



# South Benfleet Primary School

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## 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebrations

Our 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrations were a big success.

We started off with our Art Competition. There were a huge number of entries and the winners are as follows:

### Early Years:

Grace Gray - Yellow  
Luke Berry - Yellow  
Ava Bolton - Jade  
Ethan Cleary - Jade



### Year 1

Lennon Weston - Blue  
Thomas Hamlyn - Blue  
Alice Edwards - Lime  
Kate Williamson - Lime

### Year 2

Olivia Gutheil - Red  
Oliver Woodcraft - Red  
Connie Crickmar - Red  
Kacie Sharp-Dowd - Green  
Tom Cleary - Green



### Year 3

Mia Phillips - Bronze  
Theo Tyler - Bronze  
Dasha Kryukova - Silver  
Eva Askew - Silver

### Year 4

Lily-May Dunmow - Orange  
Sophie Burton - Orange  
Eliza Purches - Purple  
Lucy Read - Purple  
Danny Connelly - Purple



### Year 5

Flossy Tyler - Amber  
Rian Cleary - Amber

### Year 6

Kandi Green - White  
Katie Pilkington - White  
Riley Gilham - Gold  
Qing Guo - Gold  
Eliza Evers - White

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

We had some wonderful entries for our Bake-Off. Thank you to everyone that took part. The winners were as follows:

### Early Years

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Lauren White
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Alice Judd
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Elliot Hendry

### Infants

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Sasha Hendry
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Tom Cleary
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Riley Gilham



### Juniors

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Lucy Read
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Megan & Sophie Hancock
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – John Jack Purches

### Parents

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Jenny Woodcraft
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Sascha Gilham
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Velma Barlow

### Staff

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Mrs Crickmar
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mrs Toomer
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Mrs Hall



## Open Evening

We had roughly 300 people attend our Open Evening. The oldest person at the event attended the School in 1934. It was lovely to see so many people enjoying looking at all the photos, meeting old friends and seeing some familiar faces.

## Birthday Picnic

The sun shone for us and everybody had lots of fun. We started off the day with a picnic lunch followed by a parade of party hats that the children had made in the class in the morning. We then had a scavenger hunt, a quiz followed by ice lollies. We finished off the afternoon with the cutting of the Birthday cake.





## Sports News

Our Mixed Netball team won their match against Robert Drake 8-2.

Well done to our Girls Netball team for coming first in the league and well done to the mixed team for coming 2<sup>nd</sup> in the league.

Netball and District Sports will both continue the first week back after half term.

## What's on after Half Term

**Yr6 – Holland Trip**

## 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 after Half Term

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

## 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 is applied. A quality long-lasting, waterproof high protection cream is best. Please do not send sun cream in to school. Please also ensure they have their water bottles with them.

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**Yr 4** – Thank you to Year 4 and their parents for dressing up for our Greek Day and donating all the food for the tasting session.

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	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	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.