



The 'Head'- lines (from the Head Teacher)

Dear Parents / Carers

The End is in Sight!

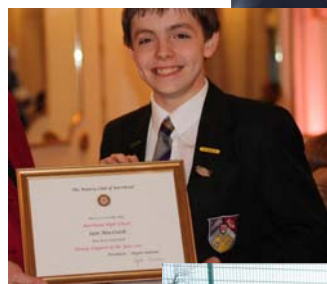
With Easter now past, there is very little time left before we go into the "busy-ness" of the end-of-year activities – S6 Leavers' activities, the visits of next year's S1 pupils, the SQA exams, the S3 exams, the awards ceremonies and school trips.

We have seen significant increase in pupils attending Easter School this year and we hope that is an indication of the work being put in, both in and out of school, in preparation for the exams.

Can I wish all pupils all the best for the coming exams.

As usual, much of the news on a week-by-week basis is appearing on the school website and some of the items below will have been aired there already. Please keep an eye on the website.

Andy Sinclair



Read the full version on the school website at <http://www.barrhead.e-renfrew.sch.uk/>

Once again, to help save on paper, we are issuing this summary version of the Newsletter on paper to all pupils. The full version is available on the website or a paper copy can be obtained from the School Office if you do not have access to the internet or would prefer a paper version.



News in Brief

Read about the following in the full version:

- SQA Exams & Study Leave
- Easter School
- ER Study Weekends
- Uniform
- The New School
- Car Park Issues
- Head Boy & Girl
- Young Linguist Award
- Cooking Up a Storm
- Barrhead Artists
- Girls' Basketball
- Girls' Football
- Karate Kid
- Young Physicists
- Visit to Greenock Prison
- Emily and the Panda
- S1 Adventure Weekend
- Various Trips
- Important Dates
- Holidays 2015/16

BARRHEAD HIGH SCHOOL

REMAINING DATES for 2014/15 and HOLIDAYS for 2015/16

S1 DATES

S1 Full Report
Fri 29th May 2015

S1 Awards Ceremony
Fri 29th May 2015

S2 DATES

S2 Tracking Report
May 2015

S2 Awards Ceremony
Wed 20th May 2015

S3 DATES

S3 Exams
Tues 5th – Fri 15th May 2015

S3 Awards Ceremony
Mon 18th May 2015

S3 Full Report
12th June 2015

S4 DATES

S4/5/6 Awards Ceremony
Tues 28th April 2015

SQA Exam Period
Start Tues 5th May 2015
End Fri 29th May 2015

S5/6 DATES

S4/5/6 Awards Ceremony
Tues 28th April 2015

SQA Exam Period
Start Tues 5th May 2015
End Fri 29th May 2015

S6 Graduation and Prom
Wed 3rd June 2015

HOLIDAYS

May Day

Close – Fri 1 May 2015

Re-open – Tues 5 May 2015

May Holiday

Close – Thurs 21 May 2015

(In-service – Tues 26 May 2015)

Re-open – Wed 27 May 2015

Summer Holiday

Close – Wed 24 June 2015

Reopen – Thurs 13th August 2015

PRIMARY 7 DATES

P7 Parents' Meeting
Mon 15th June 2015

Primary Taster Days
Tues 16th & Wed 17th June 2015

EAST RENFREWSHIRE COUNCIL: EDUCATION DEPARTMENT SCHOOL HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS 2015/2016

TERM	DATES OF ATTENDANCE	
First	Teachers return	Tuesday 11 August 2015
	<i>In-Service</i>	<i>Tuesday 11 August 2015</i>
	<i>In-Service</i>	<i>Wednesday 12 August 2015</i>
	Pupils return	Thursday 13 August 2015
	Close	Thursday 24 September 2015
	<i>September Weekend</i>	<i>Friday 25 September 2015</i>
	<i>September Weekend</i>	<i>Monday 28 September 2015</i>
	Re-open	Tuesday 29 September 2015
	Close	Thursday 8 October 2015
	<i>In-Service</i>	<i>Friday 9 October 2015</i>
Second	Re-open	Monday 19 October 2015
	Close	Tuesday 22 December 2015
	Re-open	Wednesday 6 January 2016
	Close	Thursday 11 February 2016
	<i>In-Service</i>	<i>Friday 12 February 2016</i>
	<i>Mid Term</i>	<i>Monday 15 February 2016</i>
	<i>Mid Term</i>	<i>Tuesday 16 February 2016</i>
	Re-open	Wednesday 17 February 2016
	Close	Thursday 24 March 2016
	<i>Good Friday</i>	<i>Friday 25 March 2016</i>
Third	<i>Easter Monday</i>	<i>Monday 28 March 2016</i>
	Re-open	Tuesday 29 March 2016
	Close	Friday 1 April 2016
	Re-open	Monday 18 April 2016
	Close	Friday 29 April 2016
	<i>May Day Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 2 May 2016</i>
	Re-open	Tuesday 3 May 2016
	Close	Thursday 26 May 2016
	<i>May Weekend</i>	<i>Friday 27 May 2016</i>
	<i>May Weekend</i>	<i>Monday 30 May 2016</i>
<i>In-Service</i>	<i>Tuesday 31 May 2015</i>	
Re-open	Wednesday 1 June 2016	
Close	Friday 24 June 2016	