

BRETHERTON ENDOWED C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

*Learning together, growing together, achieving together, caring together
within our Christian family.*



19th September 2016

Dear Parents, Pupils & Friends,



What a busy week. Our year 5 and year 6 pupils were a real credit to you and our school at Robinwood. The staff commented on how well our children worked together, supported each other and accepted the challenges on offer. Well done to them all - what a super opportunity. Thank you to our dedicated and enthusiastic staff for facilitating and enhancing their experiences there and thanks to those who kept school a super learning environment while they were away.

Thank you for your patience this week while Paula is recovering from a minor operation. We appreciate the additional time given by Jane and Tommy to enable the school office to run smoothly in her absence.

Now we have settled back into our school routines, we have noticed that some children are bringing toys and swapping cards into school. Although, they are a great way for children to interact, they can also cause problems when they are lost or broken so please can we ask children to keep their items safely at home.

Thank you for your support with school uniform, children look smart and ready to learn. School uniform is expensive so please do make sure it is labelled with your child's name and check each week they have their own as some jumpers have already been misplaced.

Data Collection Sheets - These have been sent home recently. Please remember to check for any amendments. Signed sheets should be returned to school by **Monday 26th September 2016**. Please remember to still return them signed even if there are no errors.

Letters were sent out on Friday by Mr Brindle for a Penalty Shootout Competition at Preston Football Club this coming Friday, 23rd September meeting at 6.45pm. Please return your tear off slip ASAP. Thank you

Croston PCC have asked us to let you know that the planned family social evening has had to be cancelled.

Harvest Lunch - If your child would like to join us on Thursday 6th October 2016 for a delicious lunch of Mince and Dumplings or Butter Pie with winter vegetables followed by Eves Pudding and

Custard, please return the form sent out today with payment, where necessary, by Friday 30th September.

Dinner Money - Please can all outstanding dinner money be sent in by **Friday 23rd September**. Dinners for this half term are £88.00 and for those children who went to Robinwood the amount will be £81.40. Wednesday Wishes and Friday Favourites are £17.60 each. Cheques payable to Lancashire County Council.

Some dates for your diary:

After School Clubs

Art Club - Tuesdays 3.15-4.30pm

Mondays - Zumba 7.30-8.30pm

Tuesdays - Adult Art Class 7.00-9.00pm

Extra Curriculum Activities (First Half of Autumn Term commencing W/C 26.9.16)

Monday

School Council	Lunchtime	
Football Club	3:15-4:30	Year 4, 5 & 6
Games Club	3:15-4:15	Years 1 & 2
Sewing Club	3:15-4:30	Y6

Tuesday

Young Voices	Lunchtime	
Spanish Club	3:20-4:20	All - forms in school
Tennis Club	3:20-4:30	All - forms in school

Wednesday

Rounder's Club	3:15-4:30	Y5 & 6
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Thursday

Baking Club	3:15-4:15	Years 4, 5 & 6
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Friday

Maths Club	Lunchtime	Y2 & 3
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If your child would like to join one of the above clubs, please fill in the tear off slip at the bottom and return to school.

Reception photographs - Chorley Guardian. This will take place on Wednesday 21st September 2016.

Parents evening- This will take place on **Monday 3rd October and Thursday 6th October** starting at 3.15 and 5 minute appointments will be available until 6.00. At this consultation, you will find out how your child is progressing within the year group expectation, how they are getting on with their peers and how they have settled into their class. In the event of you being unable to attend either of these dates, please telephone the school office for a mutually convenient time with your child's class teacher. Letters to book a time will follow shortly.

Robinwood Presentation evening - year 5 and year 6 parents- Our year 5 and year 6 would like to invite their families to attend a presentation about their time at Robinwood. It will be held on

6.00 on Wednesday 21st September. All the children will be presenting and there will be an opportunity to see lots of photo's too. Refreshments will be provided. We hope that you enjoy it.

PTFA meeting - We welcome all parents to come to our PTFA meeting on **Tuesday 20th September** at 6.30 in class 4. Coming to the meetings enable you to have a part to play in how the money is spent in school and we always welcome your ideas for community and fund raising activities. We are very fortunate to have such a proactive, enthusiastic and committed PTFA but would love to encourage anyone who can spare an hour on Tuesday to come.....and we will provide light refreshments.

Christmas 2015- You can never be too early! We always like to give you as much notice as possible for our Class 1 and 2 Christmas Production. The performances will be on the following dates:

Matinee performance: 14th December at 2:15pm

Evening performance: 15th December at 6:00pm

Further details will be given nearer the time. Thank you.

Pre-School

Pre-School will begin this week on Thursday for all children whose parents have expressed an interest for them to join us in September 2017. Attendance is free and the sessions are run by Mrs Vincent. Please note, attendance has no impact on a Reception place being offered. The first session this Thursday is from 1:30-3:10pm. If you would like any additional information please ask.

Thank you for your continued support

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Extra Curriculum Clubs

NAME OF CHILD : Y.....

I would like my child to participate in: **please tick**

Football Club
Gamers Club
Sewing Club
Young Voices Club
Rounders Club
Baking Club
Maths Club

Signed :


