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# Timely Times

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## Timely Warp Brings Early Birthday

A time warp of unknown origin has meant that Abby's birthday is arriving slightly more than a month early this year. "Beats me," declared Abby's father Simon, a research scientist at CSIRO. "Givalt! It's not the solar calendar and it's not the Jewish lunar calendar," explained Abby's Jewish mother, Amy.

**Consistent with the anomaly, the family will be hosting a children's musical celebration of Abby's second birthday with Gary Burke this Saturday, 19 April, 3:00 – 6:00 at their home, 28 Brighton Street, West Leederville. Hoping you'll be there!**



### Family Travel Plans Coincide with House Extension

The long-rumoured extension to the family's Brighton Street home is due to begin shortly before the family's departure for the UK on 17 May and to end, miraculously, not long after their return.

### Givalt! Birthday Party Occurs Day Two of Passover

Abby's Second birthday party will take place on the second day of Passover. Coincidence? We think not.

**We invite guests to bring a plate for afternoon tea but ask that it not consist of any leavened bread or cakes.** What does that leave? We'll leave it to your imagination!



### Time Warp Coincides with Family Travel Plans

The early arrival of Abby's birthday coincides well with plans to travel to the UK and the US to see family abroad this Fall.

Abby's traditional birthday will fall the first night of the Cox family camping trip in Wales. The family goes on a yearly camping trip with longtime family friends.

Last year, a group of 28 family-members and friends camped near York. Simon, Amy and Abby left the Perth autumn and were greeted by identical weather for the English spring, dressing Abby in literally all her clothes for bed.

All are hopeful that their NYC visit will be less eventful than their last one in September 2001.