Bretherton Endowed Primary School

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

Newsletter

January 2017

Welcome Back—Ready for Spring

Welcome back to school after your Christmas break. We hope that you had a lovely time with family and friends and we would like to thank you for all the cards, presents and best wishes at the end of term.

A New year is always a great opportunity to reflect on the year that has passed and make plans for the future. I am sure that many of you have made New Years Resolutions and we wish you all the best at keeping them. As a school, our resolutions are to ensure a smooth transition of teaching for Class 2 and Class 3 as we welcome Miss Motherwell and Mrs Allchurch to our school. We are also looking to become more efficient and in providing an ordering system for school lunches and work towards a cashless school office we aim to provide convenience and consistency for all our parents. We are also committed to ensuring that all children are happy and learning in school and will be reviewing our behavior policy to ensure that good choices are rewarded in a purposeful way.

Star Performance

Just a quick note to say well done to pupils and staff of Class 1 and Class 2 for a brilliant performance of 'Lights, Camel, Action'. We witnessed many 'Star performances where our pupils really Shone!

<u>News</u> - TOPIC LETTERS

All classes should receive the termly topic letter from their class teacher this Friday. Hopefully this will keep you informed about the topics your child will be studying this term.



PTFA Update

Thank you to everyone who supported the PTFA events and raffle in December. Your support is hugely valuable—Thanks



Charity

Thank you for your generous donations for our Childline sponsorship event. It was great fun and raised a staggering amount of money. Well Done and Thank You!

Remember our door is always open— contact us on bursar@Bretherton.lancs.sch.uk or 01772 600431 to arrange a chat

Admissions September 2017

If you or you know of anyone applying to school for Reception Class 2017, the closing date for on-line applications is 15th January 2017. Please remember there are no longer any paper applications, all applications should be done on-

Parents, can you sing? Do you have an instrument that needs to shake off the dust?

A new service is starting in Bretherton Church in February. An informal service of praise and prayer for everyone.

The service will run twice a month on Sundays at 4.30 pm. We would love more musicians to be involved. So if you can strum a guitar, bang a drum, sing or play a tune we would love to hear from you. Please contact Sarah Slater for more info on 07484156159 or via email at skslater@hotmail.co.uk.

THEME OF WORSHIP Thankfulness

Key Question for our theme of worship: **At night do you look back on the day and remember the good things?**

DINNERS UPDATE:

Dinner money for this half term is £63.80. You will have received a text if you have any credits from last half term.

If your child would like Wednesday Wishes, Friday Favourites or both please send in payment/slip if not already done so.

Cheques payable to Lancashire County Council

REMINDER:

ANY CLEANING PRODUCTS FOR MR WHAITES 'INSIDE OUT' CHARITY NEEDS TO BE BROUGHT INTO SCHOOL BY **FRIDAY** SO WE CAN PRESENT IT TO HIM AT HIS WORSHIP W/C 9TH JANUARY



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