

# Broughton Primary School Newsletter

| Wk 14/10/2019 |            |              |
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|               | Attendance | Unauthorised |
| Class 2       | 92.9%      | 7.1%         |
| Class 3       | 95.0%      | 3.8%         |
| Class 4       | 93.8%      | 6.2%         |
| Class 5       | 95.4%      | 2.3%         |
| Class 6       | 95.6%      | 3.7%         |
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Monday  
28th October  
2019



| Thursday 17/10/2019 |                   |
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|                     | Golden Sweatshirt |
| Reception           |                   |
| Year 1              | Harry Faulder     |
| Year 2              | Madi Campbell     |
| Year 3              | Kele Rotarides    |
| Year 4              | Jack Smith        |
| Year 5              | Lexi Sloan        |
| Year 6              | Oliver Muller     |

## Introduction to School Directors Dr Huw Morgan



Hello, My name is Huw Morgan, and I've been a Director at Broughton for about 2 years. We've lived in Cumbria for nearly 27 years now, having been in Preston before that, although my roots are in North Wales, as you might guess from the name. Neither of our two boys attended Broughton since we live in Papcastle, but both were taught by Mrs Shankland in her previous life at Bridekirk, and since my wife Jane has volunteered in the Year 2 class (with Miss Robinson and now with Miss Lightfoot) for over 7 years, I feel I know the school pretty well. Before I retired three years ago, I'd worked in the nuclear industry for 37 years, originally as technical researcher, but in later years in resource management and commercial roles. In my last 10 years I was Strategy Director for the Government-owned National Nuclear Laboratory, based at Sellafield, a job which took me to countries all over the globe.

Whilst I'm not an education expert, I think I bring an understanding of the commercial and business world to the Board of Directors, and I've specific experience of developing and running small businesses and of the legal requirements they bring, which I believe is important given Broughton Primary's Academy status as a Limited Liability Company.

Apart from being a main Board Director, I sit on the Finance and Staffing sub-committee.

Don't forget that **after-school clubs will start next week and will run for four weeks**. Please presume your child has received a place in their chosen club(s) as **we only notify parents via texts if your child does not have a place.**

**KS1 cricket with Chris Hodgson starts this Thursday 3.30pm - 4.30pm and runs for 6 weeks.**

If you are aware of any parents of **babies/toddlers in the village (younger than three years old)** who you feel may be interested in sending their child to our school, please could you encourage them to call into the office in order for us to record their child's name, if they have not already done so. It can be extremely difficult to assess the numbers of children who will attend our nursery and therefore it can be tricky to assess staffing numbers required. The earlier in advance we have numbers, the easier it is to plan ahead.

Our sale of **second-hand uniform** was well received - many thanks to Lindsey Robinson for your hard work in organising and leading the sale. Please keep looking out for information about future uniform sales and also a Xmas jumper sale to be held in December. Any donations of either good quality uniform items or Xmas jumpers would be greatly appreciated. Many thanks for your support with this.

Don't forget that the balance for the **residential trips** to Derwent Hill (Years 3/4) or London (Years 5/6) can now be paid in instalments or in full via our online payment system. Deposits for the year 2 trip to Bassenfell can also be paid.

A huge thank you to **KABS (our parent committee)** who organised two fantastic Halloween themed discos. Both of these were well attended by children. There were lots of fantastic costumes. The event managed to raise £204 for school funds!

We are still collecting rag bags and Mary's Meals back-packs. These can be handed in to our school office.

Key dates for your calendar:

- Week beginning Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November: Book Fair in school
- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November: Individual and family photographs
- Week beginning Monday 18<sup>th</sup> November: Science week for Year 1 pupils and upwards
- Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November 3.30-5.30pm: Open evening in school to share and celebrate your child's work in school so far
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November: Nasal flu spray for all children with parental consent
- Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 7pm - KABS Xmas shopping event
- Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December - Xmas Fayre in school
- Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am EYFS Xmas trip to Theatre by the Lake
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December 1pm - Xmas trip to see the pantomime at The Sands Centre for pupils from Year 1 upwards
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December - Xmas jumper day
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am - Xmas service in church
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2pm/6pm - EYFS and KS1 Nativity
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Xmas dinner day in school
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 1.15pm Carols around the tree and break up for Xmas holiday.