

## DIARY DATES

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Barrowby Church of England  
Primary School

# Newsletter 15th March 2019

*Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends.*  
[John 15:13](#)

## Wednesday 27th March

Class Photographs



## Thursday 28th March - 2.00pm Year 3 & Year 4

'Easter Children Performance'  
(Details to follow)



## Friday 29th March - 9.30am Year 3 & Year 4

'Easter Children' Performance  
(Details to follow)

## Wednesday 3rd April

Tag Rugby Festival



## Friday 5th April

Last day of term

## Tuesday 23rd April

Return to school



## Tuesday 23rd April - 26th April

Year 5 Bikeability

## Thursday 25th April

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

## Friday 26th April

FOBs Meeting

## Governor Meetings

Tuesday 23rd April 2019

Finance, Resources and Personnel  
Committee meeting



To see the latest Fobs minutes  
please click [here](#).

Next meeting:

Friday 26th April 2019 at 2.00 pm

Please click [HERE](#) for Easy Fundraising  
Link

Dear Parents/Carers,  
Wow what a week! Today, as I write this, it's Comic Relief-Red Nose Day. The whole school have celebrated this by dressing in something 'red,' as well as purchasing various Comic Relief merchandise, such as the famous 'red noses.' What a wonderful way for our school to demonstrate support and care for others. In Collective Worship, we also explored how we demonstrate care for each other, throughout the school day and used examples of being polite and showing respect for others as the main driver, linked to our school's Core Values. I hope you enjoy reading this week's newsletter and learning a little bit more about life at Barrowby CE Primary School.

Len Batey-Headteacher

## Events in School

### Bookfair

Last week, we held our annual Scholastic Book Fair in school. Thank you to everyone who came along to support the event. We have raised a fantastic £321.67 for new books. These have now been chosen for our school library for the pupils to enjoy. Thank you for your continued support.



### World Book Day

On Friday 8th March, we held our World Book Day fundraising. We were amazed at the array of costumes that both the children and the staff were wearing including Mary Poppins, The Queen of Hearts, Umper Lumpers, Meredith from Brave, Fantastic Mr Fox and many more.

Thank you to all the children and staff for taking part, and to our parents for embracing the event. We raised a fabulous £187.56. The funds raised will be donated to FOBs and help support with the re-development of the school pond. Well done everyone!

### Sing Up Day!

On Wednesday, 13th March we celebrated National Sing Up Day as part of our continued development as a Platinum Sing Up School. Throughout the day, the children and staff were encouraged to sing a little more and to really consider how their positive actions can have a huge impact on others.

sing up  
Help kids find their voice

During Collective Worship, everyone learnt a new warm up song and considered all the times and places where people come together to sing and how this makes us feel. The school were then treated to a performance of 'One Moment, One People', performed by our fabulous Key Stage 1 choir and enjoyed this year's anthem song. As an 'Arts School' we are proud of all that we do. Well done everyone, keep singing!

## Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

431

CHICHESTER

432

SCOTT

465

## Science Week

This week marks British Science Week 2019 and this year's theme is 'Journeys'. This year, we decided to link this in to different journeys in nature. Across the school, our children and staff have been participating in a range of exciting activities to mark the event. We have all been learning about the life cycle of a bee and the exciting journeys they make each day of their lives.



We have also used this opportunity to reflect on the contributions we make to help respect, protect and enjoy our countryside through learning about the countryside code. Some of our Year 6 children have been working alongside Mrs Walton in our outdoor area to help prepare the wildlife area for planting and the construction of our 'Bug Hotels.' As well as this, some of our Year 3 children have had the opportunity to prepare plants for our 'Eco-Greenhouse'. What a busy week it has been! Well done to everyone involved and we look forward to some more exciting developments in our outdoor area over the next few weeks. Watch this space.

## High Five Netball

On the Thursday 14th March, we took our netball team to The Priory Ruskin Academy for their final league fixtures.

In the first game we faced off against Belmont. In the first half of the game we had to shake off some rustiness, once the second half came around we were showing some impressive movement and passing. After a hard fought second half we ended with a 1-1 draw with a fantastic long shot from Connie.

In the final game we took on Great Ponton. Both teams started very strong, defending and attacking. Great Ponton took a 2-0 lead into the second half. But the spirit of Barrowby to never give up showed, as we came back to level it all up before scoring a last minute winner, to make it 3-2! Well done Logan who managed to score all three goals of the game.

Everyone who played should be proud of their efforts! Well Done Netballers for displaying true Barrowby grit and a 'can do' attitude!



## Red Nose Day

Today in school, Friday 15th March, we all dressed in Red and wore our Red Noses to support Comic Relief. From the sale of Red Noses and the non-uniform donations we have raised an incredible £575.85.

We are having an amazing term for fundraising and so far have raised a total of £2579.08. Thank you to everyone for their continued support of all of our fundraising initiatives.

## Swimarathon

Can we also remind parents of children who participated in the Swimarathon to send their sponsorship money into school by next Friday.



It is truly wonderful how our school community come together to support others.  
Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

*The people living in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow a light has dawned.*

*Matthew 4: 16*

## Family Bingo Night

On Friday 22nd March 2019, we will be hosting our 'Family Bingo Night,' in school. This will be in the school hall with the first game being at 6.00pm. The doors will open at 5.30pm and the event is expected to finish at approximately 7.30pm.

Tickets are available from the school office, at a cost of £1.00 per ticket. This includes one FREE 'Bingo ticket' and one FREE drink. There will be a total of four games on the evening with additional 'Bingo tickets' being for sale on the evening. There will be a prize of a gift hamper for each lucky 'House' winner. Bingo 'dobbers' will be for sale on the evening for those who wish to 'dob!' This event is open to all, young and old, the more the merrier! Eyes down for a full house.

All funds raised from this event will go to FOBS funds for projects in school that benefit all children in the school. We look forward to see you there!

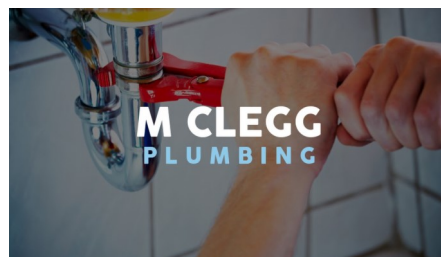
This event is kindly being sponsored by three local business:



Ciao Bella Nails & Beauty



THE JOB OFFICE LTD



M Clegg Plumbing

We have the prizes for the bingo night on display in the school foyer and they are certainly generating some excitement from the children. The hampers each have a theme. These are: Craft Night, Pamper Night, Games Night and Movie Night. Remember, tickets are available from the school office-eyes down for a full house!

