The Buzz
Keeping you up to date with our weekly news bulletin
Earls Colne PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY

JAKKI SIBLEY HEADTEACHER

21ST JUNE 2024

Y6 RESIDENTIAL DANBURY

Year 6 went to Danbury for our residential trip and we stayed there for 3 days and 2 nights. Over the 3 days, we participated in many activities (8 in total) including: zip wire, climbing wall, bridge build, mountain biking, orienteering, puzzle solve, obstacle course and archery. On the first evening, Mrs Flaherty (our forest school teacher) took us for a nature walk around our campsite - Mr Lloyd got us a little bit lost but it was still lots of fun. On the following evening, we had a campfire, and the scouts of Year 6 led the campfire songs which were really funny. Another thing we did on the last evening, was put a stick in the fire and said what we were grateful for in life. A few of our classmates also told scary stories at the end which we had an option to listen to if we wanted.

Whilst we were there, we stayed in cabins. Each cabin had 2 – 4 bunk beds, 2 windows and plenty of space to hang out with our cabin buddies (providing that we tidied up our belongings). Just as lovely as our accommodation, the food at Danbury was delicious. The food we ate there consisted of roast chicken, pizza, a cooked breakfast, a jacket potato and pasta bolognaise (there was also a vegetarian option for all of the meals). Overall, we had the most amazing time on our residential trip – the whole of Year 6 brought home memories that will last us a lifetime.

Written by Lucy and Maya

SCHOOL UNIFORM

A polite reminder to parents to add name labels to their child's uniform. It is impossible for us to reunite your child with their lost items when they are not named.

Attendance champions

Congratulations to Zebras class, whose attendance was a fantastic, and truly brilliant 98% for last week and this week!!

3PR Weekly Totaliser Champions!

This week's winners are 4M Class!

Well done for working so hard!

Harrison Wood, Dexter Theedom – for an excellent piece of descriptive writing about the Bid Bad Wolf. **Riley Dixon** – for demonstrating amazing sewing skills in DT. **Elijah Butcher** – amazing writing and super concentration! Well done Elijah we are so proud of you! **Millie Howkins, Esme Bull, Martha Gregory, Erin Heap** – Incredible observational art paintings! **Riley Dixon** – progress in maths.

Key dates – 2023-24	
June 2024	
26th	Class and Leavers photos
27th – 28th	Secondary School Transition Days
July 2024	
5th July	School Fete 3:45pm – 6:00 pm
1st	KS2 Sports Day **ALL DAY**
2nd – 3rd	Bikeability Group 4
11th	Y5/6 Production 6:00pm
12th	Y5/6 Production 1:30pm
12th	Reports to Parents
16th	friends PTA OF EARLS COLNE PRIMARY SCHOOL Summer Disco 4-5 pm R, Y1, Y2 5.30 – 7.00pm Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6
19th	Leavers Assembly 10:30am Big Picnic!
Sept 2024	
2nd	Non-pupil day
3rd	Children return to school

The sponsored ride-out is in aid of Essex Air Ambulance. Sponser forms are available from Ecolnes Refillery Store.

friends PTA OF EARLS COLNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

For all tickets please visit www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofecps

If you can volunteer and help us run the disco's (without volunteers, we cannot run the discos!)

Reception**, Year 1, and Year 2 sign-up list here: volunteersignup.org/EXREM

Year 3,4,5 and 6 sign-up list here:

volunteersignup.org/LYBKT

Please note that Reception children must be accompanied to the disco with a parent or carer.