



Autumn Term - Wb 11th December 23

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# WEEKLY *Newsletter*



I hope this newsletter finds you amidst the chaos of December! I just wanted to share a quick note about why this time of year is my favourite at our school.

The children's excitement is infectious, especially when they are up there on stage during carol concerts and nativity practices. I love watching from the side lines and always feel an immense feeling of pride and a reminder why Barrow is such a special school.

As a mum juggling a to-do list that seems to grow by the minute, I understand how hectic things can get in the final week before Christmas. So, we thought it might help to give you a rundown of what's happening in school next week. Please see below.

Our raffle will stay open until Wednesday at 5pm when the winners will be drawn. Tickets can be bought from the office or before Nativity performances.

Mrs McArdle

## DIARY *Dates*

**Tues 19th Dec - Oak class parents stay & play 2-3pm**

**Wed 20th Dec - Christmas lunch**

**Wed 20th Dec - KS1 Nativity 2pm & 5pm**

**Fri 22nd Dec - Class party morning (children can wear own clothes)  
followed by christmas party lunch**

**Fri 22nd Dec - Christingle led by Year 4 9am (all welcome)**

**Finish at 1.30pm**



# THIS WEEK

*in pictures*



Rotary Club Young Artist Competition entries



## Breakfast with Santa

## KS2 trip to the theatre



## Stars of the Week



## Headteacher Awards

Every member of our girls' football club



## Year 1 learning about the Great Fire of London



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

# THIS WEEK

## Notices

### After School Club Menu - Spring 1

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Choir (Ks2) 3.30-4.30pm Cost: FREE	Dance with Estelle (Progressive Sports) KS2 3.30-4.30pm Cost: £15 Book via Parent Pay	Nerf Wars with James (Progressive Sports) KS1 3.30-4.30pm Cost: £15 Book via Parent Pay	Football (Year 5 and 6) 3.30-4.30pm Cost: FREE	No Clubs Available
Chess Club (Year 5/6) Mr Briggs 3.30pm - 4.00pm Cost: FREE		Flavours Cookery (KS1/2) 3.30-4.30pm Price TBC	Art & Craft Club (KS1) Mrs Cox 3.30-4.30pm Cost: FREE	
Netball Club (KS2) Miss Routh 3.30pm - 4.00pm Cost: FREE				



## CHRISTMAS BARROW OF BOTTLES!



Chess, Netball and Arts & Craft Clubs - sign up at school office

Dance & Nerf Wars - sign up on ParentPay

Flavours Cookery - sign up details to follow next week

Dance classes for Key Stage 2 children

# Dance

Tuesday Night  
Spring 1  
3:30pm - 4:30pm  
With Miss Estelle  
£15 for 5 weeks

Join in the fun and book via Parent Pay

You've been targeted to attend

## Nerf Gun Club with James

After school club for Key Stage 1 boys and girls.  
Every Wednesday night in Spring 1  
3:30pm - 4:30pm  
£15 for 5 weeks (Equipment provided)  
Book straight away via Parent Pay...  
LIMITED NUMBERS!!!

Raffle tickets £5 per strip available to purchase by adults from the office  
Winners announced at the Nativity on the 20th December

### CHRISTMAS STAY AND PLAY

Join us in Oak class for some Christmas crafts, stories and lots of fun!

**Tuesday 19th December**  
2-3pm  
(for parents of current Reception children)

Please contact the office to confirm your attendance.

**! ATTENTION PLEASE !**

Following a local resident complaint, please can we reach out to our parents once again to emphasise the importance of mindful parking and not to block in any cars or lanes.

A reminder to contact the office to register for the Christmas Stay and Play if you've not already done so.