

### DIARY DATES

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



## 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 20th September 2024**

*Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you* Matthew 7:7

Dear Parents/Carers  
What a very busy week we have all enjoyed at Barrowby CE Primary School. I can't quite believe everything the children are able to enjoy from active playtimes, 'pop-up kitchens' and creative lessons. Wow! I hope you enjoy reading this week's Newsletter.  
Len Batey-Headteacher

### Active Playground



This week the children have thoroughly enjoyed all that is on offer at playtime and lunchtime, on the playground. It is wonderful to see so many happy children at play whether that be using the Lego Station, Reading Den, Gym Equipment, skipping, using hoola hoops, riding scooters, balance bikes, building towers with blocks, playing Connect 4 -the list goes on!

Next week, we're introducing more opportunities to use the field at these times and can't wait to start the extra-curricular activities. Watch this space.

### Key Stage 2 House Elections

On Wednesday 18th September, our Key Stage Two children took part in our Annual House Captain Election.



During this, our children in Year 6 that wished to be a house captain, presented to their house the reasons why they think they would be a suitable candidate. The children then voted for their chosen boy and girl in each house.

As a Key Stage, we spent 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 were extremely impressed with the effort that each candidate put in to their presentations. The children beautifully demonstrated our core values throughout the whole process and we were particularly impressed with their presentation skills, pausing appropriately and projecting their voices.

We wish them luck and results will be announced today! Once they have been announced, children will then have the chance to put themselves forward for the Fundraising Committee and many other exciting opportunities. Good luck.



**Happy Valued Loved**

**Thursday 26th September**  
Parent Workshop - Year 6 London Residential Visir



**Friday 27th September**  
FOBs AGM



**Monday 30th September**  
Extra-Curricular Activities Commence



**Monday 30th September**  
Year 4 PGL Residential Visit



**Tuesday 1st October**  
Year 4 PGL Residential Visit



**Thursday 3rd October**  
Year 3 visit to St Philip's Centre & The Golden Mile



### Governor Meetings

Tuesday 1st October  
FGB Meeting



Visit our school's page by [CLICKING HERE.](#)



## Badminton Club

The first of our extra curricular clubs begun this week with a group of our Year 5 children enjoying a Badminton Club run by a coach from Inspire+. We're very much looking forward to see how the children's skills progress across their time in the club.

## Outdoor Work

We have been busy making some exciting new developments to our school grounds this week including the brand new 'Craft Shack,' starting to be built. Another development the children may have spotted is the new fence we have had installed around our beautiful Reading Den. This is to ensure the space remains purposeful and safe for all children to enjoy.



## Roots To Food Workshop - Year 4

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September, our Year 4 children enjoyed their Roots to Food cookery workshop with Darren Tinkler. They created a brand new dish this year- Szechwan chicken! The children worked beautifully and enjoyed the most delicious reward at the end! Well done.

## Roots To Food Workshop - Year 5

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September, our Year 5 children had a fantastic time with Chef Darren from Roots to food. During this amazing experience, they got to create the famous, traditional Chinese dish, Szechwan chicken. This was accompanied by a variety of different vegetables. Well done!



## Szechwan Chicken

- 4 Small Chicken Breast diced (or :  
1 x 200g bag Frozen Diced Quorn)
- ½ tsp Smoked Paprika
- 8tbs Light Soy Sauce
- 2tbs Clear Honey
- 1 Red Onion thinly sliced
- 4 Spring Onion thinly sliced
- 50g Mangetout chopped in half
- 1 Whole Carrot peeled and sliced thinly
- 1 Yellow Pepper sliced
- 1 Red Pepper sliced
- 200g Cooked Easy Cook Long Grain Rice
- 30g Fresh Ginger finely chopped
- 2 Garlic Clove crushed and peeled
- 30g Fresh Coriander chopped
- Water for steaming

### Method

1. To make the Szechwan sauce place the smoked paprika, 6 tbs soy sauce and honey into bowl and whisk together to combine.
2. Place the chicken or Quorn into a bowl and add the ginger and 2 tbs soy sauce and stir, mix, fold to marinade.
3. Heat a non-stick frying pan or saucepan or wok (with lid) add two tablespoons water and the fresh crushed garlic
4. Sear the chicken in the hot pan for two minutes on each side, add the red onion and carrots then place the lid on the pan and steam for 90 seconds. Remove the lid carefully.
5. Add the mangetout, carrots, peppers, spring onion and stir for one minute.
7. Now add the Szechwan sauce and stir for one minute, then add the fresh coriander.
8. Add the cooked rice and stir until all of the ingredients are combined
9. Serve in to the centre of four plates.
10. Enjoy.

## Celebrating Success

We would like to share a wonderful tennis journey success story! Our Year 5 pupil entered the Lincolnshire County Championship and won the under 9 age group in the girls singles event (27th August 2024). We are very proud of her. This is the highest achievement for her in her tennis journey so far. She showed great discipline and dedication in her training prior to the competition. It was actually a tight match on the day but she made it. Hopefully she will continue her hard work and progress further. Well done.



## Parental Reminders



### Year 6 Residential Visit to London Meeting

On **Thursday 26th September 2024**, from 5.00pm-6.00pm, there will be a short information meeting, for our parents and pupils of Year 6, about the annual Residential Visit to London-in the school hall. We look forward to seeing you there.

## FOBs 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 **Thursday 19th September** 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.

## MacMillan Coffee Morning

This year, we will once again be participating in the 'Macmillan The World's Biggest Coffee Morning' in school on **Friday 27th September from 10.30am - 12.00**, we would love for you to join us.

Our coffee morning will be held in the Old School Room. There will be refreshments and a raffle available.



We would very much appreciate any donations of cakes, from businesses and individuals, to help support this very worthwhile event. Thank you in advance for any donation that you are able to make. These should be brought to the school office on **Friday 27th September 2024**.

Every penny we raise together, will be crucial for people living with cancer, now more than ever.

As always, thank you for your continued support.

## 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 3rd October 2024 our Year 3 children will be visiting the St. Philip's Centre, as part of their RE studies, in Leicester.

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.

Please ensure your child arrives at school at 8.45am for a prompt departure at 9.00am. The children will return to school for the end of the school day at 3.15pm. Children will need to be in their full school uniform and will also need to take a packed lunch.





## Extra-Curricular Activities

Please find below the extra-curricular activities for Autumn term 2024. You have been notified on Parentmail today, **Friday 20th September** if your child been allocated a place on the **after - school activities only**.

Clubs/extra-curricular activities will begin in the week beginning Monday 30th September 2024 (**unless otherwise stated**), and end for the term week ending Friday 22nd November 2024. (**unless otherwise stated**)

Day	Session	Club	Time	For	Run by:
Monday	Lunch	Chess	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 5 & 6	Mrs Ward Miss Lees Pupil Led
		Mindful Colouring	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 3 & 4	
Parachute Games		12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 1 & 2		
	After school	Tri-Golf	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 6	Mr Liversidge Mrs Banfield Inspire+ Coach
		Watercolour Art Club	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 3 & 4	
		Inspire+ Badminton	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 5 - Places Allocated	
Tuesday	Lunch	Key Stage 1 Choir	12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 1 & Year 2	Mrs Selby Mr Caton Pupil Led
		Hockey	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 5 & 6	
		Run Around	12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 2	
Wednesday	After school	Orchestra & Advanced Recorders	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6	Mr Batey Mr Caton Mrs Watson Miss Smith
		Tag Rugby	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 5 & 6	
		Discovering Autumn	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 1 & 2	
		Ultimate Frisbee	3.15 - 4.00pm	Year 5	
	Lunch	Cross Country Running	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 5 & 6	Mr Batey Miss Lees Pupil Led
Barrowby Journalist Club		12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 5 & 6		
Dance		12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 2		
Thursday	After school	Boys Football Team Training	3.15 - 4.30pm	Year 5 & 6	Mr Olalere Miss Smith
		Obstacle Course	3.15 - 4.00pm	Year 3	
	Lunch	Key Stage 2 Choir	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6	Mrs Selby Mrs Goodband Mrs Tinkley Pupil Led
		Eco Warriors	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 5 & 6	
		Beginner Recorders	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 3	
Let's Play	12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 1			
After school	Circuit Training	3.15 - 4.00pm	Year 4	Miss Smith	
Friday	Lunch	Story Time	12.45 - 1.15pm	Year 1	Pupil Led Mrs Ward
		Girl's Football	12.05 - 12.35pm	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6	
	After school				



## Year 4 Residential Visit to PGL

As you will be aware, our Residential Visit to PGL is now very close and I am sure that the children are all very excited.

Below are a few last minute reminders, for parents:



- All parents will need to complete the Medication Form which will be available on ParentmailPMX. Please could you kindly complete the form by **Friday 20th September 2024**.
- **If your child requires medication, please bring it into school between 3.15pm and 3.45pm on Friday 27th September.** This will allow us to ensure that all medication is correct; permission forms are signed by parents; medication is given to the adult responsible for your child at PGL and that parents have the opportunity to discuss any medical concerns, in person.
- All medication should be clearly labelled with your child's name and dosage instructions.
- Please arrive promptly at school, on Monday 30th September at 8.45 am.
- Please do not send your child with jeans, as they become very uncomfortable if they become wet.
- Please ensure your children have appropriate footwear such as wellies/ trainers.
- Children may bring spending money, but no more than £5 please.
- Children will be arriving back to school within the school day on Tuesday and should be collected as normal at 3.15 pm.

### Kit List

All kit should be clearly labelled with your child's name, and should be packed into a rucksack or holdall which they are able to carry themselves.

### Essential Items



- A sleeping bag and pillow
- Warm Jumper
- Trousers
- T-shirts/shirts
- Barrowby School Navy blue Outdoor PE Top
- School hats will be given to children for the duration of the visit.

Appropriate comfortable footwear (Wellington boots may be brought, please ensure they are packed into your child's rucksack or holdall)

Waterproof coat

### Other Items

- Washing gear (in a bag): deodorant (roll-on); Tooth brush etc.; Towel; Brush/comb
- Underwear and socks
- Appropriate Night Wear; dressing gown; slippers; 'Teddy' (small)
- Handkerchiefs/tissues
- Lip salve

### Optional Items (These items are brought entirely at your own risk)

- Up to £5 pocket money (optional) in a named purse/wallet
- Camera
- Books
- Comics
- Watch

### Banned equipment

- Any electrical equipment eg MP3/ipod
- Make-up
- Jewellery e.g. ear rings
- Mobile phones
- Sweets or extra food
- Aerosols e.g. deodorant

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to review the Year 3 Residential Visit Workshop Presentation for further information.

# BINGO



**ITS BACK!!!!**

**FOBS family Bingo and games night**

On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October, we will be hosting our 'Family bingo and games night' in school. This will be held in the school hall and the doors will open at 5:30pm when there will be an opportunity to come along, enjoy some refreshments and meet some of the other parents before the games begin. First game will begin at 6:00pm and the event is expected to finish at approximately 7:30pm.

Tickets will be available on the night, and you will be able to book in advance via Parentmail from Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September. Tickets will be priced at £1.50 each and this includes one FREE bingo game. There will be a total of 4 games on the evening including a mystery picture round. Additional game entries will be available to purchase on the evening at 50p along with a selection of refreshments including hotdogs! There will be some great prizes on offer. This event is open to young and old, the more the merrier. Eyes down for a full house!!!

This is a great way to support FOBS in raising money for the school whilst having fun and possibly winning a few prizes. All funds raised from the event will go towards future school projects that benefit all children in the school. We look forward to seeing you there!



## The Farm Kitchen

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 30th September** is **Tuesday 24th September at 3.00pm.**

### BARROWBY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

#### The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals - Menu Sheet

Mon 30 September - Fri 4 October



	Monday 30 September	Tuesday 1 October	Wednesday 2 October	Thursday 3 October	Friday 4 October
Main Course 1 	Cheese and Pineapple Pizza, Sweetcorn and Cucumber Slices	Lincolnshire Day - Roast Gammon, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Macaroni Cheese, Crusty Bread and Vegetable Sticks	Competition Day - All Day Breakfast - Pork Chipolatas, Hash Brown, Baked Beans and a Mini Bread Roll	Breaded Fish Fillet, Mashed Potato, Garden Peas and Tomato Ketchup
Main Course 2 	Jacket Potato, Beef Bolognese and Sweetcorn	Individual Cheese Quiche, New Potatoes, Salad Platter and Mayonnaise	Cheese and Potato Bake served with Vegetable Sticks	Gluten Free Fishfingers, New Potatoes and Baked Beans	Salmon Fishcake, Mashed Potato, Peas and Ketchup
Main Course 3 	Ham Sandwiches with Cucumber Slices	Cheese Sandwiches and a Salad Platter	Tuna and Sweetcorn Sandwiches and Vegetable Sticks	Roast Beef Baguette with Cucumber Sticks	Egg Mayonnaise Sub Roll with Cucumber Slices
Vegetarian Option 	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and Cucumber Slices	Lentil and Vegetable Cottage Pie served with Carrots and Peas	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and Vegetable Sticks	Competition Day - All Day Breakfast - Veggie Sausage, Hash Browns, Baked Beans and a Mini Bread Roll	Vegetable Hotpot topped with Sliced Potatoes and Peas
pudding 1 	Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard	Lincolnshire Day - Iced Carrot Cake	Chunky Funky Orange Jelly (contains gelatine)	Competition Day - Vanilla Ice Cream	Orange Wedge and Mini Shortbread
pudding 2 	Individual Yeo Valley Raspberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt
Fruit	Apples - individual	Slice of Honeydew Melon	Fruit Salad	Apples - individual	Satsuma - individual

## CASHPOT For Schools!

We would love you to support our school! Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024, every time customers shop with Asda using their Rewards app, you can choose a primary school to receive a percentage of your spend.!

All this is at no cost to you! To get this free money for our school all you need to do is:

- 1 - Download and sign up to the Asda Rewards app, opt in to the Cashpot for Schools Campaign and select Poplar Farm School. Once opted in and selected our school, Asda will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help them get started. Each school will get an additional £50.00 added to their cashpot, after at least one customer has shopped and scanned their Rewards app.
- 2 - Shop in store, across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com
- 3 - That's it! Asda will do the rest!

Barrowby Church of England Primary School

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### Weekly House Point Totals

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