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St Bert's News

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24th June 2024

Family Worship

Family Worship this week will be led by Christine Greeve from St Bert's Church.

Everyone welcome!

Wat Phra Singh Buddhist Temple

Four of our children visited the Wat Phra Singh Buddhist Temple last Friday to celebrate the opening of a 'Peace Garden' with a special pagoda being shipped from Thailand. The children took some items which are important to St Bert's and placed them in the foundation of the pagoda (prayer and photographs). They added their names and wishes on pieces of gold leaf and added them too.

Take a look at Facebook and our school website for photographs.

Outstanding monies

We still have a lot of outstanding monies for the Year 6 trip to Chill Factore. Please can payment be made as soon as possible via Schoolcomms. Thank you.

SEND Survey

Halton Borough Council, Halton SEND Parent Carer Forum and NHS Cheshire and Merseyside Integrated Care Board are seeking the views of children, young people and their families on their experience of Halton SEND services across Education, Health and Social Care. This is an ideal opportunity for children, young people and their families to provide feedback on the services they have received. This information will ensure that all partners working together across the local area can utilise this feedback for the improvements being introduced and developed for SEND services in Halton.

There are two surveys to complete one for children and young people and another for parents and carers. Both surveys should take no longer than ten minutes to complete.

The closing date for the surveys is **Sunday 30 June 2024**.

The links to both surveys with the QR Codes are available below:

Parent/Carer Survey:

<u>https://online1.snapsurveys.com/</u> <u>HaltonSEND</u>

Child/Young Person Survey: https://online1.snapsurveys.com/ HaltonSENDcyp

QR CODES

Parent Carer QR Code - <u>Survey</u> Halton SEND.png CYP QR Code - <u>Survey Halton</u> SEND CYP.png

Uniform

It's that time of the year again!! If you wish to order school uniform, please click on the link below to order from Stitch Design.

https://www.stitchdesign.co.uk/u niform/St_Bertelines_C_of_E_P rimary_School_WA7_6QN.

PE Kit

Could all parents please ensure that



their child/children have the correct PE kit in school **every day**. The children should have the following: White T/Shirt White/black Shorts Black Pumps (trainers for KS2)

Also, can we please remind parents to make sure their child's name is on ALL uniform/shoes .

Sports Day

We have finally found a date in our busy calendar for Sports Day (Weather permitting) to take place.

On the afternoon of Thursday 11th July 2024, we will hold our annual Sports Day (reserve date 17th July). This is a wonderful day in which the whole family are invited to come along. Fingers crossed for good weather! You will be informed this week about what colour t/shirt your child needs. In the meantime, could you please ensure if your child is in KS2 that they have a pair of trainers in school for sports day practice.

Building Work

Our building project looks like it will be completed before the end of the Summer Term (week ending 25th July. This project was funded by the Diocese to develop the security and safeguarding systems of our site, in respect to visitors entering the building. This will result in changes to the way school is accessed. The main front entrance to the building will be via a new secure lobby area, rather than previously coming straight into the school hall. All school doors will also be fitted with a 'key fob system'.

Clubs

History Club

The club will be held on a Wednesday and will run for 4 weeks. The sessions will start at 3.20pm - 4pm. Listed below are the dates: 26th June 3rd July 10th July Please collect your child outside the courtyard area at 4pm.

Football Club

Y3/4 football club every Tuesday for 5 weeks - 3.20pm -4.15pm

Choir

Choir will start this Friday 3.15pm-4.30pm for the current group of children. 28th June 5th July 12th July If you know in advance there is a session your child cannot attend, please let Mrs O'Neil know via her email. <u>helen.oneil@stbertelines.co.uk</u>

Diamond Art Club

This club takes place on Monday's after school. 320pm – 4.15pm 24th June 2024 1st July 2024 8th July 2024

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. Mobile phones must not be used during the school day. Please click below to access the permission agreement.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d /1_VrAzwTexAka5xs_SE42RFhF wwdOTLgwrNNuc5BXo9o/edit

New Starters

It was lovely to meet the new St Bert's families starting in September 2024 at our recent parents evening. We look forward to getting to know you all.

Rocksteady Concert

Please make a note in your diary for the Rocksteady Concert on Wednesday 10th July 2024 at 10.00am.



Summer Serenade

On Friday 19th July our school choir will share a selection of the songs they have learnt throughout the year. This will be an opportunity for friends and family to come along – all welcome!

This will be a casual evening from 7pm - 8pm with drinks and nibbles. Children can wear their own clothes - audience be ready for a singalong!

OBA Performance

Our Year 5 have been working with Mr Tallant from OBA on music and drama. There will be a performance taking place this Thursday 27th June 2024 at 4-5pm. Can we please ask parents to collect from OBA. Our Y5 children will be leaving school on that date at 10.45am to spend the day at OBA rehearsing prior to the performance.

Swimming

Mr Hall's class will now be swimming every Friday afternoon. Last lesson will be on Friday 12th July 2024.

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 nonattendance if the absence is expected to continue.
- Lastly a letter explaining why your child has been absent from school.

Happy Birthday

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



Zac Fletcher (9) Stephen Kershaw (11) Orla Stokes (7) Iylah Dalton (7)

Charlotte Unsworth (6) Louis Shevlin (6)

Esme Barrow (9) Norah Hickey (7)

We hope you have a wonderful day.

Halton Carers Newsletter

Please click on the link below for Halton Carer's Newsletter. <u>https://tinyurl.com/HCCEdition5</u> <u>2Maynewsletter</u>

ADDvanced Solutions Community Network

Please click on the link below for ADDvanced Solutions - What's on in Halton.

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Friends of St Bert's Neon Disco

Our St Bert's Neon Disco takes place on 4th July 2024.

EYFS/KS1 - 4.30pm -6pm KS2 - 6.30pm -8pm £5 per ticket incudes D.J, unlimited juice and a free glowstick.

Named water bottles to be brought for refill juice. Children can bring £2-£3 max to buy sweets, crisps and face painting. Payment for tickets can be made via Schoolcomms.

Sandymoor Summer Fair

Friends of St Bert's will be manning a stall at this year's Sandymoor Summer Fair which takes place on 6th July 12pm – 6pm.

They are looking for donations of teddies for a '~Teddy Tombola', we are sure everyone has a few they would like to donate! They are also going to be doing a jam jar tombola. If everyone would be able to fill a jam jar with sweets, stationery or anything you like, that would be great.

All donations can be sent into school for the Friends of St Bert's to sort.

All money raised will go towards supporting the school.

Little Princess Trust



Isla one of our Year 2 girls has decided a while ago that she wanted to do something for others and has chosen to have her hair cut off and donate it to the Little Princess Trust. She would also love to send them any funds she is able to raise to go towards the cost or making the wig for a young person or further research into childhood cancers. If you would like to help Isla and donate, please click on the link below. Thank you.

<u>Jessika Middleton is fundraising</u> <u>for Little Princess Trust</u> <u>(justgiving.com)</u>

Football

Congratulations to all our football teams who performed very well in their respective competitions. Well done everyone!

Encounter Ministries

Thank you to everyone who has sent in donations for Encounter Ministries. We will be keeping this open until the end of the term, so please if you can help support Encounter Ministries, they would be extremely grateful. They are looking for the following donations.:

Sanitary products Soap Bubble Bath/Shower Gel Body wipes Socks Dry shampoo Toothpaste Toothbrushes

Quote of the Week



Prayers

Our prayers and thoughts are for all our Year 6 children in their final weeks at St Bert's God Bless!

