

Newsletter



Term 5 Week 1

Friday 29th April 2022

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The school has been full of Pride, Determination and Joy. Children across the school have been engaged in exciting learning.

In reception, they worked with numbers up to 100 on a hundred square and made cakes in the mud kitchen. Mrs Duce-Jones and Miss Drew have been so proud of the children and how hard they worked this week.

In Red Area, the children have been engrossed in the book 'The Great Balloon Hullabaloo' and have loved being authors and writing about their character's travel adventures.

In Blue Area, they have been learning all about digestion and healthy eating. They got very messy creating the digestion system using some tights and a plastic bag and learnt all about seasonal fruit and vegetables from a visitor from Asda.

In Green Area, year 6 has been busy with the final preparations for next week's SATs but still found time to improve their athletics skills in PE. Year 5 has been working on their enquiry 'How are lives saved through science?'.

We have also had lots of children bringing in the achievements they are proud of from outside school – dance, gymnastics and singing this week. Well done to you all. Please have a look at [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/barrscourtps) to see more pictures. Read on to learn how the boy's and girl's football teams got on this season and who won the Plastic Waste Competition.

Dates for the diary

Friday 6th May – Family Bingo Evening PTFA

Monday 9th to Friday 13th May – Year 6 SATs

Wednesday 18th May – Red Area trip Aerospace museum

Friday 27th May – School council planting tree for Queens Jubilee

Friday 27th May – End of term 5

Monday 6th June – School open for Term 6

Monday 20th June – School Closed INSET

Thursday 16th June – Sports Day

Thursday 21st July – Last day of term

New dates are added to the [school calendar](#) page on the school website on a regular basis.

Boys and Girls Football Champions!!!

We have had a hugely successful year in football. Both the boys and girls won their respective leagues, and yesterday the boys secured the league and cup double with victory over St Anne's. It was one of the best (and most tense) games of football I have ever watched. See the match report below. Well done to everyone who has represented the school this year in football; you have made us all very proud. Also, I would like to say a huge thank you to Mr Walker for everything he has done. This success would not have been possible without him.

South Gloucestershire Primary Schools Cup Final

St Anne's 3-3 Barrs Court (FT) St Anne's 4-6 Barrs Court (AET)

Before I start this match report, I must admit that the game went by in a blur for me so if I misremember any details, I do apologise!

The team had spent the day enjoying the experience and turned up to the match "suited and booted" in their team coach (thank you to those that organised this) and with the changing rooms all laid out ready for them. As both teams entered the pitch, the roar of the crowd heightened the atmosphere.

Barrs Court started quickly, scoring an opening goal after 69 seconds! The team maintained the high tempo and a second quickly followed. St Anne's were not finished though and fought their way back into the game, scoring a goal before half time to make it 2-1 at the break.

Early in the second half, St Anne's snatched an equaliser and suddenly the game was back to all-square. However, Barrs Court found an extra gear and took the lead again with a screamer into the top corner. With time running out, St Anne's were awarded a penalty which they converted to make it 3-3 and take the game to extra time.

A quick team talk and the teams were back on. St Anne's scored after 30 seconds of the restart to take the lead for the first time. This was not the first time this season that we had found ourselves a goal behind with time running out and this experience allowed us to get back into the game again. The ball was pounced upon after a deflection to bring the scores back level at 4-4. Into the second half of extra time and Barrs Court decided that they did not want to rely on the lottery of penalties and a quick break ended in a goal to re-take the lead at 5-4. St Anne's threw everything they could at us in the search for an equaliser and Barrs Court were able to counter-attack and grab goal number 6 before the final whistle. What a match! A big message of respect to our opponents- they played extremely well and were fully deserving as cup finalists.

The whole experience was even more special as the crowd contained not only family members of the players but also a huge number of children from Barrs Court and their parents who wanted to support the team as well as ex-pupils and their parents who are still invested in our school experiences. Team Barrs Court goes far beyond the players on the pitch and we thank you for all of your support tonight (and the confetti, cake and silly string!)

Player of the match: Team Barrs Court

Cup Winning Team



League winners



Boys football squad



Eco- club Competition winners

Miss Pinnell, Miss Turle and the Eco-club members had a challenging time picking the winner of the plastic waste competition. We had flower pots, pencil holders, teddies, dinosaurs and so much more. Well done to everyone that entered – you will all receive a certificate. The winning entries were:

1ST Place - Blake

Runners up – Aaliyah and Emilia

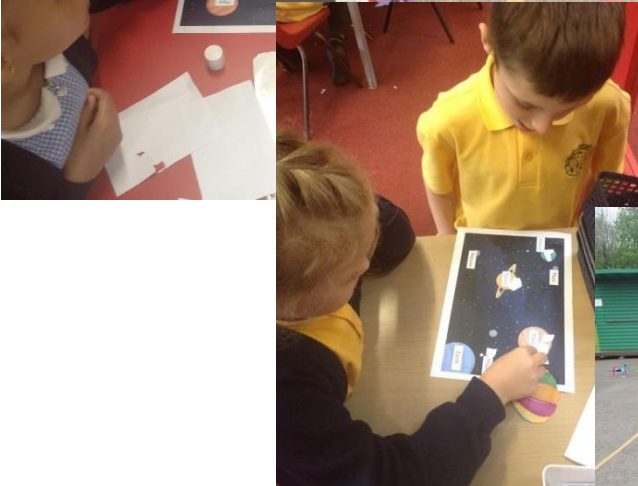
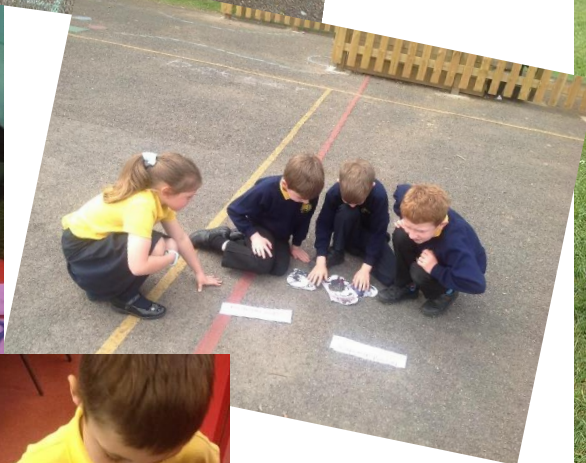


Key stage 1 sports

Key Stage 1 represented Barrs Court brilliantly at the Key Stage 1 Skills Festival by following and demonstrating our school values and amazing athletic ability. Along with 7 other schools, we had lots of fun. Well done team Barrs Court. Well done to everyone that took part.



Pictures this week



More picture on [Facebook](#)

AFTER SCHOOL WASP CLUB



Everyday after school
until 5:45!



Children will have a lot to look forward to each week with our high-quality care that enables children to learn, play and meet new friends and most importantly have fun in a safe setting. Our jam-packed sessions include art, cooking, outside play, games and so much more. We have special sessions for particular events - see below for details.



Exciting WEEKS coming up this term.....

9th May Sandwich making week

16th May Queen Jubilee

25th May Cress Heads

6th June Jewellery making

13th June Special person card (linked to Father day)

20th June Lego week

Flexible sessions

3.15pm - 3.45pm - £2.00

3.15pm - 4.15pm - £5.00

3.15pm - 4.50pm - £6.00 (including a snack)

4.15pm - 5.45pm - £6.00 (including a snack)

3.15pm - 5.45pm - £9.00 (including a snack)

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if you wish to use Childcare
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RISE & SHINE! IT'S A

Breakfast Club

OPEN FROM 8AM MONDAY TO FRIDAY

Our fantastic breakfast club is a great way to start the day. Children from all year groups can come and have breakfast and play with their friends in the hall. Every morning staff put out a range of activities, so there will always be something that your child will enjoy. If they have already had breakfast, they can play with their friends, and you don't pay for food.

A session is £2:50 and if you would like breakfast it is additional £!

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Kingswood Heritage Museum & Warmley Gardens



Tower Lane, Warmley, Bristol, BS30 8XT

We are an Arts Council Accredited museum

Are you looking for an interesting local site to visit during the Summer or Autumn Term?

Kingswood Heritage Museum at Warmley offers a great value visit combining awesome heritage, attractive gardens and a safe environment for a picnic lunch.



Experience heritage activities inside William Champion's brassworks.

Be awe-inspired by the Gardens with Neptune and the Grottoes.

Have a picnic in the Gardens or inside in poorer weather before returning to school.

All for £2 per child.

We will find a day to suit you and we can accommodate whole year groups. We are happy to come to your school as well at £35 per half day visit.

Get in touch. We would love to hear from you.

"I came back with my granddad within a week of our visit - he loved it as well."
Travis, Barrs Court Primary

Contact us:

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"The Windmill was my favourite part but I loved it all."
Evie, Wick Primary

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