



# BERNARDS HEATH INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Spring Term Newsletter

18th March 2016

**Breakfast Club** - If you wish to make a booking please contact Lindees on 01727 848355

Class	Feeling Proud
Heath am/Flex B	Matilda B
Heath pm/Flex A	Milly
Heartwood	Anna C
Clarence	Eila
Verulam	Alessia
Churchill	Ben M
Spencer	Iris
Mitchell	Sophie
Ryder	Alex
Alban	N/A
Morpurgo	Niamh



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Theo S, Thomas W, Cyrus, Izabella S, Jack HG,  
Grace N, Matthew H, Archie BG, Paige L, Eleanor F,  
Mrs Griffin

### Keeping Safe Online

Mr Fisher (our Computing Leader) has been talking to some children this week and together they have improved our rules for using our laptops at school. The rules now have visuals to help all children access and remember them. Next week Mr Fisher will be talking to children across the school about these rules. We will also send them home so you can print a copy and keep them somewhere they can be referred to.

As Richard Maskrey told us in the training last term, it is vital home and school work together to remind children how to use equipment and the internet safely.

### A HUGE THANK YOU

Mike Beavis visited school this week and on Tuesday he completed our willow dome. Go down to the field and have a look!

<http://www.wildworks.org.uk/#/willow-workshops/4544574371>

Thank you to Louise Saunders Estate Agent who has kindly sponsored this addition to our Wild Garden.

### Are you a single parent?

Becoming a single parent can be very lonely, upsetting and very difficult at times. Gingerbread is a local friendship group that offers help and support for single parents in St Albans.

We meet up regularly at a local children's centre and also have many fun days out and about throughout the year such as picnics and camping.

We also have evenings out just for adults and visit the cinema or the pub.

If you are a single parent and would like some company then please get in touch.

We are a lovely friendly group and would welcome any new members.

If you would like to join the group please e-mail [sarahjanenorwood@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sarahjanenorwood@yahoo.co.uk) or you can come and find me (Sarah) in the playground every morning.

### App of the Week

#### Math Bingo

Use Math Bingo to get a pattern of five Bingo Bugs in a row. Answer maths problems correctly and see how many Bingo Bugs you can collect! Choose from addition, subtraction, multiplication or division

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### SCHOOL FAMILY WORKER

Your school has a dedicated School Family Worker who can help you with supporting your child/ren. As well as supporting parents, our School Family Workers deliver mentoring sessions to children in a safe environment in school. You can contact your School Family Worker direct or through your school.

**Workshops for Parents with KEYSTONE** Keystone is a local Parent Support group who run a variety of workshops for parents on different subjects in our community. Visit their website to find out what their services are: <http://www.keystoneworkshops.co.uk/>

**Lego club every Saturday** A wonderful activity at Fleetville Community centre running for children with Autism/Aspergers. The club is held every Saturday 10-11am. For more information visit: [www.facebook.com/pages/Lego-Club-for-children-with-Autism-Aspergers/284653461736059?sk=timeline&ref=page](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Lego-Club-for-children-with-Autism-Aspergers/284653461736059?sk=timeline&ref=page) or contact **07948 621978**

\*Help us support **Brain Tumour Research** by bringing in a donation with your child's Easter Bonnet on Thursday 24th March for more information see the website <http://www.braintumourresearch.org/wearahatday>

A date for your diary...

Friday 17th June— a very special birthday picnic!  
(Reserve date Friday 24th June)  
Come and join us between 4.15 - 6.00 pm and help us to celebrate our 110th birthday.

More details to follow.

### Emergency Contacts

Occasionally we have poorly children at school and they need to be collected and taken home. It is very important the person you name as your 'emergency contact' is local and could come to school in your place if you are at work or unable to get to school yourself.

### Milk for the Summer Term

Any children who would like to have milk in the Summer Term, please make your payment of £14.30 to the office in a named envelope. Payment can also be made via Wisepay or cheque (made payable to Hertfordshire County Council)

### PTA Newsletter

Please remember to read the PTA newsletter to find out about all of the exciting events that are taking place.

## REMEMBER, REMEMBER.....

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Mon 21 Mar	9.00am	FS2 Phonics Meeting for parents
Thur 24 Mar	9.00am	Easter Bonnet Assembly
Fri 25 Mar		<b>School Closed—Good Friday</b>
Mon 28 Mar		<b>School Closed—Easter Monday</b>
Fri 1 Apr	1.20pm	<b>Term ends for Easter holidays</b>
<b>Easter Holidays Monday 4th—Friday 15th April</b>		
Mon 18 Apr	9.00am	Start of the Summer Term
<b>Wed 20 Apr</b>	<b>2.30pm</b>	<b>Parent Volunteer Meeting</b>
Mon 25 Apr	6.00—8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS1 & FS2
Wed 27 Apr	6.00—8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS1 & FS2
Mon 2 May		Bank Holiday—School closed
Thur 5 May		Polling Day FS2 School Visit
Mon 9 May		Start of English Themed Week
Mon 9 May	8.50-9.15am	Open Classrooms
Wed 11 May	12.15-12.35	Heath Class (All day B and Afternoon) Open Classrooms
Tue 17 May	9am	Clarence Class Assembly
<b>Wed 18 May</b>	<b>9am</b>	<b>Heath Class Assembly</b>