



# South Benfleet Primary School

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Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2016

## Well done & Big News 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebrations

It's now only a few days til our 90th Birthday Open Evening. If you attended South Benfleet Primary School (or know someone that did) we would love to see you at our Open Evening. Please note, because of likely high numbers and the planned event for the following day, the Open Evening is **NOT** aimed at our current pupils. A day of special events has been planned for Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May and this will include a whole school picnic, a quiz, a treasure hunt, party games and a birthday cake!

We have a designated email address where you can send any photos, copies of reports or anything else you find. Please send it to [90th@southbenfleetprimary.net](mailto:90th@southbenfleetprimary.net). If you are intending to come along on the Open Evening, then please do let us know.

## 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Bake Off

A reminder that we are holding a Bake Off on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May. The competition is open to everyone and there are 5 categories: Staff, Parents, Juniors, Infant and Early Years. The theme is "90<sup>th</sup> birthday" and you can bake an individual cake which can be of any shape/type or individual cakes of which there must be at least 6. Due to allergies, please ensure that cakes do not include any of the following products: Nuts (this includes tree grown nuts like cashew nuts, hazelnuts and also peanuts), Ground almonds or Sesame seeds. The Junior Hall will be open from 9am for you to bring your cake in and the judges will judge from 9.30am.



## Sports News

Junior Sports day - Well done to Raleigh who finished in 1<sup>st</sup> place with Drake in 2<sup>nd</sup>, Nelson in 3<sup>rd</sup> and Wellington in 4<sup>th</sup> place. Infants Sports day winners were Red in 1<sup>st</sup> place, Yellow in 2<sup>nd</sup>, Blue in 3<sup>rd</sup> and Green in 4<sup>th</sup>. Well done to everyone that took part.

Please note there is no Netball practice next week due to a match. There is no District Sports Training next week.

**PLEASE SEE CHANGES OVERLEAF TO THE SWIMMING TIMETABLE NEXT WEEK**

## Star of the Week

Well done to the following children who are Stars of the Week

**Gold - Alex**  
**White - Molly**  
**Aqua class - Louie**  
**Amber class - Teigan**  
**Purple class - Evelyn**  
**Orange class - Lily**  
**Bronze class - Mac**  
**Silver class - Scarlett**  
**Green class - Daniel**  
**Red class - Max**  
**Blue class - Tyler-Lee**  
**Lime class - Ellie B**  
**Jade class - Vincent**  
**Yellow class - Luke S**  
Well done and keep up the good work.



## Reading

Well done to the following children who read at least 4 times this week and were entered into the Reading Record Reward Pot:

**Gold - 25**  
**White - 7**  
**Aqua - 27**  
**Amber - 22**  
**Purple - 8**  
**Orange - 21**  
**Bronze - 18**  
**Silver - 11**  
**Green - 12**  
**Red - 17**  
**Blue - 16**  
**Lime - 16**  
**Jade - 24**  
**Yellow - 25**



## Rock Heroes this week

Well done to the following children who are Times Table Rockstar Rock Heroes this week

**Gold - Harry & Erin (Miss Lee's Maths class)**  
**White - Alex & Sarah (Miss Shirley's Maths class)**  
**Aqua class - Ekote & Cerys**  
**Amber class - Maxwell & Daisy**  
**Purple class - Danny & Kayleigh**  
**Orange class - Freddie & Lucy**  
**Bronze class - Joe & Lenny**  
**Silver class - Dylan T & Mia**  
**Green class - Olivia & Lina**  
**Red class - Connie & Oliver**  
Well done and keep up the good work.



## Attendance - w/e Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May

The **Key Stage 1** classes with the best attendance are **Red** and **Jade** Class. Their attendance was **98.7%**.

The **Key Stage 2** class with the best attendance is **White** Class. Their attendance was **100%**.

Well done all classes.

## Training Days

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2016 is a training day. We also confirm that Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> and Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September will be Training days. Therefore, the children will return to school after the Summer holidays on **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September**.

## What's on next week

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

**Yr4** – Greek Day – Don't forget to dress up

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

**Yr1** – Class Assembly to Parents – starts at 9.30

Open Evening for ex-pupils 6-9pm

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

Class photos

90<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebration picnic – NO HOT DINNERS

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May** - Training Day – School Closed

## PTA News

Adventure Island tickets can be purchased from Hayley Wright on 07958 930579, or [hwright72@sky.com](mailto:hwright72@sky.com). I am also contactable on the PTA Facebook page. Prices £15 (big bands) £11 (Junior & Mini)

We also have available tickets for the following:

Adventure Golf – 2 rounds - £5 each

Sea-Life tickets - £5 Adult - £2.50 Child

Contact Hayley as above

## Menu for next week – ☀️☀️☀️ New Summer Menu ☀️☀️☀️

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			<b>BIRTHDAY PICNIC NO HOT DINNERS</b>	
Pasta Day- Tomato Sauce or Cheese Sauce	Homemade Sausage Roll	Build your own burger	Selection of Rolls (Ham, Cheese, Jam or Plain)	<b>TRAINING DAY</b>
	Meat Free Sausage Roll	Build your own vegetarian burger	Fruit	
Sweetcorn Salad bar	Creamy Mashed Potatoes	Herby Diced Potatoes	Crisps	
Crusty Bread	Baked Beans / Salad Bar Crusty Bread	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Birthday Muffin	
Cornflake Tart with Custard Or Yoghurt	Iced Smoothie	Lemon Slice or Yoghurt	Ice Lolly	

## Don't Forget!

Now the warmer weather is here, could we please remind you that footwear should still be school shoes (not trainers or canvas shoes) and if children wish to wear sandals please ensure they have a back strap. Slip on shoes are not suitable for school.

Also, please ensure that children have sun hats to wear and that sun cream applied. Please do not send sun cream in to school. Please also ensure they have their water bottles with them.

**Yr 4** – We are holding our Greek Day on Tuesday – Don't forget to dress up

**Yr 5** – Maths revision slides on Google classroom for homework

**Yr6** – Please ensure ALL Holland forms are in.

Could we please ask that you check your children's feet for verruca's before they have swimming. Verruca socks are available from the school office.

## SWIMMING TIMETABLE

Approx. timings	a.m. 1 9.00	a.m. 2 10.00	a.m. 3 11.00	Lunch	p.m. 1 1.10	p.m. 2 2.10
Monday	Orange Yr.4	Purple Yr.4	Gold Yr.6		Aqua Yr.5	Amber Yr.5
Tuesday	Bronze Yr.3	Silver Yr.3	White Yr.6		Lime Yr.1	Blue Yr.1
Wednesday					Green Yr.2	Red Yr.2

Please ensure that swimming kits are brought into school on the morning of your child's swimming session. They will need a swimming hat and these can be purchased at the school office for £1.50.

Although the weather has been cooler, we have a variety of measures to help make the experience fun, safe and successful and as comfortable possible, these include:

- o the pool being kept at a comfortable temperature
- o regularly refurbishing the changing rooms
- o heating the changing rooms
- o a rubberised soft pool surround and path to the changing rooms
- o hooks on the poolside right where the children leave the pool allowing children to quickly wrap themselves in a towel.

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