

Cross Country Sports Event @ The Weald

On a cool, fresh November afternoon the Billingshurst cross country squad took to the The Weald ready for the local area's cross country event. The team was made up of selected children from Years 3 – 6 - 42 children altogether.

The first race was the joint 3 and 4 mixed event in which Billingshurst came second overall (Cipi from Year 4 finished in 2nd place individually).



The next race was the Year 5 boys' race in which Billingshurst came joint first overall. Donald from Year 5 took an early lead and showed excellent composure



as he crossed the finish line in 1st place! The Year 5 girls also battled admirably and finished in 3rd place overall. Following the girls, it was time for the Year 6 boys' race. With a very strong squad, they comfortably cruised to victory in the team event, showing excellent pace and resilience. The finale was the Year 6 girls' race. Despite increasingly muddy conditions, they battled on to

also get first position in the team event, Emma Rose finished in third individually and Rosie Thurston battled to finish despite an injury (great perseverance Rosie!).

The spirit within the team fantastic with everyone cheering and supporting each other. Billingshurst won the event overall and the team is looking forward to the next competition.



Thank you to Miss Oakes for organising and taking us to the event.

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