



BRABIN'S ENDOWED PRIMARY SCHOOL

Brabin's
Newsletter
18th September 2023



Brabin's Poetry Festival

On Wednesday 20th September we will be having a whole school poetry day. We are welcoming a fantastic poet, Ian Bland, to come and meet the children and deliver workshops throughout the day. Signed copies of Ian's books will be available to purchase from the school hall (after school). Payments can be made by cash or card.

Each class will also be looking at poetry in their English lessons during the week.

To share their learning in this area, we are inviting parents to come to a 'Poetry Festival' in the school hall at 3.25pm (20 minutes) on the following dates:

KS2 parents: 29th September

**Reception Class and Y1/2
parents: 6th October**



Harvest

St Bartholomew's Harvest Festival will take place on **Sunday 8th October at 10.45am**. School uniform please!

Please see overleaf for further information.

There will be an assembly in school on **Friday 6th October** and we are asking that the children bring in their Foodbank items on this day to support those in need.



**Individual and Family
Photographs**

Individual/family photographs (by Tempest) will take place during the morning of Friday 20th October 2023. Please contact the school office (admin@brabins.lancs.sch.uk) if you would like to arrange a family photo with a younger sibling not in preschool/school.



**American Football Club for
Y5/6**

We are very excited to introduce this club which will be delivered by Preston North End Community and Education Trust. They will deliver 6 NFL flag football sessions starting on Wednesday 1st November to 6th December. There will also be an opportunity for some pupils to participate in a Preston tournament later in the year. Please email

admin@brabins.lancs.sch.uk to secure a place. **Places are limited.**



**School Admissions -
September 2024**

Apply online:

<https://schooladmissions.lancs.hire.gov.uk/eAdmissions/prefs.php>

Application deadlines:

You must apply for a primary school place by **15 January 2024**.

You must apply for a secondary school place by **31 October 2023**.

Office Update

Dinner payments for this half term are due:

35 days: £87.50



**Friends of Brabin's Coffee
Morning- Wednesday 20th**

September at 9am

To welcome new families and to have a 'catch up', the Friends of Brabin's are holding a social coffee morning on 20th September at St Mary's Community Hall. All welcome!

Our next meeting is on:

**Wednesday 20th September at
3.25pm**

All welcome! Please come and help plan events for this school year!

Phonics

**Phonics Information Evening
for Reception Parents**

This meeting will take place on **Friday 22nd September at 3.25p.m.**



Please see attached leaflet about attendance. Thank you



Star of the Week

8th September

Reception: Olaini B
Y1/2: Casey D
Y3/4: Thomas B
Y5/6: Mia T

15th September

Reception: Thea D
Y1/2: Luna S
Y3/4: Phoebe J
Y5/6: Jack B

Headteacher Award: Abigail C, Rosa B, Thomas V & George F
Kindness Award: George D & Coral M

What's going on this half term...

Wednesday 20 th September	Whole School Poetry Day FOB Coffee morning - all welcome! Meeting at 3.25pm
Tuesday 19 th September	Y5/6 Mini skills competition - separate letter
Friday 22 nd September	Reception Phonics Information session - 3.25pm
Tuesday 26 th September	Y5/6 Football Tournament
Friday 29 th September	KS2 Poetry festival- parents invited into school at 3.25pm
Friday 6 th October	Donations for Foodbank Reception and Y1/2 Poetry festival -parents invited into school at 3.25pm
Sunday 8 th October	Harvest Festival at St Bartholomew's Church - 10.45am
Tuesday 10 th October	Y3/4 Miniskills - separate letter
Friday 13 th October	Open Day. 1.30pm-6pm
Tuesday 17 th October	Y5/6 Hockey tournament - separate letter
Friday 20 th October	Friends of Brabin's Halloween party
Half Term: Monday 23rd October- Friday 27th October 2023 Inset Day: 30th October 2023 Pupils return to school on: Tuesday 31st October 2023	



St Bartholomew's Harvest Festival

On **8th October**, at **10.45am**, there will be a special Harvest Thanksgiving service at **St Bartholomew's Church**, where children from Brabin's school will be involved in reading and singing in the service. We hope many of you will be able to attend this very special service. (School uniform if possible).

As in previous years, Brabin's school and St Bartholomew's church will be collecting food items for distribution for those in need. This year, we will be collecting for Ribble Valley Foodbank who have centres in both Clitheroe and Longridge and provide emergency food for those most in need in our community.

Please could each child bring in **1 or 2** items into school on **Friday 6th October**; these items will initially be displayed in the church during the Harvest Service. Following this, they will be taken to the local foodbank for distribution. Many thanks for all your ongoing support.

Foodbank List (Please bring **1 or 2** items from the list)

Milk (UHT)	Sugar (500g)	Fruit juice (carton)	Pasta sauces	custard	shampoo	deodorant/shower gel
Sponge pudding (tinned)	Tomatoes (tinned)	Rice pudding (tinned)	washing up liquid	cereals		
Tea Bags/instant coffee	Instant mash potato	Rice/pasta	Tinned meat/fish	sauces (e.g. ketchup)		

Please can you confirm if your child will be attending the Harvest Thanksgiving Service on Sunday October 8th at 10.45am by returning the form, or send a message by email to:

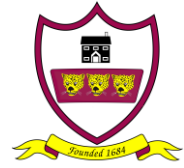
head@brabins.lancs.sch.uk

Child's name: _____

Parent's Signature: _____



Open Day



Brabin's Endowed School & Pre-School

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www.brabinsendowed.co.uk



Learning together, memories forever...

Brabin's Endowed is a friendly and vibrant school, which creates a secure, positive learning environment where our pupils can reach their full potential.

Ofsted - Outstanding July 2013

The staff at Brabin's Endowed invite you to attend our open day on:

Friday 13th October 2023

1.30pm - 6pm

Alternatively, we are happy to make individual appointments to show prospective children and parents around our school. Please contact the school office to arrange a mutually convenient meeting time.

