



Last week eco-warriors, this week: Anti-bullying workshops, Nursery Rhymes and Pudsey Bears, it's never a quiet week in Sacred Heart. More photos to follow next week.

VIRGIN MINI LONDON MARATHON

Thank you for your generosity and your child's participation in the Virgin mini London marathon. We raised a staggering £1,278! This is a fabulous amount and some of it will go towards purchasing the book vending machine that the children would like.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Those children who have made their First Holy Communion, don't forget Tempest are coming in to take photos of the children and have a group one taken too. If you wish your child to have their photo taken please bring them in on Tuesday 23rd November wearing their First Holy Communion clothes. Their photos will be taken and then you are very welcome to take them



home to get changed, or they will get changed, here in school, and their outfits will be stored safely. Please ensure you send in a bag that is large enough to cover the outfit.

If you wish for your child to make their First Holy Communion this academic year, meetings for parents only begin next week at 6pm. Please check your emails from the Holy Parish for the date you have been given for the first meeting.

PARISH INFORMATION

If you wish to know what is going on in the parish please follow this link:

<https://sacredheart.bhcet.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/21st-November-2021.pdf>

DOGS

Last week I asked parents not to walk or carry dogs into the playground due to health and safety. Can I please also ask you not to block the entrances to the yard, waiting for children, as this is also dangerous.

PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Parent consultations will go ahead this half term but will not be face-to-face. Parents will be able to have a telephone consultation or meet via Teams. Your child's teacher will contact you with a link to Microsoft Forms and you will be able to select your preference, including the time/date of your telephone call/Teams meeting. Ten minutes will be allocated for each meeting, as would a normal face-to-face consultation.

CHRISTMAS

Following a meeting with Fr Michael, the decision has been made that there will not be any Advent Services. However, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Nativities will go ahead if restrictions remain as they currently are as we are able to socially distance people in the hall.

SCHOOL BAGS

Can you please check your child's school bag each night and remove any of their 'artwork' please. We have noticed a number of the younger children in particular, have very heavy bags and unread letters to parents.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 22 nd November	Nasal Flu Vaccinations
Tuesday 23 rd November	First Holy Communion photographs – in school (9am)
Friday 26 th November	Dental Survey for a selection of children aged 5 years
W/b 29 th November	Parent Consultation meetings
Wednesday 1 st December	Year 4 Theatre Trip – The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe
Wednesday 15 th December	Wear a Christmas item day - more details to follow.
Thursday 16 th December	KS2 to attend Peter Pan at Hartlepool Sixth Form College - more details to follow.
Wednesday 22 nd December	School closes for Christmas
Monday 10 th January	School re-opens

Items in red are new this week.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs A. Howell
Headteacher