



The Abbey CE VA Primary School

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Dear Parents

Church School Inspection

Following my letter to parents on Friday, regarding our Church School Inspection, a reminder that our weekly collective worship at the Cathedral this week will be on **Wednesday 9th May and not Thursday 10th May**. We have a strong following of parents who regularly attend this service and as ever parents are warmly welcome to attend.

The Wedding of the Year!–Friday 18th May 9.15-10am in Lady Chapel, St Albans Cathedral

You may have seen from our summer term diary dates that we are planning our own celebration on Friday 18th May, to mark the royal wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle.

As we did to celebrate the royal wedding of Prince William in 2011, Year 2 will take center stage and the mock wedding will take place in the Lady Chapel. It is an opportunity for us all to learn about the importance of special promises. The entire school will attend the wedding and children and staff should come to school in a smart wedding/party outfit.

Parents are, as always, welcome to join us for this unique service, although it may be standing room only! It will be a 'right royal' occasion! **There will not be a Cathedral service on Thursday 17th May.**

WaterAid Charity Support

Year 5 girls, Alice Strike, Lotta, Mackenzie, Maja, Micah, Nancy, Tallulah and Zahara, have made a magazine for children to raise money for the charity WaterAid, the UK's dedicated water charity.

The cost of the magazine will be £1 and will be sold after school today and tomorrow by the Reception wooden gate from 3.15-3.30pm and during break time this week. The magazine is for all ages and all the money raised will go to support WaterAid, a charity that the girls chose because they think it is important that everyone has clean water, proper toilets and good health because of this. The girls hope that you enjoy reading it. Abbey School is very proud of the girls who have worked very hard on this initiative.

Kind regards

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Headteacher

