Friday, 1st July, 2016



### St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

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## Bernadette's Blog

#### Summer Fayre

<u>Starts 1pm</u>

#### Tomorrow

The PTA have been very busy preparing for the biggest fund raiser of our school year.

Come along and support them. There are so many exciting things to do

including, to name but a few, chocolate

tombola, bottle stalls, cakes, bouncy castles, raffles, competitions, toys

and throw the sponge!

Mrs Fallon is really looking forward to that!





It has been such a busy morning. Some of our PTA members have been busy preparing for the fayre and each of our teams have been mask and maraca making and have had Samba drumming lessons ahead of this afternoon's parade.

The fun starts at 2.30pm-Come along and join us!



Our Leaver's Trip, last Friday, was a great success...in spite of the bus breaking down. They left at 8am to get to Xscape in Leeds to have a fantastic time doing lots of different activities including sledging and ten pin bowling. This was the first of a few events during the last few weeks for our Y6 children. Monday morning at 9am, they will hold their family Liturgy.

# Sports/Achievements Page





Hannah took part in a gymnastics competition at the weekend. She gained 2nd place in the floor exercise and 6th place in vault. She came 3rd overall You're a star, Hannah!!



Libby was in action at the weekend. Here she is at work gaining her black belt in Karate. What an incredible achievement! Congratulations, Libby!



Many congratulations to Millie who was awarded her Grade 1 ballet award at the weekend. Here she is with her teacher Miss Jade.





Here are just a few of our Year 4 lads in action for the junior school football team. They represented school for the first time in the Philip Reilly Cup competition. Well played everyone!

No, we haven't got new triplets in school...it's Katie! Katie took part in not just one show at the People's Theatre but two. Here are her various costumes.





Do you have any special achievements you would like to share with us? We love to hear what you've been up to! email christine.mcconville@ntlp.org.uk

Megan is showing us her fingers because I wanted to see if they were green. Here is her Mother's Day Love Bean. Look how it has grown! Well done, Megan!

	Suzie, one of our Just Kids editors, this week moved from print into broadcasting when she talked to Chris Evans on his Radio 2 Breakfast Showtwice! She told him all about sledging for the first time during the Y6 leavers trip. You're a star, Suzie!!	
	Erin competed in a gym- nastics competition in South Durham on Sunday. She came 4th on Floor and 3rd overall. Congratulations, Erin!	Can we please remind you that earrings are not allowed in school. If for some reason your child has to have earrings in, can you please ensure they are covered in tape before they come to school, each day. Thanks. you!

### **Online Safety**

This week, Neil Brown from North Tyneside's CTC came and led a very worthwhile and interesting presentation about online safety for our parents. It was fantastic to see such a great turn out to support this essential aspect of parenting today. Thank you to everyone who came.

Nursery, Reception, Year 6 and First Communion Photographs

**Monday, 4th July** is the last chance for anyone to order group photographs (or individual First Communion pictures). If we do not receive your order by then, you will have to send it away yourself. Thank you!



### High Borrans Reminder

If your child is going to High Borrans in September, there one just <u>one</u> payment date left before the full balance needs to be paid.

Thank you!

#### Message from Mrs MacDonald

Over the next few weeks we will be sending out a series of questionnaires to get your thoughts and ideas on all aspects of Religious Education and the Catholic Life of our school. We would greatly appreciate you taking a few moments to fill them in and help us shape the Catholic Life and Teaching in our school.



### House of Objects North Tyneside Street Play Project

Do you remember playing out on your own street as a child?

Would you like your children to have the opportunity to play freely and safely in their own neighbourhood without the fear of traffic?

Do you want to be part of a national initiative sweeping the country which values children's right to play?

House of Objects is supporting residents across North Tyneside to get involved by closing their street to through traffic on a regular or one off basis.

#### Let the children play!

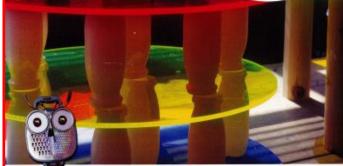


www.houseofobjects.org



House of Objects is a creative recycling centre based at the Rising Sun Country Park in North Tyneside. It offers children, young people and adults the opportunity to work with and be inspired by quality reclaimed materials.

- Workshops
- Children's parties
- Family events
- Team building days
- Adult courses
- Outreach



Tel: 0191 266 2269 Email: info@houseofobjects.org www.houseofobjects.org

#### Why get involved?

We know street play means:

- More active, happy, healthy children.
- Friendlier, safer communities (where people know their neighbours).
- Regular opportunities for the whole street to have fun together.

#### How do I get started ?

- Register your interest with the House of Objects and get a Street Play Organisers Pack.
- Check out www.playingout.net
  Chat to a few neighbours what do they think of the idea?
- Set a date and recruit volunteers
- Contact the Council to apply for a temporary street closure. (the process requires 6 weeks approx.)
- Meet again with neighbours to plan your street play session.
- Put up posters and keep talking to your neighbours.
- Get outside and play!

"I got involved with Playing Out some time ago and now our street in North Tyneside is open to play once a month. My neighbours and I have found this a relatively easy task, with great benefit to ourselves, our children and our community. I would encourage any resident that is interested to have a go at Street Play"

Carol, Monkseaton resident

Play

England

Freedom to play

House of Objects is working with Play England on the Street Play Active, Healthy Communities project funded by the Department of Health If you would like to find out more about the Street Play project visit: www.playengland.org.uk or contact streetplay@priayengland.nef

#### Contact:

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House of objects

<u>"Make what you want" Workshops</u> Every Saturday morning 10am-12noon £4 per child Every Wednesday in the holidays 10am-2pm £4 per child Visit www.houseofobjects.org/?pageid=1622 or phone 0191 266 2269

#### Planning your Summer Holidays

If you see activities which you think may be of interest to our school community. Please let us know by emailing christine.mcconville@ntlp.org.uk





BETTER DAYS ARE COMING. They are Called: Saturday And Sunday

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Miss Harrison's Year 6 children are beginning a project of which you can design a playground supervisor or an invention that encourages children to play. They will be entering a competition to win a den for the younger children (Reception and Nursery).

## **GOOD LUCK!**

<u>Quick Poll!</u> What is your favourite <u>sandwich?</u>

> <u>Ham</u> <u>Cheese</u> <u>Chicken</u>

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### **10 FUN FACTS**

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FRIDAY

- 1. You can't wash your eyes with soap.
- 2. You can't count your hair.
- 3. You can't breathe through your nose, with your tongue out.

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- 4. You just tried no. 3
- 6. When you did no. 3 you realized it's possible, only you look like a dog.
- 7. You're smiling right now, because you were fooled.
- 8. You skipped no. 5
- 9. You just checked to see if there is a no. 5

10. Share this with your friends to have some fun too! :-)

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parishioners who would like to receive our Blog in full colour via email, please let us know by emailing us at	Nursery am	Ollie W	
stbernadettes.primary@northtyneside.gov.uk	Nursery pm	Harrison	
Dates for your Diary	Reception (DM)	Chloe	
Saturday, 2nd July PTA Summer Fayre Monday, 4th July 9am Year 6 Family Liturgy & Y5 visit to St. Thomas More	Reception (AR)	Logan	
Tuesday, 5th July KS1 Trip to beach	Year 1	Will	
Nursery Graduations at 9am and 1pm Dave Mooney Football Cup at 3.30pm	Year 1/2	James	
Wednesday, 6th July Report Day Y6 dancing with Michael	Year 2	Jasmine	
5pm New Starters to Reception Parents' Meeting	Year 3	Ma×	
	Year 3/4	Rebecca	
For more dates check out our website at	Year 4	Jamie	
Holy Toast will	Year 5	Orry	
be sold on	Year 5/6	Lucy	
Monday.	Year 6	Abbie	
Today, it was just	Attendance of the week Mrs MacDonald		
<b>Our Mission Value</b>	10	0% ulations!	
Respect people's feelings. Even if it to you it could mean every			