

36 EFS BEAVERS – ANNUAL REPORT - 2021

The Beaver section has been operating normally since September and managed all our usual indoor meetings again, having met outside from last Easter. We have now caught up with the waiting list and are taking children in at the correct age of 6 years old having had to delay some children starting last year with lockdowns. There are currently 19 Beavers.

Beavers enjoyed a day at Thriftwood Scout Activity Centre in the summer with lots of outdoor activities and an evening on Fairlop Waters. Beavers have done the new Money Skills badge, Emergency Aid Level 1 and Disability Awareness badges as a group recently. We look forward to District Beaver events and trips slowly restarting again.

Special thanks to all our Beaver Leaders – Jacquie Wilson, Chris Crook and Rachel Whitelegg for all their support during the year. We welcomed Sally Freeman, Hedgehog, to the Beaver leadership team in September and are really pleased to have her on board. We have had two young people from the Scout Section come to do their Duke of Edinburgh service with us.

Elise Laker – Beaver Leader.