

DIARY DATES

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

Friday 14th May

Year 6 BBQ



Monday 24th May

'Beat The Barrowby Obstacle Course'



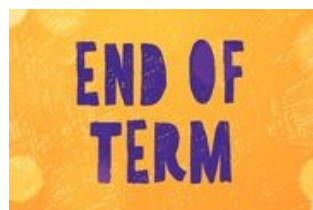
Wednesday 26th May

Class Photographs



Friday 28th May

Last day of term



Governor Meetings

FRP Committee Meeting

17th May 2021

Full Governing Body Meeting

18th May 2021



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

Next meeting: 10th June 2021

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



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Newsletter 7th May 2021

Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labour or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendour was dressed like one of these Luke 12:27

Dear Parents/Carer

Well, it's the end of another busy week in school. The weather doesn't quite know what it wants to do-but it has been generally dry.

The children continue to do well despite the disruptions to school life this year. This week, I am encouraging the whole school to 'be active' in all that they do, whether at home, school or play. This is part of the 5 Ways to Wellbeing work-where last week I encouraged the whole school family to connect to others. The aim is to foster positive mental and physical attitudes which promotes a healthy mind, body and spirit.

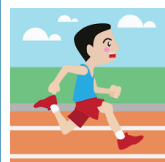
I hope you enjoy reading this week's newsletter and learning a little bit more about school life.

Mr Len Batey Headteacher-Barrowby CE Primary School

Events In School

Year 6 Athletics

Our year 6 children are enjoying their athletics sessions with Inspire+ expert Lisa Ashcroft. So far this term, we have explored 'Push Pass Baton changes' and perfected our running style to ensure the best results out of our relay.



As well as this, we have been looking at throwing skills to support the development to javelin at secondary schools. The children particularly enjoyed a throwing competition where it became very apparent we have some excellent 'throwers' in Year 6! We look forward to the rest of this terms coaching which take place each Friday afternoon.

FoBS Meeting

On Thursday 6th May we held our second 'virtual' FoBS meeting. It was lovely to see so many new parents attending.



Upcoming events in school were discussed and the support that FoBS can offer to the school. FoBS are once again supporting with the Year 6 BBQ which is due to be held next Friday. Thank you to those members that are also giving up their time to support our Year 6 children at this event.

Events in school are still restricted at this time but keep your eyes open for updates regarding the Summer Raffle. Remember, you've got to be in it to win it.

11+

11+ Familiarisation Club

On Thursday 6th May, Mr Batey held the first of the 11+ sessions for our Year 5 children, after school. For those children, wishing to sit the 11+ exam in September/October Mr Batey works with those children developing critical thinking and problem solving skills.

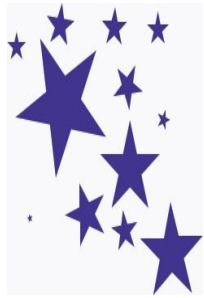
Later on in the year, Mr Batey will then meet with those children's parents to discuss further ways they can support their children in readiness for the exam. 11+ Parent/Teacher Consultation will be held remotely on Wednesday 14th July 2021. More details to follow, nearer the time.

Online E Safety Newsletter

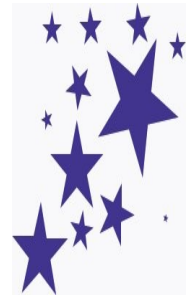
This week, we sent out the first edition of our E Safety Newsletter to all parents. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to view. This months edition provide important updates for parents for those children that use Snapchat and Houseparty, Please also view our new support booklet for parents wishing to establish controls for online use, [CLICK HERE](#).

Events At School-Weekly Commendations

We would like to acknowledge the work completed at school by individual pupils by awarding our 'Headteacher Commendations.' This week the commendations go to:



Reception and Key Stage 1		Key Stage 2	
Mrs Banfield	Imola Harris	Mrs Tinkley/ Mrs Goodband	Casper Wynne
Mrs Selby	Alicija Zapala	Mr Caton	Eloise Bowers
Mr Liversidge	Luna-Rae Chapman Iake Thomas	Miss Kirk	Jessica Wand
Miss Sugden	Evie Taylor	Miss Swatton	Miss Swatton
		Miss Lees	Joshua Hawken



We would like to acknowledge children's effort and attitude at school by individual pupils by awarding our 'Shining Star Certificates.' This week the certificates go to:



Reception and Key Stage 1		Key Stage 2	
Mrs Banfield	Brian Klucis Parker Foster	Mrs Tinkley/ Mrs Goodband	Thomas Harrison
Mrs Selby	Gabriela Zapala	Mr Caton	Isabelle Atter
Mr Liversidge	Oliver Lait Oliver Taylor	Miss Kirk	Ava Langley
Miss Sugden	Stanley Coulson Brandon Fern	Miss Swatton	Umer Khalid
		Miss Lees	Amber Birch



Lunchtime Commendation

This week we would like to recognise:

Reception and Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Everlynn Barnes Sophia Wright Georgia Turner	Daniel Hunt

Times Tables Rockstars

This week, we would like to recognise the **Rock Legends** who have continued to learn and revise the times tables and associate division facts, using Times Tables Rockstars. This week, certificates are awarded for those children with the **highest number of correct answers** in their class. The **Rock Legends** are: Key stage 1: Hannah Exley and Key Stage 2: Fraya Sharpe

All certificates were awarded today, at Mr Batey's Collective Worship.

Weekly House Point Totals		
ARMSTRONG 288	CHICHESTER 287	SCOTT 275

FRUITY FRIDAY



FRIDAY'S FUN & FRUITY FACTS

BANANA FUN



Fun fact 1 -

Did you know a monkey peels a banana upside down to how we peel a banana.

How do you peel yours?



Fun fact 2 -

There are over 100 billion bananas eaten every year world wide.

How many do you eat?



Fun fact 3 -

More songs have been written about the banana than any other fruit.

Can you think of one?



Fun fact 4

Bananas don't grow on trees, they grow on plants that are officially classed as herbs.

A banana plant is the world's largest herb.



Banana Joke

What do you call a monkey with a banana in each ear?
Anything you want, he can't hear you!

