

UPTON JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

Upton Cross-Country

It's been a year of many cancelled school cross-country events around Thanet and Kent due to poor weather, disappointing a great number of enthusiastic Upton pupils. At the last planned Thanet Cross-Country at Quex we had a huge 265 children entered before it was cancelled. <u>As a result of this, we have decided to organise and host a cross-country event of our own</u> <u>here at the school on the morning of Saturday 21st June</u>. It won't be of the same size as the Thanet event – we do not have the parking facilities to accommodate all 20+ local schools - but we have extended entry to include the local Broadstairs schools in the spirit of goodwill and to provide some competition for our pupils. Pupils would run over a course of 1km and all runners will receive medals, regardless of where they finish. Special medals will be awarded to runners who finish first, second or third.

There is an entry fee that covers the cost of medals and event organisation of **£2 per pupil**, which needs to be returned to the school by this Friday 13th June with the completed form below. *Pupils who paid for entry to the previous cancelled Thanet Cross-Country at Quex do not have to pay this fee* (PTO for pupils already entered). **All pupils need to be accompanied by a parent/carer who will be responsible for them on the day**

On the morning of Saturday 21st June races start at the following times:

9.00am - Fun infants race (300m) for siblings of entered pupils (Pay £1 entry on the day only)
9.20 – Year 3 Girls
9.40 – Year 3 Boys
10.00 - Year 4 Girls
10.20 – Year 4 Boys
10.40 – Year 5 Girls
11.00 – Year 5 boys
11.20 - Year 6 Girls
11.40 -Year 6 Boys
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I give my permission for my child (child's name) in class to take part in the Cross-Country Event on 21 st June at Upton Junior School, Edge End Rd, Broadstairs and understand that all participants need to be accompanied by a parent/carer at the event.
£2 entry fee enclosed?
SignedPrint Name DateParent/Guardian
Emergency Contact Number
Any relevant Medical Information
I am/am not able to help on the day (please delete as appropriate)