



WEEKLY *Newsletter*

Spring Term - Wb 27th January 25
Headteacher: Mrs Nicola McArdle

As you'll be aware from the ongoing building work around the school, the nursing home development is now complete and will be opening in a couple of months. We've already established links with them and are excited about the potential for building a strong relationship between the school and the nursing home — a wonderful opportunity for us all.

In other news, the parish car park (behind the pub) will be resurfaced during the week beginning February 10th. The work is expected to take 2-3 weeks and will overlap with the half-term break. However, we anticipate that the car park will be closed to all during the final week of this term, which may impact parents and staff who use it. If possible, we kindly ask that you walk to school during that week.

We are also aware that traffic and congestion can be an issue around drop-off and pick-up times, so to help alleviate this, we are introducing staggered start and end times for the week when the car park is closed:

Key Stage 1 (Reception, Year 1, and Year 2) can be dropped off up until 9:30am. Any arrival after this will result in a late mark.

Key Stage 2 (Year 3-6) will follow the usual start time. Key Stage 2 children must stick to the usual times and will not be allowed to leave earlier, so if you have more than one child, please collect them at the normal time.

For pick-up:

Key Stage 1 can be collected at 3:00pm, with the gate opening at 2:45pm.

We understand that some of you may have work commitments or older children in Key Stage 2, so if the staggered times don't work for your family, please stick to the normal times.

Thank you for your cooperation, and we appreciate your support in helping us manage traffic flow through the village.

On Monday 3rd February, as part of 'Children's Mental Health Week' we are asking children to DRESS TO EXPRESS!



THIS WEEK

in Notices

Dress to Express Day
Monday 3rd February
 We're inviting children to come to school dressed in their own clothes



Only £2
 for a drink and a cake

Barrow Valentine Cafe

Enjoy a cuppa and a delicious cake with family and friends at our Valentines Cafe.
 The event will raise fund for the Bethany Project

OPENS 2:30PM

FRIDAY 14TH FEBRUARY

February half term camp bookings are now live!

https://enrolmy.com/progressive-sports-south-lancashire/activity/21-Barrow_Primary_School_February_Holiday_Camp

Progressive Active Camps
 10% Sibling Discount available

PROGRESSIVE KIDS

FEBRUARY HALF TERM

BOOK NOW

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Every donation counts for Barrow URC Primary School

24 donations in the last 30 days

What a streak! 24 free donations have been raised in the last 30 days for Barrow URC Primary School! Keep making a positive difference in 2025 by doing all your online shopping via easyfundraising.

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Sign up

Sign up today and make a difference!

PROGRESSIVE KIDS

COME AND JOIN US FOR OUR **CHOCOLATE PARTY**

THURSDAY
 6TH FEBRUARY
 3:30PM - 6:00PM

MAKE HOMEMADE CHOCOLATE WITH ALL YOUR FRIENDS

BOOK AS NORMAL ONLINE
 SEE YOU THERE!

DIARY DATES

- Mon 3rd Feb - Dress to Express Day (own clothes)
- Fri 7th Feb - FOBS Valentine's Disco
- Sun 9th Feb - Clitheroe URC Church Service Year 5
- Fri 14th Feb - 2.30pm Barrow Valentine Cafe

THIS WEEK

in Pictures

Elm class had a zoom call with Miss Walker's aunty in Australia to learn what it was like to live in a hot place



We celebrated Chinese New Year with a dragon parade



Two pupils from Year 5 went to visit Salesbury school to take part in a Pupil's Parliament workshop



Elm class filled their star jar and had a special treat of watching a film and having hot chocolate



Our Handwriting Competition winners



Star Awards



Headteacher Awards



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