

DIARY DATES

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Barrowby Church of England Primary School

**Wednesday 9th November &
Thursday 10th November**
Parent Consultations



Thursday 10th November
Individual Photographs



Thursday 10th November
Year 5 & Year 6 Mixed Football
Tournament



Monday 14th November
Parent Workshop - Reception
Curriculum Meeting

Reception

Friday 18th November
Children In Need



Governor Meetings

Tuesday 8th November
FGB



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Link

Newsletter 4th November 2022

Be kind to one another.

Ephesians 4:32

Dear Parents/Carers

Well the first week back after the October half-term has flown by, what a week. I hope you enjoy reading this week's Newsletter and learning a little bit more about School Life. I hope to see many of you at next week's 'Face to Face' Parent/Teacher Consultations, with refreshments in the hall. Enjoy your weekend.

Mr L Batey-Headteacher

Events In School



Olympian Athlete Visit - Dai Greene

On Wednesday 2nd November, we were thrilled to welcome 400m hurdle World Champion Dai Greene to Barrowby. He told us all about how he started playing different sports and fell in love with football. His role model was Ryan Giggs who inspired Dai, a right footed footballer, to train with his left foot. Later in life, he found athletics, he thoroughly enjoyed training, far more than football. But his football training helped him in the hurdles as he was able to use the skills to jump over hurdles with both his right foot and his left foot. In the beginning, he felt the nerves and pressure of the competitions but, with practise and preparation, and mind over matter he achieved a European Gold Medal!

He then gained Gold in the Commonwealth Games. He felt stronger and stronger both physically and mentally. In 2011, it was time for the World Championships, we watched the thrilling race and saw Dai finish first and win GOLD! Wow! What an amazing achievement! Thank you very much for sharing your story Dai, you are a true inspiration. I wonder...are there any children in our school that will one day return to Barrowby to share their own Gold medal! Reach for the stars Barrowby, you never know what you will achieve!

Fundraising Committee

This week, our fundraising committee met to discuss their roles and responsibilities as well as many upcoming, worthwhile events they will be planning. We are pleased to announce the following roles of our fundraising team:

- Chairperson – Ivy Bateson
- Secretaries – Sophia Debenham and Joshua Clayson
- Treasurers – Thomas Caunt and Suwanya Gurusinghe
- 'Imagineers' – Jorgia Willis and Betsy Milne



Girl's Football Tournament



On Thursday 3rd November, some of our Year 5 and 6 football team travelled to the Kings School playing field to participate in the annual Girls Football Tournament. The girls did a fantastic job and represented our school incredibly well.

In our first game, sadly the girls were unsuccessful and lost to Isaac Newton. Next up, we played West Grantham Academy and had a fantastic game with the girls winning 5-1. In our final game of that round, we had another successful game and won 1-0! In the following round we played Belton Lane Primary School and after a tough 20 minutes of battling from both teams, the score was a 0-0 draw! We await to hear our final position but would like to congratulate the girls on their brilliant efforts. We would also like to Mrs Ward, Mrs Kay and the parents that came out to support.

Parent Reminders

Flu Vaccinations

Today, Friday 4th November, the nurse team came into school to administer the flu vaccinations to the children that consent had been provided for. If you had provided consent and your child was not in school today, they will receive their flu vaccination during our 'Mop Up' session which will take place on Friday 2nd December. In addition to this, if you have not provided consent and would like your child to have the flu vaccination for your child for the please contact the school nurse team on 01522 572950.

Parent/Teacher Consultations

Our Parent/Teacher consultations will take place 'face to face' in school on Wednesday 9th November and Thursday 10th November 2022 between 3.30pm and 6.30pm. We would like to thank you for booking your appointment, if you need to confirm your appointment time, please contact the school office on 01476 566121, Mrs Holmes and Mrs Duller will assist you. There will also be refreshments and a Pre-Loved Uniform Sale in the hall.



CHEESE!



Individual School Photographs

On Thursday 10th November, your child will be having their individual school photograph taken, please remind your child/ren to bring a comb/hairbrush, and make sure they are wearing their smartest uniform, including a sweatshirt or cardigan, so that they look their very best for their school photographs.

Year 5 & Year 6 Mixed Football Tournament

Our Year 5 and Year 6 Mixed Football Tournament will take place on Thursday 10th November at The Kings School playing field.

If your child is in Year 5, your child will be having their swimming lesson at the Meres Leisure Centre with their class, please arrange the collection of your child from **Grantham Meres Leisure Centre at 11.45am** so they can be taken to the tournament. If your child is not in Year 5, please arrange the collection of your child from school at 11.45am. You will need to arrive at 12.00 noon at the Kings School Playing Field to meet Mrs Ward.



The expected finishing time is 3.00 - 3.30pm. As this means leaving the school at the beginning of lunch time, please can you provide your child with a packed lunch. Children will be provided with football kit. Trainers (not football boots) are required and shin pads would be desirable. Children will need to bring an extra drink as well as a waterproof coat, with them.

Parent Workshop - Reception Curriculum Meeting

Our annual Reception Curriculum Meeting will take place on Monday 14th November 2022 at 2.15 – 3.15pm.

During the Curriculum Meeting, the new Reception curriculum will be discussed to enable you to support our teaching in school, at home. We will talk to you about early phonics, reading, writing and mathematical skills and how you can help your child in the development of these skills.

We will also talk in general about the Reception Curriculum, and the development of your children through 'play'. It will also provide us with an opportunity to share with you how you can get more involved with your own child's learning journey. This will be a good opportunity for you to share some of the experiences, and to see some of the resources that your child has access to in his/her first years at school. We hope you will be able to join us, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Weekly House Point Totals

ARMSTRONG

566

CHICHESTER

521

SCOTT

481

Children In Need 2022



As you may already know, it is Children in Need Day on Friday 18th November 2022 and the theme this year is 'BE SPOTACULAR!'

The fundraising committee are running:

- KS1 Design a Bandana;
- KS2 Create a 'Spotacular doodle'
- Name the Bear Competition

All activities will be charged at 50p per entry.

The competitions will be on sale daily from Friday 4th November until Friday 11th November, at playtime.



Completed entry forms need to be returned to the school office by Wednesday 16th November.

The presentation of prizes, kindly donated by FOBs, will be presented on Children in Need Day, Friday 18th November during our Collective Worship to the lucky prize winners.

In addition to the competitions above, our Fundraising Committee, would like our pupils to come to school in non-uniform, on Friday 18th November to support this worthwhile cause, with our main intention this year being to raise awareness of this cause. Children can wear a choice of clothing e.g. any non-school clothing, onesies, pyjamas, spots, messy hair etc. **We will not be taking collections in school on this day, if you would like to make a donation then please visit: <https://donate.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/>**

Thank you for your continued support and we hope to once again raise valuable funds and awareness for this very worthwhile charity.

Poppy Appeal 2022



As we pay tribute to those who have served and sacrificed during Remembrance this year, we hope you will show your support to all our amazing Poppy Appeal collectors in your local communities.

Without our partners, volunteers and without you, we wouldn't be able to continue supporting serving and ex-serving men and women, and their families.

Poppy merchandise will be on sale in school from Monday 7th—11th November.

There are a limited number of Poppy items for sale, these are;

- Traditional enamel Poppy pin badge – £2.00
- Wristbands – £1.00
- Snap Bands – £1.00
- Reflective Poppy key ring - £1.00
- Poppy Zipper Tag - £1.00



These items will be available from the Fundraising Committee during morning playtime, available to purchase from a stall on the playground.

Please ensure your child has the relevant money with them if they wish to purchase a Poppy item. Children can wear their Poppy related items from 7th—11th November in school, as an act of remembrance.

We appreciate your continued generous support to The Royal British Legion.



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New website supporting
Lincolnshire parents and
families.



www.lincolnshirechildrenstherapyservices.nhs.uk