



St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

Live the Gospel and when necessary use words

Bernadette's Blog

Celebrating a Special Meal



In Key Stage One the children have been following the theme of "Meals" in their RE study.

The children in Miss Jones class had a lovely time acting out The Last Supper, the meal that Jesus shared with his disciples on the night before he died.

Next time, the Children go to Mass, they will have a really good understanding of this special meal that we celebrate each time we share in the Eucharistic celebration.

The children are looking forward to visiting church in a trip to be arranged soon after we return to school after the half term holiday, next week.

We acted out the last supper in RE



Wanted

The support staff in school are on the hunt for jigsaws (50 pieces +) lego kits and board games, that you may have finished with for social interaction and play therapy sessions in KS2. If you have any that you would like to donate, please hand them in at the school office. Thank you!



Medicine in School

If your child needs to be given a dose of prescribed medicine at lunchtime-a parent must come to the office and complete a medication permission slip. Medication must be handed in to the school office and not given to the child to bring in to school. Medication must be collected at the end of the school day by an adult.

Many thanks!



Book now for Half Term!



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What's on this February?

WALLSEND St Bernadette's RC Primary School Wallsend NE28 9JW Multi Sports Camp 18th Feb - 22nd Feb	NEWCASTLE Throckley primary school Newcastle Upon Tyne NE15 9DY Multi Sports Camp 18th Feb - 22nd Feb
BEDLINGTON St Bedes RC VA Primary School Bedlington NE22 6EQ Football camp 18th Feb-20th Feb	SOUTH SHIELDS Lord Blyton South Shields NE34 9BN Football Camp 19th-21st Feb
BEDLINGTON St Bedes RC VA Primary School Bedlington NE22 6EQ Gymnastics Camp 21st-22nd 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.

Book now to guarantee your place!

  @PremierActivate

Don't forget! Half term is 18th-22nd February and school is closed on Monday, 25th Feb for Teacher Training Day.

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!

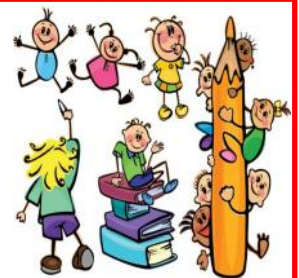
After School Clubs

Clubs are now finished for this half term.

All payments should be completed by now if your child is booked on an After School Club. Quite a few are still outstanding.

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

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



Can you help us please?

Mt Thomas is in need of a 10foot (ideally-but beggars can't be choosers!) metal storage container.

Do you know of anyone who can help? Perhaps your firm has one that they do not need anymore!

Please contact the office if you have any ideas where we might find one. Thank you!



Sports and Achievements

Ollie has been working really hard at his swimming and has really grown in confidence. He has now achieved his 5m badge. Great stuff, Ollie!



Congratulations to Hollie. She has been named "Gymnast of the month" For learning lots of new moves and making great progress.



Gracie was named "Player of the Match" by her Wallsend Tag Rugby U8 team! Congratulations, Gracie!



Grant was named "Player of the Match" by his Wallsend Tag Rugby team too! Congratulations, Grant!



Leo had a fantastic time helping a Lego Master Builder build an eight foot model of the Lego man. Look out for it at the Metro Centre! Well done, Leo!



Niamh competed at the North East Swimming Championships over the past two weekends. Niamh went on to win 12 gold medals and 1 silver breaking 8 club records in the process. Congratulations!



Cameron made his Hedgehog promise this week. This is a national trial for earlier years scouting 4-6 year olds.

Hope you have lots of fun, Cameron!



Alice made her Girl Guide promise on Wednesday. Congratulations, Alice! An exciting event!



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

More Sports and Achievements



Charlie, Oliver, Grant and Emily were delighted to be presented with a medal for completing the Star Strike Football Training with Phil. Congratulations, everyone!



Amber was delighted to receive another rosette from the Stepney Banks stables for her riding.

This time it was for show jumping.

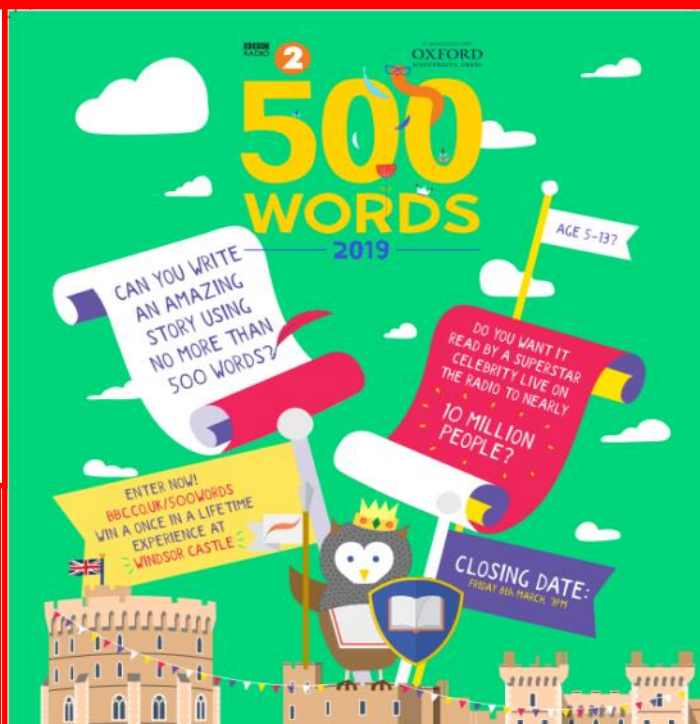
Brilliant!

Well done, Amber!



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Looking for something for your child to do over half term?

Our Monday Morning Liturgy

Thanks must go to Sienna, Charlotte, Aaron and Dylan who did a great job helping Mrs Milner at our Monday morning liturgy. The theme of the liturgy was taken from Luke Chapter 5.



So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

Luke 5:11

Let's make every week-an E.Safety Week and protect our children

Digital Friendships:

the role of technology in young people's relationships

On average how many **likes, followers and days in a streak** 8-17 year olds said they needed



52 likes and
214 followers

on Instagram to feel happy



73 days in a streak
to show that you are a good friend



www.saferinternet.org.uk #SID2018

Censuswide surveyed 2000 young people aged 8-17 years during 15-18th Dec 2017. Full report from the UK Safer Internet Centre at saferinternet.org.uk/digital-friendships

On average boys said they need more **likes, followers and days in a streak** than girls said they needed:

Boys

59 likes
246 followers



on Instagram to feel happy

77 days in a streak



on Snapchat to show that you are a good friend

Girls

45 likes
186 followers

69 days in a streak



88%

of 8-17s have sent a kind message online to a friend who was feeling sad or upset in the last year



83%

have experienced people being kind to them online in the last year



42%

have felt worried or anxious about something online in the last week



49%

have had someone being mean to them in the last year

Most popular emoji among UK youth



Youth in **Scotland** are most likely to say that 'winking face' is their favourite emoji



Youth in the **North East** are most likely to say that 'thumbs up' is their favourite emoji

Average number of selfies UK youth take before sharing

12



Youth in the **North West** are most likely to have a photo with their friends as their profile picture



Youth in the **West Midlands** are most likely to have shared a photo in the last day, with over half (51%) having done so.

Youth in **Yorkshire** are most likely to say that 'smiling face with sunglasses' is their favourite emoji



Youth in the **East Midlands** are least likely to have had negative comments on a photo they shared, with 72% saying this.



Youth in the **East of England** are most likely to have used a filter to create their profile picture

44%

of UK youth had shared a photo in the last day

Youth in **Wales** are most likely to have a photo with their family as their profile picture



Youth in the **South West** are most likely to say that 'face throwing a kiss' is their favourite emoji



Youth in the **South East** are most likely to have shared an image or video for a positive reason, with 75% doing this.



Youth in **London** are most likely to have shared a selfie in the last hour, with almost 1 in 5 (18%) doing this.

1 in 8 UK youth had shared a selfie in the last hour

2 in 3 UK youth have shared an image or video for a positive reason



Happy
Birthday!

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



Star of the Week

Dates for your Diary

18th-22nd February Half Term Holiday
25th February School closed for Teacher Training
5th March PTA Meeting at 6pm
For more dates check out our website at
www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk



We have raised £127.16
through Holy Toast
this half term.

Thank you for your support!

Nursery	Everyone! For a great first half of the year!
Reception (AW)	Lauren
Reception (SK)	Kacper
Year 1	Bobby G
Year 1/2	Eva
Year 2	George R
Year 3	Izzy
Year 3/4	Katye S
Year 4	Toby
Year 5	Lewis B
Year 5/6	Joshua S
Year 6	Igor



Mission Value

Our value for this term is
"Community"

Attendance of the
week
Congratulations!

Year 2
98.1%