

Friday, 29th September, 2017



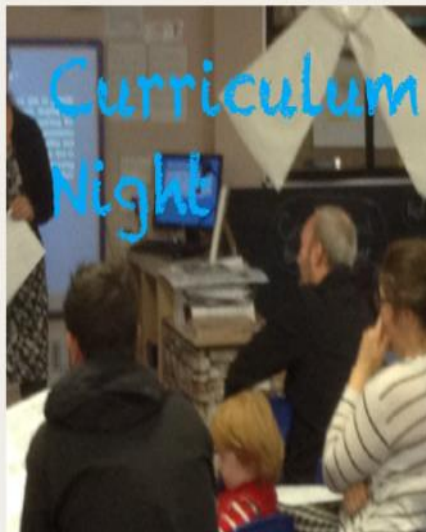
St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

Live the Gospel and when necessary use words



Bernadette's Blog

Curriculum Night



"Thank you!" to everyone who came along on Monday to our Curriculum Night. It was great to see so many of you there, eager to find out what is expected of your children throughout this year. We hope you found it useful and worthwhile.

If you missed it-you don't need to miss out:

Visit our website on

www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk

Click on 'Curriculum' and go down to 'End of Year Expectations'

Thanks must also go to the Junior Leadership Team who acted as guides throughout the evening and support staff who stayed behind to care for all the children in the hall.

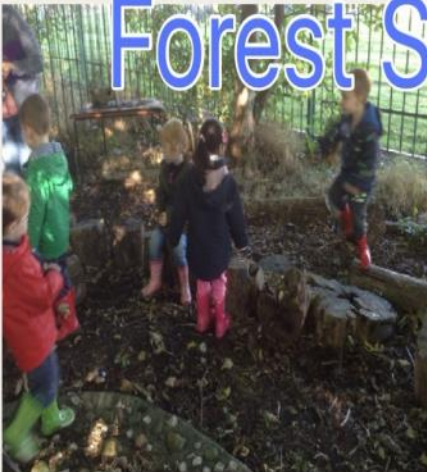


PIC•COLLAGE



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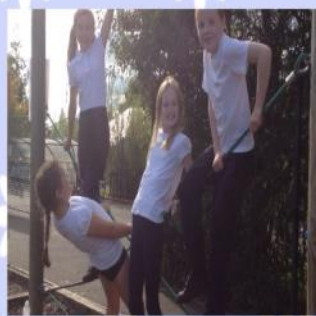
Forest School Friday!



PIC • COLLAGE



Playtime
fun on the
adventure
playpark



Welcome Back!

We were delighted to welcome back three former pupils this week. Olivia, Kelsey and Laura are Year 12 pupils at St. Thomas More Academy.

They have chosen to spend their Wednesday afternoon "Enrichment Time" with us, here at school.

They shall be helping in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6.

We hope it will be great experience for them and may help them decide on their future career.



Cauliflower Christmas Cards

Sorry to mention the 'C' word this early but...

The PTA Christmas Card designs will be sent home next week for you to place your orders. If you would like any younger (or older!!) siblings to design their own cards, please call into the school office-where the PTA have left some extra sets of instructions and order forms. Thank you!

St. Bernadette's PTA Halloween Parties

Yesterday, you should have received your child's application letter for the
PTA Halloween Parties-

if not check their pockets and folders!!

Here are all the dates for your information.



LKS2 (Y3 + Y4)



Thursday, 19th October 4.30pm-6pm



UKS2 (Y5 + Y6)

Thursday, 19th October 6.30pm-8pm

Nursery & Reception

Tuesday, 31st October 1.15pm-2.30pm

KS1 (Y1 + Y2)



Tuesday, 31st October 2.45pm-4.15pm



Don't forget, our wonderful PTA need all the help they can get to keep putting
on all the exciting events which our children love so much.

Can you spare some time?

Alison and her PTA team would love you to come along to their

Recruitment Meeting on

Tuesday, 3rd October at 6pm in the staff room.

It's a really great way to become involved in what is happening here at school.

Don't be shy-you will be very, very welcome!



Applications to become a **Just Kids Page** Contributor

Calling **imaginative**, *creative*, **computer savvy** children who love to write.

If you are in Year 5 or Year 6 and would be interested in contributing to the

Just Kid's Page

please apply to join the Just Kids Editing team.

You can do this by writing a feature which you would like to appear on Bernadette's Blog.

This job is a very important commitment—which requires playtimes to be given up in order to reach publishing deadlines.

Applications should reach Mrs McConville by end of school on Friday, 6th October

Interviews will then take place

Important Reminders for All Parents and Carers

Parents and Carers **MUST BOOK A PLACE ONLINE FOR BREAKFAST CLUB.**

The booking page does not close until 8pm on Friday evenings for the next week.

Numbers are growing and places are limited. Don't miss out!



Please do not come onto the staff carpark to drop your child.



Dot's Next Fun Day

WILL YOU FIND A GOLDEN TICKET?

SPORTS HERO
Funday Lunch
Thursday 5th
October 2017

Menu

CHAMPIONS CHICKEN WRAP
SERVED WITH
PREMIER LEAGUE FRENCH FRIES
AND UNLIMITED
SUPERBOWL SALAD BAR
.....
OLYMPIC MEDAL BISCUIT
AND
SPORTY SQUASH

1 WEEK TO GO!

Prizes, fun and much more
www.northtyneside.gov.uk/funday

What's On? A few ideas of things you might like to do!

Heritage Open Days-Free Train Rides

Stephenson Railway Museum

10th October 2017

First Departure 11.30am, last departure 3pm.

Tel. 0191 200 7146

HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES

Pumpkin Treasure Trail

Richardson Dees Park Pavilion, Wallsend

23 - 27 October, 11am to 3pm

Spot the characters hidden around the park and receive a trick or treat at the Verandah Café when you find them all. Cost: £1 per answer card.

Halloween Fun

St. Mary's Lighthouse, Whitley Bay

26 October: 10.30am to 3.30pm

27 October: 11.30am to 3.30pm

28 October: 11.30am to 3.30pm

29 October: 11.30am to 3.30pm

Including biscuit decorating, crafts and making slime.

Suitable for children aged 3 and over. Booking essential, call (0191) 200 8650 or email stmaryslighthouse@northtyneside.gov.uk. Cost: £3 per child.

Pumpkin Play Day

Richardson Dees Park Pavilion, Wallsend

27 October, 11am to 3pm

Turn up in your spookiest outfit and carve your own pumpkin to take home.

Find the hidden characters in the pumpkin treasure trail and test your skills at our ghostly games on the green. Sweet pumpkin soup will be available at the Verandah Café, along with hot fruity slime from a real cauldron!

Cost: £1 to £2.50 per activity.

Pre-Halloween Bat Trail

29 October, 11.30am to 2pm

Springfield Park

Children can dress in their best spooky costume and help the warden find the bats in the trees, then vote for your favourite and draw your own. Fancy-dress line up at 1pm. Free event, suitable for younger children. Call 07978 307347 for details.

Halloween Special

Stephenson Railway Museum

30 October, 11am to 3pm

Enjoy train rides, a witch hunt, games, activities and arts and crafts. Fancy dress optional, suitable for all ages. Tel (0191) 200 7146.



Cygnets Events

ARE YOU
BRAVE ENOUGH
TO RIDE THE

GHOST TRAIN

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

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Cygnets Events

GHOST TRAIN

Collection & drop off at: Cullercoats Park, Beverley Terrace.

Listen to spooky sounds as your travel on the Ghost Train. Come face-to-face with spooktacular characters along the way!

Hold on tight; you might get a fright!

Services will run on an evening, children (6 adults) are encouraged to come in fancy dress!

Experience a spooky journey on board the Ghost Train to the Watch House in Tynemouth, arrive at the Watch House for a spooky theatrical performance & receive a tasty Halloween hot-dog (vegetarian hot-dog also available) & a drink of 'witches potion'!

Children will also receive a Halloween Treat bag (with sweets and a small spooky craft).

Four spooky services will run each evening on the 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th & 31st October - lasting approximately 60 minutes.

Advance booking is required. Recommended for children aged 5 to 12 years old.

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW AT

WWW.CYGNETEVENTS.COM/GHOST-TRAIN

ADULT £6 - CHILD £10

THE GHOST TRAIN IS NOT SUITABLE FOR PEOPLE OF A NERVOUS DISPOSITION OR VERY YOUNG CHILDREN. ENTRY IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PARENT/GUARDIAN. CHILDREN UNDER 16 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT 16 OR OLDER!

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Sports and Achievements



Judo trophies must be like buses- they all come along at once!!

Joe, Evie and Katie were all thrilled to receive the Judo trophy for effort and attitude.

Great stuff!

Who will it be next, I wonder??



We love to hear all about your achievements! If you want to be on this page, take a photo and please send it to: christine.mcconville@ntlp.org.uk

Beth completed her very first Park Run at the Rising Sun on Saturday.

She did brilliantly!

Congratulations, Beth!



Alfie brought in his latest football medal to share with us.

Congratulations, Alfie!

You should be very proud of yourself!



Joe and Isabella were delighted to award their Granny Ang with her Jelly Bean Award.

She was even more delighted to receive it!

Amber was excited to gain her yellow belt in Karate this week.

Here she is with her new belt and certificate. We can tell by her big smile just how pleased she is.

We are delighted for you too, Amber!



Mass: Sunday 11.15 am
 Fr John McElhone— 0191 2623820
www.wallsend-aidettes.co.uk



Star of the Week

Dates for your Diary

3rd October PTA Recruitment Meeting 6pm
 4th October UKS2 Visit to Rising Sun
 5th October Sport Hero Funday Lunch
 13th October Harvest Festival Liturgy
 19th October Key Stage 2 Hallowe'en Discos
 20th October Training Day-school closed

For more dates check out our website at

www.st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk

Nursery am	Amy
Nursery pm	Imogen
Reception (DM)	Millie
Reception (SK)	Hannah O
Year 1	Lucy
Year 1/2	Bobby
Year 2	Hannah D
Year 3	Joe
Year 3/4	Toby
Year 4	Phoebe
Year 5	Oliver L
Year 5/6	Taylor
Year 6	Jessica

Holy Toast Winner



The parishioners of St. Bernadette's Church will be holding their **Macmillan Coffee Morning**

This Saturday,
 30th September
 at 1pm
 in the Parish Centre
 (next door to church)
 Please come along!

Our Mission Value

Our value for this half term is

Trust



"Earn trust, earn trust, earn trust-then worry about the rest!" Seth Godin

Attendance of the week

Rec (DM), Y1

Y3, Y3/4

100%-so far!!!

Congratulations!