

## Barbarians Newsletter – May 2023



Hello, just a few things we need to update you on as we head towards the summer holidays.

As from this August we will be implementing a yearly membership fee. This will be due on the 1<sup>st</sup> of August at the same price as monthly payments of £12.

You may have noticed the ongoing training of new teachers on the poolside. Please bear with us while they are training, it's all for the benefit of your children.

We are hoping to do more training in July/August for the STA green and red shirt courses. If this goes ahead, we would need some children to volunteer in the water for our teachers. If any children would be interested in some extra free lessons, please let us know and we can pass on more information as we have it.

As some of you might have noticed, our teacher numbers are lower than they were before covid. We are doing our best to replace teachers and bring in more, as mentioned above. We are asking if there would be any parents who would be interested in doing a swimming teaching course and becoming a teacher on the poolside with our club. It would be at a small cost, but payment can be spread over time and with regular attendance can be re-funded after a period of time. If anyone interested could speak to Keeley by the entrance to the showers on poolside.

### **The Barbarians Olympics is Back!!!**

July 14<sup>th</sup>. Fun races and prizes for winning teams. We are also considering holding a raffle that night, if anyone could offer help, please could they let us know.

Finally, just a few reminders, girls are to wear swimming costumes in lesson time, not bikinis or tankinis and boys are to wear swim shorts of thigh length, not longer. Hats must be worn with all hair tucked away. Also children should not be on poolside more than 10 mins before their lesson starts, especially at 6pm as there is another swim school in progress.

Thank you for being part of this club and helping towards a successful future.