

DIARY DATES

Dates for the School Year can be found on our website. [CLICK HERE](#) to go to the calendar.

Thursday 14th September

Year 6 Swimming Lessons Commence



Thursday 21st September

Year 4 & Year 5 Roots To Food Workshop



Friday 22nd September

FOBs AGM



Thursday 28th September

Year 3 visit to Hindu Temple & The Golden Mile



Thursday 28th September

Parent Workshop - Year 6 London Residential Visit



Friday 29th September

Harvest Festival - Reception and Year 6 Parents Invited



Governor Meetings

Tuesday 19th September
FGB Meeting



To see the latest Fobs minutes please click [here](#).



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

As a Church school family, we strive for excellence, ensuring that we all feel happy, valued and loved. We aim to provide an exciting, innovative, and relevant curriculum that enables all to 'shine' and develop as creative, respectful and independent citizens. We seek to promote equal opportunities for all so that each individual is encouraged to achieve their full potential and become lifelong learners who can make a positive contribution to society.

Newsletter 8th September 2023

Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it. Proverbs 22:6

Dear Parents/Carers,

Well, here we are. Can you believe it? The start of a new term and a new school year. Firstly, I'd like to extend a very warm welcome to our new Reception children and their families. They have settled in really well to school life and we are hoping that they've enjoyed their first few days at 'big school.'

Please may I remind our Reception parents that from next week, 11th September, we ask that Reception parents continue to bring the children down the side of the school hall, supported by Mr Batey but encourage the children to walk to their classrooms from there. At the end of the school day Reception parents should queue with the other infant parents on the Church path, at the end of the school day, between 3.15 and 3.25pm to collect their child/ren. Each class will go to the school hall and be handed over to their parent/carer from there. Please remember to leave through the car park.

Secondly, we'd like to wish last year's Year 6 children the very best of luck in all their new Secondary Schools. And hope that they too have had a lovely start to their secondary school journey.

As a school, we are extremely proud of our children and how they present both in school and to the wider community. It is important that we all support each other and the school's ethos. Thank you for your continued support, ensuring Barrowby CE Primary School continues to be a school that 'strives for excellence' and all that attend are 'happy, valued and loved.' We are stronger when we work together.

To that end, next week, we see the temperature return to 18-20 degrees and would ask that all parents adhere to the school's uniform policy and refrain from sending their children to school in shorts. In addition, I would like to remind parents that children should not wear ear rings to school. These should be removed before the start of school and can always be put back in after school has closed and the child/ren has returned home.

It is important that as a school, we continue to evolve and equip our children to be a part of an ever changing world. As always, thank you for your continued support.

I am confident that our children will continue to 'shine' in all that they do at Barrowby CE Primary School. We are excited about the many exciting opportunities that your children will have the opportunity to enjoy, this year, whether that be active learning, educational experiences such as attending visits and welcoming visitors in to our school as well as enjoying the range of extra-curricular activities both led by pupils, staff and coaches; due to start in the next few weeks.

What a wonderful way to spend their time. I hope you enjoy reading this week's Newsletter and learning a little bit more about our school and what we offer.

Len Batey-Headteacher

CREATIVITY



RESPECT



INDEPENDENCE



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Happy

Valued

Loved

Key Stage 2 House Captain Elections

Later this month, on 20th September, our Key Stage Two children will take part in our Annual House Captain Election. During this, our children in Year 6 that wish to be a House Captain will present to their house the reasons why they think they would be a suitable candidate.



The children will then vote for their chosen boy and girl in each house and Mr Batey will announce the new House Captains in a Friday Collective Worship. As a Key Stage, the children will spend time thinking about our British Values and how in our country we have a democracy which means we can vote in elections for representatives and leaders. We wish all our candidates the best of luck and look forward to another exciting year of house events!

Parent Reminders

Year 6 Swimming Lessons

Pupils in Year 6, Miss Lees' class, will take part in swimming lessons, from **Thursday 14th September 2023** until **Thursday 19th October 2023**.



All children are expected to take part in swimming lessons, as part of their P.E. curriculum. In most cases, if children are well enough to be at school, we would expect them to take part in the swimming lesson. Please ensure that your child has a swimming cap and appropriate swim wear in time for their next lesson.



Friends of Barrowby School AGM

As a parent of a child at Barrowby School you are invited to attend the Friends of Barrowby School AGM which takes place in school on **Friday 22nd September 2023** from 1.45pm – 3.00pm.

This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the ways that the Friends of Barrowby School have supported our school, as well as how they will continue to support our school this year, through a program of fundraising events. All are very welcome to attend. Perhaps, you may like to get involved as a committee member or as a volunteer, supporting events, on a more casual basis. We look forward to seeing you there!

Year 3 visit to St Philip's Centre and The Golden Mile

As part of our ongoing work to broaden our pupil's experiences, on Thursday 28th September, our Year 3 children will be visiting the St. Philip's Centre, as part of their RE studies, in Leicester. This visit is being subsidised by the school.



Whilst there, the children will visit a Hindu temple as well as a 'Sari shop' and a supermarket on the famous 'Golden Mile,' so the children can further explore and embrace cultural diversity. The children may take up to £5 spending money should they wish to purchase something during the day. This should be in a named purse and is the responsibility of the child.

Children will need to be in their full school uniform and will also need to take a packed lunch. If you have placed an order for a hot school meal for your child on this day and would like to your child to be provided with a packed lunch in place of this or should you wish to place an order for a packed lunch, please contact our hot school meal provider, The Farm Kitchen. Your order will need to be placed by Tuesday 19th September at 3.00pm.

Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

CHICHESTER

SCOTT

Pending Elections

Nut Free School

Please could we remind parents that we are a nut free school. We have children in school who suffer from severe allergies and can develop a severe, potentially life- threatening allergic reaction.

If someone has a nut allergy it is not just eating nuts that can cause a severe reaction, just being touched on the skin by someone who has had nuts or a product containing nuts can trigger anaphylactic shock (which can cause breathing and swallowing difficulties).

We therefore ask that you do not provide nut products in your child's lunch box.

For example:

- Chocolate spreads
- Peanut butter sandwiches
- Cereal Bars
- Cakes that contain nuts

Biscuits/Cookies that contain nuts

THIS SCHOOL IS NUT FREE



THANK YOU
for keeping our school safe!

The list is not exhaustive, so please check the packaging of products closely. We appreciate this is an additional thing to check and we know that you recognise the importance of this.



Hot School Meals

Have you ordered your hot school meals with our hot school meal provider, The Farm Kitchen? The deadline for ordering your hot school meals for the return to school for the week commencing Monday 18th September is Tuesday 12th September at 3.00pm.

BARROWBY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals - Menu Sheet

Mon 18 September - Fri 22 September



	Monday 18 September	Tuesday 19 September	Wednesday 20 September	Thursday 21 September	Friday 22 September
Main Course 1	BBQ Pulled Pork in a Roll, Pasta Salad, Green Salad and BBQ Sauce	Macaroni Cheese served with Mixed Salad	Lincolnshire Beefburger in a Roll, Diced Potatoes, Salad Platter and Tomato Ketchup	Roast Chicken, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Jumbo Fishfinger, Mashed Potatoes and Baked Beans
or					
Main Course 2	Cheese Sandwiches with Vegetable Sticks	Ham and Cucumber Baguette with Vegetable Sticks	Jacket Potato, Mild Coconut Veggie Curry and Salad Platter	BBQ Pulled Pork Baguette and Mixed Salad	Salmon Fishcake, Mashed Potato and Baked Beans
or					
Vegetarian Option	Jacket Potato, Veggie Bolognaise and Vegetable Sticks	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans, Vegetable Sticks	Quorn Burger in a Roll, Diced Potatoes, Salad Platter and Tomato Ketchup	Vegan Strips in Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Jacket Potato, Baked Bean Hotpot, and Vegetable Sticks
Pudding 1	Frozen Raspberry Ripple Mousse (not suitable for vegetarians)	Peach Slices and a Shortbread Finger	Apple and Blackberry Crumble with Custard	Orange Drizzle Cake	Chocolate Cornflake Cake
or					
Pudding 2	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt
or					
Fruit	Apples - individual	Banana - individual	Apples - individual	Banana - individual	Apples - individual