

DIARY DATES

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

Tuesday 19th November

Individual Photographs



Friday 22nd November

Year 2 Parent Collective Worship



Monday 25th November

Flu Vaccinations

Tuesday 26th November

Year 3 Visit to St Phillip's Centre



Wednesday 27th November

KS2 Disco



Friday 6th December

Reception Christmas Assembly



Friday 13th December

KS1 Nativity Performance



Governor Meetings

FRP Committee

Thursday 28th November

1.15 pm



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

Next meeting:

Wednesday 20th November at 2 pm

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



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Newsletter 15th November 2019

You shall love your neighbour as yourself

Matthew 22:39

Dear Parents/Carers

Well what a day. First no water and school closed, then water, school open. Despite the start to Friday, this week has been a great week. Today we were awarded the shield to our Girl's Y5 & 6 Cross Country Running team as well as received the 1st place School Trophy, never before won by our school. What a team! I hope you enjoy reading this week's newsletter.

Len Batey-Headteacher

Events In School

Remembrance Day

As you know, Monday 11th October was remembrance day. The whole school came together in the hall for a Collective Worship led by Mrs Selby, followed by the two minute silence, at 11.00 am.

Our Year 4 children shared with the school the ceramic poppies that they had made on their recent visit to International Bomber Command. The significance and symbolism of the poppy was shared with the children during the service and the whole school joined in the quiet reflection and prayer. Next time your in school, why not visit the library to view the beautiful ceramic poppies?



We have been selling Royal British Legion poppy merchandise in school in the run up to remembrance day and have raised an amazing **£424.38** for this very worthwhile charity. As always, thank you for your continued support.

Parent Workshop - Reception Curriculum

On Monday 11th October, we held our annual workshop where the Reception parents were invited into school to learn more about the Reception Curriculum. Thank you to all who attended; we hope that you found this useful.

For those who were unable to attend the workshop the PowerPoint will be uploaded to the school website. Please [CLICK HERE](#). Further support and information about how you can support your child at home is available via our school website by visiting the:

- [Class Pages](#)
- [Curriculum Support](#)
- [Parent Workshops](#)



Year 6 Mosque Visit

On Wednesday 13th November, our Year 6 pupils visited the St. Philips Centre to extend their learning on Islam and create links with the wider community. The children visited a mosque where they had the opportunity to speak to a religious practitioner and ask any questions they had. They were able to explore the mosque and they asked some incredibly insightful questions. Following lunch the children continued their studies at the St Philips church where they made a model mosque, and discussed their personal values and what is important to them. The children also had the opportunity to explore the similarities between Islam and Christianity. The children demonstrated incredible respect and proudly represented the school. Well done everyone!

Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

226

CHICHESTER

224

SCOTT

250

Parent/Teacher Consultation

On Thursday 14th October, we held our second Parent/Teacher consultation session in school. It was lovely to see so many parents in school looking through their child's books and meeting with their class teacher.

All parents should have now had a Parent/Teacher Consultation this academic year. If you have not then please contact the school office who will arrange an appointment for you.

Children In Need

On Friday 15th November, we have all enjoyed Children in Need day in school. All week we have been selling entry sheets for the Spot the Difference competition and the Pudsey Word Search. Also the whole school have come into school today in non-uniform with a donation of £1.

The winners of the competitions were announced during the special assembly this afternoon. They were:

Key Stage 1 Spot the Difference Competition— Amelia Hayton and Harrinish Kumanan

Key Stage 2 Word Search Competition—Fraya Sharpe and Jack Boyle. Well done everyone!

The total funds raised so far for this very worthwhile charity is a staggering £328.05. Once again we thank parents for their support and give special thanks to the Fundraising Committee for the time that they have spent arranging the competitions and to FoBS for providing the amazing competition prizes. Well done everyone!



Reminders

Disco Tickets on Sale—We have our Key Stage 2 Disco coming up on Wednesday 27th November from 3.15— 5.15 pm with tickets on sale from Wednesday 20th November, in school at £3.00 each.



Individual Photographs—On Tuesday 19th November we have the photographer coming into school to take individual and sibling photographs. Please remind your child to bring a comb/hairbrush, and make sure they are wearing their smartest uniform, including a sweatshirt or cardigan, so that they look their very best for their school photographs.

Bi-Annual Christmas Fair

Our bi-annual Christmas Fair is fast approaching and scheduled for Friday 29th November, from 5.00—7.00 pm. There are stalls with lots of unique gift ideas including handmade jewellery, candles, fairy and Christmas gifts, Body Shop items plus many more.

Each class also has a stall at the fair, and the children are busy making their items to sell. There will be refreshments served by FoBS, and a super Christmas raffle with a whole host of prizes.

Entry into the Christmas Fair is £1 per person, with under 5s being free. All proceeds raised will go to the Year 6 Legacy gift.

Last time we did this event it was a roaring success and we look forward to seeing you all there enjoying the entertainment, refreshments while doing some Christmas shopping.

