Even for those not going to the reunion this may be of interest.....

This September the party of former Verdalans will, of course, be visiting the current school. Many of us have very happy memories of our time there and it is great to know that the now St. Margaret's School, Verdala also values the long-standing connection.

In the past we have made a collection to treat some of the present staff to one of our meals. It has been suggested that this time we make a collection and surprise the school with a sum of money which they can use to buy or refurbish something that would be a permanent reminder of the years of Verdala RNS. We plan to give them a big card with a photo of the playground as it was in our time, signed by all those who have contributed (perhaps $\pounds 3$ - $\pounds 5$ each or a discretionary amount?)

Those who are attending the reunion can add their signatures in Malta but if you are not going and would like to contribute then your signature and a very short autograph book-style message can be scanned and sent as a j-peg to <u>liz.mardel@talktalk.net</u> or send her a message and she will tell you where to post them and then she will scan them to add to the pages inside the card.

Any donations from those not attending must be sent in advance to enable a euro cheque to be issued and to be presented to the school on the day of the visit. Donations can be made via Bank Transfer with 'Verdala' as the reference. Please contact me on 02891 464071 and leave me a contact number in order that I can give you the details. For those attending, donations can be added on the night of the meet-and-greet supper in the Hotel.

Thank you.

Pauline Mendez – Organiser

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