

Friday, 18th January, 2019



St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

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Bernadette's Blog

Grazie Dot!



Yesterday, our bellissimo Dot and her team put on their best Italian style and laid on a delicious Italian feast for

258

of us to enjoy!

There were golden tickets hidden amongst the pizza slices for the lucky few.

These entitled the lucky winner to choose a prize. A great time was had by all.



Safety First!

Please use the designated paths around school to enter and leave the grounds, on these wintery days. Only the paths will be gritted in the icy weather.



Sacrament of Reconciliation

On Tuesday evening, a group of our Year 4 children celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation with Fr John at St. Aidan's Church. It was a lovely celebration with all the families who are preparing this year to make their First Holy Communion.

Congratulations to you all!



High Vis Vests

We have had a few more folks take us up on our High Vis vests. Please, please come and get them for your children and help keep them safe on these dark winter days.

This is a great initiative which could really save lives!

They are FREE!!!



PTA News

Our next PTA meeting will be held next Tuesday, 22nd January at 6pm.

Please come along and help us plan events for the year ahead!

We really need more new members to come along!



WE WANT YOU!

Website Update



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Last week, our new look website went live.
A fresh look for the new year. You will find us at the same place

www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk

So add us to your favourites!
You can still find out all sorts of useful information and links.

Olympic Sports Day

Don't forget, on Tuesday we're very excited to be welcoming Olympic athlete David Guest.

David will be leading a sponsored fitness circuit with all pupils Reception to Y6, and will follow-up with a talk and question and answer session. The aim of the event is to inspire the pupils to take up sport generally, but just as importantly to encourage them to discover and then pursue their passion in life.

This is a sponsored event where much of the money that is raised will be used to buy sports equipment for school, while also supporting GB athletes (including Paralympic athletes). Pupils are given prizes for certain amounts of money raised - the best prize - a signed photo - being awarded if a total of £30 is raised.

However, we understand that asking children to raise up to £30 each was quite an unreasonable request. So, we would like to try and aim to raise £30 per class. All prizes received will then go to the class to display.

Therefore, could we ask that children come to school in their PE kit on
Tuesday 22nd January with a £1 donation.



Messages from the School Office

Breakfast Club

Parents and Carers **MUST BOOK A PLACE ONLINE FOR BREAKFAST CLUB.**

The booking page does not close until 8pm on Friday evenings for the next week.

Numbers are growing and places are limited. Don't miss out!

You may now book on all the way to Easter. Miss Coates has been busy again!!!!

Please remember children requiring breakfast must be in by 8.15am please.



Pupil Absence

If you do not inform us via ParentMail or the telephone absence line that your child will not be in school, you will receive a text message asking you to call the school office.

Many thanks!



Rose Garden Gates

Parents and Grandparents please note that the

Rose Gardens Gates must be locked at 9am promptly.

This will mean that children will have to come around to the main entrance if they are late. Mr Thomas has to lock all the school gates and cannot be asked to bring children through. Sorry!

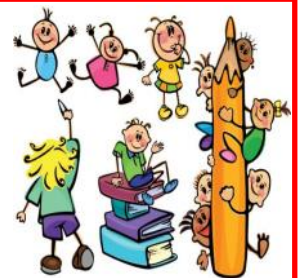
After School Clubs

Clubs began this week.

All payments should be complete if your child is booked on an After School Club. Go to Parentpay.

Look in "Shop" and put the item into your basket.

Please phone the office if you have any difficulties. 200 7363.



Rainbows Group

If your child brought home an invitation to join our Rainbow group, please note that this invitation applies to **all** the siblings in your family.

Thank you!



Sports and Achievements



Here is Will with his badge and certificate for his Stage 3 swimming award. We are delighted for you, Will.



Congratulations to Hollie on gaining her Stage 5 swimming award recently. Well deserved, Hollie!



We love to hear all about your achievements! If you want to be on this page, take a photo and please send it to: stbernadettes.primary@northtyneside.gov.uk

Matthews was awarded "Man of the Match" for his team Tynemouth United on Saturday. Well done, Matthew!



Here is Hannah with her beautiful Certificates for gaining her Level 3 and Level 4 diving awards. Congratulations, Hannah!



Book now for Half Term!

Premier Camps



Fun and adventure with Premier Tyne & Wear. Fun Sports and Arts activities for all 4 to 12 year olds!

Premier Tyne & Wear provide a wide range of exciting, fun, Sports and Arts activities for you and your friends to try. Be creative and adventurous. Make new friends and have loads of fun along the way!

Visit camps.premier-education.com or alternatively call 01953 499 040



What's on this February?

WALLSEND
St Bernadette's RC Primary School
Wallsend NE28 9JW
Multi Sports Camp
18th Feb - 22nd Feb

BEDLINGTON
St Bedes RC VA Primary School
Bedlington NE22 6EQ
Football camp
18th Feb-20th Feb

BEDLINGTON
St Bedes RC VA Primary School
Bedlington NE22 6EQ
Gymnastics Camp
21st-22nd Feb

NEWCASTLE
Throckley primary school
Newcastle Upon Tyne NE15 9DY
Multi Sports Camp
18th Feb - 22nd Feb

SOUTH SHIELDS
Lord Blyton
South Shields NE34 9BN
Football Camp
19th-21st Feb

9.00am till 3.00pm
£9.00 per day

Exclusive February Offer:
Up to 15% OFF

You will need...

- ▶ A packed lunch
- ▶ Plenty of water or fruit juice
- ▶ Weather-appropriate clothing
- ▶ A change of footwear
- ▶ Shin pads (for contact sports)
- ▶ ...and loads of energy!

Don't worry!

Our Activity Professionals are fully insured and DBS checked. They all hold an Emergency First Aid certification.

Premier parent & family membership discounts available subject to conditions.

Book now to guarantee your place!

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Mass: Sunday 11.30am
Fr John McElhone— 0191 2623820
www.wallsend-aidettes.co.uk



Star of the Week

Dates for your Diary

22nd January Olympic Sports Day
23rd January Y1/2 Family Liturgy-postponed!
30th January Y1 Family Liturgy

For more dates check out our website at
www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk

This week's
Holy Toast
Winner



Nursery	Archie Harry
Reception (AW)	Nola
Reception (SK)	Isabelle
Year 1	Christopher
Year 1/2	Hannah O
Year 2	Joe B
Year 3	Rachael B
Year 3/4	Kora
Year 4	Isabelle
Year 5	Charlotte
Year 5/6	Riley
Year 6	Max



Mission Value

Our value for this term is
"Community"

Attendance of the
week

Congratulations!

Year 4
100%