

BARROWBY NEWS

BARROWBY VILLAGE NEWS AND INFORMATION

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AWARD FOR BARROWBY'S CANE AND ABLE GROUP

The Cane and Able group meets weekly at Barrowby Memorial Hall, and is delighted to have been awarded £540 in Co-op vouchers as a Co-op Community Champion.

They intend to put the donation to good use to support their monthly lunch clubs, and especially their forthcoming strawberry tea in July and for their Christmas meal.

You can find more information about the Cane and Able group on page 4 under 'Barrowby Baptist Fellowship'.

CHARITY EVENT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR!

FRIDAY 21st June - ALL SAINTS' MIDSUMMER ROCK!

'33^{1/3}' are presenting a Charity Gig, in support of All Saints' Church and the charity Our Dementia Choir. The concert is suitable for mid-teens upwards. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. at All Saints' Church Barrowby. Tickets £5 - book via email lupton333@btinternet.com or telephone 07540 989611. Raffle and refreshments, including beer and wine and soft drinks will be available.

SATURDAY 29th June - MADE IN BARROWBY

At Barrowby Memorial Hall 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Showcasing local talent in Barrowby as well as raising funds for the Lincs and Notts Air Ambulance.

If you bake, sew, knit or make other home-made goods, and would like a stall, please contact Karen on 07472 857717.

TALKING NATURE - A SUCCESSFUL FIRST EVENING

Over 35 people attended the very successful first 'Talking Nature' evening with Dr Ashley Reaney from Lincs Wildlife Trust describing the landscapes and wildlife of Lincolnshire and answering a lively range of conservation related questions and comments.

The Talking Nature series, hosted by All Saints' Church, hopes to raise awareness and encourage local action in response to the climate and nature emergency we all face.

The next talk, on April 29th, will focus on the plight of hedgehogs, which are in serious decline in our gardens and the wider countryside.



ALL ABOARD! Barrowby Preschool children having fun at play.

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PARISH NEWS**PARISH COUNCIL NEWS****ANNUAL PARISH MEETING - THURSDAY 23RD MAY**

The Annual Parish Meeting for residents will take place on Thursday 23rd May at the Sports Pavilion on Low Field, from 7pm to 9pm. This will be an opportunity to talk with local groups and housing developers who can provide information and answer any questions you may have. There will be a Q&A session at the end of the evening.

Cheese and wine, tea and coffee will be available.

BARROWBY PARISH COUNCIL SURVEY 2024

Your Parish Council values your views, and we want you to have your say! From community facilities, to housing development, and local environment, we want to understand what you and your family value in the parish.

Whether you've been a long-time resident or are new to the area, your perspective matters. By taking a few moments to share your thoughts, you contribute to shaping the future of our parish.

To access the survey, please scan the QR code. If you'd prefer a paper copy, email: clerk@barrowbyparishcouncil.gov.uk or call: 07710 087124, and we will happily provide this.

**PAVILION COMMITTEE - UPDATE ON CAR PARK**

Earlier this year the Parish Council was invited to apply for a grant to the Councillor Volunteer Scheme, run by Lincolnshire County Council. The Council was successful in its request with a grant to repair the potholes in the Pavilion car park. Volunteers from Balfour Beatty and Toppesfield carried out the work just after Easter. The Parish Council would like to thank all the volunteers for their hard work, which will make a big difference to the entrance and parking area and improve the safety of our Community.

ORCHARDS IN BARROWBY

SKDC has successfully applied to the **Coronation Living Heritage Fund** to create new orchards in the county. Barrowby Parish Council has resolved to consider applying for up to £1,500 towards the planting of a minimum of five fruit trees on publicly accessible sites in the village.

The Parish Council is therefore looking for knowledgeable assistance to suggest suitable locations and suitable trees - and to work out how they may be maintained in the future.

Any parishioner who is interested should contact the Parish Clerk, at

clerk@barrowbyparishcouncil.gov.uk

BURIAL GROUND COMMITTEE - NOTICE

The Parish Council will be undertaking general maintenance and clearing at the Burial Ground on 14th May. Any items on plots that are not in line with Parish Council Policy will be removed.

DIARY DATES - MAY 2024

Sun 28th April: 'The Motive and the Cue' NT Live 2:30 p.m. Memorial Hall

Mon 29th April: Nature Talk Hedgehog Rescue 7:30 pm All Saints' Church

Tues 30th April: AGM Memorial Hall Committee 7:00 p.m. Memorial Hall

Sun 05th May: 'She'Koyokh' NT Live 2:30 p.m. Memorial Hall

Tues 14th May: 'Bank of Dave' (tbc) Open Door 7:00 p.m. Memorial Hall

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Wed 15th May: W.I. Meeting, folk duo Nigel and Terri. 7:30 p.m. Memorial Hall. All welcome.

Mon 03rd June: Mobile library 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. Grange Paddock (no service in May)

AROUND THE PARISH

FOCUS ON...BARROWBY PRESCHOOL

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We currently have places available for children aged 2, 3 and 4 years, and will be offering places to people in receipt of the government funding for working parents.

Please feel free to come and visit us, telephone for more information 07415 450 311, or check out our website barrowbypreschool.uk

BARROWBY GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION UPDATE
MEMBERSHIP

To become an associate member it is £5 for the first year then every year after it is a renewal of £3. This enables members to come to any events held on the allotments. Also members can come to the allotments every Saturday between 10-12 for refreshments and to purchase compost, seeds and other gardening items.

ALLOTMENTS

Currently there is a waiting list for allotments. Plots are allocated in order of application, and preference is given first to Barrowby residents, then existing plot holders, then non Barrowby residents.

PRODUCE

Produce is not sold from the allotments but when excess produce is available the association can ask for donations.

Visit the website:

<https://www.barrowbygardenersassociation> where you can find information on upcoming events, how to become an associate member and application forms for plots.

GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION TIPS FOR MAY



April is a busy time of the year for fruit, veg and flowers.

- Sow salad seed crops. For lettuce Little Gem is a quick growing variety and is compact even for a garden border.

- In the greenhouse outdoor tomato seeds can be sown, as well as cucumber and melon.

- Plant late season strawberries and keep a check on fruit tree blossom.

- Plant healthy dahlia tubers and plant spring sown sweet peas.

- Many herbs and hardy annual seeds can be sown outdoors by the end of the month.

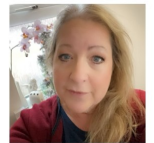


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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH BARROWBY SERVICES

Sunday 5 May

8:30 am Morning Prayer - BCP

10:00 am Morning Praise

Sunday 12 May

10:00 am Holy Communion

Sunday 19 May

8:30 am Holy Communion

10:00 am Families Service

Wednesday 22 May

2:00 pm Weekday Worship at Redlands, Low Road

Sunday 26 May

10:00 am Morning Prayer

Children's and Young people's groups : Term time only

Every Sunday apart from the 3rd Sunday:-

Creche, and Sunday club for School aged youngsters.

More information on All Saints' Facebook page or

Email

allsaintsbarrowby@gmail.com

BARROWBY BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP

All Meetings in the Memorial Hall

Sunday 10:15 a.m. – Worship Service and Sunday School.

Contact: *Paul* – 07936 504556

Cane and Able

Monday 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday 12 - 1:30 p.m. (Once a month) Soup lunch.

Contact: *Jenny* – 07773 185620

Fantastic Friday Club

5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. (Years 4 - 7) Entry £1.00

Get in Touch

Deadlines for forthcoming issues: 16th May for June 2024 issue.

Email your news items and events to us at: news@barrowby.org.uk Call us on 07793 198948 Look out for us on Facebook: Barrowby News

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