Nurture Dogs Incorporating the Dedham Community Farm

Mill Lane

Dedham

Colchester

Essex

Headmaster

West Horndon Primary School

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2015

Dear Mr O'Grady

I am writing in my capacity as a volunteer Occupational Therapist with Nurture Dogs. As you are aware we have visited your school on several occasions in the past months to deliver our program of therapy with the young people who attend you school. I want to compliment you on several aspects. Particularly the children who are a real joy to work with and even those who are facing challenges in their lives are always polite courteous. This is not just those that we work with but also those others who we come into contact during our visits to the school. It is obvious that the children are enjoying being at school and this is so fundamental to their learning. The staff who we have been involved with in setting up and running the sessions have been second to none. Sometimes in the work that we do there is not much encouragement around, however working at West Horndon has been a real encouragement to us and we would like to thank you all not only for using our service but for sharing the things that make West Horndon School such as special place. We visit many places/schools in the course of our work but West Horndon is a really special experience for us and we look forward to our visits each week

Many thanks

David De'ath

On behalf of Nurture Dogs CIC

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