

# St Bertelina's Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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## St Bert's News

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### Swimming

This Friday will be the first swimming session for Mrs Chriscoli's class.

### Outstanding balances

A reminder that we still have outstanding balances on the recent residential trips.

### Kooth

In April, Kooth are running webinars specifically to **help parents and carers with children sitting exams**. This support is available, especially if you are worried about your child's anxiety. Please click on the links below.

[Mon 22 Apr. 1-2pm](#)

[Thu 25 Apr. 6-7pm](#)

### Clubs

#### Year 3 / 4 Football Club

Please find below the dates for the Y3/4 Football Club.

23/04/2024

30/04/2024

07/05/2024

14/05/2024

### 22nd April 2024

#### Family Worship

Mike Wildsmith will lead this week's Family Worship.

It would be lovely to see as many parents/grandparents as possible join us for our family worship.

The children would love to have you present.

#### Dates for your Diary

Please find link below relating to Summer Term Dates for your Diary.

[https://spaces.schoolspider.co.uk/uploads/100/page/25652556\\_page\\_file.pdf](https://spaces.schoolspider.co.uk/uploads/100/page/25652556_page_file.pdf)

#### Congratulations

The St Bert's stork has arrived. Congratulations go to Mrs Poston and her husband, Will, who are expecting their first baby in September. We can't wait for baby cuddles.



#### Building Work

Thank you to all parents for your support and patience whilst our building work project is being done. This project was funded by the Diocese specifically to develop the security of the school with regards to visitors entering the premises.

Look out for updates as to how this is progressing on our Facebook page.

#### Residentials

##### Year 5 - Menai

Thank you to those parents who attended the Menai meeting last week. Menai residential is fast approaching. You should have filled in all paperwork for this visit and made final payments. If you have any issues, then please contact the office where someone will be happy to help you.

#### SATs

The Y6 children have been working hard towards their SATs tests which will be on the 13<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> May this term. These are national tests that all Y6 children in the country will sit during this week.

#### Mobile Phones

At St Bert's we do not expect our children to need a phone in school. However, in some instances, and to prepare children for the next step in their independence when going to High School, there may be occasions when they do. If this is the case, parents must complete the mobile phone form (see below) and the phone must be handed to the class teacher for the day.

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## Choir

Choir block booking will open up this week again.

Start date: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April and finishing on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024.

10 weeks, price £30.

New/returning members welcome.

3.125pm - 4.30pm

Please collect children from the school hall or give permission to walk home alone on the form below.

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1N\\_qrvaLaZEPdNa8R9Eirtig2XhN-rtDrHFetonb8\\_rY/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1N_qrvaLaZEPdNa8R9Eirtig2XhN-rtDrHFetonb8_rY/edit)

Email:

Helen.oneil@stbertelines.co.uk

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## Forest School

Just to remind parents that Miss Stone's children will begin forest school this week. Wellies will be needed.

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## Absence

Can we please remind parents that if your child is unable to attend school due to illness the following procedure should take place:

- School to be contacted on first day of absence to provide a reason for non-attendance using our answerphone service for Attendance (select option 2) or alternatively via School Spider.
- Update the school on the third day of non-attendance if the absence is expected to continue.
- Lastly a letter explaining why your child has been absent from school.

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## Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday goes to the following children who celebrated their birthday this week:



Jemma Burke (7)  
Phoebe Tasker (11)  
Lily Ormson (7)

We hope you have a wonderful day.

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## Gymnastics

Two of our girls Harper and Miley are doing a sponsored walk to raise funds for the World Gymnastics Competition. There is a just giving page so if anyone would like to sponsor them it would be very much appreciated.

[https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/wga-MoelFamau?utm\\_term=4gyN4P8PE](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/wga-MoelFamau?utm_term=4gyN4P8PE)

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## Marvellous Monday

The Friends of St Bert's fundraising group are selling 'tuck shop' items today on the school playground. Crisps and biscuits.

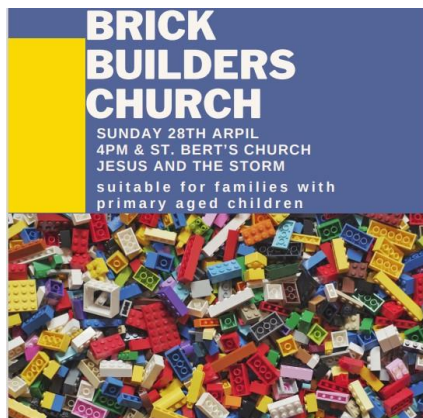
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## ADDvanced Solutions - Halton What's On Newsletter

[HALTON What 039 s On Newsletter Summer 1 2024.pdf](#)

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## Lego Church



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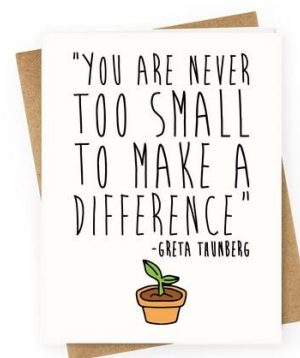
## Halton Family Learning

Halton Family Learning have a new **FREE 'hot off the press'** accredited course for parents in **'Mental Health and Wellbeing Awareness OCN Level 1.'** The course will be delivered at both Kingsway Learning Centre, Widnes and Acorn Learning Centre, Runcorn. Bus fares can be claimed by learners attending the course. This is a 4 week portfolio based course delivered face to face with accreditation at level 1.) Please note that this course does not involve the children and there are no crèche facilities. It will run on: Wednesdays from 24<sup>th</sup> April to 15<sup>th</sup> May at Acorn Learning Centre, 9.30 - 11.30 am Thursdays from 25<sup>th</sup> April to 16<sup>th</sup> May at Kingsway Learning Centre, 9.30 - 11.30 am.

Please contact the Adult Learning office on 0151 511 7788 or email [adult.learning@halton.gov.uk](mailto:adult.learning@halton.gov.uk) or

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## Quote of the Week



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## Prayers

Our prayers this week are for Mrs Burton and Mrs Dix.

God Bless