### **Bretherton Endowed Primary School**

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



# Our Newsletter

January 2017 No: 2

#### **Restock and Resources**

We are looking to further equip our "servery", so that we can offer more cooking opportunities and are confident we have a good stock of resources. If you have any sets of cutlery, mixing bowls, cooking utensils, scales, hand mixers etc. that you no longer need, then we can offer them a good home in our school.

Thank you in advance if you can help. Also, if you would like to come into school to help with cooking or crafts, please contact the school office as we are creating a list of people who may be able to help us when our classes are looking to develop those skills. Your help is always appreciated.

## Welcome Back—Ready for Spring

# **PTFA Update**

The next PTFA meeting is on 24th January 2017 at 7pm in Class 4.

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME** 

Details of the PTFA disco will be coming out soon— 9th February 2017

**WATCH THIS SPACE** 

On Friday, the fire and rescue service came into school to talk to Year 6 about being safe on the roads and pavement. They saw how being distracted by mobile phones and friends could mean you loose concentration and accidents could happen.

They looked how crossing at safe points were important to keep safe. They discussed the importance of cars driving at the speed limits and drivers not being distracted by phones or devices. It was great to hear that our pupils all wear helmets when riding their bikes - and understood the reasons why they are important.

They were really knowledgeable and provided great discussions. Well done year 6. Super mature attitude.



#### FOMO - FRIENDS OF MULANJE ORPHANS (Collection dates:16th - 20th January 2017)

This week Class 3 will be collecting used/new clothes and shoes for this charity. The items need to be in good condition, as they will be shipped directly to Malawi for the children to wear.

If you are donating any items of clothing, could you please wash and iron them as this may well be the last time that they ever get ironed.

Sizes - The charity looks after children from birth up to eighteen years of age.

If you have any donations, please leave in the reception area.

Many thanks,

Class 3

#### **Chromebooks**

We would like to outline plans to acquire some Chromebooks for school and initially looked to the PTFA for support. However, before we do, we wondered whether any companies or individuals would be in a position to sponsor them. We appreciate they are an expensive resource but also know that our village and school community are extremely generous for providing great opportunities for our pupils.

If you can help, or know of anyone who may be able to help, please don't hesitate to drop us a line or have a chat at the gate.

Many Thanks,

#### THEME OF WORSHIP - Thankfulness

Thessalonians 5-17 "Praise at all times, give thanks in all things, for this is the will of God for you"

#### Joke of the Week

Two cats were crossing the English Channel, one, two, three and un, deux, trois. Which one won? One, two, three because un, deux, trois, quatre, cinq!

By Lewis Townley- great one!

### Class 3 Assembly - Reminder.

We would just like to remind you that Class 3's assembly is due to take place on Thursday February 2nd. We aim to start the assembly at 9:05 am.



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#### **Date for Next Half Term:**

28th February—Church service in school