



## BROOMHAUGH C OF E FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 28 FEBRUARY 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after what has hopefully been a lovely (if a little wet) half term break! We have had a fantastic start to the half term this week starting with a cold, crisp and snowy Monday! The children thoroughly enjoyed playing in the snow, sledging and making the most of the wintry weather. We would like to welcome our new teacher, Mrs Robertson, to the Broomhaugh team, all of the children have made her feel very welcome and it has been lovely to welcome her in to our Year 1/2 class.

We would like to thank all families who attended their parent meeting appointments. The children are making such good progress and the teachers have enjoyed sharing this with you. Thank you for all the kind words and thanks you have shared with the teachers for the work they do. Working in partnership with parents is definitely how we get the best from the children so many thanks again for your support.

We have been thinking about lent in school this week as part of Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday and we have also been thinking about fair trade as part of fair trade fortnight.

The chilly weather did not spoil our outdoor P.E. sessions but please make sure the children all have warm jogging bottoms, jumpers, hats, gloves and trainers in school at all times as well as having a check on their wellies – we will be out in all weathers so staying warm and dry is very important!

There are several things to look forward to this term including World Book Day next Thursday and World Book Month throughout March – we love reading at Broomhaugh so please help us to get involved and join the fun!

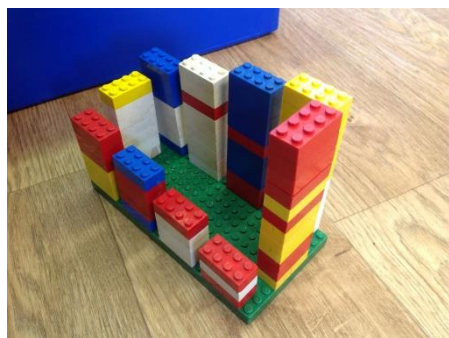
*J Ainsley S Gray*

Miss Ainsley & Mrs Gray  
Executive Head Teacher  
Executive Deputy Head Teacher



### Loving learning at Broomhaugh





**E-Safety Consent forms** – Thank you to those who have already returned these forms which were sent home before the half term, (green sheet), please could you sign and return this by Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March. Thank you.

### **PTA SAVE THE DATE!! SUMMER SOCIAL SATURDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

We will need volunteers for the day so please put the date in your diaries/calendars.

*Dates are printed on the next page....new dates will be added in red so please check each week for any events/activities involving your child's year group or the whole school.*

## Diary Dates:

Date	Event	Notes
<b>PLEASE BE AWARE NORTHUMBERLAND'S HALF TERM IS DIFFERENT TO SOME OTHER LOCAL AUTHORITIES</b>		
Friday 14 February	School Closed	School Closed
Thursday 5 March	World Book Day	Information sent out this week
Monday 9 March	Year 2 Parents Meeting in school re SATs Assessments	Information sent out this week
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 13 March	Sport Relief Week	More Information to follow
Tuesday 10 March	Year 1 & 2 C02 Workshop with Northern Gas Networks	Information sent out this week
Wednesday 11 March	Operation Encompass Year 1 and 2 class session focussing on Empathy and Emotions	Parent Drop in Sessions from 8:30-09:00 (Letter attached) Pupils session 09:00 – 10:00
Thursday 12 March	Year 3/4 Author Visit	Book order forms sent out this week
Wednesday 18 March	Brake – Beep Beep Day Road Safety Workshop	
Thursday 19 March	Reception Class Mothers Day Message published in Hexham Courant	
Friday 20 March – 3 April	The Great British Spring Clean	The country's biggest mass-action environmental campaign – Further information to follow
Sunday 22 March	Mothering Sunday Family Service at St James's Church	10am Service followed by drinks and cakes
Wednesday 1 April	Y1/2 Class Assembly 2:45pm	Parents/carers welcome
Friday 3 April	PTA Break the Rules Day PTA Cake Sale	Further information to follow
Friday 1 May	Super Splash Heroes Show in school hall	Years 1-4
Sunday 17 May	Greggs Cancer Run	Further information to follow
Friday 22 May	PTA Cake & Uniform Sale & Non Uniform Day	Further information to follow
Saturday 6 June	PTA Summer Social	Further information to follow
Monday 8 June	Phonics Screening check week	
Wednesday 17 June	Reception Class Assembly 2:45pm	Parents/carers welcome
Wednesday 24 June	Y3/4 Class Assembly 2:45pm	Parents/carers welcome

### Year 3/4 swimming dates –Spring Term 2020 – Wednesday's 5 lessons left this term

		4 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> March	1 <sup>st</sup> April
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