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BARROWBY'S ANNUAL SCARECROW FESTIVAL IS HERE AGAIN!

SATURDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER – SUNDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER

The annual Barrowby Scarecrow Festival is fast approaching, with an exciting theme this year: Sci-Fi!

Have you started to design your scarecrow yet? We are looking forward to seeing just how creative you can be this year. The sky is your limit!

An entry form and all the information you need to help you to create your scarecrow is enclosed with this issue of the Barrowby News. You will find details of the judging criteria, and when and where to drop off your completed entry form, which must be by Tuesday 22nd August.



It looks to be another fun packed weekend. As well as all of the fantastic Scarecrows to find there will be garage sales too around the village. There will be numerous stalls and activities on the green, including Tombola, Books, Allotment Produce, the WI with a range of jams, cakes and plants, and Face Painting. You will be able to visit Made in Barrowby at The Reading Room, and there will be activities at the Church too.

Then of course there will be the BBQ on Sunday 2nd September, 5-7pm on the Green, with live music and the announcement of the prize winners.

Programmes and maps for the weekend and tickets for the BBQ will be available to purchase on the Green from the morning of Saturday 1st September.

If you have any donations of books or tombola prizes please contact Brian on 07793 198948. And if you have any time to spare to help us on the day please let Brian know.

We really value your support for the Scarecrow Festival. As well as an important fund raiser for the Newsletter it is a great way of showcasing Barrowby and engaging our village community.

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London calling for Barrowby School pupils
and for our Bell Ringers!

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going on in August!**

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- Allotment Open Day: Saturday 18th August
- Vegetable and Flower Show:
Sunday 25th August

Around the Parish

Parish Council News

As a result of the vast majority of comments received from the 150+ residents who have attended the Neighbourhood Planning drop in sessions and the Parish Council drop in session on Saturday 14th July, the Parish Council has submitted a representation to SKDC opposing the proposed Local Plan which allows for the development of 250 houses on Low Road.

Whilst accepting that Barrowby has to accommodate its share of new houses to meet the national demand for more housing, the Parish Council feels that 250+ additional houses in a community of 800 dwellings is a disproportionate increase in size and such an increase will fundamentally change the character of the village.

Despite consultations with developers and the land owners, SKDC has conducted limited consultation with the Parish Council and so a meeting was instigated by the Parish Council with the SKDC Cabinet member for Planning and Development to make the views of the Parish Council known. Consideration is being given to employing the services of a Planning Consultant to assist the Parish Council in opposing the proposals.

We wait to see if SKDC heed the many representations made by those opposing this development or whether the proposals are referred to the Secretary Of State intact.

August - a busy month of Allotment events!

ALLOTMENT BBQ - Party on the Plot – Sunday 12th August 12–3pm

Join us for the annual summer BBQ at the Allotments and enjoy Skinners sausages and burgers, salads prepared with fresh allotment produce, homemade pickles, cakes and desserts. There will be drinks available, plus games and competitions for adults and children to enjoy.

ALLOTMENTS OPEN DAY - Saturday 18th August, 10-2pm

If you are thinking about applying for an allotment and would like to find out more or would just like to have a look around, please come along and see us. Refreshments will be available.

ANNUAL VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SHOW – Saturday 25th August at the Memorial Hall

The Annual show is slightly earlier this year. Class schedules are now available from local shops and from the allotment shop (Saturdays 10-noon). Once again there is a children's class with 4 categories. Doors open for staging of exhibits at 9am-noon, judging takes place from 12.15-1pm and doors re-open for viewing at 2pm. The auction of produce will be at 3pm, when you can grab a real bargain of top class fruit and vegetables, cut flowers and home-made cakes and preserves.

CASTLEGATE FASCIAS & WINDOWS

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Windows, Conservatories**

**For More Information Call Mike on
01476 567075 07941 752272**

DIARY DATES

Sunday 12th August: 12-3pm Annual BBQ at the allotments

Saturday 18th August: Allotments Open Day 10-2pm with refreshments - come and apply for a plot

Wednesday 22nd August – Mobile Library Wong Gardens 11.30am-noon

Saturday 25th August: Vegetable and Flower Show, Memorial Hall. Doors open 9am. Auction at 3pm.

Monday 27 August – Barrowby Veterans Association Club Night Reading Room 7-9pm

Around the Parish



Neighbourhood Plan

Three Neighbourhood Planning consultation meetings have now been held in the Reading Room. All have been well attended with over 100 parishioners attending. The scope of the consultation events has been somewhat narrowed by the concern expressed by attendees over the proposed plans for an additional 230+ houses on Low Road.

The consultation process will continue throughout the summer culminating with a questionnaire issued to every household in the autumn. Details of this will follow.

School News

In June our Year 6 children enjoyed their annual visit to London. The day began on arrival in London with lunch near the London Eye, followed by a cruise down the river Thames 'spotting' the many famous landmarks en route. The children disembarked at the Tower of London and explored the surrounding area. The rest of the first day included a visit to Buckingham Palace, then a walk through Covent Garden, a meal at the Rainforest Café and finally a trip to the theatre to see The Lion King.

The following day the children went to The Warner Bros. Studio Tour of Harry Potter before setting off for home.

Scouts

This year saw the return of Barrowby Scouts' Bake Off with the theme of "sport".

Under strict conditions the Scouts again produced some amazing cakes which made it very difficult for the judges to decide a winner. A lot of thought and hard work went into making these cakes, with a very high standard being produced by all. In the end crazy golf won the day, followed by boating and fishing.

A team of Cubs and Scouts also took part this year in the Rotary Swimathon, so a big well done to them as well.



Scouts proudly displaying certificates for the Bake Off and for taking part in the Rotary Swimathon

Bridge Club

9.30 am. on Thursday 5th July saw the start of the first session of the reconstituted Bridge Club which continues to meet every week on Thursdays at the Barrowby Reading Room.

The Club welcomes new members, and aims to provide facilities both for experienced Bridge players and for less experienced players to learn how to play Contract Bridge, all in a supportive and friendly atmosphere.

All questions and membership enquiries should be directed to:

June Dixon phone 01476 565644 email motheragain1@aol.com
Tina Musson phone 01476 400423 email tina.stonier@yahoo.com

NOTICE: BARROWBY VETERANS ASSOCIATION BBQ

Please note that due to unforeseen circumstances the BBQ planned for Sunday 29th July is cancelled.

All Saints' Church

Sunday 29th July

Benefice Holy Communion at
Gonerby 11.00am Please note change of time

Sunday 5th August

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

Sunday 12th August

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.30am Holy Communion and Sunday Club

Wednesday 15th August

2.00pm Worship, Tea and Cake at Redlands, Low Road

Sunday 19th August

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.30am Families Service

Sunday 26th August

8.00am Morning Prayer
10.30 Morning Prayer and Lunch

For more information or to arrange a lift, just ask. Rev Peter Hopkins 01476 565737

Barrowby Baptist Fellowship

We meet in the Memorial Hall. All welcome.

Sundays: 10.15 Worship and Sunday School

Mondays: 10.00 Cane and Able Coffee Morning
John 01400 250475 or Veronica 593317

Fridays: 6.30 Fantastic Friday Youth Group
Phil 07932 982580

Get in Touch

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14th August for September issue

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Young Bell Ringers Go To London

On 7th July two young bell ringers from Barrowby and one from Harlaxton took part in the Ringing World National Youth Contest in London. They were part of a team of 10 ringers aged 18 and under, called the Lincolnshire Poachers, who were from all over the northern half of Lincolnshire. In the morning, they went to Southwark Cathedral to join the rest of the team and ring on the cathedral's 12 bells.

They then rang their contest piece at Poplar, Christchurch Cubitt Town. In the afternoon they had the opportunity to ring at various London churches including St Anne's at Limehouse, St Botolph's Aldgate and the famous St Mary-le-Bow (Bow bells). The results were announced at St Mary-le-Bow and the Lincolnshire Poachers were awarded a B minus, and all contestants were presented with a medal. The ringers were very pleased with their result given that many of them have only been ringing for 3 years or less.

There are always opportunities for anyone wanting to have a go at bell ringing as there are far more bells than there are ringers to ring them. Bell ringing is open to anyone aged 11 and over, no experience needed as full training will be given.

For more information please contact
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