



# Northlands News

## Northlands Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents, as we come to the end of another busy and successful term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our families for your continued support. It has been a pleasure to see the children's hard work, enthusiasm and achievements across the school. We are now looking forward to the Easter break and hope that it provides an opportunity for rest, family time and hopefully, some spring sunshine. Before we return for the summer term, may I remind you to check the school diary dates carefully. There are a number of important events and activities planned and we would not want anyone to miss out. We wish all of our pupils and their families a happy and relaxing Easter. **Mr Figg**



### Year 3's 'Clawsome' Production

This week our Year 3s took to the stage to perform 'Dragon Days' their scorcher of a musical. It was lovely to see the children enjoying their time on stage so much. Also, well done to Year 3 for closing our year group production schedule- you did it with a bang!



### Year 4 Viking Trip-On

Tuesday this week, Year 4 travelled to Wildwood to discover how to go "Viking" and find out about the animals featured in Viking myths. Eric the Viking showed Year 4 how to prepare for battle, how to make coins to trade with Saxons and how to make fire from a flint, steel and some char cloth. The weather stayed dry and the wonderful tour guides brought history to life throughout the day. A great way to end the



Invaders and Settlers topic!



### Poetry Workshop

A select group of Year 4 students had the incredible opportunity to attend a writing workshop hosted by an actual author! The children had an amazing time learning all about poetry and performance with acclaimed poet Karl Nova. They even performed their work in front of an audience.



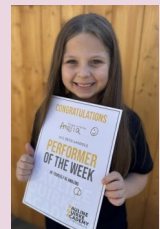
### Out of School Achievements

Well done to the following children for following our school values outside of school. This week well done to:

Ellie who has been working hard on her ballet.

Amelia received Performer of the week at her theatre school. She also auditioned for a particular role and got the part!

Well done to Eva for receiving a gymnastics award. Another well done to Alice who was given an award for her dancing and finally well done to Isla-Rose for working hard in her football club.



### Egg-Cellent Attendance

Over the last two weeks, classes have been battling to become the top attending class at Northlands....and the results are in!

1st— Holly 99.5% 2nd—Beech 99.4% 3rd—Sycamore 99.1%

Those children with 100% attendance over the last 2 weeks were also entered into a prize draw to win an Easter hamper.



# Summer Term Diary 2026

Monday 13th April	All children return for the start of the Summer Term	
Wednesday 15th April	Year 1 trip to Call of the Wild	
Thursday 16th April	Year 4 'Marvelous Monarchs' dress up day	School Trip 
Friday 17th April	Beech Class at Forest School	
Thursday 23rd April	St George's Day	
Friday 24th April	Beech Class at Forest School	
Tuesday 28th April	2:20pm Chestnut Class assembly to parents	
Thursday 30th April	2:20pm Maple Class assembly to parents	
Friday 1st May	Cherry Class at Forest School	
Monday 4th May	Bank Holiday no school	
Tuesday 5th May	Year 6 Mock SATs Week begins & Class Photos	
Friday 8th May	Cherry Class at Forest School	
Monday 11th May	Year 6 SATS week begins	
Friday 15th May	Cherry Class at Forest School and Year 6 End of SATs celebration afternoon	
Monday 18th May	Start of International Week & 3:10-5:00 Reception classes parents evening and target setting	
Tuesday 19th May	Reception trip to Maldon Park & 3:10: 5:30pm Yr1-6 Parents evening and target setting	
Wednesday 20th May	3:10-5:00pm Reception to Yr 6 Parents evening and target setting	
Thursday 21st May	2:20pm Hazel Class assembly to parents	
Friday 22nd May	Sycamore Class at Forest School	
<b>Monday 25th May to Friday 5th June Half Term</b>		
Monday 8th June	Start of Year 1 Phonics screening check and Year 4 multiplication check	
Friday 12th June	Sycamore Class at Forest School	
Thursday 18th June	Infant's Father's Day Sale	
Friday 19th June	Junior's Father's Day Sale & Sycamore Class at Forest School	
Tuesday 23rd June	2:20pm Beech Class assembly to parents	
Wednesday 24th June	Year 3 trip Mountfitchet & 10:45 Acorn 2 AM sports day & 2:15pm Acorn 1 & 2 PM sports day	
Thursday 25th June	1:45pm Reception Classes Sports Day & 2:20pm Willow Class assembly to parents	
Friday 26th June	Elm Class at Forest School	
Monday 29th June	Year 6 Residential trip to Isle of Wight & 1:45pm Year 1 & 2 sports days	
Tuesday 30th June	Hazel Class trip to Hyde Hall	
Wednesday 1st July	Chestnut Class trip to Hyde Hall & 1:45pm Year 3 & 4 Sports Day	
Thursday 2nd July	Maple Class trip to Hyde Hall & 2:20pm Hawthorn Class assembly to parents	
Friday 3rd July	Elm Class at Forest School	
Monday 6th July	Start of Science Week	
Tuesday 7th July	Move Up Mornings & 2:20pm Sycamore Class assembly to parents	
Thursday 9th July	2:20pm Cherry Class assembly to parents	
Friday 10th July	Elm Class at Forest School & Year 5 & 6 sports day	
Tuesday 14th July	3:15-5:00pm Summer Fete	
Wednesday 15th July	2:20pm Elm Class assembly to parents	
Thursday 16th July	2:00pm Acorn 1 and Acorn 2 nursery Teddy Bears Picnic	
Monday 20th July	Year 6 Leavers' Party	
Tuesday 21st July	2:00pm Year 6 Leavers' Assembly to parents & End of academic year	
<b>Wednesday 22nd July to Monday 31st August Summer break</b>		
Tuesday 1st September	Reception to Year 6 children return	