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Well done & Big News

Early Years held their superhero party today and also had a Teddy Bear's picnic.



Literacy

Would any parents be interested in joining a Book Club at school? We can provide a room and refreshments – you can bring the ideas! Register your interest at the school office.

Star of the Week

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



Gold class – Abigail
White class – Aidan
Aqua class – Amy
Amber class – Erin
Purple class – Jazmine
Orange class – Bella
Bronze class – Theo
Silver class – Dylan T
Green class – Ben
Red class – Isla
Blue class – Callie
Lime class – Lily
Jade class – Oliver
Yellow class – Henry
Rainbow Room – Callum (White class)
Well done and keep up the good work.

Rock Heroes this week

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

Gold class – Edward & Qing (Miss Lee's Maths group)
White class – Ben & Callia
Aqua class – Jack & Marla
Amber class – Archie & Ayesha
Purple class – Serhan & Jake
Orange class – Tommy & Mia
Bronze class – Joe & Matilda
Silver class – Charlie & Amelia
Green class – Maxwell & Jack
Red class – Alissa & Luke S

Well done and keep up the good work.



Attendance – week ending Thursday 24th March

The Key Stage 1 classes with the best attendance are Red & Blue Classes. Their attendance has been 96.7%.

The Key Stage 2 class with the best attendance is Orange Class. Their attendance has been 99.1%.

Well done all classes.

Training Days

We can confirm that Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd September will be Training days. Therefore, the children will return to school after the Summer holidays on **Monday 5th September.**

Library News!

Non-fiction books are now available to borrow from our school library. This will give children an even bigger choice of books and will help those readers who prefer to read facts rather than stories.

Reading

Please continue to read with your child as often as possible and remember to record an entry in your child's Reading Record. Our aim across the whole school is for all children to read at least four times a week at home; they are then included in our weekly draw to win a book.

Meet the Governors

Jane Barber – Governor - I became a teacher at South Benfleet in 1996 and have been a Governor since becoming Deputy Headteacher in 2004. When I first came to the school I was only planning to stay for a few years but here I am nearly 20 years later and I still love my job! I am incredibly proud to be part of such a happy successful school. In my spare time I enjoy singing in a choir and have more recently found a love for amateur dramatics. I also enjoy baking cakes which my husband enjoys eating!

Think of the Week!

(Something to get you thinking)

Does a dog know it's a dog?

Post your answers in the Think Box in the office

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

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sausages	Homemade Chicken Korma	Roast of the Day	Build your own Chicken Wrap	Harry Ramsden Fish
Quorn Sausage	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans	Quorn Fillet	Build your own Quorn Chicken Wrap	Vegetable Dippers
Creamy Mash Baked Beans	Fluffy White Rice	Roast Potatoes	Wedges	Chips
Crusty Bread	Salad Bar Naan Bread	Seasonal Vegetables Yorkshire Pudding	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Peas Salad Bar Crusty Bread
Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Sauce	Pancake with Fruit	Ice Cream with a wafer	Homemade Cookies	Selection of Yoghurt

What's on next week

Monday 18th April

Year 2 – Trip to Bedford's Park

Netball Match – Mixed v Thundersley Primary (3.30 at home – Please come and support the team)

Wednesday 20th April

Year 1 – Trip to Tropical Wings

Parentmail – Contact details

We would like to remind all parents and carers the importance of keeping your contact details up to date. Please notify the office immediately of any changes to your address, contact details or email address.

Letters that have gone out this week

All years - Swimming lessons letter

Year 3 – Hadleigh Roundhouse trip

Year 5 – World War 2 trip

Key Stage 1 – Letter regarding timetable for online and paper homework

PTA News

Happy's Circus

We are so sorry we had to cancel today's event. We have rescheduled the circus visit for Thursday 8th September. If you have purchased tickets these can be transferred to the new date and nothing else needs to be done. If you would like a refund then please leave your details at the school office and we will issue refunds in due course.

Adventure Island tickets can be purchased from Hayley Wright on 07958 930579, or 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.

Don't Forget!

Year 1 – Parent helper meeting regarding school trip is on Monday evening in Lime class

Year 2 – Please ensure the children arrive at school at 8.30am on Monday ready for their trip to Bedfords Park.

Year 5 – Please bring in an old T-shirt of pillow case etc to use for make-do-and-mend

District Sports practice starts on Thursday after school

Football club after school on Thursdays has now finished

Don't Forget!



Swimming starts next week. Please remember to send your child in with their swimming kit.

SWIMMING TIMETABLE

Approx. timings	a.m. 1 9.00	a.m. 2 10.00	Lunch	p.m. 1 1.10	p.m. 2 2.10
Monday	Orange Yr.4	Purple Yr.4		Aqua Yr.5	Amber Yr.5
Tuesday	Bronze Yr.3	Silver Yr.3		Lime Yr.1 Lessons start 1pm & 1.30pm	Blue Yr.1 Lessons start 2pm & 2.30pm
Wednesday				Green Yr.2 Lessons start 1pm & 1.30pm	Red Yr.2 Lessons start 2pm & 2.30pm
Thursday				Yellow-EYFS Lessons start 1pm & 1.30pm	Jade EYFS Lessons start at 2pm & 2.30pm
Friday				Gold Yr.6	White Yr.6