



# St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

*Live the Gospel and when necessary use words*

## Bernadette's Blog



### Autumn Days...

Our Reception Classes have been using the fruits of Autumn Walks to help them with their counting and writing. They have been using all the conkers collected on Autumn walks to form their initials.

If you go out for an Autumn Walk this weekend with your family-why not send us in a photo and we shall create an Autumn Special page for next week. We love to see our children out and about in the fresh air!







# KEY STAGE ONE NATURE WALK





# Dot's Pizzeria Italia

Next **Thursday, 5th October** is our School Census Day.

To help celebrate this, Dot is laying on an Italian feast of Pizza.

**There will be Golden Tickets and Prizes to be won!**

Don't worry if your child is out on the Y2 Trip to Craggside- Dot is planning some treats for the packed lunches which she is providing! Don't miss out on the fun-have a school dinner!!

NB: Due to the above there will be a change of menu on Tuesday, 2nd October to chicken portions & wedges/veggie fingers



## PTA News

Look out tonight for your child bringing home their Christmas Card design for the Cauliflower Christmas Card PTA fundraising effort. This is always popular-please note all orders must be returned with payment by next

**Friday, 5th October, 2018**

It was lovely to see new faces at the PTA meeting this week.

The next meeting will be on **October 26th**. All welcome!

**Saturday, 24th November, 2018**

**is our PTA Christmas Fair**

Anyone who would like to be independent stall holder for this event, get in contact with the office please: 0191 200 7363

If anyone has any unwanted unused items for the gift tombola, could they be donated via the school office please

(Eg smellies, candles, umbrella, novelty items etc)

## Meetings Next Week

May we remind parents and carers of **Y4 children** that the meeting regarding next summer's trip to Berwick will be held on **Thursday, 4th October at 5pm** and parents and carers of **Y5 children** that the meeting regarding the trip to London will be held on **Thursday, 4th October at 5.45pm**

# Messages from the School Office

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!

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

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



## 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!



## Medication

Thank you to all the parents who called into the office on Monday to complete a Medication form to be placed in their child's new classroom.

If you have not done so yet, please ensure you return medication that is kept in class like epi-pens and inhalers to your child's new class teacher.

Antibiotics and medication for a short period of time should be handed directly to the school office.



Northumbria Healthcare **NHS**  
NHS Foundation Trust

### healthy4life



#### FREE Healthy4Life Clubs 2018

Are you worried about your child's weight? We offer fun, friendly physical activity and lifestyle sessions for you and your child. Clubs run for 10 weeks details are below.

Venue TBC Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October - Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 4-5.30pm (Ages 4-7 years)

The Lakeside Centre on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December from 4:15pm- 6:15pm (8+ years)



There are limited free places so find out more and sign up today by contacting Healthy4Life  
tel: 0191 643 7454 or  
email: [chat@northtyneside.gov.uk](mailto:chat@northtyneside.gov.uk)



#### Direct Payments Support Group For North Tyneside Carers and Parents

Direct Payments are made to people who have been assessed as having social care needs and are eligible for Council-funded support. Instead of the Council arranging services for you, they will pay money into a pre-paid current account for you to buy the support you need in the way that you choose.

#### Aims of the Support Group

- To offer peer support and information about the benefits of Direct Payments or the process associated with it.
- To provide a platform for people to share their own experiences or represent the views of the wider community.
- To ensure that the service reflects the needs of the people who use them.
- Enable people to share good practice and raise areas of concern.
- Give ideas and suggestions on how services could be improved

Meetings are held quarterly at the Linskill Centre, Linskill Terrace, North Shields NE30 2AY between 10.30am and 12 noon

#### Meeting Dates

13 November 2018  
12 February 2019  
14 May 2019  
13 August 2019  
12 November 2019

Please contact for further details or to book your place:  
Paula Peart

Community and Health Care Forum  
205 Park Road  
Wallsend NE28 7NL  
Tel: 0191 2954233  
Email: [paula.chcf@btinternet.com](mailto:paula.chcf@btinternet.com)



# Sports and Achievements

Here is Josephine with the latest medal she has been awarded for Cheerleading at the semi finals of her competition in Huddersfield. Congratulations, Josie!



Congratulations to Tom and Charlie. They played rugby during the half time break in the Newcastle Falcons match at the weekend. What a fantastic opportunity!



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

Kora won Bronze for Individual Kata in Karate in the North East International Open. Well done, Cora!



Olivia has achieved her Level 1 Northern Gymnastics Award for the Beam. Well done, Olivia.!



# Happy Birthday!

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



# Star of the Week



*St. Bernadette's Parish Centre  
MacMillan's Coffee Afternoon  
Saturday, 29th September  
from 1pm onwards*

## Dates for your Diary

28th Sept. Christmas Card Design Orders coming home  
3rd October Rec/Y6 Special Friends Liturgy  
4th October Y2 Trip to Cragside  
Dot's Pizzeria Italia Lunch  
Library Bus Visit

Meetings for Y4 & Y5 Parents re trips to Berwick & London

5th October Y1 Trip to Cragside

9th October That Poetry Bloke Assembly & Workshops

10th October That Poetry Bloke Assembly & Workshops

For more dates check out our website at

[www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk](http://www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk)



Holy  
Toast  
Winner



## Mission Value

*Our new value for this term is  
"Belonging"*

Nursery am	Layla
Nursery pm	Luke
Reception (AW)	Isaac
Reception (SK)	Paige
Year 1	Kai
Year 1/2	Harry Mac
Year 2	Ollie W
Year 3	Charlie R
Year 3/4	Harry A
Year 4	Chloe R
Year 5	Ava W
Year 5/6	Leland
Year 6	Taylor

Attendance of the  
week

100%

Miss Sweeney Y2

Miss Jones Y1

Reception AW

Congratulations!