



BARROWBY NEWS



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BARROWBY SCARECROW FESTIVAL - KEY WORKERS AND HEROES!! GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!

Plans are well underway for Barrowby's 2021 Scarecrow Festival on Bank Holiday Saturday and Sunday 28th and 29th August, with a great programme from the Committee.

To enter your Family Scarecrow, fill in the form enclosed with this newsletter and hand it in with £2 to Skinners Butchers or to Jen at the Post Office: one free BBQ ticket for each entry.

Table-top/garage sales are £5 per entry. The theme for 2021 is (of course!) 'Keyworkers and Heroes' – so there is plenty of scope for creativity and imagination for all the family!

Instructions on how to make a scarecrow are also enclosed with this newsletter.

Great Raffle Prizes (all for two people) include:

- ◆ Overnight dinner, bed and breakfast at 4* Stoke Place Hotel, Slough
- ◆ Two nights bed and breakfast at 4* Hotel Indigo, London - Kensington
- ◆ One night dinner, bed and breakfast at Holiday Inn, Birmingham

Thank you to Cairn Hotel Group

- ◆ Morrison's Family Hamper

Quiz Fun: Join in the Scarecrow Quiz: visit each scarecrow to find the answer and win a prize!

Scarecrow Prizes plus goody prizes:

- * First, second and third places
- * Funniest Scarecrow
- * Most Imaginative Scarecrow
- * Best Scarecrow by under-12
- * People's Choice

Any Covid precautions will be adhered to at all events: all events and activities are confirmed at time of printing but may be subject to change without warning.



Tombola items: if you have any items for the Tombola please drop them off at Westholme, Low Road or call Brian on 07793 198948. Thank you. Tombola is one of the most popular events of the weekend and with your support is a great fundraiser for the Barrowby News.

TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

On the Green (Saturday and Sunday):

Tombola; Book Stall; Cake Stall; Grand Raffle; Table-Top (or Garage) Sales; Sweets in a Jar; Weight of Cake; Name of Teddy; possible Penalty Shoot-out

Buy your programme (with a map) - £2:

Buy your BBQ tickets for Sunday: £2.50 per ticket, meat and vegetarian burgers available

Reading Room (Saturday only):

Made-in-Barrowby 9.30-4.30 – see page 2 for details of stalls

At Barrowby Church (Saturday and Sunday):

Open 12-4 with displays about the wildlife garden and Eco Church projects, the Village Heritage Project, a craft and produce stall, refreshments and children's games.

TREASURE HUNT RAISES OVER £175

The Barrowby News team thanks everyone who took part in the Treasure Hunt and who bought cakes and biscuits on the day. Thankyou to Morrisons, our Hamper sponsor. The event raised over £175 to provide funds for the Barrowby News.

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PARISH NEWS**BARROWBY WILL HAVE TO LIVE WITH THE MISTAKES MADE BY PLANNERS IN GRANTHAM:
CHAIR, PARISH COUNCIL**

- Barrowby Parish Council and the Neighbourhood Planning Group have been actively involved in making representations to the Planning Authority and the developers and passing on parishioner views. They have also offered to be active partners in the preparation of the Master Plan as required by the Inspector; these offers have been ignored by the Planning Authority.
- The Parish Council and Neighbourhood Planning Group have never opposed a supermarket as part of the development but wanted it sited elsewhere, to minimise car use and avoid the mistakes of Worcester Road (Tesco Express).
- Despite the Localism Act (2011) whereby local opinions were to be taken into account in major planning decisions, this has not happened in South Kesteven. There has been little consultation with the local community by either the developers or the LPA. Being invited to a meeting with developers at 48hrs notice and being told “what we are going to do is.....” rather than seeking local opinion is not meaningful consultation.
- Accepting that errors have occurred in the past and apologising to the village for current impositions does nothing to encourage trust in the planning process. Mistakes made by the LPA have consequences that will remain with the community in perpetuity.

To read the [full article](#) please visit the Grantham Journal web site for the issue w/e 16th July 2021 - Letters

MEMORIAL HALL AGM (2019/20 AND 2020/21) - HELD ON 20th JULY 2021

The AGM was attended by 11 people plus 2 by Zoom. The Minutes and Accounts were discussed and accepted. The meeting voted in 3 committee members, and decided to approach local groups for representatives to help fill the other committee spots. Items on the Agenda included holding a Platinum anniversary for the hall, (possibly a 40's night) and joining in contributing to the village celebrations for HM Queen Elizabeth Jubilee next year. Next committee meeting is 17/8/21 and will probably be by zoom. Any village organisation is encouraged to send a representative to join the committee at this or any other meeting. Please contact the Chair Mary Whittington marywhittington@hotmail.co.uk for information.

MADE-IN-BARROWBY – OUR CREATIVE CRAFTERS

On Saturday 28th August from 9.30 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. there will be five stalls in the Reading Room - a reduced number from previous years to allow for distancing. Visit the stalls to see some of the amazing local creations and support our local producers.

[Looby Lewins](#): gift items including collages, cushions, hedgehogs and other small gift items. Visit Facebook: [LoobyLewins Gifts](#)

[Krystyna's Pantry](#): delicious home-made jams made from local allotment produce

[PoppyCuts](#): pictures and T-shirts with clever slogans, baby gifts. Visit the [PoppyCuts Facebook](#) page for ideas

[Babalicious](#): a new crafter who makes delicious cakes and sweet treats

[Made-in-Barrowby 'Created by Jen'](#): our highly talented Post Office lady, Jen, makes personalised handmade gifts, cards and keyrings; and gifts for hen, stag and wedding parties. Visit the [Barrowby PO Facebook](#) page for more!

MOBILE LIBRARY:

Monday 2nd August: Wong Gardens 3 - 3.30 p.m. There is NO mobile library on 30th August.

AROUND THE PARISH

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH BARROWBY SERVICES**Sunday 1 August**

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.00am Morning Praise

Sunday 8 August

10.00am Holy Communion

Sunday 15 August

8.30am Holy Communion
10.00am Families Service

Sunday 22 August

10.00am Morning Prayer

Sunday 29 August

10.00am Morning Prayer

The 10.00am services may be uploaded to YouTube from 1.00pm
Hopefully there will be no restrictions, so there will be singing and post service coffee as pre Covid. If in doubt please check our Facebook page or webpage.

BARROWBY BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP

Meeting in the Memorial Hall. All welcome.
Sundays: 10.15 a.m. Worship and Sunday School.

Contact:

Minister Adam Grant

07401895936

adam@barrowbybaptist.org.uk

Veronica Townsend

(Church secretary Barrowby Baptist Fellowship)

01476 593317

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CITIZENS' ADVICE

Although Grantham's Citizen's Advice Bureau is not currently running any face-to-face sessions, Citizens Advice Advisers are still available for telephone help and support. Call their Adviceline on 0808 278 7996 (Mon-Fri 10:00-16:00).

WHAT'S GOING ON IN BARROWBY?

As activities tentatively restart, here is a brief summary of some events happening weekly in the village. If you would like to know more about Memorial Hall activities, please contact the Booking Secretary on bmhallbookings@outlook.com or 07764 762360

Monday: Grantham Bridge Club, Pavilion 6.30 p.m. - 10.30 p.m. (07734 056758)

Tuesday: Daisy Baby, Reading Room, 9.30 p.m. - 1.00 p.m. (07717 843316)

Movement and Music, Memorial Hall, 11.15 a.m. - 12.15 p.m.

Flower Arranging Workshops, Reading Room, 6.00 - 9.00 p.m. (07968 738948)

Wednesday: Table Tennis, Memorial Hall 2.00 - 3.00 p.m.

Daisy Chain Yoga, Reading Room, 7.15 - 8.15 p.m. met57rach@gmail.com

Tae Kwon-Do, Memorial Hall, evenings tbc

Thursday: Mr. Bridge Club, Reading Room, 9.30 - 12.30 (07462 479615)

Move it 2 Music (gentle fitness), Memorial Hall, 10 - 11 a.m. (07811 011634)

New Dawn Yoga, Memorial Hall, 8.00-9.30 p.m. (07748 071582)

Friday: Mr. Bridge Club, Reading Room, 9.30 - 12.30 (07462 479615)

Saturday: Dance Classes for tots, Reading Room 9.30 - 12.30 (07847 709932)

There are two monthly activities – Pet First Aid Course, Reading Room 9.30 - 2.30 Sundays, 07900 074416; and on a Wednesday in the Reading Room - Grantham Bridge, contact 07734 056758

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Call us on 07793 198948

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