

## DIARY DATES

Dates for the School Year can be found on our website.

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Thursday 9th– Friday 10th June  
London residential



Thursday 23rd June  
6 Bistro Evening

Friday 24th June  
Year 3 Class Assembly

Friday 24th June  
Music for Schools presentation for parents



Monday 27th June  
Sports Day

Tuesday 28th June  
Reserve Sports Day

Thursday 7th July  
Year 1/2 visit to Rutland Water

Monday 11th July  
Year 6 Party

Thursday 14th July  
Year 5 Class Visit to St Phillip's Centre, Leicester

Thursday 21st July  
School closes for Summer holidays



Friday 17th June  
FoBs meeting in school at 2.00 pm.



# Barrowby Church of England Primary School

## Newsletter

10 June 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back, one and all to the final term of the academic year! I hope that you all enjoyed a restful break-despite the weather.

This week sees the continuation of our planned school refurbishments. The contractors have worked tirelessly over the half-term break and are making good progress. To track the 'School Developments' and view images of the build to date, please [CLICK HERE](#).

All children are enjoying the weather, at the moment and have settled well into school life. As you read this, our Year 6 children, Mrs Wright, Mrs Watson, Mrs Kay, Mrs Morris, Mrs Bird and I will be enjoying our annual residential visit to London. Updates to follow in next week's newsletter.

I look forward to sharing with you the variety of fun-filled activities, our children, will be enjoying, over the coming weeks-in this term. Happy reading!

Mr L Batey Headteacher

## School Events

### Olympic Swimmer

Sophie Allen is an Olympic swimmer who competed at the 2012 Summer Olympics in the 200-metre individual medley. She has been working in school with three Y5 pupils, to help them develop pledges – long term aims and targets set by the children with her support.



She has worked with them on a 1-1 basis to discuss their progress with this pledge, set small targets to help them reach it, and gives them ideas on how they can improve. Most of the work has been around the children's self-belief, confidence, and encouraging pupil leadership.



### Y2 Swimming

Our Year 2 children have had their first experience of school swimming lessons this week. All of the children did really well and thoroughly enjoyed it. It turns out we have some very talented swimmers in Year 2!

### Monet Art Display

Our reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children have been working on a huge Monet water lilies picture. All of the children have helped with this as part of the Homes and Habitats topic. They have enjoyed working on such a large scale project.

When finished this will be displayed in the infant resource area.



### Sports Day

We have a very busy term ahead of us with one of the highlights being Sports Day. This is scheduled for Monday 27th June at 1.30 pm (weather permitting!) Tuesday 28th June is the reserve date if we are unlucky with the weather on the Monday. We look forward to sharing this with you!



### Kitchen Units and Dishwasher

As part of our ongoing refurbishment works, we are having our staff room renovated and changed into a classroom. In light of this, we no longer require the kitchen units and the dishwasher (see picture).

If you are interested in any of these units, or the integral dishwasher, then please contact the school office as soon as possible as we need to get rid of these by next Friday.



### Hats and Shorts

We have been fortunate and had some lovely weather this week. Please can you ensure that your child has a hat with them in school as there seem to be a lot of children without them!



We also seem to have a lot of children wearing cargo-style shorts with pockets on the outside, which are not part of our school uniform. Please do not send your children to school in this style of shorts.

### Extra-Curricular Activities

We are always updating this section of our website with new opportunities. We are also putting any open days for secondary schools onto this section of our website. Please click [here](#) to see the latest additions.