



# South Benfleet Primary School

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## Well done & Big News

Early Years have started to celebrate 'writer of the week' with the rest of Key Stage 1.

Year 3 can now access Classroom for Homework through Google. This is where they can see their spellings and any other expectations for Homework.



### Sports News

Netball – We played Robert Drake and had a 12-2 win

Football – We played Jotmans which ended up with a 3-1 loss

Well done to both teams.

We have our Cross Country event on Tuesday morning which means there will be no further running club on Thursday mornings.

Would any parents/carers be available Monday afternoons to help with D/T – sewing in GOLD or WHITE class please? Please speak to Miss Shirley or Miss Lee as soon as possible if you are able to. Thank you

## Star of the Week

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

Gold class – Luis & Riley

White class – Josh B

Aqua class – Finley

Amber class – Max

Purple class – Danny

Orange class – Bobby

Bronze class – Jack

Silver class – Syd

Green class – Austin

Red class - Matthew

Blue class – Laila

Lime class – Nela

Jade class – Danny

Yellow class – Billy

Rainbow Room - Tommy

Well done and keep up the good work.



## Attendance –

### week ending Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February

The Key Stage 1 class with the best attendance is Red Class. Their attendance has been 100%.

The Key Stage 2 classes with the best attendance are Gold and Orange Classes. Their attendance has been 100%.

Well done to all 3 classes.

## School Books

Can we please ask that all pupils bring their school library books in weekly to enable them to change them. We are also asking all pupils to have a good search at home – look under your beds and in your bookcases for any books belonging to school (guided reading books, class books, library books etc) and return them to school so other pupils can enjoy the books.



BENFLEET TEACHING  
SCHOOL ALLIANCE

The Benfleet Teaching School Alliance is hosting an **Initial Teacher Training Recruitment Event** at The Appleton School on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2016 at 6.30pm-8.00pm. This is aimed at anybody wishing to train to become a primary or secondary teacher who will be completing their degree by July 2016 or already has one.

The evening will include a short presentation about the various routes into teaching, with past and current trainees describing their experiences. There will be an opportunity to speak with our training providers and host schools about the places available this year and in the future, qualification requirements and our application process.

Please email Denise Mair at: [denisemair@benfleet-teaching-school.co.uk](mailto:denisemair@benfleet-teaching-school.co.uk) for further information and/or to receive a personal invitation to the event. Please state if you are interested in Early Years/Primary or Secondary (for secondary please state your subject specialism)

## Letters that have gone out this week

World Book day - Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

Guitar Sharing Concert on 10<sup>th</sup> March

Year 5 Choir letter

## 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.

## Menu for after Half Term

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pasta Day- Tomato Pasta Bake Cheesy Pasta Bake	Build Your Own Burger	Roast Chicken With Stuffing & Gravy	Homemade Sausage Roll	Birds Eye Jumbo Fish Fingers With Tomato Sauce
	Build Your Own Vegetarian Burger	Quorn Fillet	Meet Free Sausage Roll	Quorn Dippers
Garlic Bread	Jacket Wedges	New Potatoes	Creamy Mashed Potatoes	Chips
Salad Bar	Sweet Corn/Salad Bar	Carrots Honey Roast Parsnips	Baked Beans / Salad Bar	Sweet Corn Peas / Salad Bar
Peach Flapjack Or Muller Fruit Corner Yoghurt	Fruity Meringue Nests Or Muller Fruit Corner Yoghurt	Ice-Cream Or Muller Fruit Corner Yoghurt	Fruit Jelly Pots Or Muller Fruit Corner Yoghurt	Shortbread And Fruit Or Muller Fruit Corner Yoghurt

### What's on next week

#### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March

Key Stage 2 Cross Country Competition

#### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

Year 5 Class Assembly

#### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

World Book Day – whole school to dress up  
PTA Mother's Day Gift Buying (Year 5 only)

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March

Year 5 to visit Appleton School  
PTA Mother's Day Gift Buying (rest of school)

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March

Netball Tournament – Southend High For Girls

### PTA News

Mother's Day Gift & Wrap – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March.

Happy's Circus – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April – letters home soon  
regarding purchasing tickets.

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)

Yellow Moon – Please remember if you purchase  
anything from Yellow Moon our source code is  
SS01152. Any purchases help raise funds for the  
school. Have a look at [www.yellowmoon.co.uk](http://www.yellowmoon.co.uk)

### Don't Forget!

**Next Thursday (3<sup>rd</sup>) is World Book Day.** The whole school will be dressing up as a character from their favourite book. Please remember to help your child choose a favourite book to bring in and share. Also, look out for the World Book Day token – this will enable all children to claim a free book!

**PTA Mother's Day Gift Buying – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March** – please remember to bring in your £2.50 plus a bag if you wish to purchase a gift for Mum, Nan etc. A letter will be sent home on Monday.

Early Years – can parents please send in Junk modelling items next week to make castles.

Please remember to return PE Kits!

Year 3 Spellings are due in on Monday.

### Don't Forget



### Meet the Governors

#### Sharon Lawrence – Parent Governor

I became a school governor over five years ago as I was keen to take an active role in the school's development. I live locally and my children attend the school. I am the Safeguarding Governor, SEN & Most Able Governor and Responsible Officer. Being the responsible Officer entails checking internal financial controls within the school. We have a wonderful school, which I am passionate to support so that all the children can have the best possible start in their education in an atmosphere that is caring, safe and happy.

### Think of the Week!

(Something to get you thinking)

*Can a sheet of Red paper be blank?*

Post your answers in the Think Box in the office

### 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.