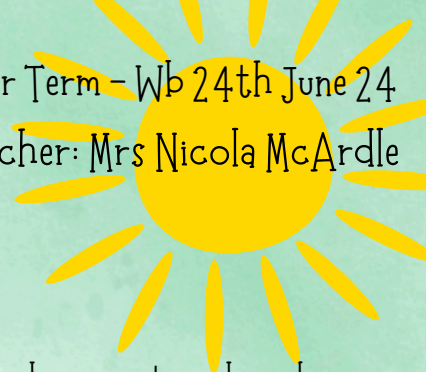




WEEKLY *Newsletter*

Summer Term - Wb 24th June 24
Headteacher: Mrs Nicola McArdle



We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all of you who have taken the time to send comments and emails regarding our recent Ofsted report. Your feedback and support mean a great deal to us.

It has been a busy week, even by Barrow standards! For those who don't already follow us on Facebook, we encourage you to do so to stay up to date with photos and updates.

One highlight of our week was taking our Happiness Heroes to County Hall, where we proudly received our GOLD award for the Behaviour Quality Mark.

We are also buzzing with excitement about a new addition to Barrow: over the next couple of weeks, we will be introducing four bee hives to our school. Bees play a crucial role in our environment, helping with the pollination of plants and enhancing biodiversity. We believe that having bees in our school will offer unique educational opportunities, including bee-keeping experiences for families and the potential to produce our own honey next year! We will share more information about this exciting project next week.

In other news, we have an update on the EYFS Oak building. As you are aware, our Oak children have been relocated to the main building since February due to necessary building work. We are very fortunate and grateful that the URC has generously donated the funds needed for these works. We hope to start the work in August, which will include reducing the building size to create a larger playground and revamping the outdoor learning space. We will keep you informed as these plans unfold.

Exciting times are ahead for Barrow School, and we thank you for your continued support.

We hope you can make it along to our FOBS Summer Fair on Saturday between 11-3

DIARY *Dates*

- **Sat 29th June- FOB's Summer fair 11.00am - 3.00pm**
- **Tues 2nd July - Stay & Play Sports Day 10am**
- **Tues 2nd July - Print Portraits KS2 1.30 -3.30pm**
- **Wed 3rd July - Fri 5th July - Beech class trip to Patterdale**
- **Thur 4th July - school closed for general election (polling station)**
- **Mon 8th July - Moving Up morning**
- **Tues 9th July - Larch trip to Blackpool Zoo**
- **Wed 10th July - Guitar music performance 2.45pm parents welcome**
- **Thurs 11th July - Sycamore Trip to Brockhole on Windermere**
- **Thurs 11th July - Year 5&6 Sports Awards dinner - Invite only**
- **Friday 12th July - Sports Day 1.00pm**
- **Tues 16th July - Reports go home to parents**
- **Wed 17th July - Year 6 play 2pm & 5pm**
- **Thurs 18th July - end of term Rock Band Performance 2.00pm**
- **Fri 19th July - Year 6 leavers worship @ 12.30pm**
- **Fri 19th July - SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 1.30pm**

THIS WEEK

in Notices

We are in need of 4 more parent helpers for our school Sports Day on Friday 12th July. If you are willing to volunteer to be a parent helper (escorting children from school to the field and staying with a group of children during the event) please respond to the office as soon as possible.



ALWAYS FOLLOW THE WATER SAFETY CODE



Whenever you are around water:

STOP AND THINK

Take time to assess your surroundings. Look for the dangers and always research local signs and advice.

STAY TOGETHER

When around water always go with friends or family. Swim at a lifeguarded venue.



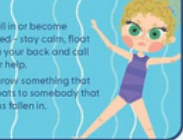
In an emergency:

CALL 999

Ask for the Fire and Rescue Service when inland and the Coastguard if at the coast. Don't enter the water to rescue.

FLOAT

Fall in or become tired - stay calm, float on your back and call for help. Throw something that floats to somebody that has fallen in.



Enjoy Water Safely

Learn basic lifesaving and CPR skills. Visit www.rls.org.uk

FOPS
FRIENDS OF BARROW SCHOOL

COME & JOIN US FOR OUR
SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 29TH JUNE
BARROW PRIMARY SCHOOL
11.00AM-3.00PM

FREE ENTRY

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!
HOOK A DUCK | TOMBOLA | BOUNCY CASTLE | BAKE OFF
HOT DOGS | POPCORN | REFRESHMENTS
GLITTER TATTOOS | SWEET PONG | ICE CREAM | SPLAT THE RAT

ALL WELCOME. COME & SUPPORT LOCAL CHILDREN
ALL PROCEEDS TO FRIENDS OF BARROW SCHOOL

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.

SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS

COME To the SUPER AMAZING BOOK FAIR!

LAST YEAR, YOUR SUPPORT HELPED TO DONATE OVER £5.3M BOOKS TO SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE

FREE BOOKS FOR YOUR SCHOOL WHEN YOU BUY AT THE BOOK FAIR!

A POP-UP BOOK-STORE WITH HUNDREDS OF BOOKS FROM JUST £2.99

NEW CAT KID Save £3
NEW Why Not?
NEW DIARY OF A WIMPY KID
NEW LUNA WOLF
NEW NINA PEANUT
NEW PANDAS WHO PROMISED

**Date: Thursday 4th July
Friday 5th July
Monday 8th July
Tuesday 10th July
3:30pm - 4:00pm**

We now take CARD payments!

£12.99 £9.99
£2.99
£7.99
£7.99
£8.99 £2.99
£2.99

Clitheroe Castle Museum
Saturday 29 June
11.30am - 2.30pm

LITTLE ZOO TO YOU

Visit the museum and meet lots of real life mini beasts, crazy critters and creepy crawlies

MUSEUM ADMISSION APPLIES
Museum Admission £5 Children 0-12yrs FREE Young People 13-18 FREE

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Clitheroe Royal Grammar School

Main School Open Evening

Wednesday 3rd July 2024
5.30pm to 7.30pm
Headteacher Talk
5.30pm
6.10pm
6.50pm

Entrance Examination (11+)
Saturday 28th September 2024
9.00am - 12.25pm

To make an application please visit our website and complete the online application form.

Closing date 12.00 noon
Friday 13th September 2024

Car parking is limited.
Please park at our Sixth Form site on York Street BB7 2DU

Join our Outstanding School

We look forward to meeting you

mainsschool@crgs.org.uk



Summer crash course
Course fee £32.00 per child for a 5 day block booking.

Summer Crash Course is Back!

Would your child benefit from attending a swimming course?

During the summer school break we will be running 5 day crash course swimming sessions 4pm-6.45pm.

These courses will consist of 5x 30 minute lessons.

Monday 29th July - Friday 2nd August

Monday 5th August - Friday 9th August

Monday 12th August - Friday 16th August

Monday 19th August - 23rd August

If your child is a non-swimmer, beginner, or just needs to gain a confidence boost and you would like to use this opportunity for them to learn/improve an essential life skill, please contact Ribblesdale pool reception on 01200 424825 to book your place.



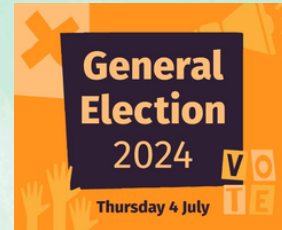
THIS WEEK

in pictures



Children learned about democracy and Parliament
& we even held our own ballot

Magistrates visit Year 6



Our Happiness Heroes visited Tesco
to collect a cheque

Dragons' Den 2024



Larch class had a wonderful morning at
Trinity Methodist Church

Happiness
Heroes went
to County
Hall in
Preston to
receive our
GOLD
Behaviour
Quality
Mark Award



Star Awards

Headteacher Awards



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



Holiday Camp

CALLING ALL PARENTS

Early drop offs & late pick ups are now free across our Progressive Sports Holiday Camps!!

As part of our promise to support our parents and listen to feedback we have decided that early drop offs & late pick up charges are no more....

That means an extra 2 hours of camp for the same price

Find out more below:

<https://progressive-sports-lancashire.classforkids.io>

SUMMER 2024

From 4 -13 years

Care available from 8:30 - 5:30

Book Now





Progressive Sports



Venues:
West End Primary
Barrow Primary
St Bartholomews Primary

- Qualified Coaches
- 20+ Enriching Activities
- Fun and nurturing environment



**INSPIRE, ENGAGE
EMPOWER & ENCOURAGE**

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