



# School Newsletter

WISHING YOU A WONDERFUL SUMMER

## A Great Year Ends...

We come to the end of another wonderful year at Our Lady of Pity School!

I walk around our school on this last day of term and all around me I see...

## Happy Children



## Curious Minds

Curious minds...diligent workers....learning about their world in school and linking this, with your help, to the world of work.

## Generous Hearts

Generous hearts...reaching out. When your children take a cause to their hearts, there's no stopping them! When they found out that one of our youngest pupils needed a pioneering operation,



they brought me a stream of fund-raising ideas and raised over £2000! And they didn't stop there...

When we mentioned 'Food Bank' they covered the walls in posters and brought in an impressive haul - (151 kg!) of goodies to help those who have so little. With your help, they've supported Children in Need, CAFOD, Save the Children and more.



## Independent Spirits

Independent spirits...challenging ideas, seeking justice for those less fortunate. Your children care deeply about the world. When something 'isn't fair' they respond. **Joy through Respect** is lived daily in every classroom.

What a privilege it is to teach your children - thank you for entrusting them to us

## Healthy Minds and Bodies

Higher than ever participation in sport, chess, drama, music and more - the school is vibrant with enthusiasm for life.

...An impressive number of trophies and each tells the tale of fun along the way. Three years of the Gold Award for School Games. Next year we go for Platinum!

## Strength through Community

We know we are fortunate when we see the queues for every event we put on. Dancing, concerts, plays, trips and more. We ask and you always respond!

The combination of Sports Day and Summer Fair worked like a dream; everyone had a great day. Our heartfelt thanks to all who work so hard to make these things possible: teaching staff, office team, PTA, families and friends.

We say farewell to our magnificent Year 6! We say farewell also to Miss Senior, who leaves us to take up a post in Switzerland!



Miss Howley sets off for a year's secondment as maths lead at Heygarth Primary.

Mrs Craven continues her secondment now as Deputy Headteacher at Sandbrook - exciting times!

I wish you a restful and happy holiday.

Bernadette Galloway.

We use our Facebook page to post in-the-moment photos and updates. Please like our page: **Our Lady of Pity RC School.**

