

DIARY DATES

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

[CLICK HERE](#) to go to the calendar.

Thursday 15th September
Year 5 Science Extravaganza– Priory
Ruskin Academy

Wednesday 21st September
Year 6 Ministry of Science Workshop

Saturday 24th September
Year 6 Gravity Fields Parade

Thursday 29th September—Friday
30th September
Year 4 PGL Visit

Friday 30th September
9.00 am McMillan Coffee Morning

Tuesday 4th October
Sculpture artist to work with Year 5

Thursday 6th October
2.15 pm Harvest Festival– Barrowby
Church

Thursday 6th October
5.00 pm Year 6 London Information
Evening

Tuesday 11th to Friday 14th October
Bookfair

Tuesday 11th October
Parent/Teacher Consultations

Wednesday 19th October
Parent/Teacher Consultations

Friday 21st October
School Closes for half term.

Tuesday 1st November
School Re-opens



JOULES SALE

Wednesday 14th September- Urban
Hotel

FoBS AGM

Friday 7th October at 1.45 pm in
school. All welcome.



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Newsletter

9th September 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome one and all to Barrowby CE Primary School and another fun-filled year. Our Reception children have enjoyed their first week with us including activities such as: assemblies, lunchtime and playing on the school field! The rest of the children have settled in well, after the school holidays and all are enjoying school life. I look forward to working with you, this year, as we continue our journey 'striving for excellence.' I hope you enjoy reading the 1st edition of our school newsletter.

Mr L Batey Headteacher

School Events Gravity Fields

Exciting news...we are very pleased to be involved with this year's Gravity Fields Event!

Inspired by the genius of Sir Isaac Newton, this five day festival has special significance in 2016; the 350th anniversary of his 'Year of Wonders' - or 'Annus Mirabilis' - of huge scientific advances with his work on light, mathematics and gravitational forces. Gravity's third festival commemorates 1666, the year Newton spent at his Lincolnshire birthplace at Woolsthorpe Manor having fled the plague in Cambridge.

Based in and around Grantham, a packed programme of science, arts, heritage, music, drama and outdoor events taking the theme of 'Genius' to celebrate Newton's legacy, ranging from the dazzling LED umbrellas of international creative artists Cirque Bijou to the genius engineers of WW2 is available for all to enjoy.

Our Year 6 children have enjoyed working with an LED light artist today; helping them create 'Egyptian Collars' to be worn as part of the Gravity Fields Parade, on the evening of Saturday 24th September, more details to follow. They will also be attending the Ministry of Science Show, on Wednesday 21st September. This highly entertaining new production comes from a completely different direction to look at the inventors and engineers who have shaped and inspired the modern world. We are talking liquid nitrogen frozen flowers to hydrogen bottle rockets, Buzz Aldrin to Virgin Galactic, a cat food tin to the hovercraft and the discovery of methane to the invention of the battery.

Our year 5 children have also been invited to the 'Science Extravaganza Day,' on Thursday 15th September, at Priory Ruskin Academy. If you would like any more information about the events on offer as part of this year's Gravity Field's please [click here](#).

New School Entrance

As part of the refurbishment and extension work that was done to the school over the summer, a new school foyer has been created. The first door that you come to is an 'automatic door'. Although it is automatic, you do have to press the large button that is on your left hand side to gain access into our new foyer/waiting area. Once in here, you will see an intercom to your left with a small silver button which you will need to press. This alerts the member of staff at the reception desk that you are waiting. Reception staff will then speak to you to ascertain the nature of your query. You may be asked to take a seat in the foyer while the relevant staff member to deal with your query arrives, or you may be 'buzzed' into the school reception if your query can be dealt with by our office staff.

This new system has been introduced to further improve our security and ensure the safety of our children and staff members, and also to improve privacy for parents when speaking to staff members.

To learn more about our School Refurbishments, [CLICK HERE](#).



Automatic Door Button



Intercom

Earrings

It seems that some children have had their ears pierced over the summer holidays. Jewellery of any description is not allowed in [school](#). If your child's ears are still healing then please ensure that they are covered with plasters in school and are removed as soon as possible.

Extra-Curricular Activities

Years 1 to 6 will be receiving a form to complete for extra-curricular activities today, through ParentmailPMX.

The JIGSAW(Jesus In Game, Song and Worship) club for Year 2 children is a Christian Club with lots of fun activities based around the bible. This is run by Mrs Cooley, Mrs Boland and Mr Caunt.

SHOUT! Club encourages our children to be a caring member of our community through a range of fun activities. This is run by Mrs Goodband for our Year 4 & 5 children.

Please complete and return your completed form as soon as possible to allow us to allocate places.

Signposted Activities and Opportunities

This week we have added an October half term activity from Inspire+. Please click [here](#) to view.

We are happy to signpost out of school activities from other providers. However, parents should not regard this an endorsement or recommendation, and must satisfy themselves of the suitability of the activity for their child.

Joules Seconds Sale

Wednesday 14th September 2016

Urban Hotel, Swingbridge Road,
Grantham, NG31 7XT

Standard Sale Time 7.00pm—8.30pm

Standard Tickets £3.50 in advance or £4.00 on the door

Standard tickets available to purchase from
Yorkshire Bank 10 High Street Grantham,
Cliffedale School Northcliffe Road Grantham
or Barrowby CE Primary School Church Street Barrowby

VIP Tickets £8.00 in advance

VIP Tickets are **limited**, and **ONLY** available to buy in
advance from

Yorkshire Bank 10 High Street, Grantham, NG31 6PU

VIP Time: 6.30pm—7.00pm onwards

All money raised will be split between Cliffedale &
Barrowby CE Primary School

