



WEEKLY *Newsletter*

Spring Term – Wb 10th March 25
Headteacher: Mrs Nicola McArdle

The children have had a fantastic time this week playing on the outdoor gym and watching Mr. Briggs transform the pond and wildlife area—we can't wait to see how it takes shape in the coming weeks!

This week, we also said a heartfelt goodbye and thank you to Tanya as our lunchtime supervisor. But don't worry—Tanya is very much part of the Barrow family, and you'll still hear her singing each morning as she safely crosses the children over the road.



A huge thank you to those who have already brought in their Lent money boxes. Every penny will go towards 'The Bethany Project' to help build a high school in Tanzania. On April 4th, I will be traveling there with Mrs. Porter to teach and visit the site.

We have a spare suitcase in the school entrance that we hope to fill with small items for the children, such as playing cards, Uno, games, or colouring books. If you'd like to donate, please pop them in the suitcase, and we promise to take them over with us.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend!

Mrs. McArdle



DIARY

Dates

- Thurs 20th March - Kid's Cup Final
- Thurs 20th March - American Football Tournament
- Fri 21st March - Red Nose Day (wear something red £1) / World Poetry Day competition 9am worship
- Mon 24th March - Class photos
- Weds 26th March - Guitar Concert 2.45pm
- Thurs 27th March - 3.30pm Year 6 SATs parent information session
- Fri 28th March - Mothers Day worship led by Reception 9am - all parents welcome
- Mon 31st March - Palm Sunday worship led by Year 2 9am - all parents welcome / 2.30pm - ROCK concert (final show)
- Tues 1st April - Last Supper worship led by Year 4 9am - all parents welcome
- Weds 2nd April - Good Friday worship led by Year 5 9am - all parents welcome
- Thurs 3rd April - Easter Sunday worship led by Year 6 9am - all parents welcome
- Fri 4th April - Chocolate tombola - all children (more information to follow) / Mrs McArdle and Mrs Porter leave for Tanzania 'The Bethany Project' teaching for two weeks / School closes at 1:30pm
- Thurs 1st May - School closed for polling station

Latest FACE support for parents



Spring 2025 Newsletter

FACE delivers online support via zoom for parents across the UK. Talks are 90 minutes long, £24 each - Book Online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Schools can now buy a **FACE School Annual Membership** which means **ALL parents and ALL staff** get unlimited **FREE** access to **ALL 16** parent talks

Thursday 24th April 19:00 - 20:00 FREE

Responding to Angry Behaviour
What can we do in the moment?

Tuesday 18th March 10:00 - 11:30 £24

Anxiety Explained
Anxiety, especially in our young is rising. This session explains what it is, why it happens and how you can help.

Thursday 3rd April 10:00 - 11:30 £24

Supporting a Child with ADHD
Challenging the stereotypes and giving practical interventions. Clear explanation of the condition in all its forms and extremely useful advice.

Tuesday 3rd April 19:00 - 20:30 £24

Improving Family Communication
How to reduce the shouting and arguing and start the talking.

facefamilyadvice.co.uk info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk



Spring Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom £24 each 90 minutes long
book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Anxiety Explained	18 MAR 7pm
What is ACT?	20 MAR 7pm
Understanding the Teenage Brain	24 MAR 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	24 MAR 7pm
Decreasing Depression	25 MAR 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	25 MAR 7pm
AUTISM: Improving Communication	2 APR 10am
Supporting a Child with ADHD	3 APR 10am
Improving Family Communication	3 APR 7pm
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	7 APR 10am
Facing Defiance	7 APR 7pm
Anxiety-Based School Avoidance	8 APR 10AM
Understanding Anger	8 APR 7pm
Anxiety Explained	14 APR 10am
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	14 APR 7pm

THIS WEEK

in Notices

Polite reminder

When dropping off and collecting your children from school, please be mindful of our neighbours and do not block access to their driveways

OAK CLASS

Mother's Day (w/)

FRIDAY 28TH MARCH

please join us for
SPECIAL WORSHIP 9AM
followed by
STAY AND PLAY
9.30 - 10.30

Come and join your children for an hour of playtime, a brew and a biscuit. Please confirm your attendance at the school office.

COMIC RELIEF

RED NOSE DAY

FRIDAY 21 MARCH

Dial a SENCO!

Don't have time to book an appointment? Feel free to ring Miss Crossley on Wednesdays if you have any SEND / Pastoral concerns that you wish to discuss.

Red Nose Day

Next Friday, 21 March we are inviting children to wear non uniform including something red and encouraging a £1 donation to Red Nose Day - Comic Relief 2025.

Donations can be made online via the link below

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=18038>

THIS WEEK

in Pictures



Many children from Reception and Year 6 attended Sunday family worship



Children had a clean out in Tiny's house



Year 5 have been planting the pond



Barrow Beasts smashed their matches



Our outdoor gym officially opened



Star Awards



Headteacher Awards



Rooted in God's love, everyone growing together to be the best that we can be