



Friday 23 March 2018

## Seven Sisters!

Last Friday Year 8 went to the Seven Sisters Country Park to investigate the sustainable management of the park. Throughout the day they recorded the different types of people visiting the park and sketched the valley and the beach. They also used quadrats to investigate the impact of tourists on the footpaths and biodiversity, looking at the amount of exposed ground, grass and other plants. They had wonderful weather and enjoyed eating their lunch on the beach.



## Easter Egg Hunt

Pre-Prep enjoyed an Easter Egg Hunt in the garden on Wednesday. They hunted all over the garden to find eggs and one special one with their own picture on which was exchanged for a real chocolate Easter Egg.



## Celebration of Song

On Tuesday evening the Music Department hosted the annual 'Celebration of Song' in the Chapel. The informal evening concert showcased solo performers who have singing lessons under the tutorage of Mr Jozik Kotz. It was a wonderful event celebrating songs from classical, pop and musical theatre genres performed to an excellent standard by pupils in both the Prep and Senior School. There was a huge variety in the programme, with music from *Les Miserables*, *The Jungle Book* and *Mary Poppins* as well as pieces by Faure and Elvis Presley. The event was hugely successful. Well done to all those involved and thank you to everyone who came to support.

## Please Note

Winter uniform to be worn until after the school photographs.

## PARENTMAIL

Year 6  
 JCA Kit  
 Year 5  
 PGL Kit  
 Prep School  
 Prep Soiree  
 Senior School  
 Rome & Naples Trip  
 Year 9  
 Retreat  
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# News

## STAS CHOCOLATIER EVENT

Phillip Stas treated us all to an evening of entertainment demonstrating how chocolate is tempered, how to decorate our very own eggs and wrap them beautifully. We then went on to make our own Florentines and were each also given our own Stas egg so we came out laden with chocolate! Phillip was so impressed with our Sixth Formers work ethic preparing such a beautiful room and their creations that he invited a few of them to work at his pop up shop in the Royal Victoria shopping centre in Tunbridge Wells; speaks volumes for the wonderful manners this school endorses. Please pop along when in town to support.



## Sports News

### Hockey

On Wednesday our U13 boys travelled to Skippers Hill for a hockey match. We were under pressure from the start and had a lot of defending to do, however after changing tactics they began to create chances. We spurned opportunities to take the lead and this would prove costly as the game progressed. We did take the lead through a deflection, however, Skippers fought back scoring within 2 minutes. The boys played some fast paced free flowing hockey but in the dying moments Skippers broke free and scored the winning goal. A 2-1 defeat was not a fair reflection on the performance. Well played to all involved.

## FRIENDS OF BEECHWOOD

### Dates for Your Diary

#### Next Friends of Beechwood Meeting

Thursday 19 April 2018

Thursday 24 May

Thursday 28 June

## WEEK COMMENCING

15 April 2018

SUN 15	
MON 16	All day Staff Inset 2.00 Boarders return
TUES 17	8.30 Term Begins 1.00 John Gordon Reid Curiosity Club for Year 5
WED 18	2.30 U11 & U10 Rounders v Hilden Grange (A) 2.30 U11 Cricket v Skippers Hill (A) 4.15 Staff v Sixth Form Charity Netball 4.50 Year 10 & 12 Drama trip
THUR 19	8.30 Friends of Beechwood Meeting 8.30 Marie Walker in KS2 all day 4.00 U15 Cricket v Sackville (A)
FRI 20	Pd 5 John Gordon Reid Curiosity Club for Year 5
SAT 21	

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### Summer Term Starts

Tuesday 17 April 2018

### Whole School Photography

Tuesday 24 April 2018

### Second Hand Uniform Shop Open

Tuesday 24 April 2018