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# TATTENHALL PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Dear Tattenhall Park families.

Friday 31st January, 2025

This week, we received some wonderful pictures from Father Lameck who is currently visiting Hera, Zimbabwe. The school in Hera was full of smiling faces after recieving Tattenhall uniform, which was organised by the PTFA, St. Alban's Church and Father Lameck. We are really looking forward to hearing all about Father Lameck's adventures when he returns to school.







### Tattenhall Time Machine



Thank you to all the families who have been sending in such amazing information for the film 'Our Village, Our Future' . We have collected some fabulous photographs of the village life and have spotted one or two of our parents and teachers in a photograph that arrived this week, showing the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school!

The governors have kindly judged the Tattenhall Time Machine competition. It took them nearly half an hour to look through all the entries and it was a super difficult decision. The winning entry was designed by a very talented young man in Year 5 and will be made life size to use in the film. All of the designs were so amazing, that we have spoken to the film makers and they will be featuring lots of the other designs in the film too. Next week, the children will be bringing home the lyrics and music for the song, 'The Tattenhall Time Machine', which has been written by composer Daphne Sarnat especially for the film.



## Road Safety Officers

Our Road Safety Officers and Mini Cops have been very busy this week. They have launched a campaign to encourage children to walk to school and been out with our local PCSO and Mrs Barton, checking the

speed of cars travelling past the school. I'm afraid to say they did spot quite a

few people travelling through through the village at speed! We are planning a number of projects with the PCSO, over the next few months, to help people become more aware of the speed limits in the village to keep our families and local community safe.









### Owl Pellet Dissection

Year 2 have been learning all about owl pellets and how conservationists use the contents to learn more about the biodiversity in the local area. They worked with such great concentration and maturity and are now owl pellet experts!

## Planetary Parade

As you will have seen in the news, there is currently a 'planetary parade' occurring in our night sky with Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn aligning in our night sky. Miss Comish has recommended the app SkyView Lite and has been out in her

garden every night planet spotting! Don't miss this amazing opportunity to take a stroll on a clear night - lots of the staff have spotted planets from the staff carpark, as Tattenhall has such beautiful dark skies.





Don't forget Ash Bond is coming to visit Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February to share her new book- 'Peregrine Quinn and the Cosmic Realm'. Signed copies can be ordered on Parent Pay

Have a wonderful weekend, Mrs Bolton

## **Dates for Spring Term**

- · 7th February- Ash Bond Author Visit
- · 11th February- Tempest Class pictures for Nursery, Reception and Year 6 only.
- · 13th February- Year 5 Science & Industry museum visit
- · 14th February- Half Term
- · 24th February- School opens
- · 26th 28th March Year 4 Residential Trip
- · 1st, 2nd/ 3<sup>rd</sup> April- Parents Evening (Appointment times to go live on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February at 4pm)
- · 4th April School closes for Easter Holidays

<u>Dates for Summer Term</u> - further dates will be confirmed and timings will be confirmed nearer the time

- · 22nd April- School opens for Summer Term
- · 30th April- Tattenhall Park's 55th Birthday
- · 5th May- School closed for May Bank Holiday
- · 7th May- Year 3 Liverpool World Museum Trip
- · 12th- 15th May Year 6 Statutory Assessment Week (SATS)
- · 21st May- Sports Day (Reserve Date- 22nd May)
- · 23rd May School closes for Half Term
- · 2nd June- School opens
- · 3rd June- Year 2 Residential Trip
- · 17th June- Year 1- Year 5 class photographs
- · 27th June- Year 6 Camp-Over
- · 16th July- Year 6 Evening Performance
- · 17th July- Year 6 afternoon performance and leavers celebration presentation
- · 18th July- School closes for Summer Holidays