#### **DIARY DATES**

Dates for the School Year can be found on our website. **CLICK HERE** to go to the calendar.

#### Thursday 9th May

Year 3 Swimming Léssons

Commence



#### Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th May

Year 6 SATS



#### Thursday 16th May

Mini Red Tennis Competition-Selected Children



#### Friday 17th May

Year 6 BP∩



#### Friday 17th May

Pentecost Service All Saint's Church, Barrowby



#### Thursday 23rd May

Girl's Dynamo Cricket Festival -Selected Children



#### **Governor Meetings**

Tuesday 14th May **FGB** Meeting



Friday 19th April



### Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Our School's Vision: 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 3rd May 2024**

Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labour or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendour was dressed like one of these

Luke 12:27

Dear Parents/Carers

Good afternoon all, as I sit here, the weather has changed again. Where's the lovely weather from yesterday?

Despite the unseasonal weather the children are beginning to enjoy all that our outdoors have to offer. Indeed, I am thrilled to share some pictures of our school grounds:







Reading Den

Adventure Playground

Wildflower Meadow

Pond

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of FoBs and our parents for their ongoing support. I am delighted to announce that our Pond Refurbishment is nearing completion.

We're just waiting for the new chalk board to arrive and for a group of volunteers to help us plant bulbs and other plants/flowers in this area. We're also hoping to install another path for access from the field as well as purchase some further resources for this area e.g. bean bags/ cushions for the children to use, as well as a storage unit for the pond dipping equipment. More to follow.





Please may I remind parents to supervise their children at the beginning of the school day when dropping them off between 8.45 and 9.00am. Please don't let the younger children play in the Church Yard and please wait until a member of staff is on duty before leaving your older child. As always thank you for you support and enjoy your Bank Holiday weekend.

Len Batey-Headteacher



**FOBs Committee Meeting** 









Visit our school's page by **CLICKING HERE.** 

Happy

Valued

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#### **Events In School**

#### **Year 4 House Swimming Championship**

On Thursday 2nd May, our Year 4 children enjoyed the last of their swimming lessons with the grand House Swimming Championships! The children took part in a variety of races such as the dolphin race, motorbike race and the famous team shopping trolley race! The children battled it out to be crowned champion! Results will be revealed in Collective Worship.



#### **Upcoming Year 6 SATS**



On the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May our Year 6 children will be sitting their KS2 SATs. Our children have worked incredibly hard this year with Miss Lees and Mrs Kay and we can't wait for them to show off everything they have learnt! We ask that all children are in school for 8:45am to allow for some last minute reminders. The children are also very excited for their end of SATs BBQ on the Friday.

#### The Reading Den

Our School Reading Den is filling up very nicely. We have received some very generous donations of magazines and comics. Thank you. I am sure the children will thoroughly enjoy reading these. If anyone has any further donations please kindly bring them to the school office.









#### **Parent Reminders**



#### **Bank Holiday**

Please note school will be closed on Monday 6th May for the Bank Holiday.

#### **Year 4 visit to Londonthorpe Woods**

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Children will need to be provided with a packed lunch for the visit and a bottle of water.

Due to the nature of the visit and the potential rainy weather conditions, we ask that your child please arrives at school dressed suitably for the weather and activity of exploring woodland area. This should include a raincoat, suitable footwear such as wellington boots / walking boots and hat/gloves as appropriate. Please send your child to school with their school uniform to be changed back into when we arrive back at school.

#### **Year 3 Swimming Lessons**

Pupils in Year 3, Mrs Catons's class, will take part in swimming lessons, from **Thursday 9th May** until **Thursday 27th June 2024.** 



The Meres Leisure Centre requires boys to wear appropriate trunks (not shorts) and all children, (boys and girls) to wear a swimming cap for lessons. Please ensure that your child has appropriate swim wear in time for their next lesson. The school will be providing their swim hats for the duration of their swim.

As you are aware earrings are not permitted in school and therefore should not be worn for swimming.

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#### The Farm Kitchen - 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 week commencing **Monday 13th May** is **Tuesday 7th May** at **3.00pm**.

#### BARROWBY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals - Menu Sheet

Mon 13 May - Fri 17 May

THE FARM	Monday 13 May	Tuesday 14 May	Wednesday 15 May	Thursday 16 May	Friday 17 May
Main Course 1	Tex Mex Tacos and Beef Chilli (Mild), Rice and Vegetable Sticks	Roast Pork served with Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Lincolnshire Sausage Roll, Diced Potato and Baked Beans	Cheese and Tomato Pizza, Sweetcorn and Cucumber Slices	Lincolnshire Fishcake, Mashed Potato, Garden Peas and Tomato Ketchup
Main Course	Cheese Sandwiches with Vegetable Sticks	Chicken Mayonnaise Submarine Roll with Cucumber Slices			Cheese and Cucumber Sub Roll with Carrot Sticks
Main Course					
Vegetarian Option	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and Vegetable Sticks	Leek and Potato Hotpot with a Cheese Topping served with Peas and Carrots	Puff Pastry Veggie Sausage Roll, Diced Potatoes and Baked Beans	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and Cucumber Slices	Veggie Cottage Pie, Peas and Ketchup
Pudding 1	Frozen Raspberry Ripple Mousse (contains gelatine)	Slice of Melon and Mini Shortbread	Mandarin and Orange Jelly (contains gelatine)	Competition Chocolate Cornflake Cake	Pineapple Sponge Cake served with Custard
Pudding 2	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Raspberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt
Fruit	Apples - individual	Satsuma - individual	Slice of Honeydew Melon	Apples - individual	Fruit Salad
Packed Lunch	Packed Lunch - Sliced Cheese Sandwich, Vegetable Sticks, Strawberry Yoghurts and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Tuna Mayonnaise Submarine Roll, Cucumber Slices, Satsuma and a piece of Shortbread (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Soft Cheese and Cucumber Bagel, Carrot Sticks, Banana and Sultana Slice and a Satsuma (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Sliced Cheese and Cucumber Sandwich Carrot Sticks, Comflake Cake, Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Chicken and Sweetcorn Mayo Roll, Carrot and Cucumber Sticks, Pineapple, Lime and Coconut Cake and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)

Weekly House Point Totals

359

408

**462** 

#### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

Please find below the extra-curricular activities available for the Summer term. Please ensure that you make your selections provided on your forms via Parentmail by **Wednesday 8th May 2024 at 10.00am** when bookings for our Summer extra-curricular activities will close.

You will be notified by Parentmail on **Friday 10th May 2024** if your child has been allocated a place on the **after school activities only.** 



#### Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Extra-Curricular Activities – Summer Term 2024
Dear Parents/Carers, the following extended school clubs will take place this term:

Day	Session	Club	Time	For	Run by:
Monday	Lunch	Hand Eye Co-Ordination Club Trim Trail Club Mindful Colouring Club Athletics Club Coding Club Origami Club Chess Club (Until Half Term)	12.45 - 1.15pm 12.45 - 1.15pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm	Reception Year 1 & 2 Year 3 & 4 Year 3 & 4 Year 3 & 4 Year 5 & 6	Pupil Led Pupil Led Miss Lees Pupil Led Pupil Led Pupil Led Mrs Ward
	After school	Alice In Wonderland Drama Club (Until half term) Tri-Golf club	3.15 – 4.30pm 3.15 – 4.30pm 3.15 – 4.30pm	Year 2 Year 3 & 4	Mrs Watson Mr Liversidge
Tuesday	Lunch	Fun Club Dance Club KS1 Choir Cricket Club British Sign Language Club (After Half Term) Netball Club Librarian Club Year 6 Catch Up Club	12.45 - 1.15pm 12.45 - 1.15pm 12.45 - 1.15pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm	Reception Year 1 & 2 Year 1 & 2 Year 3 Year 3 & 4 Year 4 Invited Children Invited Children	Pupil Led Pupil Led Mrs Selby Pupil Led Mr Caton  Pupil Led Mrs Ward Miss Lees
Wednesday	After school Lunch	Cricket Club Activities Club Football Club	3.15 – 4.15pm 12.45 – 1.15pm 12.45 – 1.15pm	Year 5 & 6 Reception & Year 1 Year 2	Mr Caton Pupil Led Pupil Led
		Tennis Club Story Writing Athletics Club (From 24th April until	12.05 – 12.35pm 12.05 – 12.35pm 12.05 – 12.35pm 3.15 – 4.30pm	Year 3 & 4 Year 5 & 6	Pupil Led Pupil Led Inspire+ Coach
	school	22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2024)	3.15 – 4.30pm	Teal 3 d 0	inspire Coacii
Thursday	Lunch	Treasure Hunt Club KS1 Choir Art Club Magic Club Rounders Club 11+ Club Beginners Recorders	12.45 - 1.15pm 12.45 - 1.15pm 12.45 - 1.15pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm 12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 1 Year 1 & 2 Year 2 Year 3 & 4 Year 4 Year 5 Invited children	Pupil Led Mrs Selby Pupil Led Pupil Led Pupil Led Mr Batey Mrs Tinkley
	After school	Summer Club (After Half Term) Long Distance Running Club Gardening & Eco-Warriors Club	3.15 – 4.30pm 3.15 – 4.30pm 3.15 – 4.30pm	Year 1 & 2 Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Years 4,5 & 6	Mrs Watson Mrs Banfield Mrs Goodband & Mrs Walton
Friday	Lunch	Football Club Intermediate Recorders	12.05 – 12.35pm 12.05 – 12.35pm	Year 5 Invited children	Pupil Led Mrs Tinkley
	After school				

Clubs/extra-curricular activities will begin in the week beginning Monday 13th May 2024 (unless otherwise stated), and end for the term week ending Friday 28th June 2024. (unless otherwise stated) Please keep this information in a safe place.























**BOYS/GIRLS AGED 5-12** 

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