

# NEWSLETTER



Spring Term 30.01.26



## Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope this newsletter finds you well.

A very warm welcome to the new pupils and families who have joined school recently. It has been a joy to see you settling into school life here at Sacred Heart, making new friends, and becoming familiar with our routines. We are expecting more children and families to join in the coming weeks.

A gentle reminder that it is only one item of snack for morning break. This is in line with the school's healthy eating and drinks policy.

Yesterday, we held our Fire Drill Test. The children were amazing and managed to leave school in a very timely, smart and sensible manner. Well done all.

A busy week here in school with lots of meetings with building contractors - Tyre Area, doors in KS2 and the kitchen. It is looking likely that the kitchen work will now only be completed during the Summer Holidays. The new doors in KS2 will hopefully be completed around half term, this all depends on lead times for the doors to be purchased once the tender has been approved by the archdiocese architects.

Thank You to Mrs Glynn who has secured one grant already for the Tyre Area. She is busy working on securing other grants as well.

On Tuesday, Y6 need to be in school and registered by 8.30am so that they can walk to Fred Longworth High School and be seated by 8.50am, ready for the performance of Oliver which commences at 9 am.

Wishing you all a restful weekend.

Monday Night Football - After School - 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026

Reminder – Please note Monday Football Club is cancelled due to there being a football match. We still have as normal our After School Club which is run daily if needed.

### Phonics Lesson Year 1 and Reception

We are delighted to invite our Year 1 and Reception parents to a phonics lesson. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up.

This is an amazing opportunity to see how phonics is taught to your children. If you would like to attend and not already booked your date, please click on the link below for your child's class

[Invitation for Parents/Carers to attend a Phonics Lesson – Year 1 – Fill in form](#)

[Invitation for Parents/Carers to attend a Phonics Lesson – Rec – Fill in form](#)

### Low Bank Ground

The next instalment for Low Bank Ground is due 2nd February 2026. Please also bring any outstanding instalments up to date. This wonderful residential for our Year 6 pupils is fast approaching. Updates on parent meetings, kit lists and FAQS will be shared shortly.

### Parent Pay Debit Balances

Please don't forget to clear any outstanding balances on your Parent Pay Account. We are coming to the end of the school's financial year and this is a very important process and reminder.

Parent Pay is school's preferred payment method until Arbor payments is launched shortly, but please note if you prefer cash payments these can be made via the school office.

# AWARDS

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## Reception

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Connie M</b>	Excellent caption writing.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Gracie</b>	Being kind and considerate at all times.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Karter</b>	Improved handwriting and name writing.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Emmanuel</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Connie T</b>	Connie shows dedication by keeping going, even when things are tricky!

## Year One

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Kaeden</b>	Confidently estimating numbers on a blank number line.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Mersi</b>	Becoming more confident at spotting new digraphs- Fabulous phonics.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Penny G</b>	Thinking of great exclamation sentences in the role of the mouse or lion.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Bentley</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Penny C</b>	Dedication to improve her handwriting and letter formation. Keep it up!

## Year Two

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Lewis</b>	Greatly improved presentation with his writing and for trying hard to concentrate in his lessons.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Oliver</b>	Making a wonderful impression on his first week and settling in so well.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Leo E</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Rosie</b>	Always trying her very best in lessons and showing dedication to producing her best work.

## Year Three

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Marshall</b>	Actively participating in all lessons and being a wonderful helper for his peers.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Mohamed</b>	Working exceptionally hard with his phonics.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Precious</b>	Excellent knowledge of the 3 times tables and applying this to division calculations.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Ava O</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Aisha</b>	Dedication to following school rules and being a role model for others in class.

## Year Four

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Doris</b>	Writing a detailed letter in our writing sessions this week.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Esmee</b>	Great discussions in our RE lessons this week about Jesus healing the blind man.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Lydia</b>	Working hard in our maths lessons when multiplying a 3-digit number by a 1-digit number.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Jane</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Harry</b>	Showing dedication to improve his handwriting and starting to join letters.

## Year Five

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Jerry</b>	Writing a free-verse poem using concise expanded noun phrases and similes.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Neve</b>	Quick and accurate calculations when subtracting mixed numbers. Well done, two weeks in a row.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Sujud</b>	Keeping our school environment clean and tidy.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Ayesha</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Daniel</b>	Daniel goes above and beyond with his home learning every week.

## Year Six

<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Leighton</b>	Excellent focus and independence with written tasks.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Nancie</b>	Great contribution during lessons.
<b>Golden Ticket</b>	<b>Scarlett</b>	Working hard and being resilient in maths lessons.
<b>Reading Champion</b>	<b>Myles</b>	Celebrating great home reading.
<b>Dedication</b>	<b>Ava</b>	Dedication towards her maths learning.