



St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

Live the Gospel and when necessary use words



Bernadette's Blog

All Things Bright And Beautiful

This week, we have decided to celebrate our pets. For many of us, our pets have really helped us keep smiling through the past thirteen weeks of Lockdown Home Learning.

So we invited our wonderful pupils to share with us their best friends.

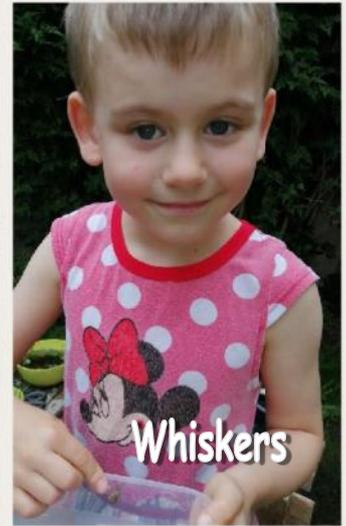
We love all of our pets-so there is no "Best in Show".

We have used a song title for each page of our pet show-so it is a fully interactive experience!

Please join in our singalong-if you would like to!

Finally, Mrs Milner is preparing a video of our pets' tricks for this afternoon on Facebook.

Don't miss it!
I can't wait!!





Who Let The Dogs Out?



Dylan



Jess



Arthur



Sandy

Our Dogs!



We ❤️

Cookie



Lottie



Tinker and Gypsy



Harley



Ivy



I Tawt I Taw A Puddy Tat!



Marmalade



Obi & Millie



Vito



Milo

Pussy cat, pussy cat,



Mervyn

I ♥ you.



Tinker



Tobycat



How Much Is That Doggy In The Window?



Martha



Molly



Georgia and Bobby



Sandy



Betsy



Seb



Queen Betty



Charlie



Alan



Angel



What's New, Pussy Cat?



Peter



Tom

Cool For Cats!



Obi



Skimpy



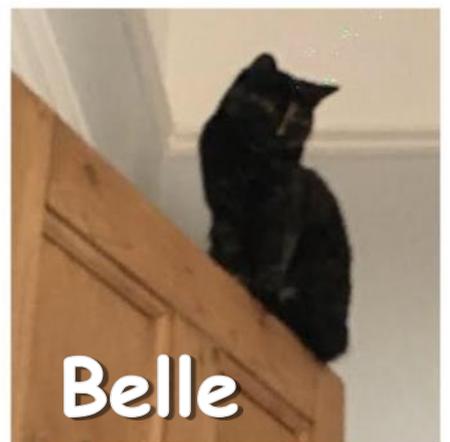
Maisie



Roxy



Lola



Belle



Ain't Nothin But A Hound Dog



Olly

We Love Our Pups



Milo



Bullet and Poppy



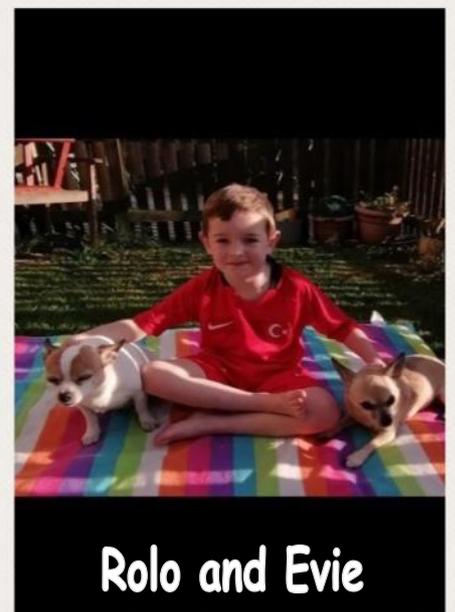
Rudy



Humphrey



Kevin and Dave



Rolo and Evie



All Kinds Of Everything





The Animals Went In Two By Two



Lady, Snowy & Goldilocks



Benjamin



Rosie



Buzz & Co



Foal



Smudge



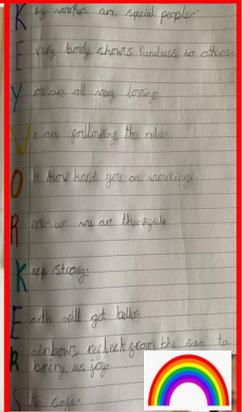
Lucy

Home Learning and Achievements!

Ewan has won 3 medals from 2 lockdown comps:
 North of England TKD lockdown comp- won 1 gold
 Lincolnshire lockdown championship- won 1 gold individual pattern and 1 silver for team pattern (with brother, Sean)
 That's fantastic!



Josie sent her key worker acrostic poem to blue peter and she's just received a blue peter badge for it.



Lewis and Sophie have been making Father's Day cards and are having their own Father's Day sale with a little help from Mam. He'll love them!



Cameron was really happy to be back at football training. He also received his players trophy for last season which he was super excited about. Well done, Cameron!! Lush trophy!

Theo and Alex wanted share a picture from their lovely walk at Hareshaw Linn on Sunday. Thanks, lads!



We would love to see your ideas and all the Home learning and fun activities that are going on in your house. Don't forget tips for parents*, rainbow moments, birthdays, holEY toast, achievements, acts of kindness etc etc Please send photos to office@s-bernadettesprimary.co.uk marked FAO Mrs McConville by **Thursday, 10am.** Thank you!
 We couldn't have a blog without you!

Do you receive any of the following benefits ?

- Income Support.
- Income-based Job Seekers Allowance.
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999.
- Pension Credit Guarantee.
- Child Tax Credit without Working Tax Credit & an annual taxable income below £16,190 (as assessed by HM Revenue and Customs).
- Universal Credit.

If so you can apply for Free School Meals (Pupil Premium)

DID YOU KNOW THAT SCHOOLS RECEIVE FUNDING FOR UP TO 6 YEARS FOR ALL CHILDREN WHO ARE ON INCOME BASED FREE SCHOOL MEALS, EVEN IF THEY ARE ONLY ON THEM FOR A FEW WEEKS.

It's really easy to apply, see the link on the "Parents Information" section of our website st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk or applications can be taken over the telephone by calling (0191) 643 2288. Of course please feel free to contact the school office if you have any queries.

Please note this is different to Universal Free School Meals which are now available to all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. If your child is in these year groups and you are entitled to Income based free school meals we would urge you to still apply for them.

Happy Father's Day!

Next Week!

We wish all our
dads and grandads
a very happy
Father's Day,
this Sunday.
Stay Safe!

Next week will be our
"Wild & Extreme Reading Challenge"
Look out for details on Monday!!

Welcome Back!

On Tuesday, we were delighted to welcome
our NUFC coach Jamie back to school.
He will be having a short session with each of
our pods.
It's so nice to see little things getting back
to normal!



Are your details on Parentmail up to date?

We are using phone numbers and email addresses on Parentmail to keep in
contact at this time. So that you don't miss out, it is really important that
these are current. Please can you check these and update if necessary.
Thank you!!

Happy Birthday!



Preparing Your Child To Return To School (For those it may concern)

POCKET FAMILY PSYCHOLOGIST

HELPING YOUR CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

www.pocketfamilypsychologist.com

1

Make school familiar and interesting again

Walk past school, talk about teachers and friends, play (new schools), set up some video calls with friends, get a new lunch box

2

Show confidence in teachers and school

Teachers are very focused on child mental health at the moment. Let your child know you trust their teachers to take good care of them

3

Assure your child things will be different now

We suspect, like you, many children do not want to go back to the old busy ways. Assure your child that there will be less time in school and classes will be much calmer with more 1:1 time with their teacher

4

Notice and allow worries

It is normal to feel worried and uncomfortable, everything feels so uncertain. But assure yourself and your child that you will be able to cope and respond to whatever challenges emerge

5

Start to increase routine and safety cues now

Start to creep back to school routines and include lots of safety cues or anchors in daily life. You could have a packed lunch each day this week and put in some treats that will be consistent next week

Forwarded Information

HM Government

AT HOME SHOULDN'T MEAN AT RISK

#YOUARENOTALONE

FINO SUPPORT LINE: gov.uk/domestic-abuse

Scared of your partner or ex?

Talk to us any time, day or night.

Freephone 24 hour National Domestic Abuse Helpline

0808 2000 247

Confidential, non-judgmental support

Or reach us online: www.nationaldahelpline.org.uk

Refuge

For women and children. Against domestic violence.

National specialist services

24-hour National Domestic Violence Freephone Helpline

0808 2000 247

Refuge

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rights of WOMEN helping women through the law

NATIONAL STALKING HELPLINE

gallop FORWARD The National LGBT Domestic Abuse Helpline

KARMA NIRVANA Supporting all victims of domestic abuse and forced marriage

National Centre for Domestic Violence

Men's Advice Line

Mass: Sunday 11.30am
Fr John McElhone— 0191 2623820

www.wallsend-aidettes.co.uk



Message from Fr John

We have launched new more interactive websites bringing you the most up to date news regarding our parish communities which will be updated on a daily basis.

These can be found at:

www.staidanschurch.uk

www.stbernadetteschurch.uk

On our websites you will find information relating to times that churches will be open and the initiatives that we will be undertaking to try and keep in touch with parishioners.

Additionally we have a Facebook Page:

[St Aidan's and St Bernadette's Community Page](#)

which you can join.

Stars of the Week

Our Stars of the Week this week are the Year Six children who came back into school this week.

They have been fabulous! Social distancing, hand washing rules etc strictly followed. Well done, all!

Next week another Y6 pod will be opening!

We look forward to seeing more of you!

Prayer for the Week

Pope Francis

Prayer for protection from Coronavirus

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen. We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas - we who are put to the test - and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.



HolEy Toast Winner



Purrfect

HolEy Toast for our Pet Special Blog!
(Don't try this at home!)