

## DIARY DATES

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

### Tuesday 18th January

KS2 New Year Disco



### Wednesday 19th January

Coffee & Catch Up Session



### Tuesday 1st February

House Tournament - Paralympic Challenge



### Wednesday 2nd March

Racket Pack Badminton Festival



### Friday 11th February

Last day of term



### Monday 21st February

Return to school



### Governor Meetings

CS Committee Meeting  
31st January 2022



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# Barrowby Church of England Primary School

## Newsletter 14th January 2022

*Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.* Matthew 2:11

Dear Parents/Carer's

Well what a busy couple of weeks we have all enjoyed at school, since the Christmas holidays. I can't quite believe how busy we are all becoming again. I suppose this is a sign of things to come as we all come to terms with the new world in which we live.

I am delighted that we are once again able to be open during the Spring term. I suppose this is a big deal really as for the last two years the school has been closed in and around the Spring term. I remember last year that we opened the school on the 4th January with the Government closing all schools on the 5th January. Thankfully we are not in that position this term and it doesn't look likely that we will be forced to close. Fingers crossed that we will be able to remain open all year.

Last week, I asked that parents should supervise their children when dropping them off in the morning. Thank you for those parents that have done that. Unfortunately, we still have a small number of children, some of our younger Key Stage 2 children that are standing unsupervised at the beginning of the day on the pedestrian path. We do not accept any responsibility for your child/ren before a member of staff comes on duty,

Parents please either stay with your child or if you are dropping off a younger child please keep your Key Stage 2 child with you and when you've dropped off your younger child you can walk your older child to the path where there will be a member of staff on duty,

In addition to this, please can I ask that all parents arriving for Breakfast and/or After-School Club use the pedestrian path before the school opens or once it is closed rather than the car park entrance. At the beginning and end of the day the car park can be very busy with cars coming and going. Please use the pedestrian path to enter and exit the school. Thank you.

I hope you enjoy reading this week's Newsletter.

Mr L Batey – Headteacher  
**Events**

### Tag Rugby Starts



As part of our partnership with the charity Inspire + we are welcoming back Kai Williamson as our Tag Rugby Coach for Years 5 and 6 to run a Tag Rugby extra-curricular club this half term. We love to inspire our pupils to keep active and participate in new and exciting sporting clubs and it has been lovely to hear how the children have enjoyed their new club that begun this week.

### Parent Workshop

On Thursday 13th January, it was lovely to see many of our Year 3 parents and children, at the Residential Visit Workshop. During the meeting, Mr Batey described the upcoming residential visit scheduled for Autumn 2022; when our current Year 3 move into Year 4.



Mr Batey explained the example timetables, logistics and potential costs for our parents; to the great excitement of the children. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to view the presentation which was shared.

## Roots to Food Workshop

This week, on Thursday 13th January our Year 2 and Year 3 pupils were lucky enough to have a visit from Chef Darren and to do some cooking as part of Roots to Food! The children enjoyed smelling the different herbs and spices they would be cooking with, and spoke about different ingredients they would use when making 'Chicken Bhuna Masala.' Delicious. Here's the recipe in case you would like to make this at home:



# Chicken Bhuna Masala served with Spring Onion and Coriander Rice



- 1 Red Onion Sliced thinly
- 15g Fresh Ginger grated
- 1 Clove Garlic Crushed and Peeled
- 1 Small Red Pepper sliced
- 1 Small Yellow Pepper
- 4 Spring Onions thinly sliced
- 4 Chicken Breast 1cm dice
- 1 tsp Ground Turmeric ½ for bhuna and ½ for rice
- 1 tsp Garam Masala
- 1 tsp Ground Coriander
- 1 tsp Dried Cumin
- 1 x 400g tinned chopped tomatoes
- 150g easy cook long grain rice
- 40g Fresh Coriander



### Method

In a large bowl mix the chicken with the spices and ½ tsp turmeric. This mix is best left to marinade for 1 hour.  
Bring a large pan of water to the boil and start to cook the rice with ½ tsp turmeric simmering slowly.

Meanwhile in a wok heat the oil place the garlic ginger in a wok or saucepan and wait for the garlic and ginger to sizzle. Now place the chicken in the wok to seal in the flavour of the spices, place 1 tablespoon of water in the pan, cover with a lid and steam until cooked, Keep lifting the lid to check the chicken is kept moist, add more water if necessary.

Now gently tip the red onions and peppers into the chicken and stir fry until cooked, add the chopped tinned tomatoes bring to a simmer gently for 5 minutes and add the fresh coriander (leaving 1 tblsp for the rice). The Bhuna is ready.

Add the sliced spring onion and 1 tblsp fresh coriander to the cooked drained rice and place into a mould (small cup) and press the rice firmly into the mould. Turn out the rice onto a plate and serve the curry onto the plate with the rice.

Serve the Bhuna around the rice.

Enjoy! (This dish can be served with warm naan breads).

## FOBs Meeting



On Friday 14th January, we held our first FOBs meeting of 2022. It was great to see so many parents attend the meeting offering to support the school and our pupils. We thank our parents for their continued support and hope that that you will continue to support our Friend's of Barrowby School committee in all their fundraising efforts. There are many upcoming exciting events that our FOBS committee are supporting our school with and we look forward to them greatly. We also thank the FOBS committee for their support before Christmas in aiding our festive events.

## Parent Reminders

### Coffee and Catch up



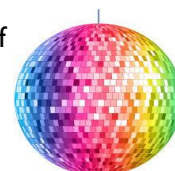
We are holding a coffee and catch up afternoon on Wednesday 19th January. It is open to our whole school family, just as a chance to meet other parents, make some new friends and chase away those winter blues! Coffee and cake will be available, **FREE OF CHARGE** alongside Miss Lees and Mrs Kay. Please use the Breakfast and After-School Club entrance. We hope to see you there!

### KS2 Disco

This will be held on **Tuesday 18th January 2022** after school, from 3.30pm until 5.15pm, in the School hall. Tickets are now on sale at a cost of £3.00 per child until Monday 17th January 2022. They will be sold by their class teacher in their classrooms-each day.

The ticket price includes: **Disco , Food and Drink** (provided by FoBS) **Entry into the Prize Raffle**

Children should come to school in school uniform and bring their disco clothes with them. At the end of the school day they will then get changed before enjoying the disco.



We look forward to seeing the children enjoying themselves at this very popular event in our calendar.



### Extra - Curricular Activities

Clubs/extra-curricular activities will begin next week **Monday 17th January 2022** (unless otherwise stated) and end for the term on **Friday 25th March 2022**.

### Lincolnshire Highways

Over the next 6-8 weeks a representative from Lincolnshire Highways will be visiting school at the beginning and end of the day to monitor traffic coming and going up Church Street. Please do not park on the zig zag lines, nor park in Church Street. Please park further away and walk to school. Thank you to all those that do 'Park n Stride.'

Day	Session	Club	Time	For	Run by:
Monday	Lunch	Librarians	12.05 – 12.30pm	Invited children Year 1 & 2	Miss Sugden
		Construction Club (After Half Term)	12.30 – 13.00pm		Mr Liversidge
	After school	Gym Club Football	3.30 – 4.00 pm 3.30 – 4.00 pm	Years 5 & 6 Years 4 & 5	Miss Lees Mrs Ward
Tuesday	Lunch	Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat Choir	12.05 – 12.30pm	Years 4, 5 & 6	Mrs Selby
	After school	Art Club	3.30 – 4.00pm	Years 3 & 4	Mrs Banfield
		Young Journalists	3.30 – 4.00pm	Years 5 & 6	Miss Kirk
		Eco Warriors	3.30 – 4.00pm	Year 6	Mrs Goodband
Spring into Spring		3.30 – 4.00pm	Year 1	Mrs Rowlands & Mrs Watson	
Wednesday	Lunch				
	After school	Tag Rugby (Until Half Term) Kwik Cricket (After Half Term)	3.30pm – 4.30pm 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Years 5 & 6 Years 5 & 6	External Coach External Coach
Thursday	Lunch	Recorders	12.05 – 12.30pm	Current Members	Mrs Tinkley
	After school	Netball	3.30 – 4.00pm	Years 5 & 6	Mr Caton
		11+ Club	3.30 – 4.15pm	Year 5	Mr Batey
Friday	Lunch	Joseph & The Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat Choir	12.05 – 12.35	Years 4, 5 & 6	Mr Batey
	After school				

### 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	Elvie Durand	Mr Caton	Felix Sheppard-Smith Louis Wright
Mrs Selby	Ivy-Rose Stimpson	Mrs Ward	Blu Beers
Mrs Tinkley/ Mr Liversidge	Finley Meads	Miss Kirk	Jessica White
Miss Sugden	Harrison Wand	Miss Lees	Lily Evison



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	Gracie Bennett Olivia Desmond	Mr Caton	Anthony-Josh White
Mrs Selby	Leila Gratton Alfie Pexton	Mrs Ward	Emeli Searson
Mrs Tinkley, Mr Liversidge		Miss Kirk	Jorgia Willis
Miss Sugden	Thomas Harrison Lola-Mae Clarke	Miss Lees	Imogen Watkin



### Lunchtime Commendation

This week we would like to recognise:



Reception and Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Ivy-Rose Stimpson Christina Morris	Megan Roberts Beatrice Rafferty Florence Spencer



### 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:

Key Stage 2: All certificates were awarded today at the Christmas Service.

Weekly House Point Totals		
<b>ARMSTRONG</b> <b>295</b>	<b>CHICHESTER</b> <b>267</b>	<b>SCOTT</b> <b>224</b>



14th - 18th February  
08:30 - 17:00

LNER Stadium, Lincoln, LN5 8LD  
£17.50 per child

Multi-sport  
Football Coaching  
Games



Brand-new for February

Children will have the opportunity to  
engage in STEM activities in an afternoon

Book now at [www.lincolncityfoundation.com](http://www.lincolncityfoundation.com)



Barrowby Church

# Families Christingle Service

Sunday 16 January  
at  
4.00pm

(No 10.00am service)



# Lincoln City Foundation

## PL KICKS

Multi-sports & Football

**LNER Stadium, Lincoln**

Monday

4:30 - 6:00 pm

Wednesday (Girls Only)

5:00 - 6:00 pm

This session is fully  
funded by the  
Premier League and  
is free to attend for  
8 - 18 year olds



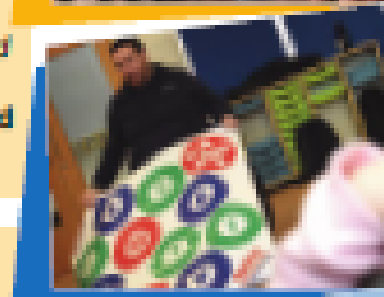
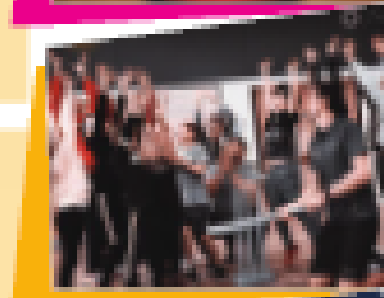
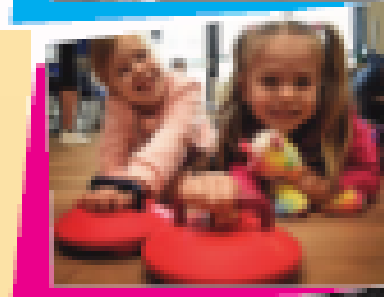
Premier League

# Kicks

[www.lincolncityfoundation.com/pl-kicks](http://www.lincolncityfoundation.com/pl-kicks)

# #Healthy Happy Active Camps

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## Venue:

Gonerby Hill Foot School – NG31 8HQ

Belmont Primary School – NG31 9LR

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Feb – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Feb

## Camp Dates/Details:

**Price:** From £16

**Age:** 5-11 years old

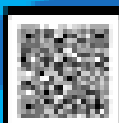
**Time:** From 8:30am till 4:30pm. *Early pick up can be arranged on the day.*

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

[Stecha.castell-smith@inspireplus.org.uk](mailto:Stecha.castell-smith@inspireplus.org.uk)

*Book before the 3<sup>rd</sup> February to gain the early-bird booking price of £16 per day. After this the price will increase to £22 per day!*



SCAN ME

[inspireplus.org.uk](http://inspireplus.org.uk)

Charity Number: 1040027

“ I just wanted to thank you for providing such a great holiday club. The set up and staff have again been wonderful. Our son has thoroughly enjoyed his time with you and always wanted to come back! ”

Testimonial