



# St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

*Live the Gospel and when necessary use words*

## Bernadette's Blog



# Year 4 Trip to Berwick

On Monday, 43 of our Y4 children, Miss Dempsey, Mr Milner and Mr Stephenson set off to Berwick. On the way they stopped off at Druridge Bay to enjoy a beach scavenger hunt.

A visit to the Grace Darling museum followed.



A great night was spent at the Youth Hostel and the next day the children had a walk around the walled town of Berwick before heading up to Holy Island. Where the children held a special liturgy on the beach.

It was a really exciting trip, enjoyed by all.



Year 4 Berwick Trip

# Team Day and Summer Fayre



## St Bernadettes Wild West summer fayre

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> June starting at 1pm

Our wonderful summer fayre is fast approaching. To celebrate this, the children will be having a Wild West themed event on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June.

We ask that the children come in their team colours (the same colour as sports day and bring a donation for the fayre. We appreciate all donations.

**Bottles for nursery, reception, Year 1 and Year 2.  
Chocolate for Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6.**

## Cake donations

We would greatly appreciate any cake donations to sell on our refreshment stall. All donators would be given an exclusive cake raffle ticket to show our appreciation. If you would like to donate a cake could you please bring this in on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June between 8.30-9.00 am and 12-12.30pm to the main entrance where your ticket will be put in the box ready for the draw on Saturday. Please label any containers to be returned.

## Volunteers

If anyone could volunteer to help out at the event, please contact the school office ASAP. Even if you can only help for an hour or so, it all helps. We cannot run our fayres without our amazing volunteers.

Thank you for all your support from your PTA

# Year 5 Class Liturgy

On Wednesday morning, Mr Gillie and his class lead our Key Stage Two children in their liturgy. In RE lessons the children have been studying the Feast of Pentecost and the Fruits of the Holy Spirit. They took the theme of "Self-Control" in their work and produced a lively liturgy with imaginative role play, prayer and great singing along to Mr Gillie on guitar. We have included a couple of prayers produced by the children here, for you to see.



## Self-control

Let the fruits of the Spirit invade your soul.  
As the darkness you fear will fall.  
Think of a world without self-control.

You were just words on a page but now you are here.  
Your love is so strong and hope is so clear.

Don't let anger or pride inside  
for "You are clothed with power from on high."  
Take a deep breath and look at the sky and remember why Jesus had to die.

The servant king gave us voices to sing  
To spread his word on a dove's wing.

Rejoice in happiness as love will never fail  
as you have self-control.

May the lord of hope fill you with joy and peace  
as we remember the story of Jesus' last feast

By Ewan, Lloyd, Oliver, Will, Aaron.



## Self Control

The Holy Spirit transforms us,  
The omnipotent God is always with us.  
Let the Holy Spirit invade our souls,  
So we can watch the darkness fall.

Go and talk to a friend,  
Then your anger and frustration will end.  
The Holy Spirit will calm you,  
So let it be your guide,  
Then it will protect you,  
From anger, selfishness and pride.

Resist the temptation to do wrong,  
And instead do something right.  
Overcome anger with self-control,  
Patience, peace and might.

Self-control helps you on your way,  
All you have to do is walk with Jesus and pray.

By Nefeli, Phoebe, Elouise, Yvie and Rachel.



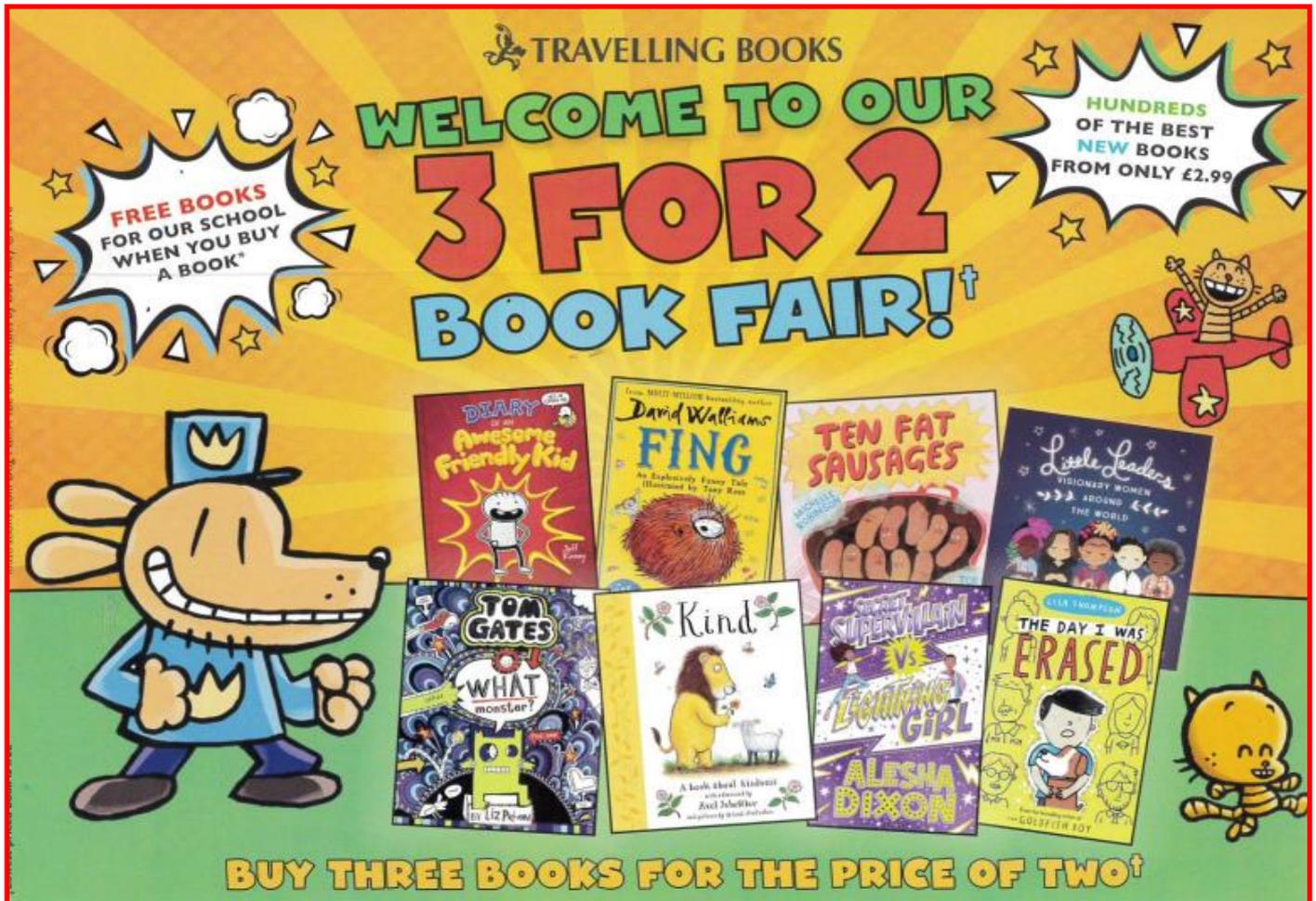
# Book Fayre Next Week!

TRAVELLING BOOKS

WELCOME TO OUR  
**3 FOR 2**  
BOOK FAIR!†

FREE BOOKS FOR OUR SCHOOL WHEN YOU BUY A BOOK\*

HUNDREDS OF THE BEST NEW BOOKS FROM ONLY £2.99



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## St. Thomas More Feast Day Celebrations

Everyone is warmly invited to the St. Thomas More Feast day on the 19th June at 6.30pm at St. Columba's Church in Wallsend. There will be the usual festivities afterwards including bbq, bouncy castle, face painting etc so young and old-are all very Welcome!



*"Love one another as I have loved you"*

**ST THOMAS MORE**  
Feast Day Celebrations  
Wednesday June 19th 2019  
6:30pm at St Columba's, Wallsend

Where possible please confirm attendance by emailing [mthompson@stmacademy.org.uk](mailto:mthompson@stmacademy.org.uk)

# PTA News

The PTA would love any in new condition toys for our toy tombola for the Summer Fayre tomorrow- Saturday, 15th June.

Any volunteers would be greatly appreciated fayre 1-4pm.

Any help between those times would be great.

Even if it just for one hour-Alison and her team would be very grateful.



Thank you to everyone who sent in their  
Everyone welcome!! Please come!

## New Phone Number

We have a new phone number

**0191 643 3400**



Currently calls from our old number are being diverted but this is only for a short time. Please begin using our new number immediately.

When you call you will see

"No Caller ID" on your phone screen.

**Summer Fayre**  
**tomorrow at 1pm**  
**See you there!**

Do you have any beanbags and or beanbag filling which you don't want any more, please?

Reception Class would love to take it off your hands!

Thank you!!



# Nursery Places Available

St. Bernadette's Nursery still have a couple of Nursery places for three year olds available for September 2019.

Both 15 hours and 30 hours placements are available.

If you know of anyone who might be interested please ask them to call the school office on 0191 200 7363.

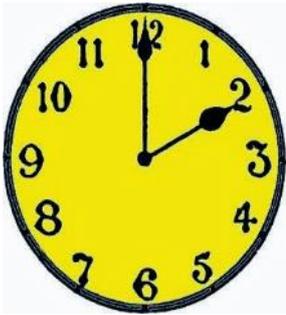
Thank you.

# London and Berwick Trips

We still have a few outstanding payments for these trips.

Please can you get in touch with school and let us know what is happening about payment.

# Gates Times



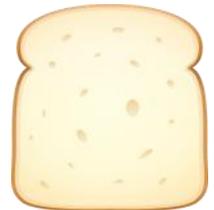
The gates to school will not be opened until 8.40am as we use the outside space for clubs before school.

Please can you inform anyone who drops children off in the morning: child minders, grandparents etc so that they aren't waiting around for longer than is necessary.

Thank you!

# Don't forget!

Holy Toast will now take place on **MONDAYS**.



# School Photographer on Monday

As with other years any siblings that do not attend St Bernadette's can be brought into school to have their photograph taken together, with their brothers/sisters, between 8.30am - 9.00am that day. These photos will take place in the Conference Suite area, as they did last year. Any sibling groups in school together will be taken during the normal school day. Please let us know in advance if you do not want your child to have their photograph taken.

# Sports and Achievements



Congratulations to Jessica who has passed her Grade 1 Ballet Exam with Merit! We are all very proud of you! Fantastic!



Isabella completed a six mile walk on Saturday from Segedunum to Tynemouth and raised lots of money for Macmillan in memory of her great grandad Brian. He would be so proud of you, Isabella! As we are!!

James presented a Jelly Bean award to his running coach at North Shields Poly, Mel Carr. Mel was nominated because of the free time he gives up every week for the young athletes and based on the mission value Purpose.



Ava achieved her 15 and 20 metre badges in swimming! She's been trying for a very long time and this week was the week! Hurray!! Her face says it all! Well done, Ava!



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](mailto:stberndettes.primary@northtyneside.gov.uk)



Lovely to have Katie back on our page! She received her dancing trophies for exams in ballet, tap and stage and passed her black with white stripe karate belt test - next one black! Fantastic!!!



Matthew and Isabelle gained their Level 3 Ice Hockey skills badge on Friday evening. Great achievement! Congratulations!



Hannah and Charlotte were delighted to receive their next dancing medal for their ballet. We are delighted for you both!! Well done!



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Layla was delighted to gain her 100m swimming award. Congratulations, Layla!



Lloyd was in competition once again this week for his gymnastics. He took part in a variety of events. He came back laden with medals including Gold in the Vault. What a star!

# Preloved-Save £s and the Planet!

You may be aware that we have a whole rail of school uniform in the school foyer-available to anyone in our school community.

There is a wide selection of uniform items available, in a variety of sizes.

**These include SUMMER DRESSES!**

So next time your child grows or loses their jumper etc, don't head up to Emblematic straight away-why not pop into the office and ask to look?

We may be able to help. A suggested voluntary donation of 50p per item will be go to PTA funds.

We look forward to seeing you soon!



# Summer Fayre tomorrow at 1pm

# What's On?

**NORTHUMBRIA POLICE**  
**FAMILY FUN DAY**  
 @MIDDLE ENGINE LANE POLICE STATION

- > WALL CLIMBING
- > POLICE DOGS/HORSES
- > BIRDS OF PREY
- > HENNA ART
- > BOUNCY CASTLE
- AND MORE ACTIVITIES

**SUNDAY**  
**JUNE 23**  
**@10AM TO 3PM**

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT  
[f northumbriapolicefamilyfunday](https://www.facebook.com/northumbriapolicefamilyfunday)  
[www.northumbria.police.uk](http://www.northumbria.police.uk)

Join in the fun this summer!  
**SPLASHDOWN**  
 summer school KS2 & KS3  
**August 2019**

**Splashdown KS2**  
 Time: 10.00 - 15.00 each day  
 Dates: Monday - Friday, 5th-9th Aug 2019  
 Where: Dove Marine Laboratory, Cullercoats.  
 Who: Yr. 4 to Yr. 6  
 You must 9 - 11 years old during the summer school.

**Splashdown KS3**  
 Time: 10.00 - 15.00 each day  
 Dates: Monday - Friday, 29th July- 2nd August 2019  
 Where: Dove Marine Laboratory, Cullercoats.  
 Who: Yr. 7 to Yr 9  
 You must 11 - 14 years old during the summer school.

Application terms can be downloaded from our website  
[www.ncl.ac.uk/res/outreach/marine/schools/summer/](http://www.ncl.ac.uk/res/outreach/marine/schools/summer/)  
 or contact [mast.outreach@ncl.ac.uk](mailto:mast.outreach@ncl.ac.uk) for more information.

Summer Schools, Dove Marine Laboratory, Newcastle University,  
 Cullercoats, North Shields, NE10 4P2

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**soundfest**  
**2019**

Featuring the best of North Tyneside's young musical talent, with bands, solo artists and headline act

**CHANNY THOMPSON**  
**Saturday 6th July 2019**  
**outside Spanish City Dome,**  
**Whitley Bay**  
**11:30am-5:00pm**

North Tyneside Council

Newcastle City Juniors  
**Are you currently in Year 1?**  
**Do you love football?**

Newcastle  
 Are you looking to play in a League Saturday and/or Sunday?  
 Why not come along to City Sports  
 We will be U7's as of the September 2019  
 We have teams which play in leagues on a Saturday and Sunday - we need more players to join and are looking to make more teams depending on the numbers  
 Why not come along and see what we can offer  
 All of our coaches are fully qualified and CRB checked to Newcastle City Juniors  
 We are playing in Tournaments and training every weekend across the summer months  
 Please give us a try - First month is free of charge and then just monthly subs  
 Please contact Peter Loppin - 07852 187 387 - [peterlloppin2011@gmail.com](mailto:peterlloppin2011@gmail.com)  
 Don't hesitate get straight in touch - we are looking for new players NOW!!

**\*Please note that this provision is not part of the offer from St Bernadette's and is being run by an independent company.  
 We cannot accept any responsibility for these activities.**

# Happy Birthday, Everyone!



# Messages from the School Office

## Breakfast Club

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

Miss Coates has been busy and has put the booking forms up on the website for the whole of the Summer Term. So you can be really organised!

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!

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

Please do not come onto the staff carpark to drop your child.

**Please use the main doors to enter Breakfast Club until further notice.**



## 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. Thank you.



## Preloved

We still have some summer dresses available on our clothing rail in the school porch. We have had a fantastic donation this week of boys uniforms for older pupils. (Thank you!!) We are delighted that a few more people are taking advantage of this green option of obtaining school uniform. Just call in and have a look. We would just ask that you leave the hangers behind! Thank you!

## It's time to check your Parentmail Account

Can all parents please check that they have updated any change in phone numbers etc on their Parentmail accounts. We sometimes need to send you text messages-but we are finding that sometimes they are not received as there is an old number on the account. Thank you!

## After School Clubs

Our new clubs for next half term are booking up now.

The charge will be in your shopping bag on Parentmail.

Our clubs are very reasonably priced-so we would appreciate your support in this matter.

Thank you!



Mass: Sunday 11.30am  
 Fr John McElhone— 0191 2623820  
[www.wallsend-aidettes.co.uk](http://www.wallsend-aidettes.co.uk)



# Star of the Week

## Dates for your Diary

Sat 15th June                      1pm Summer Fayre  
 Mon 17th June                    School Photographer  
 Mon 17th-Fri 21st June            Book Fayre  
 Mon 17th June                    New Starters Meeting  
 Tues 18th June                    All Y2s Trip to Gibside  
 Fri 21st June                        Y6s at Primary Festival

## Holy Toast Winner!



	Rauri
Nursery	Sophia H
Reception (AW)	Ario
Reception (SK)	Amy
Year 1	Ava R
Year 1/2	Auria
Year 2	Jake
Year 3	Joshua H
Year 3/4	Gracie P
Year 4	Milly F
Year 5	Rachel H
Year 5/6	Jack B
Year 6	Rosa

### Attendance of the week

This will be announced at our celebration assembly.



## Mission Value

Our value for this term is  
 "Purpose"