



Barmby Moor Church of England Primary School

Respect, Aspire, Achieve

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full" (John 10 v.10)"

Newsletter

Friday 18th
September
2026



We hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable summer break. The children have had a great start to the new academic year and have settled quickly back into school routine.

A warm welcome to new families who have joined our school this September both in nursery and throughout the school. As before, our newsletter will be sent out fortnightly on a Friday; please continue to read these as they include key information and dates for future weeks.

ARBOR

We would like to thank you for your patience during our transition to Arbor. We are aware there has been some difficulties with accessing the app and booking breakfast/after-school clubs. We will hopefully have all queries rectified as soon as possible. If you are having any problems or struggles with the app please do let us know and we will be happy to support. Please ensure you have access to the app to receive all school communication.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

We will be hosting a Macmillan Coffee Morning for children, parents, family and friends on Tuesday 29th September from 8:45am in the school hall. Donations of buns, cakes, biscuits, home-made or bought, would be very much appreciated and will help to raise funds for this very worthwhile cause.



CLEANER & MIDDAY SUPERVISOR/TA JOB VACANCY

There are two vacancies at school for a midday supervisor/teaching assistant role and also a school cleaner. If you are interested in finding out more information about either or both of the roles, please contact the school office.



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Our Celebration Assemblies will be held every Monday morning at 9:15am in the school hall. If your child is to receive an award that week, parents will receive a message inviting them to attend the celebration.

FLU VACCINATIONS

Vaccinations in Schools are attending our school to administer the flu vaccines on Monday 5th October. Please look out for communication that will be sent directly to you from 'Vaccinations in schools' for you to be able to consent/not consent to the flu vaccine.



WHOLE-SCHOOL/INDIVIDUAL PHOTOGRAPHS

On Thursday 24th September, Wrates Photographers are attending school to take our annual whole-school and individual photographs. These photos will also include sibling groups. If your child is in Nursery but not in school on this day and you would like them to take part, please come to the school office at 1:30pm.



FREE SCHOOL MEALS

We would like to make families aware of important changes to Free School Meal (FSM) eligibility which came into effect on the 1st September 2026.

Under the new government guidance, all children from households receiving Universal Credit will be eligible for Free School Meals, regardless of household income. This change is expected to allow many more children and families to benefit from free school meals. (GOV.UK) At the same time, the transitional protections that have been in place since 2018 will come to an end. This means that eligibility will be reassessed under the new criteria from September 2026.

We encourage all families who receive Universal Credit and who may not previously have qualified to check their eligibility and submit an application.

In addition to providing a free, nutritious meal each day, registering for Free School Meals may help schools access additional funding to support children's learning and wellbeing.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office.



BAG 2 SCHOOL

Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and they have arranged to make a collection from our school. All the bags will be weighed and then the school will be paid for the total weight collected. All monies raised will go towards school funds. If you have any bags of clothing, shoes, bags, belts and accessories that you would like to donate, then please hand them into school by 9am on **Thursday 24th September.**

UPCOMING DIARY DATES

Thurs 24 th Sept	Whole-school/Individual Photographs
Fri 25 th Sept	Bag 2 School Deadline 9am
Tues 29 th Sept	8:45am Macmillan Coffee Morning 4pm Y5/6 Inclusive Athletics Competition
Mon 5 th Oct	Flu Vaccinations
Tues 20 th Oct	Harvest Festival
Fri 23 rd Oct	Training Day – School closed