



Dear Parent/Carer

With yet another exciting year of sport ahead of us entailing a Football World Cup, Commonwealth Games, Winter Olympics and a Ryder Cup to name a few, there are lots of reasons to get excited about sport in 2018. It is a great time to be actively involved in physical activity and sport and at Bridgewater High School we want to continue to provide our pupils with the best possible opportunities to engage in PE and sport.

Building on the success of last year's Bridgewater PE & Sport Raffle which provided us with some much needed funds to update our equipment (including a range of new balls/racquets and brand new table tennis tables which are currently on order) as well as supporting our transport costs as we progressed to the latter rounds of regional and national competitions, I am now writing to you to launch this year's Bridgewater PE & Sport Raffle.

Funds raised from this year will continue to fund and update our equipment which will benefit both curriculum and extra-curricular sessions. We have also made a stronger commitment to entering more sporting competitions (Champion Schools' Rugby League, Warrington Schools' Handball) and monies raised will help support the additional transportation costs. We will also continue to deliver our highly professional Sports Day at Victoria Park.

At the end of January, we will be holding a whole school raffle to raise funds for PE and sport. Some of the prizes that have already been donated are:-

2 sets of 2 x tickets for an England Rugby Union 6 Nations Game:-

- Scotland v England @ Murrayfield – Saturday 24th February 2018
- France v England @ Stade de France, Paris– Saturday 10th March 2018

An opportunity to go to Twickenham to watch an England Rugby Union training session (conditions apply)

2 (potentially 4) x tickets to a Manchester City Game

I would still like to secure many more raffle prizes to ensure that there are plenty of opportunities for people to win. **Prizes do not need to be sport related** and as such, if anybody would like to donate a raffle prize or indeed knows a company/organisation that would be willing to, I would be delighted to hear from you.

I will be writing to all parents/carers again in the next few weeks with information on how to enter the raffle but in the meantime, if anybody would like to donate a prize, please let me know on a.roberts@bridgewaterhigh.com. The deadline for raffle prize donations is Friday 12th January.

The raffle draw will take place on Monday 29th January 2018.

I thank you in anticipation for your support and help in providing your son/daughter with the best possible sporting experience at Bridgewater High School.

Yours sincerely

Mr Andrew Roberts
Head of PE and Team Sports

