

26th June 2026

Sacred Heart Herald



Gospel: Matthew 9:36-10:8

Word of the Week: God's Kingdom



KEY DATES

Mon 29th June -
SS Peter and Paul Feast Day

Tuesday 30th June -
KS2 Sports Day 9:00 - 12:00
at Memorial Ground,
Raynes Park

Wednesday 1st July -
Y3 trip to Chessington

KS1 Sports Day 9:00 - 11:00

Reception meet the
teacher 9:00-10:00

Thurs 2nd July -
SS Peter and Paul Mass (St
Peter Y4 and St Paul Y5)

Y4 Sleepover (after school)

Friday 3rd July -
INSET - School Closed

Tuesday 7th July -
EYFS Sports Day
9:00 - 11:00

Parents' Calendar
2025-2026

Summer Fair

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the Summer Fair tomorrow. There will be lots of activities to do as well as yummy food and drink to enjoy.

If you have not yet signed up to volunteer on a stall, please see the links on the PSA newsletter, or speak to a member of the PSA when you arrive at the Fair!

Smartphone Free Childhood

At the Parents' Forum in the Spring term we discussed the Smartphone Free Childhood initiative. Two parents have come forward to share information with parents about the Parents' Charter. If there are any other parents who would like to help with this initiative, please email Mrs Norville head@sacredheart.merton.sch.uk More information on how parents can help can be found [here](#).

Sports Days Update

Thank you all for your patience and understanding in the recent extreme weather. Sports days have now been re-scheduled:

Tuesday 30th June - KS2 Sports day 9:00 - 11:00 at Memorial Ground, Raynes Park

Wednesday 1st July - KS1 Sports day 9:00 - 11:00 - in the back playground

Wednesday 7th July - EYFS Sports day 9:00 - 11:00 - in the back playground

Beating the Heat

Well done to all our amazing children and staff, particularly in Early Years and Key Stage One, who showed resilience in managing the heat this week. As any of us who are living and working without air conditioning know, it is very hard to cope with the temperatures we have been experiencing.

It was wonderful to be able to share our air conditioned classrooms so that all classes had a chance to stay cool, take off socks and shoes in class, give the children trays of cold water to put their feet in and provide them with ice cold wet wipes to put on the back of their necks.

Judging by the giggles and excitement I could hear as I went to check on the classes this week, they were seeing these measures as quite entertaining!

Break The Rules Day

Thank you to everyone for getting into the spirit of the fair today by having fun with funky hair, pyjamas and donations of bottles!

The School Council have been inspired by this and have asked to have a 'break the rules' day before the end of term. This will take place on Monday 13th July.

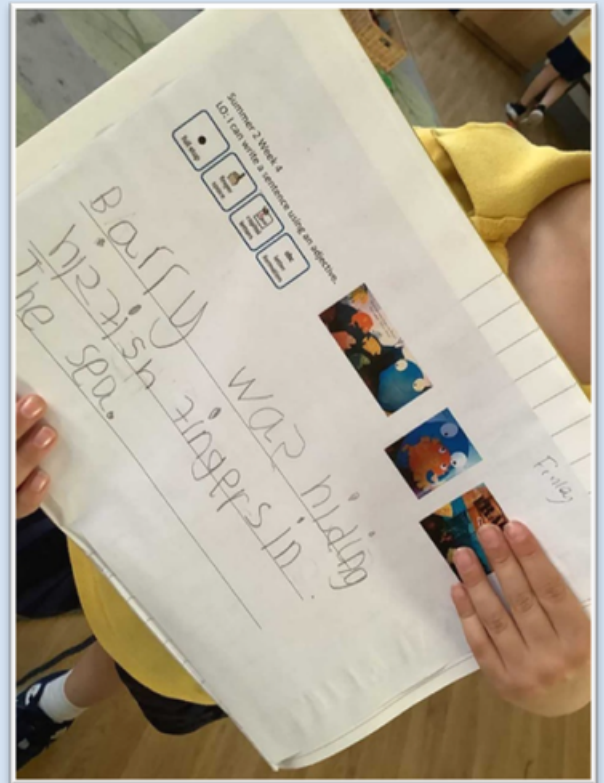
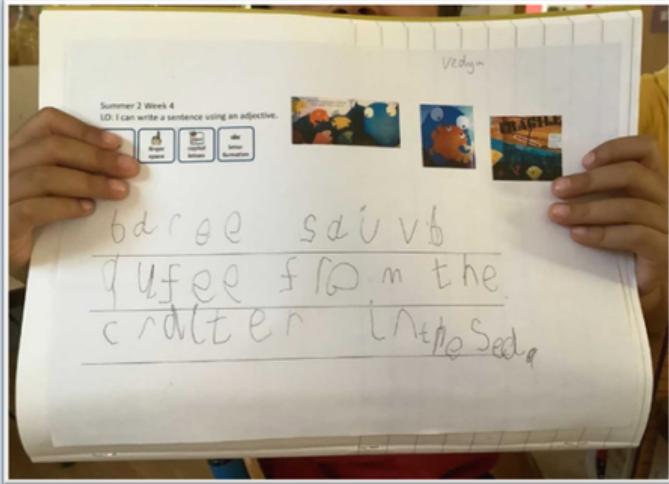
On 'Break the Rules Day' there will be 5 specific rules that the children can choose to break that day. The catch is that they have to pay 50p for **each rule** they wish to break. The rules are:

- Wearing own clothes
- Having juice or squash in your water bottle
- Bringing an unhealthy snack
- Free choice of seating in class for one lesson
- Bring a fidget / small cuddly toy to school

All other school rules will remain in place and will need to be adhered to! Money raised from this day will go to the School Council to enable them to buy equipment to play with at break and lunchtimes.

This Week in St Bernadette Class

In English this week, we began reading Barry, the Fish with Fingers. It has taught us to embrace our uniqueness, and to be kind and inclusive to those around us. The children had a great go at writing sentences about the story, using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces!



This week in RE, we have learned how Jewish families welcome Shabbat, the special day of rest. We talked about traditions such as lighting candles and sharing Challah bread.

We really enjoyed playing in the water to keep cool this week!



We have enjoyed lots of arts and crafts too.

PSA Summer Art Competition

The children were very excited to take part in the PSA's yearly art competition. This year the pupils went on a creative adventure to explore their own individuality. We are very excited to announce the winners in each Key Stage, but as not all children were in school this afternoon, the prizes will be handed out on Monday.



Early Years Winners

1st - Maverick, St Francis

2nd - Freddie, St Francis

3rd - Lara, St Bernadette

Key Stage 1 Winners

1st - Celine, St Elizabeth

2nd - Rudra, St Joseph Vaz

3rd - Lara, St Bernadette



Lower Key Stage 2 Winners

1st - Ezekiel, St Josephine

2nd - Harper, St Clare

3rd - Lucas, St Maximilian
and
River, St Peter



Upper Key Stage 2 Winners

1st - Charlotte, St Teresa

2nd - Bella-Rae, St Teresa

3rd - Michael, St Andrew Kim



LET'S CELEBRATE

Headteacher's Award

Early Years	Aysia J	Key Stage 1	Marnie W
Lower Key Stage 2	Nitika S	Upper Key Stage 2	Miguel G A

Class	Star of the Week	Maths Champ
St Francis	Olivia D P	Eliana T
St Bernadette	Mila T	Oscar C
St Patrick	Orla E	Rayne R
St Rose	Ellie O'S	Chanyang C-P
St Oscar Romero	Samuel T	Skye B
St Elizabeth	Melisa Z	Christian J
St Joseph Vaz	Christiyana S	Michael L
St Josephine	Julia K	Eimear E
St Maximilian	Vianca M	Norway W
St Clare	Logan G	Aria C
St Peter	Sophie J	Mateusz F
St Kateri	Armand P	Safaa U
St Paul	Scarlett M	Orla H
St Andrew Kim	Rozmeenae S	Juan M C
St Teresa	Sofia K-P	William K