

DIARY DATES

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

Wednesday 2nd March

Parent Consultations



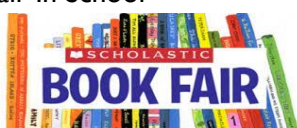
Thursday 3rd March

Parent Consultations



Thursday 3rd March - Wednesday 9th March

Bookfair In School



Friday 4th March

Large Schools' Swimming Gala



Thursday 24th March

Year 3 & Year 4 Easter Performance



Monday 28th March

M & M Productions - Treasure Island



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Newsletter 25th February 2022

Shout joyfully to God, all the earth

Psalm 66:1

Dear Parents/Carer's

Wow, what a week. Filled with excitement and how lovely has the weather been today? Perhaps we can now begin to look forward to the brighter sunnier spring days. Fingers crossed.

I wanted to convey my thanks to everyone so far for following the school's lead when it comes to COVID. I am sure that you are aware that on Thursday 24th February the Government removed the legal requirement to isolate if you test positive, as well as produce the 'Living with Covid Plan.' What does this mean for our school?

Put simply we can begin to re-evaluate the restrictions and slowly move from these back to 'normality' whatever that means for us now.

Therefore, moving forward and from next week, there will no longer be a requirement for visitors to school to be temperature checked on arrival and we will no longer be recommending visitors to school take a Lateral Flow test before coming on site. School staff and students in secondary school are no longer required to test themselves twice weekly, as we have been doing.

However, saying that although it is not a legal requirement to isolate it is still recommended that if you and/or your children have any of the three symptoms or test positive after purchasing tests then you should continue to follow the guidance and isolate for the 5 days.

This could be difficult for some of us. Simply put, if your child is poorly then keep them at home and don't send them to school. We will continue to provide Remote Education as long as we are asked for by the Government for those children isolating because of COVID.

I know it feels rather strange to move from all the restrictions we have known and accepted to now being told it's alright to move away from them. All I can say, is we will continue to follow the guidance and support each other. We will be updating our Risk Assessments accordingly and will communicate when this is done. I hope you enjoy reading this week's Newsletter.

Mr L Batey – Headteacher

Friends of Barrowby School

Why not join in with the fun? We hope you enjoy your Family Quiz this weekend.

Governor Meetings

Thursday 10th February

FRP Meeting



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

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

25 YEARS
WORLD BOOK DAY

YOU ARE A READER!

4th March 2022



Dress up as a character from a book that makes you smile ☺

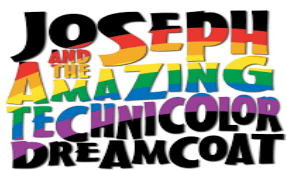
Prizes for the best costumes, and a chance to win wonderful books to read!

Ps. Take part in our book quiz! (Find it in your child's bag) 28 Feb - 3 March Entry fee £1

Parent Reminders

Joseph & The Technicolor Dreamcoat

Please be reminded, if your child is participating in the production of Joseph & The Technicolor Dreamcoat, our first rehearsal will take place on Sunday 27th February at 2.30pm - 5.30pm. The further rehearsal and production dates for Joseph are as follows –



Rehearsal Dates

Tuesday 15th March

Sunday 27th March

Technical/ Dress rehearsal – Saturday 2nd April

Production Dates –

The opening night is Tuesday 5th April

Thursday 7th April – Matinee performance

Friday 8th April - Evening performance

Saturday 9th April – Evening performance

Parent Consultations

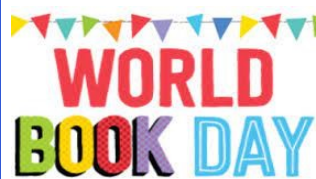
Our 'virtual' Parent/Teacher Consultations will take place on **Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd March 2022 from 3.50pm until 6.50pm.**

As you know, the school has introduced a new intuitive and easy to use online appointment booking system, through School Cloud. This allows you to choose your own appointment times with your child's class teachers. Once chosen you will receive an email confirming your appointments, with a link to join the video meeting. Parents simply access the system on the day of their Parent/Teacher Consultation, preferably 5 minutes before the start time of the meeting and press the *Join Video Appointments* button at the top of their screen.



Booking for appointments is now open, and booking will close on Tuesday 1st March 2022. Should you need assistance to book your appointment, please contact the school office on 01476 566121.

World Book Day & Bookfair



This year we will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday **4th March 2022** and we would like to invite you to join us in helping your child to make the most of this special occasion.

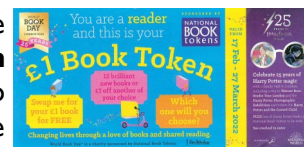
We are inviting the children to come to school in non-uniform on **Friday 4th March 2022**. The theme for this year is **'Character from a book that you would recommend that inspires you or makes you smile.'**

This year our Friends of Barrowby School have organised a Family Quiz to be enjoyed at home. Today, Friday 25th February 2022, your child/ren will bring home a Family Quiz Sheet for you to enjoy completing over the weekend.

If you would like to be added into the prize draw on Friday 4th March, please return the completed Family Quiz Sheet and a £1 donation by **Thursday 3rd March**. All quizzes and monies should be given to your child/ren(s) class teacher.

Completed quizzes which score full marks will be added into a raffle draw and drawn on World Book Day. FOB's have kindly donated a selection of books for the lucky winners. We do hope that you will join in with the fun and good luck with the quiz. Try not to Google your answers.... Have fun.

In addition, leading up to World Book Day, we will be once again hosting our Book Fair. The Book Fair starts on **Wednesday 2nd March** and will remain in school until **Wednesday 9th March 2022**. Today, your child/ren will bring home their World Book Day £1 token to redeem at our bookfair or your local retailer. IN addition, don't forget to pop along and the dates specified so you can view your child/ren(s) books.



HAF Programme – Easter 2022



The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme is a government funded programme to provide school aged children and young people (reception to year 11) on benefits-related free school meals in England with free healthy meals and enriching activities over the Easter summer and Christmas holidays.

Following a successful pilot year of HAF programmes across the country, we were delighted with the government's announcement of a further investment in HAF over the next 3 financial years, with information provided to local authorities on the funding available for delivery of the programme during the 2022/23 financial year.

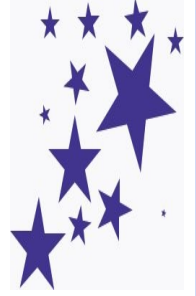
Please see the following posters for more information.

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	Aisha Arshad	Mr Caton	Alexander Dykes
Mrs Selby		Mrs Ward	Arman Khan
Mrs Tinkley/ Mr Liversidge	Leila Gratton	Miss Kirk	Suwanya Gurusinghe
Miss Sugden	Leila Durrant Frankie Milne	Miss Lees	Martyn Blackell



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	Aisha Arshad	Mr Caton	Harry Redford
Mrs Selby	Teddy Sheehy	Mrs Ward	Max Shaw Carlos Tejero
Mrs Tinkley, Mr Liversidge	Niamh Cummings	Miss Kirk	Violet Harrison
Miss Sugden	Giles Fillingham Georgia Hunt	Miss Lees	Harriet Bailey Lily Evison



Lunchtime Commendation

This week we would like to recognise:



Reception and Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Nathan Houghton Georgia Turner Harvey Adams	Olivia Clayton Gracie Desmond Jack Banos



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 Biggest Increase in correct numbers in their class.

The **Rock Legends** are: Key Stage 1: Poppy Mason and Key Stage 2: Zach Lucas All certificates were awarded today.

Weekly House Point Totals		
ARMSTRONG 279	CHICHESTER 282	SCOTT 323

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HAF Venues:

Walton Academy, Grantham, NG31 7JR

Dates: 4th-7th April and 11th-14th April

Timings: 9:30am to 3:30pm

Ages: 5 to 16

Price: FREE!



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To book please go to: inspireplus.magicbooking.co.uk or scan the below QR code. Once you have created an account, select the 'Invite only – Grantham Easter HAF club' and select your required dates.

Any questions contact: [01476 578137](tel:01476578137)/info@inspireplus.org.uk or speak to your school office. All children MUST be pre-booked to attend.

Bookings close on the 21st March



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Testimonial

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Venue:

Gonerby Hill Foot School – NG31 8HQ

Monday 4th to Thursday 14th April

Camp Dates/Details:

Price: From £16

Age: 5-11 years old

Time: From 8:30am till 4:30pm. *Early pick up can be arranged on the day.*

Please make sure that your child has a drink, packed lunch and snacks for the day as well as wearing suitable clothing.

Prices start from £16 per child. For more information please contact us on

Sacha.castell-smith@inspireplus.org.uk

Book before the 21st March to gain the early-bird booking price of £16 per day. After this the price will increase to £22 per day!



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APRIL 2022 AT 7.45PM

THU 7TH & SAT 9TH
APRIL AT 2.30PM

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