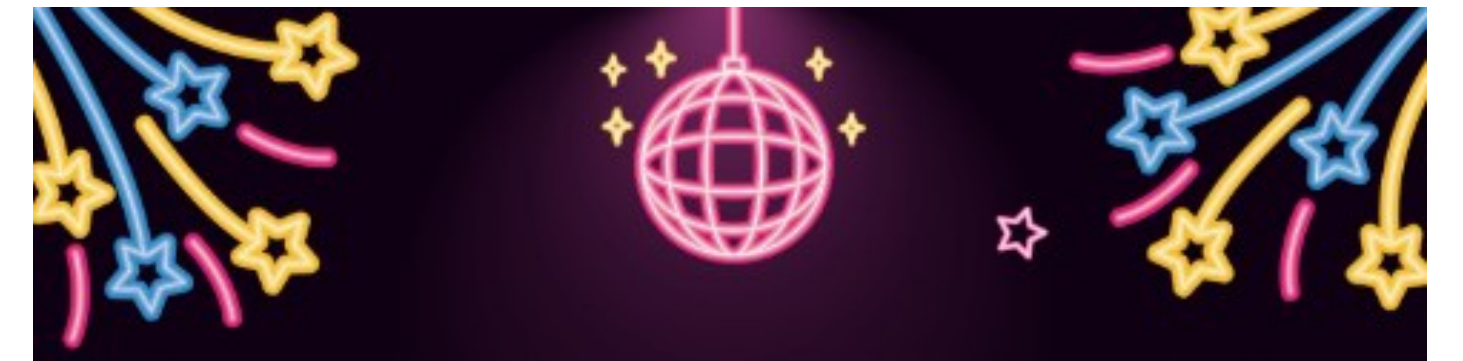


PRIZES

24th March 2025

£2 per child - Tickets available on ParentPay



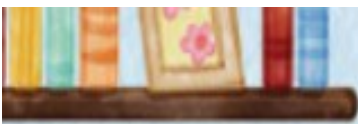


EASTER DISCO

THURSDAY 26TH MARCH
£2.50 PER CHILD

Reception & Year 1 - 2:00 till 2:45
Years 2 & 3 - 3:00 till 4:00
Years 4, 5 & 6 - 4:15 till 5:15

Tickets include squash and sweets
and are available on ParentPay



WORLD BOOK DAY

MATILDA'S MARVELOUS MEATBALLS
WITH SPAGHETTI

JACK AND THE BEAN STALK FIVE
BEAN CHILLI WITH RICE



SEASONAL VEGETABLES



MR JELLY'S STRAWBERRY JELLY
WITH JAMES AND THE GIANT PEACH
PEACHES



TRAC WEEKEND RESIDENTIAL



Join us for an epic 3-day, action-packed Sportily camp and enjoy playing sports and exploring the Christian Faith.

Highlights include using our climbing wall, paddle boating, go-karts, archery and more!

Friday 12th June -
Sunday 14th June 2026

Tom Roberts Adventure
Centre, GL18 1HE

School years 5 - 6

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**9AM
-
3PM**

**RUN BY
CONEY HILL
STAFF**

**PLEASE BOOK EACH DAY SEPARATELY ON
PARENTPAY.**

**SIBLING DISCOUNT AVAILABLE. PLEASE
CONTACT THE SCHOOL OFFICE BEFORE
BOOKING SIBLING PLACES.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE PHONE
01452 522734.**

**LIMITED
TO 30
PLACES!**

**30TH MARCH TO 2ND APRIL 2026
PLEASE BOOK ON PARENTPAY
BEFORE 16TH MARCH**

**BRING
YOUR OWN
PACKED
LUNCH**

**£20 PER
CHILD
PER DAY.**

ACTIVITIES

**MUSIC & DANCE, SPORTS & GAMES,
ARTS & CRAFT AND MORE!**

**AGE 4-11
YEARS**

