



## BRETHERTON ENDOWED PTFA NEWSLETTER

November 2019

### Thank You!

A big thank you to everyone for your support and generosity in the events so far this year and in the lead up to Christmas.

Also, a big thank you to all the volunteers and staff who work incredibly hard to organise and help out at our events, we really couldn't do it without you!

If anyone is interested in future events, we always welcome new volunteers, new ideas and ideas for purchases, come along to a meeting or join our [Facebook group](#) to get involved.

### Annual AGM

Thank you to those who could make it to the AGM. For anyone interested in what was discussed the minutes for the meeting will be on the school website and [PTFA Facebook group](#).

At the AGM a new Secretary and Treasurer were appointed, and a few new committee members added too!

Chair: Natasha Leach  
Secretary: Naomi Mangnall  
Treasurer: Gavin Hughes

A EGM will be held shortly to decide on and confirm the PTFA Constitution.

### Upcoming Events

Christmas Fair & Lights Switch-On  
Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 3.15-6pm

PTFA Secret Room  
Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December



Join the PTFA – 'Alone we can do a little, together we can do a lot'



## Secret Room

The PTFA Christmas shop is a lovely opportunity for your children to pick their very own gifts for their loved ones. There will be a selection of gifts to choose from and we will help them wrap and gift tag their gifts ready to put under the tree. A letter will be sent home for you to select which relatives your child wants to pick a gift for very soon!

## Christmas Fair and Lights Switch On

This year we are hoping to add something different to our fabulous Christmas fair by holding our very own lights switch on. We are welcoming the wider community into our school to join in the festivities and hopefully (weather depending!) holding stalls outside as well as inside!

There will be a selection of craft, gift and spa stalls, games and tombolas, Santa's Grotto, and lots of refreshments including cakes, mulled wine, a bar, hot turkey and stuffing barmes, hotdogs and lots more!

To make this event a success we need all the help we can muster as it is our first time trying something a little different!

We are really trying to make this a community event, any and all help is much appreciated, every little helps and all will contribute to the success of the event!

A big thank you to Glenroydes, The Village Pantry and One Stop Hire who have already kindly pledged donations to the event!

If you can help with any of the following please get in touch with the PTFA via the Facebook page or email Tasha on [ptfa@bretherton.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:ptfa@bretherton.lancs.sch.uk):

- Gazebos (or any other type of temporary shelter)
- Gas BBQ
- Donations for the cake stall
- Outdoor or indoor Christmas lights or decorations
- Possibility of an outside generator
- Helping to set up on the day
- Helping on a stall on the day
- Any contacts for possible businesses/individuals who may willing to donate or supply goods/equipment for the event.

Our next meeting is Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm, we will be planning and organising for the fair so if you would like to volunteer your help, ideas or time please come along! We will be busy preparing for the fair for the next few weeks, we hope to see you there and hope that the very first Bretherton Lights switch on is a huge success!

## Christmas Fair – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 3.15 – 6pm

Tell your friends and family! Everyone is welcome to come along and join in the festivities!

**[Click here to Join the Bretherton Endowed PTFA Facebook](#) page to receive information about upcoming events and volunteer requests.** We also use the Facebook page to keep members up-to-date on what happens at meetings and events, and as a forum to discuss ideas.



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# Christmas Fair

Thursday 28th November 2019

❄️ 3.15pm - 6pm ❄️

Cake Stalls

Bar & Music

Tombolas  
& Games

Food Stalls

Craft Stalls

Spa Stalls

Mulled Wine

Gifts & Toys

Santa's  
Grotto

Lights  
Switch On  
5.30pm

❄️ Everyone is welcome to attend ❄️

