

KABS Newsletter

Autumn 2023

Another school term has begun, the start of a new academic year and opportunity to experience lots of new things and make some wonderful memories for the Kids at Broughton School. For those that may not have heard about is, KABS is a registered charity, raising vital funds and organising events and activities for the Kids at Broughton School. Our team of volunteers are ready and raring to go with our events and plans for this term! Dates for your diary overleaf...

We are always on the lookout for volunteers – whether you'd be happy to help sell sweets at the disco, or you'd like to help plan and run an event, we'd love to have you on the team. Come along to a meeting, speak to one of our helpers at an event or drop us an email at kabs@broughton-pri.cumbria.sch.uk and we'll add you to our Whatsapp group!

Over the last 12 months, KABS has funded, or made a significant donation towards, the Top 20 book collections for each year group, commemorative Bookmarks to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III, Leavers books and celebrations, Sports Day treats and more. Thank you all for your continued support,

Steph Davis-Johnston - Chair

EASY FUNDRAISING

If you use this link, your online purchases can provide a donation at no extra cost to you! https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/kabs

SCHOOL LOTTERY

Our annual lottery subscription is up for renewal in October and we welcome all members of the community to take part! During 2022/23, we gave away 12 x £50, 12 x £30 and 12 x £20 prizes to those signed up — with a bonus Christmas prize of £25! We are hoping to continue offering these fantastic cash prizes again this year so if you'd like to take part, keep a lookout for our information letter to be distributed soon.

LABELS with MY NAMETAGS

It's not too late to label your property! My Nametags supply personalised stickers that stick to clothes labels, insoles of shoes and much more – it couldn't be easier! KABS has teamed up with My Nametags who will donate to KABS with every purchase.

Go to: www.mynametags.com/affiliate?id=27584



CHRISTMAS ARTWORK FUNDRAISER

Children will be designing a piece of Christmas themed artwork in school over the next few weeks. Their masterpiece will be sent home with an order form should you wish to purchase personalised Christmas Cards for your loved ones, mugs, labels or notepads. Funds raised for KABS via commission on sales.

UPCOMING EVENTS AUTUMN TERM:

13th September Roald Dahl Day!

This fun new fundraiser celebrates a special Author with a twist. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for more information!

12th October KABS AGM

Our Annual General Meeting will be held at Broughton Craggs Hotel at 7.30pm (all welcome from 7pm). Our events, plans and funding aims for the year will be discussed so come along to find out what's happening and be part of the discussion!

Nominations for Chair, Secretary and Treasurer should be sent to kabs@broughton-pri.cumbria.sch.uk no later than 10th October (with nominees' agreement).

19th October Halloween Disco

Dress up in your Halloween costumes and pop along for a frighteningly fun disco! Entry £2.50, with snacks & sweets for sale. Water / Squash will be provided free of charge.

EYFS and KS1 children 5-6pm, parents/carers must stay KS2 children 6.15-7.15pm

11th November Christmas Market

KABS and OOSC are holding the popular Christmas Market, with a wide variety of local businesses and suppliers to help you on your way with your Christmas preparations.

3rd December Broughton Christmas Lights Switch On

Join in at 6pm and switch on your Christmas Lights in the village with KABS and OOSC. Refreshments and snacks served at the school gate and take part in our Christmas Star Trail for a chance to win a star prize.