

# SIR JOHN BARROW SCHOOL



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## WEEKLY SNIPPETS

Friday 27th March 2026

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

I must begin this week's Snippets with a BIG 'Thank You' to children and their families for their support in our fundraising for Comic Relief last week...the final total was £509!!! This is a fantastic amount for us to have raised for such a worthwhile charity - well done and thank you!

The spring term here at SJB has flown by for me...I have really enjoyed getting to know the children here in school and also many of the parents! We have packed a huge amount into the term... three residentials, UVHS Dance Platform, Ulverston Music Festival, a Rocksteady concert, Young Voices, multiple sports activities as well as a curriculum full of listening, reading, writing and exploring the world we live in! I said to the children in assembly this morning that they should be suitably exhausted tonight at the end of this term after so many amazing learning opportunities!

I hope that all children and families have a restful and relaxing time at some point over the Easter holidays. I know that all families re-charge in different ways - I hope you all get to spend some time with those people who are important and special to you.

With every good wish!

Mr. Reddy and the SJB Team!

[Summer Term begins Monday 13th April 2026!!!](#)

**Office Updates: Thanks for all your support in returning the permissions slip this week. We still have a few missing could these please be returned on the first day back after Easter?**

**Dates for Diaries:  
Week commencing:  
Monday 13th April 2026**

MON	<p><u>Maths Club Year 6</u> 3.15-4.00pm Mr Maher</p> <p><u>Multi Sports Y3&amp;Y4</u> 3.15-4.00pm Coach Tom</p>
TUES	<p><u>Grammar Club Year 6</u> 3.15-4.00pm Mr Maher</p> <p><b>Choir - KS2 FINISHED</b> 3.15-4:00pm Miss Sadler</p>
WED	<p><u>Athletics Club- All KS2</u> welcome-8.00am Mr Maher</p> <p><u>Springwatch Club</u> 3:15-4:15</p>
THUR	<p><u>Rugby/Dodgeball Club- KS2 - 8.00am</u> Mr Maher</p> <p><u>Performing Arts Club</u> 3.15-4.15pm - Mrs Daley</p> <p><b>Chess Club: CANCELLED</b></p>
FRI	<p><u>Running Club</u> KS1 &amp; KS2 - 8.00am Mr Maher</p> <p><u>Football Y3&amp;Y4</u> 3.15-4.00pm Coach Jack</p> <p><b>Ukulele Club - 3:15 - 4:00pm FINISHED</b> Miss Sadler</p> <p><u>Multi-Sport Y5 &amp; Y6</u> 3.15-4.00pm Mr Maher</p>



## THIS WEEK'S PLAY UPDATE:

We've brought festival vibes to our playground this week with bright painting and homemade music in our SJB Fest corner. In the sports area we're getting ready for the tennis season and continuing to push our physical limits with some parkour. We are very excited for the arrival of our scooter ramps after the Easter holidays!

**Our double Golden Welly winners are...**

**Yr 3 & 6**

The Golden Welly celebrates creative and collaborative behaviour at playtimes.



## OPAL survey

Look out for the parent survey - we'd really appreciate your views on our playground improvements.

# Dates for Diaries

Lots more to follow, please keep checking...

**27th March: Break up for Easter holidays**

**13th April: Summer Term one begins**

23rd April: Y5 Jodrell Bank Trip

**11th-14th May: 2026 KS2 SATS**

**22nd May: Break up for half-term**

**1st June: Summer Term two begins**

5th June : KS2 Sports Day

10th June: Y3 Manchester trip

19th June KS1 Sports Day

2nd July: Y1 & Y2 Trip to Holker Hall

7th July: Y5 Art Day - Felting

9th July: Y5 & Y6 Trip to Grasmere

**17th July: Break up for Summer holidays**



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**Monday 30th March to  
Thursday 2nd April**

**10am - 2pm / Ages 4 - 11 years  
Free Lunch & Snacks!**

**FREE HAF AND PAID  
PLACES AVAILABLE!**

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# **Morecambe Comic Con**



***Easter Sunday & Monday***

***10am - 4pm***

***The Platform, Morecambe***

***"Meet & Greet's" - Photo Op's - Costumers - Cosplay - Stalls***



# Onside Sports Easter Holiday Camps

**Week 1 – Mon 30<sup>th</sup> March – Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> April**

## **Onside Football & Multi Sports Academy**

The camp will consist of fun and enjoyable warm up games and numerous sporting activities including...Football, Tennis, Tag Rugby, Dodgeball, Kwik Cricket, Baseball, Athletics, Basketball plus more.



- **ULVERSTON @ UVHS**
- **BARROW @ ST BERNARD'S**



**Week 2 – Tue 7<sup>th</sup> April – Fri 10<sup>th</sup> April**

## **Onside Football Academy (4-11 year olds)**

The emphasis of the course is player development, each child will spend the morning enhancing their individual skills and, in the afternoon, get the chance to show them off with opposed practices, team games and competitions.



- **BARROW @ ST BERNARD'S SCHOOL**
- **ULVERSTON @ UVHS**



## **Camp Details**

- Both camps will run **9am-3pm - Drop off from 8.45am**
- We have use of a multiple sports halls (3@ UVHS) and playing fields so if the weather is poor the camp will run as normal.
- Participants will require appropriate sports kit and trainers. Also, a packed lunch and still drinks will be needed for the lunch break.

• **£20 PER DAY OR £75 FOR ALL WEEK**

For further info please contact Gavin Butler  
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# Engineering Fairytales

**Tuesday 31 March**

**Barrow Library** 10am-11:30am

**Ulverston Library @The Coro** 1pm-2:30pm

Children act as engineers in order to help Jack get his egg down the beanstalk.

Booking Essential - For children age 5-11 with help from a parent / carer.



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