

BERNARDS HEATH INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL



Summer Term Newsletter

21st April 2017

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



Happy Birthday



Bella D, Joshua B, Jack B, Victoria, Charlotte D, Dylan, Isabella C, Aniya, Cherry, James K, Amelie J, Jake S, Harrison, Reece, Siya, Alessia, Joe T, Amy B, Rose H, Mrs Aide, Miss White

Class	Feeling Proud
Heath am/Flex B	Juliette
Heath pm/Flex A	N/A
Heartwood	Isabella
Clarence	Amy
Verulam	George
Churchill	Lewis
Spencer	Michael
Mitchell	Freya
Ryder	Olivia
Alban	Arijit
Morpurgo	Lucy

English Week



Children used tin foil, foam, spaghetti and their amazing imaginations to perform poetry by heart. Performances with rhythm, beat and a lot of style! Come and see their recorded performances at the book fair in the hall next week.
Mon-Weds 8.30—8.50am and 3.00—3.30pm

Want to know what happened on the 'Help Refugees walk' and see the photos?

Head to our blog: <http://bernardsheath.herts.sch.uk/>

Childcare Choices

Childcare Choices, the cross-Government childcare brand and campaign has been launched, providing parents with a single point of information for all the Government funded childcare offers, including the two new offers: **30 hours free childcare** and **Tax Free Childcare**. The launch of the new website, www.childcarechoices.gov.uk means that millions of parents can now pre-register for the Government's new childcare offers.

Please note that for the academic year 2016/2017 we will continue to offer 15 hours of nursery education at Bernards Heath.

Big Pedal

This year we came 54th nationally out of 963 schools in the large primary schools 5-day category. Well done to everyone who scooted or cycled to school in the last week of term.



After School Clubs

Remember Clubs start Monday 24th April. Please make your payments as soon as possible. If you are signed up to Book Busters Club with Mrs Hopkinson Badgery please bring your favourite book with you on Thursday

Parenting Children with Additional or Special Needs



A free, 10 week parenting course run by the St Albans Educational Partnership aimed at Parents and Carers of children with additional and special needs.

Courses begin on Wednesday 26th April.

If you are interested, or would like some more information please speak to Dawn or Serena in the School Office.

Handling Anger in Your Family



A free course providing proven anger management techniques for parents caring for children with Autism and/or ADHD

Tuesdays 6.45-8.45pm, April 25th, May 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd.

If you are interested, or would like some more information please speak to Dawn or Serena in the School Office.

St Albans Half Marathon School Challenge!

We are taking part in the 'St Albans Half Marathon School Challenge' in an effort to get fit and retain our trophy for a third consecutive year! Would you like to come and join us?

On Sunday 11th June 2017, the school with the highest percentage of its pupils entered into the 1.5mile Fun Run will win a cash donation!

The St Albans Half Marathon Event offers something for everyone, catering to all ages and abilities, with the Half Marathon, Walking Half Marathon, 5k Race and 1.5 Mile Children's Fun Run. The event is community focused, donating all profits to local charities and organisations, it also is hosting a Runners Village full of free activities to keep the whole family entertained! So why not plan a lovely family day out and help us to win the prize!

Register online at: www.stalbanshalfmarathon.co.uk

Beech Bottom Dyke Sunday 23rd April 9.30 am



Litter pick & general tidy up for summer
Meet on grass opposite Ancient Briton

Bring gloves and secateurs (if you have them).
Other tools will be provided.
Accompanied children welcome.

REMEMBER, REMEMBER.....

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Wed 26th Apr	6-8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS2
Thu 27th Apr	9am	PTA Meeting
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
Tue 23rd May	2.30pm	Verulam Class Assembly
Wed 24th May	9am	Heath Class Assembly
Wed 24th May	2.40pm	Heath Class Assembly
Thu 25th May	9.15am	Clarence Class Assembly
Fri 26th May		School closed—Staff Training Day
Half Term Monday 29 May—Friday 2nd June		
Mon 5th Jun		Start of Arts Week
Sun 11th Jun		St Albans Fun Run
Mon 12th Jun		Phonics Screening Week KS1
Wed 14th Jun	6-8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS1 and Year 1
Tue 20 Jun	9.15-10.30am	New to Clarence Class Visit Morning
Wed 21 Jun	9.15-10.30am	New to Heartwood Class Visit Morning
Wed 21 Jun	6-8.30pm	Parent Teacher Consultation Evening for FS1 and Year 1
Thu 22nd Jun	9.15-10.30am	New to Verulam Class Visit Morning