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"When you believe in yourself, anything is possible."



Friday 1st October 2021

"October is about trees revealing colours they've hidden all year. People have an October as well!"

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

HAZLEHEAD HIGHLIGHTS: OUT & ABOUT

Another busy week at Hazlehead with many children using the outdoors for learning.

P4 TEAM BUILDING



P5 MUSIC

We are very fortunate to have received funding to allow Morven Lind, a vocal animateur, to work with our P5 pupils every Friday. You will be aware that Anna Hamilton works with our P1 and P2 pupils developing literacy and numeracy skills through the power of song.

MATHS WEEK

We have been highlighting the wonderful World of Maths this week in classes. We continue to ensure that we use the amazing outdoor spaces we have for learning Maths. You can see what the pupils have been up to this week - [Maths Week](#)



A big thank you to the 95 parents who completed the Numeracy survey. This is hugely helpful to give us feedback on your thoughts. Ms. Beard will be sharing the outcome of the survey at next week's Parent Council meeting.

READING AT HOME

Aberdeen City libraries have created a newsletter for parents to support their child's learning and literacy at home with useful information and websites. [Reading @ Home](#)

PARENT COUNCIL

The next Parent Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 5th October from 7pm – 8pm. This will take place virtually. We are always looking for more members to support the school in providing enriching learning opportunities for all pupils. Joining Instructions will be added to the event on the website.

INCREDIBLE WORK

This week's Incredible Work can be seen here. [This Week's Incredible Work](#)

ABERDEEN CYRENIANS

As highlighted in a previous newsletter, the Community Working Group will be supporting Aberdeen Cyrenians this year. They are organising a food collection to help those most in need. Details are on your child's Google Classroom. Items should be dropped off by your child by Friday 8th October for the Harvest Donation. However, beyond this, the Community Working Group will still be collecting for Christmas. Any donations greatly appreciated.

BREAKING RECORDS!

A huge well done to all the pupils and parents who cycled/scootered to school this week as part of Bike to School week. This is a great way to start and end the school day with fresh air and exercise!

We are extremely delighted and excited to be having a visit from Josh Quigley next Thursday. He has been in the news lately for setting a new Guinness World Record for the greatest distance cycled in a week at the average speed at 18 miles an hour.

He will feature in next week's assembly so pupils are aware of his record breaking achievement. Josh will take part in a Q & A session for the pupils to learn more. We will be Sharing his visit on twitter next week.



Finally, we will sadly say goodbye to Steph the Chef next Friday as she moves on to pastures new. She will be embarking on a new career in health and fitness. We wish her all the very best for the future and I am sure she will remain a part of the Hazlehead family!

Kind regards,
Barbara Jones 🍪