

BARROWBY NEWS

JUNE 2012

BARROWBY VILLAGE NEWS AND INFORMATION

ISSUE 01

B.I.G: The results are in!

After the biggest response in the county for a village of our size, the B.I.G. Community Led Planning Steering Group took a year compiling, entering and analysing the vast amounts of data that was submitted in the questionnaires and presented a summary of the results back to the village on 2nd May.

To find out what “our survey said” and what happens next, read the full story inside...



Around the allotments

Barrowby Gardeners' Association invites new members to join. We offer a Saturday morning allotment shop selling fresh fruit and veg in season, gardening items such as canes,

fertilizers, crop protection netting, fleece and other sundries at greatly reduced prices, plus a selection of used gardening tools on a bring and buy basis.

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YOUR NEWSLETTER

We intend for “Barrowby News” to be a regular monthly newsletter to keep the village fully informed. However, we need **your** help to make it viable and successful...

SPONSORSHIP

If you are interested in sponsoring an issue of “Barrowby News” or helping us with costs please contact us to discuss how you can help us and how we can help you!

CONTENT

If you have village news you wish to share or an event you would like to promote please contact us with details

See back of newsletter for contact information.

Parish Council Open Meeting

by **Richard Cross**

Chair, Parish Council

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10a.m. – 12 noon, Saturday
9th June in the Reading
Room, corner of Church
Street, Barrowby

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**Meet and talk to your
Parish Councillors!
A chance to find out...**

What does the Parish
Council do? How does
it spend our money?
What is the annual
budget and what is it
spent on? Who decides
on planning in the
village? What is the
Parish Council doing
about anti-social
behaviour in the village?

How can I tell the Parish
Council about the issues
in the village? Who are
the Parish Councillors?
How can you become a
Councillor?

**If you want to know
more or have a
grumble, we would
welcome the chance to
meet you!**

Visit: <http://parishes.lincolnshire.gov.uk/Barrowby>



**THE BARROWBY SPORTING COMMUNITY
FUNDRAISING GROUP AND
CANCER RESEARCH UK**

Jubilee Family Fun Day

Sunday June, 3rd 10am til 4pm
Barrowby Sports Pavillion, Low Road, Barrowby
Come and join us for our annual Family Fun Day
and celebrate the Queen's Jubilee!
There will be lots to keep the whole family entertained...
Craft Fair - Football Tournament - Tombola
Bouncy Castle - Auction - Raffle
Barrowby Prince & Princess Fancy Dress
Barrowby Football vs. Cricket Club Matches
Contact Sarah for details 07985 294414

AROUND THE ALLOTMENTS

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Come down and make new
friends for a chat over a cup
of tea. Possible activities
for the season include a
summer BBQ, an Annual
Fruit Flower and Vegetable
show for the village, and a
coach trip to a National
Show such as the Harrogate
Show.

Sandra Coleman,
'The Walnuts',
Manor Road,
Barrowby, NG32 1BB

Tel: 01476 565023

CLUBS

Barrowby WI
01476 578288

Grantham Flower Club
01476 593144

Children's Book Group
01476 562915

B.I.G. **The Results Are In...** ...

What did the survey tell us about our community's priorities and desires?

- More than 9 in 10 of respondents work in Barrowby or Grantham.
- Respondents would like to have a general store or community shop and a medical centre in our village.
- More than 90% use the Post Office during the year and the retention and improvement of the Memorial Hall is the preferred priority.
- Infill housing is supported IF there is better infrastructure and there was overwhelming support for entering the Best Village Competition (key dates will be in the next newsletter).
- A high percentage thought speeding traffic and parking were problems.
- Many respondents would like to know more about the Parish Council – Open Forum 9th June see page 2 for details.
- An annual community event would be welcomed – with or without beer.
- Respondents were very keen on a community newsletter.

What happens next?

Thank you to the Parish Council, who are supporting the first issues of the new Parish Newsletter – the first result of the BIG survey. Those who came to the meeting on 2nd May have identified activities and social groups they would like to be part of. We will list these in a forthcoming newsletter.

The summary presentation will be on the web site: www.barrowby.org.uk
The full and final report will be available in the autumn.

COMING DOWN THE PUB?

Sunday 3rd June 8.30pm -
“Perioke” (Karaoke Roadshow)

Sunday 10th June 8.30pm - “Quiz Night”

Thursday 14th June 8pm – “Folk at The Swan”
(music night – open to all)

Sunday 1st July 8.30pm – “Quiz Night”

For more information...
contact licensee John Fairhurst on 01476 562375

DID YOU KNOW?

THE BURNS CONNECTION

**ROBERT BURNS’
DRINKING PARTNER,
WILLIE STEWART WAS
THE LAND AGENT FOR
THE RECTOR OF
BARROWBY CHURCH.
THE SCOTTISH POET
CUT THE SONG “YOU’RE
WELCOME WILLIE
STEWART” FOR HIM ON
A CRYSTAL TUMBLER.**

All Saints' Church Barrowby ...

June Services

Sunday June 3rd
Trinity Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion
9.00am Prayer for Healing
9.30am Morning Prayer

Sunday June 10th

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.30am Holy Communion

Sunday June 17th

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Families Service

Sunday June 24th

8.00am Morning Prayer
6.00pm Songs of Praise

Barrowby Church presents a *'1950s'* Garden Party

Saturday 23 June 2012

2.00pm—6.00pm in and around the church.

Children's Fancy
Dress—on a 'Royal'
theme (in the spirit of
the '50's—only home
made costumes
please!)

Judging at 2.30pm
Country Dancing by
Barrowby School
Children



Teas

Games

Take home a treat from the
produce stall

Be photographed as a 'Royal'

Sunday 24 June 6.00pm

'Songs of Praise' Service

Come and celebrate 60 years of worship in song!

For more information,
or if you need a lift to
any service, just ask

Rev Peter Hopkins
01476 565737

NEXT ISSUE:
Updates on the
Litter Pickup, more
village news and
dates for your
diary...

GET IN TOUCH...

Are you organising an
event or running a
regular club in the
village?

Perhaps you have a story
you'd like us to share?

If you tell *us*, then *we*
can tell the **whole** of the
village!

Send details of your
event or your club to
news@barrowby.org.uk

**Deadlines for
publication:**

**July issue —
15th June**

**August issue —
15th July**

DIARY DATES

**SAT 2 JUNE —
MEMORIAL HALL: TEA
DANCE/CEILIDH,
CHARLIE'S ANT**

**SUN 3 JUNE — SPORTS
PAVILLION: JUBILEE
FAMILY FUN DAY**

**SUN 24 JUNE —
CHURCH: 1950s
GARDEN PARTY**