

## DIARY DATES

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

### Tuesday 16th April

Return To School



### Friday 19th April

FOBs Committee Meeting



### Thursday 25th April

Cross Country Tournament -

Selected Children



### Monday 6th May

Bank Holiday



### Tuesday 7th May

Extra-Curricular Clubs/Activities

Commence



### Thursday 9th May

Year 3 Swimming Lessons

Commence



### Monday 13th May - Thursday

16th May

Year 6 SATs



### Governor Meetings

Tuesday 30th April  
Budget Meeting



FOBs Committee Meeting  
Friday 19th April



## Barrowby Church of England Primary School

**Our School's Vision:** As a Church school family, we strive for excellence, ensuring that we all feel happy, valued and loved. We aim to provide an exciting, innovative, and relevant curriculum that enables all to 'shine' and develop as creative, respectful and independent citizens. We seek to promote equal opportunities for all so that each individual is encouraged to achieve their full potential and become lifelong learners who can make a positive contribution to society.

### Newsletter 25th March 2024

*Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; he has risen, just as he said.*

Matthew 28: 5-6

Dear Parents/Carers

What a wonderfully exciting week it has been this week. It was lovely to see our Reception and Year 6 parents at our Easter Service today. Thank you for joining us.

This week, we saw our Boy's Football team compete in the County Finals-what an achievement! The team played well, demonstrating resilience and determination. Despite the results, the boy's never gave up and were a true examples to others. Well done guys, it doesn't matter if you win, loose or draw as long as you try your best, which you did. We're all proud of you.

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

Len Batey-Headteacher

### RockSteady Easter Concert

On Tuesday 26th March, our three Rock Steady bands performed to their family and Key Stage 2. We were all wowed by their ability to perform under pressure and thoroughly enjoyed watching their performances. Watch this space, there may be some famous names from Barrowby in the future!

### Class Photographs

On Wednesday 27th March, class and group photographs were taken in school. We will be provided with proof copies of the photographs and will inform you once these are in school and are ready to be sent home in your child's book bag.



### Easter Church Service

On Thursday 28th March, we held our Easter Service in All Saints Church. The whole school came together to learn more about Easter from our Bishop's Visitor Kate Waghorn, who led the service. We were joined by Reverend Sarah, the church minister, and many of our parents of the Reception and Y6 children. Children in Year 2 and Year 6 were given Bibles in association with All Saints Church and the Bethesda Church.



Our Reception children joined us for an Easter bonnet parade-their bonnets were splendid. Thank you to our Reception families for helping their children to make them! Didn't they look wonderful! What a lovely way to end the term.

### CREATIVITY



### RESPECT



### INDEPENDENCE



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Happy

Valued

Loved

## Easter Egg Competition

Wow! What an eggcellent job everyone did what entered the egg decorating competition ran by FOBS. The entries were 'cracking'! The Fundraising Committee judged the event and the results are as follows:

Reception Winner: Jack France

Reception Runner-Up: Hope Thomas

Year 1 and 2 Winner: Elliot Dykes

Year 1 and 2 Runner-Up: Ivy Winter

Year 3 and 4 Winner: Giles Fillingham

Year 3 and 4 Runner-Up: Nathan Houghton

Year 5 and 6 Winner: Alice Dempsey

Year 5 and 6 Runner-Up: Isabel Simons





## Year 6 Easter Revision

Before your child breaks up for Easter they will receive a revision pack to complete over the Easter Holidays. Your child will receive revision materials for: Maths, Reading and Grammar, with a proposed timetable of activities from Miss Lees.

# REVISION

This has been designed to support your child in their studies in preparation for the Year 6 SATs which are taking place during the week beginning the Monday 13th May 2024, and their transition to secondary school.

## E-Safety Newsletter

### Online Safety Newsletter

The E-safety Newsletter April 24 edition focuses on Cyberbullying, what it is and what to do if your child is being bullied online. TikTok, setting up an account, family pairing and stranger contact. It also discusses Online Challenges and support for parents. Please click [here](#) to read the Newsletter.

## Parental Reminders

### Cycle Permit Form

Children in Year 6 and Year 5 (after completing Bikeability) are eligible to cycle to and from school alone. In deciding whether your child is ready to cycle to school, we recommend that you work with your child/ren to build up their independence through route finding, road safety skills and general awareness.

Riding a bike has many benefits. Staying active improves physical fitness: it improves cardiovascular health, strengthens bones and muscles, and helps kids improve their motor skills, balance and coordination. Cycling is also good for kids, mental health as it is a great way to reduce stress and anxiety and improve mood and self-esteem. This often means students who cycle to school are more relaxed, happier and better prepared to start the day.



All children in Year 5 & Year 6 have been provided with a Cycle Permit Form, if your child is currently cycling to school or if you would like your child to commence cycling to school, please could you kindly complete the form provided and return this to the school office. Thank you.

## School Uniform

When we return, after the Easter break, hopefully the weather will be lovely and sunny, and children may wish to wear their optional 'summer uniform.'



### SCHOOL UNIFORM

For girls: a royal blue and white knee length checked dress with white ankle socks (not knee length socks) or mid-grey tailored shorts (not cargo style) with white knee length socks. For boys: school jumper, white polo shirt and mid grey tailored shorts (not cargo style) with grey socks (no cargo style shorts allowed).

Please can all parents ensure that skirts are of a modest length (knee height) and are not too short. Thank you.

## Return to school

We return to school on Tuesday 16th April.

# Happy Easter!

### Weekly House Point Totals

**ARMSTRONG**

**519**

**CHICHESTER**

**267**

**SCOTT**

**244**



## The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals

Have you ordered your hot school meals with our hot school meal provider, The Farm Kitchen? The deadline for ordering your hot school meals for the return to school for week commencing **Monday 15th April** is **Tuesday 9th April** at **3.00pm**.



### BARROWBY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL The Farm Kitchen - Hot School Meals - Menu Sheet Mon 15 April - Fri 19 April

	Monday 15 April	Tuesday 16 April	Wednesday 17 April	Thursday 18 April	Friday 19 April
Main Course 1		Mild Chicken Curry, Rice, Green Beans and Peas	Lincolnshire Beefburger in a Bread Roll, Diced Potatoes, Vegetable Sticks and Tomato Ketchup	Roast Pork served with Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Jumbo Fishfinger, Mashed Potatoes and Baked Beans
Main Course 2		Cheese Sandwiches with Carrot Sticks	Jacket Potato, Veggie Bolognese and Vegetable Sticks	Egg Mayonnaise Sub Roll with Carrot Sticks	Jacket Potato, Baked Beans and a Salad Platter
Main Course 3					
Vegetarian Option		Jacket Potato, Baked Beans, Cheese and Carrot Sticks	Quorn Burger in a Roll, Diced Potatoes, Vegetable Sticks and Ketchup	Vegan Strips in Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots and Gravy	Birdseye Vegetable Fingers, Mashed Potatoes and Baked Beans
Pudding 1		Frozen Raspberry Ripple Mousse (contains gelatine)	Oaty Apple Crumble and Custard	Strawberry Jelly (contains gelatine)	Slice of Melon and Mini Shortbread
Pudding 2		Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Raspberry Yoghurt	Individual Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt
Fruit		Apples - individual	Satsuma - individual	Apples - individual	Fruit Salad
Packed Lunch		Packed Lunch - Grated Cheese Submarine Roll, Carrot Sticks, Yeo Valley Strawberry Yoghurt and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Ham Mayo Salad Wrap, Vegetable Sticks, Oatmeal Cookie and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Egg Mayonnaise Submarine Roll, Cucumber Slices, Individual Portion of Cheese, Yeo Valley Mango and Vanilla Yoghurt, and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)	Packed Lunch - Chicken and Sweetcorn Mayo Roll, Carrot and Cucumber Sticks, Shortbread and an Apple (PLEASE DO NOT ORDER FOR SCHOOL TRIPS)



# THEME DAYS



## ST. GEORGE'S DAY TUESDAY 23RD APRIL



## MAY DAY FRIDAY 3RD MAY



## SUMMER COMPETITION DAY THURSDAY 16TH MAY

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# SUMMER COMPETITION DAY

**THURSDAY 16TH MAY**



**ORDER A MEAL ON THIS DAY AND BE IN WITH  
A CHANCE OF WINNING – FIND THE LUCKY  
STICKER TO WIN A PRIZE!**



**ORDER DEADLINE: TUESDAY 7TH MAY BY 3PM**

**IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE ORDERING THE MEAL,  
PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US AT  
[ENQUIRIES@THEFARMKITCHEN.COM](mailto:ENQUIRIES@THEFARMKITCHEN.COM)  
BEFORE THE ORDER DEADLINE.**



**FOBs Donut forget your cash!**



**Donut**  
forget your cash!

**£1 a donut, on sale at the school gates to  
mark the end of term on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May**





# EASTER EGG-CITEMENT!

**FREE EASTER HOLIDAY  
ACTIVITY AFTERNOON**



**Lego**



**ECO  
Church yard  
Easter trail**



**Craft**



**Decorate biscuits**

**BARROWBY  
CHURCH,**

**Tuesday 9th April  
starts at 2pm**



# FANCY PLAYING WATER POLO?

## GWPC IS LOOKING FOR NEW PLAYERS!

GWPC will be running trial sessions at the Meres swimming pool for new players on 19th & 26th April 2024.

We are looking for players in Year 5, and Year 6 to join our very successful club, which has just been recognised as "Water Polo Club of the Year" 2023. No previous experience is needed other than being a good swimmer. Excellent coaching will be given by qualified, regional coaches.

Juniors & New Players train on Fridays from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm, term time

As your child progresses, Intermediates train on Mondays & Fridays 7:00 am - 8:00 am  
(bus to Kings & KGS provided)



Selections to join the club and regular training sessions will be made following the trials and players will be informed accordingly.

Any queries, contact Gareth Chen-Rees on [garethchenrees@gmail.com](mailto:garethchenrees@gmail.com)

*Training fees following selection are £32 a month plus an annual ASA registration fee.*

Register  
Interest Here



**Affiliated to:**  
ASA East Midlands District  
Lincolnshire County ASA  
Midland Schools Swimming Association