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Dear Parents and Carers,

**Welcome** 😊

Welcome back to a new school year. I do hope everyone enjoyed their summer. A very warm welcome to all our new children and families, both in Year 3 and those who have joined us from other schools. Also, welcome to our new member of staff, Miss Pogson and to Mr Naylor, who is working as a student teacher with 5W this year. We hope everyone will be very happy at Higher Bebington Juniors.

### School Building

Mr Roberts and the cleaners have worked very hard throughout the holiday and the school looked lovely for our return. A **big** thank you to him and the cleaners.

### Fund Raising Day - Friday 8th September

You may have read in the newspaper that a 9 year old girl, Lucy Moroney, from Heswall has been diagnosed with a life-threatening brain stem tumour and her family are fund raising to access treatment abroad. The Headteacher of her school has asked if local schools will join them in a fund raising day tomorrow, wearing yellow and/or green - pineapple colours - as this is Lucy's favourite fruit, in exchange for a donation. We will be taking part and ask for a donation. If your child does not have anything in these colours, they can come in another bright colour.

### School Canteen Closed - Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September - ALL children need a packed lunch

On Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September there will be **NO** school meals available as the school canteen will be closed for the day. **All children will need to bring a packed lunch.** Children who are in receipt of a free school meal will be provided with a packed lunch. We have had to close the canteen as the 11+ test is taking place in the school hall and takes a whole morning so the kitchen staff will not have time to cook meals when the two tests are over. I apologise for any inconvenience caused and assure you that this is the only day that is affected within the school year.

### Arriving at School

Please could I ask that once you have dropped your child off in the morning that you move away from the school gates and pavement outside school as children are having to go on the road to get past groups of parents blocking the pavement. Many thanks for your support in keeping all our children safe outside school.

### Email System

All our newsletters and information will only be sent by email unless there is a reply slip to be returned in which case we will send a paper copy home also. As this is the first newsletter this year I am sending a paper copy but you should also get it by email. Please check you have received the email and if you haven't, let the School Office know as we need to ensure we have correct email addresses for everyone.

Best wishes,

A. J. Lamkin

