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St Bert's News

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23rd June 2025

Family Worship

Family Worship this week will be led by Mike Wildsmith.

Everyone welcome!

Celebrate and Praise

Celebrate and Praise takes place this Friday at 2.35pm.

Year 6 Leavers Service - Chester Cathedral

Can we please ensure payment for the Year 6 Leavers Service in Chester is paid asap. It takes place on 9th July 2025. We do have a lot of outstanding monies. If we don't receive your contributions, these events will not take place. Thank you.

Data Sheets

If you have not returned your Data Sheets, can we please ask that you do so asap. This is to ensure that we have correct email addresses for sending out school reports. Thank you

New Starters

It was lovely to meet the new St Bert's families starting in September 2025 at our recent parents evening. We look forward to getting to know you all.

Google Forms

Please note that all google forms are now located in a new position on the school website. To access these forms, please click on the link below:

<https://portal.schoolspider.co.uk/pages/145606/edit>

Bikeability

Bikeability began today. All children involved will have received instructions on where to line up their bikes (against the red railings inside the playground) - children have been shown the location. Please be reminded that if you do not live too close and your child cannot ride their bike to and from school each day, they may leave their bike on school grounds, however your child must have a bike lock (labelled with their name) and the bike is left at your own risk.

Please can you make sure that children wheel their bikes onto the premises and do not ride them.

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 School Hub. Thank you.

Healthy Lunch

We have noticed recently a number of children are bringing crisps and sweets in their lunch boxes. Please click on the link below to view our Healthy Eating Guide.

www.stbertelines.org.uk/serve_file/19688579

At St Bert's we have a no potato crisp policy. However, we allow baked crisps as they are healthier. Chedders, rice cakes, plain popcorn, bread sticks, lentil or vegetable crisps. We allow all biscuits, plain and chocolate ones as long as there is very little chocolate on them for example Twix or KitKat.

We do not allow chocolate bars, Smarties or any sweets.

Weather

Here are 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.

Wraparound Care

Breakfast Club runs 8.am - 9.am
Afterschool Club runs 3.20pm - 6pm. Bookings need to be made before 4pm the day before via School Hub. 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>

Wraparound Care Questionnaire

We have now been offering wraparound care since returning to school after the Easter break. As we approach the end of the academic year, we would like to gather some information about what has been working well and what further tweaks/changes we could make to further improve this offering for the new academic year. We would encourage parents who currently use wraparound or parents that would like to use wraparound to complete the survey. This survey will really help us to try our best to accommodate the needs of parents that would really benefit from using wraparound.

Please click on the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/v5DHg7kjUZ>

Uniform

It's that time of the year again!! Attached to this newsletter is a price list and instructions on how to order.

Sports Day

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

KS1 start time 10am
KS2 start time 1.30pm

This is a wonderful day in which the whole family are invited to come along. Fingers crossed for good weather!

Nearer the time you will be asked to send in a specific coloured t-shirt. 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.

All children can come into school wearing their team colour t-shirt and white/black shorts.

Don't forget to prepare your deck chairs ready to bring on 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%



https://www.stbertelines.org.uk/serve_file/30709892

Please can we remind parents that a Request for Leave of Absence in Term-Time form is required to be filled in before taking your child out of school. Forms are available from the school office.

Happy Birthday



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

Kai Hillyer (5)
Louis Shevlin (7)
Charlotte Unsworth (7)
Iylah Dalton (8)
Orla Stokes (8)
Zac Fletcher (10)

We hope you have a wonderful birthday.

Clubs

We are experiencing a lot of parents booking their child/children on school clubs and then cancelling. Please make sure your child is happy to be on the club before booking. Thank you. To book and pay for clubs, please use School Hub.

Cricket/Rounders

Cricket and rounders club takes place on Mondays for Year 3/4/5/6. 3.20pm - 4.20pm.
See dates below:

23rd June
30th June
7th July
14th July
21st July

After School Football Club (Coach Craig)

Football club for Year 1 & 2 takes place every Tuesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm
See dates below:
Summer Term 2
24th June
1st July
8th July
15th July
22nd July

Football Club (Dave from DR Sports)

Football Club takes place on Tuesdays for Years 3/4/5/6
3.20pm - 4.20pm

See dates below:

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

Athletic Club (Year 1 - 6)

Athletic Club takes place every Wednesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm

See dates below:

25th June
2nd July
9th July
16th July
23rd July

Drama Club

Drama Club takes place every Wednesday 3.20pm - 4.20pm

See dates below:

25th June 2025
2nd July 2025
9th July 2025
16th July 2025

Archery Club

Group 2 Archery Club takes place on Wednesdays. 3.20pm - 4.20pm

See dates below:

25th June
2nd July

Choir

Choir will be every Friday
3.20pm - 4.20pm.

See dates below:

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

Rocksteady Concert

Please make a note in your diary for the Rocksteady Concert on Wednesday 2nd July 2025 at 10.00am. More details to follow.

Summer Serenade

On Friday 18th 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 6.30pm - 8pm with drinks and nibbles. Children can wear their own clothes - audience be ready for a singalong! Please email Mrs O'Neil directly with ticket requests so we have a rough idea of numbers.

Helen.oneil@stbertelines.co.uk

Friends of St Bert's - School Disco

Our St Bert's Disco takes place on 3rd July 2025.

KS1 4.30pm - 6pm

KS2 6.15pm - 7.45pm

£5 a ticket which can be paid on School Hub.

There will be disco games and prizes.

Children will be given unlimited juice, please ensure your child has a named water bottle for their refillable drinks.

Also, children can bring £2-£3 maximum to buy sweets, crisp and face painting.

Friends of St Bert's

A big thank you to everyone who bought ice lollies last Friday. A total of £85.00 was raised.

Also, thank you to Friends of St Bert's who manned a tombola stall at The Shed Dog Show yesterday. They raised a total of just over £180.00.

Swimming

Mrs Dix/Miss Stone's Year 4 class will be swimming every Friday afternoon. The 11th July 2025 will be their last session.

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. 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.

Halton Carers Newsletter

Please click on the link below for lots of information, training courses and events taking place in Halton

<https://tinyurl.com/HCCSummer25newsletter>

Help for Households in Halton

Help for Households in Halton



Halton Borough Council now have a number of schemes that are available to help you, this is due to funding from the Household Support Fund which has come to use via Central Government.

These schemes will run from **April 2025 until March 2026**. Please check below to see if you qualify.



FREE Prescription Pre-payment Certificate

Do you pay for your prescriptions?

If so, and you:

- Live in Halton
- Have a take home pay of less than £26,500 per year
- Receive regular prescriptions

Do you regularly use essential electrical medical equipment at home?

We may be able to offer you some financial support. Requirements will vary depending on your circumstances, please contact us below.



FREE Financial Foundations Workshops

A free workshop, provided by NatWest, designed to support financial wellbeing and empower individuals to take control of their finances and future.

- Learn how to make the most of your money with practical guidance and support.
- All participants will receive an £80 supermarket voucher of their choice.

Spaces are limited – register early to secure your place

How to apply

Contact the Public Health Team, Halton Borough Council
Call us on 0151 511 5200. You may be asked to leave your name and number and we will contact you back as soon as possible.
Email us at public.health@halton.gov.uk - please include your name, address and a contact phone number.



Prayers

Our prayers and thoughts are for all our Year 6 children in their final weeks at St Bert's. Also, prayers continue this week for Mrs Moss and the Austin family.



God Bless!

St Bert's Church

St Bert's Church
with Community Hub
Norton Hill, Windmill Hill, Runcorn WA7 6QE

Summer Fayre
Saturday, 28th June 11:00-4.00 pm

FREE ENTRY

Lots of fun for all the family

Food, crafts, games, local traders



Traders: Tables available @ £20
must be booked and paid for beforehand
email: friends@stberts@gmail.com to secure your booking – don't delay.

Quote of the Week





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We are delighted to be working with your school who have entrusted us with providing your children's school uniform.

1. HOW TO REGISTER & ORDER

- CLICK THE UNIFORM LINK FROM YOUR SCHOOLS WEBSITE...or...
- Visit <https://www.stitchdesign.co.uk/pages/for-parents> or search online for 'Stitch Design find your school'.
- Use the 'LOGIN/REGISTER' tab at the top of the page and fill in your details (even if you don't need to order straight away, it means you'll start receiving updates and offers!)
- Once on your dedicated school page, simply add everything you need to your basket, register (if you haven't already) and then check out.

2. ORDERING GUIDE

Under normal circumstances we aim for all orders to be sent out within 10-15 working days. During our busier periods (especially over the summer) or if anything unexpected occurs, it can take longer, so please allow us some extra time to get your order to you.

Delivery to your home / work all year round!

or

FREE delivery to your school

(This service will not operate during any school holiday this includes the 6 week summer holiday – order cut off date is 4th July for last delivery in to school on or around 18th July. Our aim will be to resume in September, you will be informed when this happens.)

IMPORTANT SUMMER ORDERING INFORMATION

**To receive your order before the start of term
please order by 31st July.**

We do everything we can to send out all items as soon as possible but a high volume of orders or unforeseen circumstances may occasionally lead to delays.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to email us. We are happy to help!

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PLEASE ORDER EARLY TO AVOID ANY DISAPPOINTMENT