

# Weekly Newsletter



Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July

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Menu for week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> July

Week 3

## Essex Dance Theatre Workshop

We had a great visit from the Essex Dance Theatre on Tuesday. A group of children from schools in Essex came and performed for us, free of charge, with a mixture of ballet, song, modern dance and street dance. Many thanks to them for entertaining us so well. Don't forget Funky Beats meets at Holly Trees on a Friday evening.

## WE DID IT!

Thanks to all the efforts of the Year 6 children and anyone who took part in any of their fundraising events, we raised £1000 for the Kew Gardens "Save a Species".

This means that the critically endangered *Plectranthus Ungenturus*, a South African mint plant, will no longer be endangered and will NOT become extinct.

It will be beneficial to the less fortunate South Africans, as it is a source of food and drink.

A final well done to all Y6 for the organisation of all the events, counting the money and baking the cakes – report by Robbie Humphries.

## Attendance % for term

Beech	95.4	Hornbeam	95.1
Birch	93.8	<b>Larch</b>	<b>97</b>
Elm	91.3	Laurel	95.1
Elder	93	Maple	95.3
Sycamore	96.5	Mulberry	95.1
EYFS	93.2	Spruce	92.6

Well done to Larch class – you will have a non-uniform day on Tuesday!!

## Summer holiday homework

The children will all be set their Summer Holiday homework next week which will be about an author chosen by the teacher. I will also post it on the website.

## Owl Team winners

Well done to the Barn Owls Team who earned the most points this term.

These children will have a non-uniform day on Monday.

## Forthcoming dates

21<sup>st</sup> July – Y6 Awards 11am followed by family picnic for Y6 and rounders!  
22<sup>nd</sup> July – last day of term  
2<sup>nd</sup> September – first day at school for the children  
10<sup>th</sup> September – Display competition

## Letters that have been sent home this week

13<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> – piano lessons  
13<sup>th</sup> – Big Summer Read from the Library

## Harry Potter

The Year 6 children excelled again this week with a stunning couple of performances. The acting, stage management and singing were all most entertaining and enjoyed by their families and friends. Well Done!!