

# BERNARDS HEATH INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Summer Term Newsletter

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## Happy Birthday

Rex, Isabella M, Bethany, Niyam, Franc, Freya K,  
Mrs H Begum, Mrs Parker, Mrs Onyeze



## St Albans Fun Run



A big thank you to everyone who signed up for the fun run. There was a sea of red, zig-zagging across the park, and although we had an impressive turnout it wasn't quite enough to retain the trophy for a 5th year running.

In assembly on Monday we talked about how we could congratulate St Alban and St Stephens, the new holders of the trophy, and Thomas, Evie-Rose, Casper and Lottie, from Year 2, wrote some cards from us to them to say well done. As Emily from Year 1 said 'We will just have to try a bit harder next year.' Just like Duck.



## Sports Day Tuesday 2nd July

Come along to cheer us on!  
Sports Morning for FS1 and FS2  
(on the field)  
Clarence and Verulam 9.15am  
Heath (all children) and Heartwood 10.30am

Sports Afternoon for KS1  
(on the Heath)  
Y1 and Y2 from 1.00pm

## Class Heath Class Assembly

Today we were entertained by Heath AM and All Day B Class who shared their learning with us. Some of their favourite moments were:

Rosa: "I liked playing the This is Me song."  
Jack: "I liked saying 'I like playing with the duplo'."  
Robert: "I liked being the juggler."  
Ashton: "I liked doing the ladder walking."  
Mia: "I liked singing the songs, my favourite is How Do You Do."  
Ella: "I liked doing my roly poly."

## Save the Dates

**20th September** - the PTA will be hosting a 'Welcome Picnic' on the Heath with games run by Try Time, to replace a summer picnic, traditionally held at the end of the summer term. All welcome!



**27th September** - Macmillan coffee afternoon, 2pm, School Hall



## Year 2 Moderation

This week two moderators came to visit. Their role is to work with the teachers in Year 2 to discuss the assessments they have made and look at the evidence that informed those judgements. The process involves some additional preparation for our teachers and we are pleased to say that feedback from the process was very positive.

Well done Year 2!

## Letters/Emails Sent Home

Breakfast Club for the Autumn Term  
FS2 Visit to Cassiobury  
FS2 and Yr1 Consultations



## Early May Bank Holiday 2020

If you are thinking of going away for the early May Bank Holiday weekend next May, please note that it has been changed from Monday 4th May to **Friday 8th May**.

Challenge Sport and Education After School Childcare—to book a place [click here](#)



## Let's Play @ Bernards Heath

It's official! This week, local fundraising group **Let's Play @ Bernards Heath** became a registered charity! The charity will now begin the consultation phase towards modernising the popular playground on Bernards Heath. Watch this space and the charity's Facebook page for more exciting details...

[Let's Play at Bernards Heath](#)

**Let's Play @ Bernards Heath** is delighted to announce that the winner of the 'Design a Logo' competition is Isabella from Mitchell class! Well done to Isabella and all the fantastic entrants across BHI and BHJ schools.



Congratulations to Miss Arnold who got engaged over the half term holiday!



Thank you to the PTA who have funded some new hanging baskets. All we need now is some sunshine!



### Display Energy Certificate at School

We would like to share some eco news with you at school. We have moved from Rating E to Rating D due to a new boiler being fitted in school last year. We are looking forward to seeing if we move to Rating C next year after the installation of new windows and roof.



Alban Day  
Friday 21st June

All children are invited to wear Yellow and Blue for Alban Day.  
Foundation Stage parents please can you bring in empty cereal boxes, as the children are making shields.

Verulam's First Ever Medieval Festival  
Sunday 30th June  
11am to 4.00pm



Come and join us for a day of medieval merriment for the whole family, including battle re-enactments, warrior training; archery; axe-throwing; jesters and jousting, plus a mead and ale tent and wood-fired hog roast.

Tickets are [available here](#)

For more information email:

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## REMEMBER, REMEMBER.....

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Mon 17th Jun	2.45pm	Heath Class PM and All Day A Class Assembly (One Adult per Child)
Tue 18th Jun	9.15–10.30am	New to Heartwood Class Visit Morning
Wed 19th Jun	9.15–10.30am	New to Clarence Class Visit Morning
Thu 20th Jun	9.15–10.30am	New to Verulam Class Visit Morning
Fri 21st Jun	9.00am	Y2 Parent Volunteer Meeting (Mountfitchet Castle)
Mon 24th Jun		Y2 Visit to Mountfitchet Castle
Tue 25th Jun		Governor Day
Wed 26th Jun	6.00–8.30pm	FS1 and Y1 Parent Teacher Consultation
Wed 26th Jun		Herts Advertiser School Awards (we are finalists)
Thu 27th Jun		SCHOOL CLOSED Staff Training Day
Fri 28th Jun		SCHOOL CLOSED Occasional Day
Tue 2nd Jul	9.15am	Clarence and Verulam Sports Morning
Tue 2nd Jul	10.30am	Heath (all children) and Heartwood Sports Morning
Tue 2nd Jul	1.00pm	Key Stage 1 (Y1 and Y2) Sports Afternoon
Tue 2nd Jul	6.00–8.30pm	FS1 and Y1 Parent Teacher Consultation

Please can you provide us with a box of tissues to catch any germs and help with the hayfever?

