

# FOOTPRINT

Hill House School

Cambian  
International School

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Promoting happy, healthy and sustainable living at Hill House and beyond.

## JOHN MUIR AWARDS

On Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August, Hill House held their annual Celebration Day to celebrate the achievements of all our young people with their families and friends. There are two students in particular that we feel deserve an extra special mention because they are leaving us this summer to continue their journey as adults and they are both taking their John Muir Discovery Awards with them!



JOHN  
MUIR  
TRUST

The [John Muir Award](#) is an environmental award scheme that focuses on wild places. It encourages awareness and responsibility for the natural environment through a structured, adaptable, and challenging approach, in a spirit of fun, adventure, and exploration. To gain a John Muir award, everyone must meet four challenges: Discover, Explore, Conserve and Share.

## DISCOVERY

Throughout the academic year, our young people have been out and about exploring. Last autumn, they discovered the New Forest National Park Wilverly Enclosure and Highcliffe Beach.



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Back at home, they discovered the joy of haggis, neeps and tatties as part of learning more about John Muir's Scottish Heritage.

**JOHN  
MUIR  
AWARD**

*wild places:*  
DISCOVER  
EXPLORE  
CONSERVE  
SHARE



With the arrival of the warmer weather, the next discovery was Yew Tree Bottom in the New Forest and Maiden Castle, an Iron Age hillfort in Dorchester. After a very challenging walk to the top - which everyone managed - they enjoyed the beautiful views and a real sense of achievement.

When they're not out and about, our young people are busy helping out on the allotment. There's always plenty to do at Hill House!

