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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back!
We hope everyone has been looking forward to starting the new term. We will be giving lots of opportunities again to all of our children this year, with lots to look forward to over the next 12 months.

We continue to get excellent attendance by our children, very good behaviour and high standards of work. We have continued to see our children make good progress, be active, take part in lots of activities and events, and give them the aspirations to be successful at high school and beyond.

We will endeavour to participate in every competition and festival that we are invited to, and we will begin training for tag rugby and football. There are many clubs starting across the school year to complement our PE and sport in school.

We have a number of coaches working with the children across school, across the year. These include Mrs Halstead (swimming), Mr Cooke (Swimming and Athletics), Tom from Blackpool FC (Sport and PE), Wyre and Fylde Sports Partnership (Sport and PE), Fylde Rugby Club for Tag Rugby and Mr Gilbert (Cricket). This makes excellent use of the school sport funding given to primary schools.

We are continuing to support music teaching and learning to play instruments across school. If your child is interested in learning to play keyboard or guitar, or develop their singing, please let the office know, as we continue to work with RAD Music and Mrs Bowden. Mrs Bowden will also be continuing with the choir, and will be teaching Music in several classes. Later in the year we will also plan for a stage show led by our KS2.

We are continuing to keep the price as low as possible for school meals for children in Key Stage 2, at £2 per meal. All infants are still entitled to a free meal every day. We are also keeping the prices low for Breakfast Club at £3.50 per child (including breakfast) and After School Club at £6.50 per child.

Alzheimer's Society

I will be participating in the Manchester Half Marathon in October, for the first time. I have joined the Alzheimer's Society Team, to raise funds and awareness. Sadly, Dementia is the UK's leading cause of death, and every 3 minutes someone develops dementia in the UK. I am aware of many of our families dealing with dementia on a daily basis, and I want to show my support for this.

We have setup a Justgiving page if you would like to donate.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/sacred-heart-primary-school-4?utm_campaign=lc_frp_share_transaction_fundraiser_page_launched&utm_content=a1f74908-5af8-497b-9037-eb0f95fcf55b&utm_medium=email&utm_source=postoffice&utm_term=1752753129934

Building Work

The majority of the building work is now complete, and the heavy rain is testing out how good the roof work is!

Our new state of the art boilers are in place, and are making a difference already. With the new flooring in school, and thanks to Mr Haymes excellent cleaning, the school is looking in great shape.

Yours sincerely

Mr P. Eaton
Headteacher