



St. Jerome's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Children,

Collective Worship

This week we have been thanking God for always being with us in all our new beginnings. We have asked the children to think about what they would like to do as a new beginning in school this year.

Reception Class

Our new class have had their first full week in school. They have made a super start to school life and seem to be enjoying all the opportunities and new experiences. Well done everyone!

Holy Family High School - Class 6

Class 6 were treated to a day filled with a variety of activities at Holy Family High School on Monday. Transport and lunch were provided and the children gained a great insight into life at secondary school. We are very grateful to Holy Family for this opportunity which we thoroughly enjoy each year.

Holy Family have their open evening on Monday 18th September and we would encourage parents of Class 5 and 6 pupils to go and take a look at the school and what it can offer.

Iron Men on Tour

Sefton Coastal Partnership are taking Anthony Gormley's Iron Men on tour this month and we are lucky enough to have the exhibition at our school from Monday 18th – Friday 23rd September. On Monday 18th the children will be given a presentation on the exhibition which includes some breath-taking footage of the statues and the coast; the exhibition will be available to any of you who want to come and view it in the foyer at school all week. This will be the theme for Beach School for this term and we will be going to Crosby in our sessions to see the Iron Men.

Jeans for Genes Day

Next Friday 22nd September, we will again be supporting this annual fundraising event for children with genetic disorders across the UK. This year we are going to 'Wear Jeans – Change Lives' and so for a suggested donation of £1, the children can wear their jeans with any top and shoes they like.

St. Jerome's Feast Day

We would be delighted if you could join us on Friday 29th September to celebrate the Feast of St. Jerome. Mass will begin at 9.30am and you are all warmly invited to be there. Following mass we will host our Macmillan Big Coffee morning to which you are also invited along with the parish community. Class Three are the hosts for this mass and the coffee morning - if you would like to help them by donating cakes please send them in on Thursday 28th.

Hen Rota

Thank you to the volunteers who help regularly with the hens at the weekend. If you are interested and can sign up for any weekend this term please let the office know. The hens lay two or three eggs a day and are actually quite a lot of fun to look after!

Reminders

Please can I ask that you only park in the disabled spaces if you have a blue badge as we do have families who need the spaces and often they can't use them due to misuse by others. We love our statue of St. Jerome and we want it to last for many years - please make sure children do not climb on the statue to keep it looking good and to avoid any injuries from falls.

I hope you have a lovely weekend,

Regards,

Mrs. Monaghan

PTA Dates for your Diary

PTA Coffee Morning & AGM - Thursday 5th October - 9am

PTA Talent Night - November (date to be confirmed)

PTA Comedy Bingo - Friday 1st December - Parish Hall

PTA Christmas Fair - Friday 8th December - Parish Hall