

DIARY DATES

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

Monday 6th December

KS2 Carols In The Community



Thursday and Friday 9th and 10th December

KS1 Nativity



Monday 13th December

House Tournament—Santa Dash



Wednesday 15th December

Christmas Party Day



Friday 17th December

Christmas Church Service



Friday 17th December

Last day of term



Barrowby Church of England Primary School

Newsletter 3rd December 2021

Prepare the way for the Lord make straight paths for him.'

Matthew 3:3

Dear Parents/Carer's

What a day! First of all thank you to all those that came to the Reception Christmas Assembly today, whether that be face to face or virtually. I am also pleased to announce that the boilers have been fixed! Apologies for today. The decision was made based on the information at that time. Luckily, the Engineer was able to resolve the problem quite quickly, so school is open as usual. I hope you have a lovely weekend. Only 2 more weeks to go....

Mr L Batey— Headteacher

Events in School

St Wulfram's Church Tree Festival

It has been truly wonderful hearing of your visits to the St Wulfram's Christmas Tree Festival, and do hope you have enjoyed visiting this event. We hope you enjoy reading some of the lovely comments and pictures our school family have shared with us.



Parents wrote:

We have had a lovely time visiting with her family the Christmas Tree display at St Wulfram's today. was very excited when I told her Barrowby School has done another tree. She loved looking at all the photos of the students.



We was very excited to find a bauble with her picture in We found the tree in the church. !



We loved finding the school Christmas tree this morning!

Bi Annual Christmas Fair

On Wednesday 1st December we welcomed in the festive season by hosting our Christmas Fair. It was the first such event that we have held since the pandemic began and it was truly wonderful to be able to welcome you all back onto the school grounds.



Due to COVID restrictions, we held the event outside and although it was very cold, it was well attended and supported, thank you. All of the children prepared items to sell on their class stall and we raised lots of funds, in association with FOBs, which will further support our school.

We also had a number of stalls from external providers, thank you to them for joining us and I hope that you all enjoyed browsing what was on sale and bought lots!

The atmosphere was magical. Thank you again for attending and also thank you to all of the children who worked hard making things to sell. Further thanks too to the staff and members of FOBs who stayed late and supported the event. We look forward to seeing you all again at future events.



Governor Meetings

CS Committee Meeting
31st January 2022



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

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

E-Safety Newsletter



This week, we circulated our December edition of our E-Safety Newsletter for our parents. If you've missed it please [CLICK HERE](#). With Christmas around the corner, the nNewsletter provides a little reminder about setting up appropriate parental controls for any new phones, consoles, or games your child may receive.

Children can communicate online through lots of different apps, social media, and games (Snapchat, WhatsApp, Instagram, FIFA, Fortnite for example), so it's important to know what your child is doing online and who they communicate with so you can talk about the potential risks together. Check out the [newsletter](#) to find some tips to support keeping safe online.

Reception Christmas Assembly

Our Reception children have started the festive season with a sprinkling of Christmas cheer. They performed two Christmas songs: Little Donkey and Five Little Elves. They used sign language to sing Little Donkey and danced away as they sang Five Little Elves. What an amazing performance; how amazing they are! The EYFS team are so proud of them! We would like to thank all parents/ carers for their support with costumes as well as the staff who have worked so hard with the children. Well done everyone.



Reminders-Year 5 & Year 6 Carols In The Community

On Monday 6th December, between 5-6pm, we are holding our 'Carols In The Community' event with our Year 5 & Year 6 Choir members. This year, we would like to invite you and your families to come and join us in carol singing around the village 6pm. We will meet at the front of the school, near the weeping willow and walk around the village.

We will stop at various points to sing a carol each time and then head back to school for refreshments, provided by FOBS. At this time of year we believe that it is important for our school community to come together and enjoy this festive season. We hope that many of you will come out to enjoy this new festive tradition.

Fundraising Committee Visit to Grantham Foodbank

Our Fundraising Committee will attend a workshop at Grantham Foodbank on Friday 10th December. The visit will be supported by Mrs Ward. During the workshop they will speak to volunteers at the local foodbank about their involvement in supporting our local community. They will be able to ask questions to better their knowledge as well as look for ways we as a school can support the foodbank in the future.



Children will need to be collected from school at 9.15am and transported to the Grantham Foodbank, 1-2 Greyfriars, Grantham. NG31 6PG to meet Mrs Ward. Children will need collecting from Grantham Foodbank at 10.15am to be transported back to school. You would be welcome to wait for them. Thank you for your continued support.

KSI Nativity Performance

On Thursday 9th December at 2.00pm and Friday 10th December at 9.30am, we look forward to holding our KSI Nativity performances. Admission will be by ticket only. There will be a raffle after each performance. We look forward to sharing this magical time of the year with you and hope to see you at 'Bethlehem's Buzzin'.



Year 5 Swimming

Please be advised, Thursday 9th December will be the last swimming lesson for this term, there will be no swimming lesson for Year 5 on Thursday 16th December.



Year 2 Multi skills After School Club

The Year 2 multi skills after school club will come to an end on Friday 10th December.

Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

257

CHICHESTER

291

SCOTT

265

Advent and Christmas at Barrowby Church.

Saturday 4 December

10.30am – 12 noon

Advent Coffee Morning in church

Christmas stall and raffle



Sunday 12 December 10.00am

Families Carols

*A relaxed 'hands free' service
for all ages.*



Sunday 19 December 6.00pm

Carols by Candlelight

*Our traditional service of readings and
carols (no 10.00am service)*



[www.facebook.com/Barrowby
AllSaintsChurch](https://www.facebook.com/BarrowbyAllSaintsChurch)

10.00am

A Birthday Party for Jesus

*A short, fun time of worship for children,
but grown-ups can come too! Balloons,
Birthday Cake, Puppets, and more.*



4.00pm

**Join us to sing carols old and new
around the trees on the church path
beautifully decorated by our church
and community groups.**

Followed by refreshments in church



Christmas Day

**8.30am Holy Communion,
refreshments, and then**

Family Worship at 10.00am

*come for either or both services and
bring the family to celebrate the
birth of Jesus!*



Sunday 26 December 10.00am

Morning Worship

*A time of peaceful music and reflection
on God's wonderful gift.*

Rotary Club of Grantham Kesteven

Grantham Santa Fun Run



Sunday 12th December 2021, 11am
Starting at Wyndham Park Visitor Centre

2 routes: 2.5 or 5K (run or walk!)

Includes
Santa Suit
if needed

Reduced
entry fee if you
use your own
fancy dress!

Raise money for your own Charity, Club or School
Entry: Adults £12, Children 5-12 £6, under 5's free!
Discount of £3 if you provide your own Santa Suit or Fancy Dress

For more information visit
www.granthamsantafunrun.co.uk
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