

BERNARDS HEATH INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL



Spring Term Newsletter

10th February 2017

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



Happy Birthday
Andrea , Emily K, Ella R, Iyan



Class	Feeling Proud
Heath am/Flex B	Rose
Heath pm/Flex A	Caddan
Heartwood	Reece
Clarence	Jasmine
Verulam	Oula
Churchill	Alex L
Spencer	Jess
Mitchell	Edward
Ryder	Richard
Alban	Arthur
Morpurgo	Ben M

Goodbye Miss Earnshaw!

Today we wave goodbye to Miss Earnshaw. Mitchell Class children will especially miss her as she has worked with them for over a year supporting their learning and development and watching them grow.

Miss Suttle and the rest of the staff team will miss Miss Earnshaw's creative and thoroughly professional approach to her work. We wish her every success as she moves into her new role and takes the next step in her career.

Good luck Miss Earnshaw and keep in touch!

GOODBYE GOOD LUCK

Oh what a show!

Learning something new is hard, you might not get it right straight away, you need to be patient and put in the time and energy to practice. However it is worth it in the end when you have accomplished a brand new skill!

Since September Miss Hart's Ukulele Club have been doing just this... they now know 4 chords, can name the parts of the ukulele, hold their ukulele correctly and play in unison!

On Tuesday the ukulele band joined forces with Miss Hart's other club, Singers Aloud and performed a 'Hula Song' in Singing Assembly. The audience watched in awe as the ukulele players sat on their chairs, one leg crossed and accompanied the singers. After we had watched and listened we all had the chance to join in with the singing. We would like to say a big well done to all the performers for being brave in their first public show. They might have been feeling a bit nervous on the inside but on the outside they looked really confident.

Book Day

Thursday 2nd March is World Book Day and we are inviting children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. If you need any costume ideas talk to class teachers.



Parent Volunteers

We are so grateful for our army of cooks, readers and other supporters. Want to join them? Come along to the volunteer meeting on April 20th—in the hall at 9am.

In their maths meetings, Churchill class have been counting each school day and are excited that it is their 100th day of Year 1 today!
100 days of learning since September - Congratulations everyone!

Thank you to those who responded to our plea for parent support in the work we need to do to achieve the Arts Mark. Mrs Greenhalgh will be in touch after half term to let you know how you can help. If you would like to volunteer but haven't put your name forward yet it is not too late. Email us at admin@bernardsheath.herts.sch.uk



Marshalswick Library

It is our turn to do the display in Marshalswick library this month. The children have read "Giraffes Can't Dance" by Giles Andreae and thought of encouraging words to say to Gerald the giraffe to help him keep on dancing!



Parking

I have received an email from one of our neighbours requesting I ask parents to park considerately on the roads around our school. I would like to remind you that blocking dropped kerbs, mounting the kerb with two wheels and obscuring people's view from side roads directly puts children's lives at risk.

To keep children safe please make sure they walk/scoot/cycle close to you and do not run off ahead or lag behind on their own.

Donations of boxes of tissues would be very gratefully received.

Thank you!



REMEMBER, REMEMBER.....

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Half Term Mon 13th Feb—Fri 17th Feb		
Mon 20th Feb		Teacher Training Day
Wed 22nd Feb		Thinking Day—children to wear uniform
Wed 22nd Feb	9.30am	FS1 Tour for prospective parents for Sep 2017
Wed 15th Mar		Class Photos
Fri 24th Mar	5-6.30pm	Film Night
Mon 27th Mar		Healthy Living Week
Thur 30th Mar	2.15pm	KS1 Spring Festival—Y2 parents welcome
Fri 31st Mar		Year 1 and FS1 written reports go home
Easter Holidays Monday 3rd April—Tues 18th April		
Tue 18th Apr	8.55am	Start of the Summer Term
Tue 18th Apr		Start of English week
Thur 20th Apr	9.00am	Parent Volunteer Meeting
Fri 21st Apr	3.15pm	Second hand uniform sale
Wed 26th Apr	6-8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS2
Mon 1st May		Bank Holiday—School Closed
Tue 2nd May	6-8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS2
Fri 19th May	2.30pm	Phonics Screening Meeting Year 1 Parents
Tue 23rd May	9.15am	Heartwood Class Assembly
Wed 24th May	9am	Heath Class Assembly
Wed 24th May	2.40pm	Heath Class Assembly
Fri 26th May		School closed—Staff Training Day