

BERNARDS HEATH INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Autumn Term Newsletter

25th November 2016



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



Happy Birthday

Clara, Olivia M, Thomas B, Fanya, Anna S, Prince



Class	Feeling Proud
Heath am/Flex B	Evelina
Heath pm/Flex A	N/A
Heartwood	Victoria
Clarence	Rosie
Verulam	Lexi
Churchill	Kuba
Spencer	Matthew
Mitchell	Eloise
Ryder	Duncan
Alban	Alexa
Morpurgo	Archie

Letter sent out	Additional Information
Christmas Play DVD's	Form & Payment in by Fri 2nd Dec

School Council are on the case!



This week School Councillors, Mrs Mayhew and Mrs Rimmer went on a walk to look at the roads around school. We were looking at safe and unsafe places to park. The children took photos and talked about the dangers of parking with two wheels on the pavement at drop off and pick up times. They are taking the photos back to class and will be talking about how they can share their ideas for keeping everyone safe before and after school. In assembly we looked at the new sign that has been delivered to school to show parents where not to stop. Mr Desborough will put this out in the mornings. Remember you can use the King Will car park to park in and walk to/from school from there.

Punctuality—as explained in our Attendance Policy

The classroom doors open at 8.50am and the school day starts at 8.55am. The registers close at 9.05am; if you arrive late you need to sign in at the office providing a reason for **being late. Children arriving after 9.05am will be marked 'late after closure of register'** and this will be marked as an unauthorised absence.

Class Cover

Sometimes it is necessary for us to provide an alternative adult to your child's usual class teacher. This may be due to training, illness or school based leadership tasks. In the event when your child's class teacher is unavailable to teach the class we cover them in the following ways:

Miss Hart—Miss Hart is our Lead Teaching Assistant and class cover is part of her role at school, she works regularly across the school and is not attached to one class or year group.

Mrs Tullberg—Mrs Tullberg is a regular supply teacher and previous full time employee at Bernards Heath.

Mrs Griffin and Miss Woolfson—These teachers are non-class based meaning they are sometimes available for class cover. Miss Woolfson is our deputy and Mrs Griffin is our SENCo.

Class Splits—On some occasions your child may go and work in another class either in the same year group or with their Friendship Group teacher.

Maths Games Library

We can now open our Maths Games Library twice a week. Once at the end of the school day and once at the start.

Monday 2:45—3:10

Friday 8:50-9:15

Please come to the library/cooking area to choose a game to play at home. These should be returned after a week. A charge of £5 will be made for incomplete/lost games. Thank you



Contact us: governors@bernardsheath.herts.sch.uk

admin@bernardsheath.herts.sch.uk

Santa will be visiting our Christmas fair on the 3rd of December. If you haven't booked your slot, please contact our governor in charge:

pdurant@bernardsheath.herts.sch.uk



Please join us for our Autumn Action Day on Sunday 27 November at 9.30 am.

For a litter pick & general tidy up ahead of the winter. We will meet at the entrance to Heath House, at the top end of Heath Farm Lane for 9.30am. Please wear stout footwear and bring gloves and secateurs (if you have them). Other tools will be provided. Accompanied children welcome.

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Follow us on Twitter: @Bernards_Heath or Facebook: Friends of Bernards Heath.

Thank you to everyone who took part in Children in Need last Friday. We raised £261.07 !



Autism Family Support Group DSPL7

Informal support group for parents/carers with children who have Autism or are awaiting an Autism diagnosis; have a tea/coffee, share experiences and provide mutual support. Meet other families who may be in a similar situation to you.

Alternate Tuesdays Term Time Only 15th Nov, 29th Nov, 13th Dec 10:00am – 11:30am

At **DSPL7 Base** St Luke's School, Crouch Hall Lane, Redbourn, AL3 7ET

Please park in the early years development centre

Contact: FSW@dspl7.org.uk for more information or see our website: <http://www.dspl7.org.uk>

For more information regarding SEND issues and parent support groups in your area, please join the Facebook page DSPL 7

SNOW

In the event of snow you can check the following link to see if the school is closed <http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/>

Our local radio station 3 Counties will also update you on school closures.



PTA Newsletter

Please remember to check the PTA newsletter to read updates about the Christmas Fair—3rd December 10am-2pm



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DATE	TIME	EVENT 
Mon 28th Nov	9.30am	FS2 Tour for prospective parents for Sep 2017
Thur 1st Dec	9.30am	FS2 Tour for prospective parents for Sep 2017
Fri 2nd Dec		Non uniform day - please bring in a raffle prize donation See PTA letter for more info
Sat 3rd Dec	10.00am	PTA Christmas Fair
Tues 6th Dec	10.00am	FS Christmas Performance - Bookings open 9th November
Wed 7th Dec	10.00am	FS Christmas Performance - Bookings open 9th November
Thur 8th Dec	10.00am	FS Christmas Performance - Bookings open 9th November
Mon 12th Dec	2.30pm	Churchill Christmas Celebration - Bookings open 9th November
Tues 13th Dec	9.15am	Spencer Christmas Celebration - Bookings open 9th November
Wed 14th Dec	9.15am	Mitchell Christmas Celebration - Bookings open 9th November
Wed 14th Dec		School Christmas Lunch Day
Thur 15th Dec	9.30am	YR 2 Christmas Performance Bookings open 9th November
Fri 16th Dec	9.30am	YR 2 Christmas Performance Bookings open 9th November
Wed 21st Dec		Wear your Christmas Jumper to School
Wed 21st Dec	1.20pm	End of Term
 Christmas Holiday  Thurs 22nd Dec—Wed 4th Jan		
Thur 5th Jan	8.55am	Children return to school
Fri 6th Jan	9.30am	FS2 Tour for prospective parents for Sep 2017
Mon 9th Jan		Maths & Learning Heroes Curriculum week
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