

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 7th February 2025

The child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was upon him. [Luke 2:40](#)

Dear Parents/Carers

Wow, what an incredibly busy week we have all enjoyed at Barrowby CE Primary School. I can't believe how much we are doing. I hope to see some of you at the pool tomorrow?

Len Batey - Headteacher

Events In School

Gymnastics

We have children from Year 2 - Year 6 come together every Tuesday afternoon for Gymnastic practice for the Gymnastic Championship Competition taking place on Sunday 16th March 2025 at the Grantham Meres Leisure Centre.



The children have been giving their best effort, showing off their skills. The competition will give everyone the chance to showcase their talent and hard work, and we can't wait to see what they can do! All of these children have shown exceptional skill, teamwork, and perseverance. Well done to all of the team and good luck.

Shuttle Stars Badminton



On Wednesday 6th February, children from Year 5 had a fantastic opportunity to take part in the KS2 Shuttle Stars Badminton Festival at Grantham & Kesteven Girls' School. Children played and practised in 7 different activities in which they showcased and enhanced a range of different Badminton skills! Our Year 5 team demonstrated excellent team-work and creativity when participating- demonstrating a willingness to explore and work hard. Well done team Barrowby!

Pupil Leadership

At Barrowby C of E Primary School, we believe in nurturing the school value of independence in our children. This term, we are excited to have multiple leadership opportunities available to both Key Stage one and Key Stage Two, which not only foster independence but also build confidence and responsibility.

This term, our Year 6 children have stepped up to lead various extra-curricular clubs, taking charge and planning exciting activities for our younger years. We are incredibly proud of all our pupil leaders and the independence they demonstrate every day. Their efforts not only enhance our school environment but also prepare them for future leadership roles. Keep up the great work, everyone!

CREATIVITY



RESPECT



INDEPENDENCE

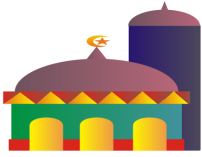


Tuesday 11th February
House Tournament Paralympic Challenge

Tuesday 11th February
Parent Workshop - E-Safety



Wednesday 12th February
Year 5 visit to St Phillips Centre



Thursday 13th February
SEND Review Meetings



Friday 14th February 2025
Last Day of Term



Thursday 27th February
Bee Netball Tournament - Selected Children



Governor Meetings

Tuesday 4th February 2025
FGB



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Happy

Valued

Loved

Parental Reminders



Grantham Rotary Swimarathon

Tomorrow, Saturday 8th February, we will be entering eight teams into this year's Swimarathon. Thank you for signing up to this fun and exciting event.

Children and adults taking part will need to arrive at the Meres Leisure Centre at 11.00am and should **come dressed ready to swim**. **Parents are requested to stay with their child/ren for the duration of the event, children should be collected at 12.30pm.**

Swimmers will be expected to get ready to swim in the spectator area, so remember to come dressed ready to swim with also your blue Barrowby PE t-shirt on. Please also remember to bring two drinks with you, preferably water bottles with your name clearly written on it, as swimming can be thirsty work and the main pool area can get very warm.

The children, past pupils and adults will swim in teams, with each person swimming a length at a time as a continuous relay. It is hoped that in an hour each team should complete as many lengths as they can.

After the event, all swimmers - exit to the changing rooms as quickly as they can. Parents should take their children into the changing rooms and help supervise their own child/ren getting changed.

Parents who are not swimming are required to stay to be on-hand in case of any problems and to cheer us on!

If you are not able to join us tomorrow for this event but would like to make a donation to this worthwhile charity that supports local causes, please scan the QR code provided to take you to Barrowby CE Primary School JustGiving page. We are very much looking to seeing you all tomorrow and once again, agreeing to support our school and the Rotary Club of Grantham. Go Barrowby!!



Paralympic House Tournament

Our Paralympic tournament will take place on Tuesday 11th February, all children will participate in activities linked to the paralympic values of equality, inspiration, courage and determination. Please ensure your child has their indoor and outdoor PE kit in school for this event.

E-Safety Parent Workshop

As a part of your child's education at Barrowby CE Primary school we aim to promote safer use of computers, the internet and the ever-growing technological world we now live in. As part of our computing curriculum, we envisage to support our children with the knowledge and tools to keep them safe from threats and dangers of the online world.



Talking to your child can be a daunting prospect, but it's important. Your children need to know they can talk to you if something does go wrong, when working or socialising online. It is because of these challenges that we would like to invite you and your child to attend an E-Safety workshop with Mr Caton. This presentation will be delivered in school on **Tuesday 11th February 2025 from 5.00pm - 6.00pm.**

We hope to see you there.

We hope you will be able to join us for the presentation. It will also give you the opportunity to ask any questions you may have or to voice any concerns around e-safety, use of social media or support you can provide at home.

Year 5 visit to St Phillips Centre & Mosque

As part of our ongoing work to broaden our pupil's experiences, on Wednesday 12th February 2025 our Year 5 children will be visiting the St. Philip's Centre, as part of their RE studies, in Leicester.



While at the centre they will participate in faith based 'compare and contrast' interactive learning and activities. They will then reflect on the differences between Barrowby and Leicester in terms of faith diversity and have the opportunity to ask any questions they may have.

The children will also visit a mosque. Whilst there they will have the opportunity to speak to a Muslim faith practitioner. They will learn about the history and development of Islam as well as Muslim ways of worship and living. They will also gain a deeper understanding of the purpose and features of a mosque.

Children will need to be in their full school uniform and girls should also take a scarf to cover their head.



SEND Review Meetings

Our SEND Review meetings will take place on Thursday 13th February 2025. The appointments will run from 3.45pm - 5.15pm, This year all appointments will be held face to face in school.

It is important that parents ensure they attend these meetings, at their reserved times so you and the teacher can review your child's SEND Support Plan. At the meeting parents will receive a copy of their child's Support Plan and the proposed plan. Should you need to confirm your appointment time, please contact the school office on 01476 566121.

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 after February half term for week commencing **Monday 24th February 2025** is **Tuesday 18th February 2025 at 3.00pm.**

BARROWBY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL
The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals - Menu Sheet
Mon 24 February - Fri 28 February

	Monday 24 February	Tuesday 25 February	Wednesday 26 February	Thursday 27 February	Friday 28 February
Main Course 1	Chicken in a Handmade Tomato Sauce, Rice and Peas	Roast Beef, Roast Potatoes, Sliced Cabbage, Carrots, Green Beans and Gravy	Ham and Cheese Pasta Bake, Crusty Wholemeal Bread and Vegetable Sticks	Lincolnshire Beefburger in a Bread Roll, Mixed Salad, Diced Potatoes and Tomato Ketchup	Breaded Fish Fillet, Mashed Potato, Garden Peas and Tomato Ketchup
Main Course 2	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and Cucumber Slices	Jacket Potato, Tuna Mayonnaise and Mixed Salad	Jacket Potato, Chicken and Sweetcorn Mayonnaise and Vegetable Sticks	Jacket Potato, Grated Cheese and a Mixed Salad	Gluten Free Fishfingers, Mashed Potato, Garden Peas and Ketchup
Main Course 3	Ham Sandwiches with Cucumber Slices	Egg Mayonnaise Sub Roll with Vegetable Sticks	Grated Cheese Sub Roll and a Salad Platter	Soft Cheese and Cucumber Bagel with a Mixed Salad	Roast Beef and Tomato Roll served with Salad Platter
Vegetarian Option	Veggie Bolognese, Fusilli Pasta and Peas	Fusilli Pasta in a Tomato Sauce with Crusty Bread and Vegetable Sticks	Veggie Lasagne, Crusty Bread and Vegetable Sticks	Puff Pastry Veggie Sausage Roll, Diced Potatoes and a Mixed Salad	Jacket Potato, Mild Chickpea and Vegetable Curry and Carrot Sticks
Pudding 1	Frozen Raspberry Ripple Mousse (contains gelatine)	Honeydew Melon Slice	Raspberry Jelly (contains gelatine)	Oaty Apple Crumble and Custard	Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard
Pudding 2	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt
Fruit	Apples - individual	Apples - individual	Watermelon Wedge	Satsuma - individual	Satsuma - individual

Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

404

CHICHESTER

600

SCOTT

459



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February Half Term Girls Dynamos Camps



Tuesday 18th February
Clee Fields Sports Hall
DN32 9SW

Wednesday 19th February
Witham Hall School
PE10 0JJ

Thursday 20th February
Pembroke Academy Sports
Hall
LN3 4JP

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Times:
10:00 -
14:30

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NHS



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Most community pharmacies across Lincolnshire can provide advice and treatment for your child for these common conditions.

It's a free and confidential way to get qualified help and can be much quicker than visiting your GP or an urgent care service.

Earache
Ages 1 to 17 years

1

Impetigo
Ages 1 year and over

2

Infected Insect Bites
Ages 1 year and over

3

Sinusitis
Ages 12 years and over

4

Sore Throat
Ages 5 years and over

5

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nearest
pharmacy.



**Patients already exempt from prescription charges, i.e. children, will get their treatment free, for the listed conditions. Otherwise usual prescription charges will apply.*