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St Bert's News

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19th May 2025

Family Worship

This week's Family Worship will be led by Mike Wildsmith alongside his daughter Molly.

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.

PianoFunClub

PianoFunClub offer children the chance to learn the piano during school hours. Music lessons will be taught by visiting professional tutors.

Please look out for an email this week with details of price and booking process.

Celebrate and Praise

There will be no Celebrate and Praise this Friday due to Dads' Reading Afternoon.

Year 6 SATs

Well done to all our Year 6 children who did amazingly well in their SATs tests.

Walk to School Week



This week is Walk to School Week. During Walk to School week, we will be encouraging the children and parents to walk to

school. The children will learn about the benefits of walking:

- Fresh air
- Exercise
- Ease parking congestion
- Social contact with parents/siblings
- Feeling of wellbeing
- Improves mood

You don't have to walk every day but changing habits a few times a week is beneficial. All children who take part will get a certificate for their efforts.

Dads' Reading Afternoon

This Friday afternoon we will be ending our half term with 'Dads' Reading Afternoon'. This event celebrates the opportunity for any male role models (uncles, granddads, dads, big brothers etc) to read with their child/children. Statistics show that most reading is done by females, and this is an ideal opportunity for male role models to inspire their children. This event begins at 2.00pm, don't miss out on this special opportunity to celebrate the joy of reading together.

Bring a book you would like to share or alternatively, school have plenty!

Dental Hygiene Promotion

This Wednesday our school nurse, will be working with our Year 5 children to talk about looking after their teeth. She will be raising the awareness of good hygiene habits and the

importance of visiting a dentist twice a year to have their teeth checked.

Halton Haven

Mrs Moss along with Oscar and Ava will be visiting Halton Haven this Tuesday afternoon. The children have been selling loom bands for several weeks now and all proceeds will be going to Halton Haven. Well done!

Outstanding balances

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

Wraparound Care

We still have places available up until 4.00pm on the day before. If you need to book for a Monday, please make sure you book your place on the Friday before 4pm.

Please click on School Hub to book and pay for your place. <https://www.schoolhub.co.uk/login>

Sports Day

We have a provisional date (weather permitting) of 10th July 2025 for our Sports Day. This year we have decided to change the format.

EYFS & KS1 sports day will take place in the morning.

KS2 sports day will take place in the afternoon.

We will confirm start times shortly.

Weather



Just a few summer weather reminders!

1. Boys in shorts - we really encourage the boys to wear shorts in summer. Any grey or charcoal shorts will be fine (no logos please).
2. Sun hats - please encourage your child to wear a sun hat to help keep your child's head cool.
3. The children are encouraged to drink plenty of water. They can bring in a water bottle which they can access throughout the day.
4. It may be a good idea if you can put some suntan lotion on the children in the morning so that they are protected during the day.

Attendance Policy

At St Bert's, high levels of attendance and punctuality are expected in order for children to reap the full benefits of what our school has to offer.

Our target is 96%



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Happy Birthday



Happy Birthday to the following children who celebrate their

birthday this week:

Edie Reed (7)
Ellie Lee (10)

Also, happy birthday to the following children who have birthdays in the Whit holiday.

Taylor McLean-Smith (7)
Alicja Pazdziorko (10)
Sophia Hignett (10)
Freddie Arbuckle (10)
Evelyn Knott (5)
Zac Shaffi (10)

We hope you have a wonderful birthday.

Clubs

Choir

Choir will be every Friday
3.20pm - 4.20pm.

Dates are:
23rd May

June 13th/20th/27th
July 4th/11th/18th

After School Football Club

Football club for Year 1 & 2 takes place every Tuesday
3.20pm - 4.20pm
See dates below:

Summer Term 1
20th May

Summer Term 2

17th June
24th June
1st July
8th July
15th July
22nd July

Archery Club

Archery club takes place every Wednesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm.
See dates below:
21st May

Athletic Club (Year 1 - 6)

Athletic Club takes place every Wednesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm
See dates below:
21st May 2025

The club will continue after the Whit holiday.

Multisports Club (Year 1 - 6)

Multisports Club takes place on a Monday 3.20pm - 4.20pm
See dates below:
19th May 2025

The club will continue after the Whit holiday.

Drama Club

Miss Stone will be running a free drama club for Years 3,4,5 and 6 on Wednesdays after half term. At the club, they will play drama games and perform short scripts and have lots of fun! This club would be perfect for you if you're wanting to build your confidence in performing or if you already love performing! The club will run from Wednesday 18th June 2025 for 5 weeks and will start at 3.20pm - 4.20pm. There will only be 20 spaces so sign up quick if you're interested!
A form will be sent out this week.

Swimming

Mr O'Neill's class will not be swimming this Friday (due to Dads' Reading Afternoon). Their final session will be the first Friday back after the holidays.

Sandymoor Summer Fair

Friends of St Bert's will be manning a stall at this year's Sandymoor Summer Fair which takes place on 5th July 2025 at Sandymoor Ormiston Academy. They are looking for donations of teddies (clean) 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.

The Shed Dog Show



Creature Comforts Cheshire (who is owned by one of our ex-parents Gemma McKnight) is turning 10 this year and they are holding 10 charity events to raise money for 4 charities. These are, The Walton Centre, Alder Hey, Leukaemia Care and Guide Dogs.

One of the events is a charity dog show and fun day on 22nd June 2025 at the Shed in Moore. They are looking for stall holders to help create a lovely

atmosphere on the day. Stall holders pay £10 and all monies raised from the stall fee goes to the charities. Any monies the stall holder makes is kept by themselves.

They will also have a bouncy castle and hopefully a face painter.

The Shed have a few stalls in attendance. If any parents are interested in having a stall (if they have a small business) then please contact Gemma McKnight on 07766524097.

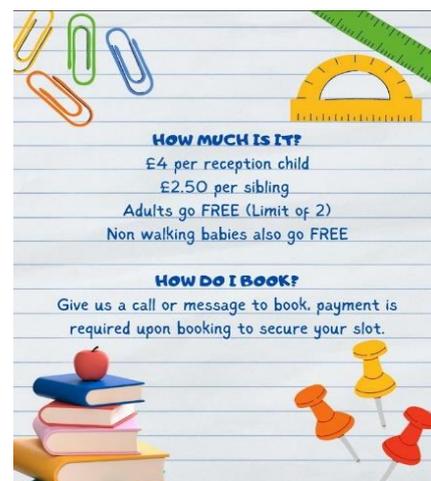
Friends of St Bert's will also be manning a tombola stall on the day. They would be most grateful for any donations eg bottles or cans of alcohol, smellies, chocolates etc. If you would like to donate, please send items into school by 13th June 2025. Thank you.

St Bert's Church



Coco's Play Barn - Frodsham
Coco's Play Barn in Frodsham is hosting sessions for new reception parents to get together and socialise before the children start school.

St Berteline's new parents can meet on 29th August 2025 9 - 10.30am.



End of Half Term

This Friday is the end of half term. School will finish as normal at 3.20 pm.

School will reopen on Monday 9th June 2024.

We hope you have a wonderful two week break and look forward to welcoming you all back for the last half term of the academic year!

Quote of the Week



Prayers

Our prayers and thoughts this week are for all our St Bert's families hoping they have a wonderful, safe half term holiday. Also, prayers for lovely Baby Bonnie. God Bless!

