



# Atherton Sacred Heart RC Primary School

## Newsletter w/b 25th September 2017

### What's on this week:

Monday 25th September: cross country training begins; trials for ATSA event KS2 [junior] age only. Usual club price of £1 per session applies.

Monday 25th September [3.30pm]: curriculum meeting for Y3 - Y6 parents/ carers  
Tuesday 26th September [3.30pm]: curriculum meeting for R - Y2 parents/ carers  
At these meetings, teachers will give an overview of the curriculum for the year ahead and suggestions for work at home to support learning. Other organisational matters will be clarified eg. timetable and there will also be an opportunity for parents/ carers to ask questions. Please do your best to attend but don't worry if you cannot as meeting packs will be sent home. DVD room for children while waiting.

Wednesday 27th September: the Pop Project are back with '6 Decades of Books'

Saturday 30th September [9.30am]: open morning for Y6 pupils/ parents at St Mary's

### Coming soon....

w/b 2nd October: 'Come Dine' week  
This is an opportunity for parents/ carers of Reception pupils to join the children for a Mellors school dinner. Please book in at the school office [£2.45]. Although aimed at Reception, all parents welcome eg. parents of new junior children whose children have perhaps said that they do not have enough time to eat packed lunch.

Tuesday 3rd October: Black History celebrations at the Octagon Theatre [Y3/4]

Friday 13th October [evening]: Spooky Disco  
Halloween fancy dress disco organised by our fundraisers, 'The Friends'. Tickets on sale soon!

w/b 16th October: Reception parent/ carer meetings with Miss Worrall  
Miss Worrall will ask you to sign up for a 30minute meeting to let you know how your children have settled in and to report baseline assessment data.

24th October: 'Drama in a Day' half term holiday event with Yvonne Gerrard  
Flyer going out this week. £10 for a full day of drama from 10am - 3.30pm with short performance for parents/ carers at 3pm. Y2 - Y6 however places will be opened up to younger pupils if available.

**Friday 20th October - staff training day**  
**23rd - 27th October - school closed for half term holiday**



# History



More fantastic models with a historical theme!



### Other notices:

Many thanks to the Friends of Sacred Heart who have just contributed £5000 towards the cost of resurfacing the tyre area. The next Friends meeting is on Thursday 6th October at 5pm in school. Why not come along and get involved in fundraising projects? Next event up is the Spooky Disco on the evening of Friday 13th October. We have a few regular helpers who very generously give up their time regularly but more volunteers are always needed! Tickets will be on sale this week at £3 including refreshments. This Halloween fancy dress disco is particularly popular with our younger pupils [Rec - Y4] although Y5/6 are welcome too.

Are you a graduate? Are you interested in training to be a teacher? Sacred Heart is in a partnership called Wigan Catholic Primary Schools Direct. Open Days for the 2018-19 intake are coming soon [see attached flyer].

Please drive and park safely and responsibly in Lodge Rd and surrounding areas. Do not wait until a child gets hurt or worse before taking action.

Thank you to Jasmine [Rec] for making a contribution to CAFOD to celebrate her birthday. Sacred Heart raises about £1000 per year for this charity. Please remember that we discourage whole class treats especially sweets for birthdays!

Y1 collective worship: 'Families'  
**Friday 29th September at 9.05am**  
Family and friends welcome!