

## Heaton St. Barnabas' C.E. Primary School

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2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024,

## RE: SCHOOL OPENING DATE 4<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024

Dear Parents, Carers,

As you are all aware from our communications with you last week we have unfortunately had to close school on Tuesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> September due to complications with the roof works. Unfortunately, although the gas works were secured and roof works completed around it there were complications connecting the gas and we have been without heating or hot water.

Following significant meetings and phone calls with the relevant contractors and companies involved the gas works are being completed today Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> September and checks made later this evening and again in the morning. Following this the areas affected including the kitchens will be deep cleaned tomorrow by external services along with areas of the school affected by the works. Alongside this the school had a flooding of water through the roof last week which has also needed further attention.

As the works were involving the kitchens no food could be cooked or cleaning completed. Also, we have no hot water for cleaning or heating which means we cannot open. I appreciate this may be frustrating for yourselves as parents as it is also for ourselves but I appreciate your kind support and understanding in the matter to ensure we have no further interruptions to the new school year.

I hope you have all had a fantastic summer holiday and look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday morning from 8.35am at the start of the school day or 8.00am for children who continue to make use of the care club provision.

**Yours Sincerely** 

Mrs D.Smith Headteacher









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