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St Bert's News

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Family Assembly

This week's Family Assembly will be led by Angela Askwith. Angela is currently doing her training at St Bert's Church alongside our Vicar Stephen.

Apologies

Apologies for the confusion on the Dates for your Diary last week. Tattenhall Residential is for YEAR 2 children and not YEAR 1. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Goodbye Poppy

Today we say our final goodbyes to our lovely Year 2 pupil, Poppy Fazackerly. Poppy is leaving us to go and live in warmer climes - New Zealand. We hope you have a wonderful life in New Zealand and maybe one day come back to visit us. We will miss you Poppy!

Dates for your Diary - Cheshire Show



The buses have now been arranged for

our visit to Cheshire Show on Tuesday 20th June 2017.

We are hoping as many parents as possible will be able to join us for what will be a fabulous, interesting and educational day out. More news to follow shortly.

Time Capsule

Do any ex-pupils (now parents) remember a time capsule that was planted by St Bert's around 21 years ago! On the 6th March the time capsule is going to be dug up and the contents catalogued. If you would like to find out more, then please contact Mrs Barron or speak to the office. Thank you.

Mental Health

Halton Borough Council is supporting the campaign 'Time to Talk Day' on Thursday 2nd February 2017. This campaign is aimed at getting people of all ages in Halton talking about mental health. If you would like more information about Time to Talk Day contact www.haltonhealthimprovement.co.uk or Tel: 0300 029 0029

Knitting Wool

The ladies from St Andrews Church have been knitting vests for the "FISH AND CHIP" babies in Africa, (the term began when it was discovered that often new born babies mostly in developing countries arrived into this world and had no clothes to put on and as a result were wrapped in newspaper). Unfortunately, the ladies have run out of wool. If you have any double knitting wool going spare, please bring it in to school or pass it onto



Dorothy Barlow (one our resident Grandmothers).

Walkabout at St Chad's

Over the past couple of years St Chad's have offered tours for parents to give them an insight into the daily life of the school. They are primarily for Year 5/6 pupils.

Here are the dates for this year:

Wed 1st and 22nd February
Wed 8th and 15th March
Wed 19th and 26th April

The tours will commence at 9.15am and end approx. 10.30am.

If you are interested in attending any of these tours could you please let the school office know of your child's name and date. Thank you.

Year 6 Leaving Party

There will be a meeting for all Year 6 parents taking place in Mrs Wroe's class on 23rd January 2017 at 3.15pm to discuss the Year 6 leaving party.

Football

Every Monday from 16th January 2017 to 6th March 2017 - 5.30pm - 6.30pm Brookvale Rec are holding Under 6's/Year 1 football trials. The new Runcorn Linnets Junior Teams will be created from these trials. Reception children may also attend. For more information

contact Jon Thain on
07802291908. £2 per child.

Drama Academy

'Calling all budding actors!'
Helen O'Grady Drama Academy
is looking for children to join.
The children will perform,
learn to speak well, learn skills
to help them on leaving school
and have great fun!
Rehearsals are running from
January - April with a
performance on stage on Sat
1st and Sun 2nd April. For more
info contact Tel:
08445624190 or email:
sthelens@helenogrady.co.uk or
www.helenogrady.co.uk

OBA Drama Club



OBA is starting a
new drama club
which is going to
take place on

Saturday mornings. The club
will cost just £1.00 per
student per week and is open
to all students in Year 4 and
above.

The club offers pupils the
chance to make new friends,
develop their confidence and
learn new skills. There will be
a launch event on Saturday 21st
January for students to come
along and find out a little more
about the club.

Gangsta Granny

Gangsta Granny by David
Walliams is coming to The
Opera House in Manchester
from 7th to 11th June 2017.
This wonderful new play is
suitable for pupils aged 4 to
12. For more information
contact the box office on
08448713038 or visit
[manchestergroups@the
ambassadors.com](mailto:manchestergroups@theambassadors.com)

Quote of the Week

Today we read a Maori story
which emphasises the
importance of forgiveness

"Forgive and you will be
forgiven"

Luke Ch6 v 37

Prayers

Our prayers and 
thoughts this week
are for Poppy and her family as
they leave us and embark on
their new life in New Zealand.

God Bless!