

DIARY DATES

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

Wednesday 9th October

High 5 Netball



Friday 11th October

Harvest Festival



Wednesday 16th October

Key Stage 2 Movie Night -
Mary Poppins Returns



Thursday 17th October

High 5 Netball

Friday 18th October

Half Term

HALF TERM
FUN

Governor Meetings

C & S Committee

Wednesday 6th November
1.45 pm



To see the latest Fobs minutes
please click [here](#).
Next meeting:
Friday 1st November at 1.45 pm

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Link



Barrowby Church of England
Primary School

Newsletter 4th October 2019

Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven. [Matthew 5:16](#)

Dear Parents/Carers

As I write this I am getting ready to accompany the Year 4 children to Kingswood. I hope the weather stays dry for us. This week has been a busy week as we get ready for the end of the first half term-only 2 weeks left before the October holiday-where does the time go? I hope you enjoy reading this week's newsletter and learn a little bit more about school life.

Len Batey-Headteacher

Events In School

Inspire+ Ambassador - Lizzie Simmons

Lizzie Simmons, an Olympic swimmer and Inspire + ambassador, visited our school, on Tuesday 1st October where she shared her story and the 'ups and downs' she has faced being an elite swimmer.



The children enjoyed hearing about the life long friends she has met along the way, the medals she has won and the joy she has felt taking part in the London 2012 Olympic Games and having over 20,000 people cheering her on.

Lizzie also encouraged the children to think about their own goals, not necessarily in sport but in other areas of our lives.

What type of people do we want to be, what do we want to work towards? Lizzie explained that coming 4th in London 2012 was really hard but she 'holds her head up and keeps on trying.'

She told the children her definition for success:

"As long as you have tried your best at a task and you have learnt something from the process then you have succeeded, no matter what the outcome is."

So, day by day how can we 'strive for excellence' what 'can' we 'do' which which will help us be the best we can be? Thank you to Lizzie for visiting our school.

Pizza Express Visit

Yesterday Mrs Tinkley and Mr Liversidge's class visited Pizza Express. They had an absolutely wonderful time and enjoyed making their very own Margerita pizzas from scratch. They enjoyed shaping the dough, which felt really smooth and squishy, and spreading the passata on top of the pizza before adding mozzarella cheese and a basil leaf. The pizzas smelt delicious as they were cooking, we couldn't wait to eat them up!



Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

1037

CHICHESTER

1073

SCOTT

1013

Jump Revolution

Next week we are "School of the Week" at Jump Revolution! From Monday through to Friday you can jump from 5:00pm - 6:00pm or 6:00pm -7:00pm for only £5 per person! (Usually £6) or have a hotdog and choice of either a Polar Krush Slush or Shmoo Milkshake for £6.95 (Usually £7.95).

What's even better is that for every person that jumps, £1 comes directly back to the Friend's of Barrowby School so you can have fun and raise funds for the school at the same time!

In order to gain the discount, please make sure you take something with you to show you are a member of our school such as a Jumper, Reading record or book bag.



Healthy Lunches

At Barrowby CE Primary School, we strive to ensure our children are healthy and active at all times. We encourage our children to drink water from their water bottles as well as eat a balanced diet and exercise regularly.



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Pack your child a HEALTHY LUNCH BOX

Choose a variety of foods from each food group



Fruit



Vegetables



Dairy



Wholegrains



Lean meat & alternatives



A Healthy Lunch Box



This week, our Reception children have been making a Fruit Salad, as part of their Food Technology work, learning how to cut and chop ingredients. Mmm, it looked delicious.

Parents can play an important part in supporting our children to eat healthier.

We would like to remind parents to provide water for children to drink rather than juice, in their 'water bottle.' As we all know, juice can contain sugars, sweeteners and other ingredients which are not necessarily healthy. Children should drink approximately 2 litres of water throughout the day-juice is not an acceptable alternative.

In addition, we would like to remind parents who are supplying a 'Packed Lunch' for their child/ren that this should be a 'Healthy Packed Lunch', please see the information poster.

Parents should avoid sending: sweets, chocolate covered biscuits, chocolate bars and other non-healthy food types to school, in packed lunches.

Of course, we recommend eating a broad and balanced diet and hope that our parents can support us to ensure all our children continue to be healthy and active, while at school.



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T&Cs apply.



*Barrowby Primary School
Christmas Fair
Friday 29th November 2019
5.00 -7.00 pm School Hall*



*Would you, or anyone
you know, like a stall at
our very popular bi-
annual Christmas Fair?
The cost is £10 per stall
and a donation of a
raffle prize.*

*Call now on 01476 566121
and speak to
Mrs Midgley
to secure your place.*

Lunettes Opticians Vision Aid Overseas Appeal



Could you donate any old or unwanted glasses?

Help children less fortunate to see?

**PLEASE
DONATE YOUR
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GLASSES**

Every pair of recycled glasses helps someone else to see

1 in 10 people in Africa can't see properly simply because they need glasses.

Lunettes Opticians are appealing for local schools to help Vision Aid Overseas, an International charity which helps over 13 million children and adults who desperately need good eyesight in order to gain a valuable education, which in turn helps in the fight against poverty.

All you need to do is drop any unwanted glasses into the collection box in your child's school reception. Alternatively, drop glasses at your nearest Lunettes Opticians.

(See over page for more details).



Vision Aid Overseas
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**Friends of Barrowby School
Presents
Year 5 & 6 Movie Night**

Wednesday 16th October

3.00 - 5.15 pm

£3.50 per ticket

**Tickets can be purchased from school from
Wednesday 9th October and includes a snack and
drink**

Disney
**MARY
POPPINS
RETURNS**

All proceeds towards re-developing the school pond and wildlife area