



BARRHEAD HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Monday 11th May 2020



Announcements

- Year heads will be posting weekly video assemblies in google classrooms. Make sure you look out for these as they will include information relevant for your year group.
- Would you like to try a new language or improve your knowledge of the language you are learning in school? Click the link below for details of online, real-time Modern Languages courses in French, Spanish, German, Italian, Gaelic and Mandarin. All courses are free. Parents/ carers would need to follow the link to the relevant enrolment form. https://www.scen.info/media/142441/e-sgoil_national_offering_timetable_revisions.pdf
- The Barrhead running group was created last week and together they have already completed 162km! If any pupils or staff would like to join contact Mrs Morrison or Mr Scott.
- If any pupil would like to speak to their pastoral teacher, please send an email to schoolmail@barrhead.e-renfrew.sch.uk and this will be forwarded to the correct teacher. We might not be in school but we are still here for you!
- If any new S5 or S6 pupil is now considering leaving or has decided to return to school they must make sure they have let their head of year know. Please contact schoolmail@barrhead.e-renfrew.sch.uk and we will be in touch.
- Keep checking Year Group Google Classrooms for any updates on jobs, volunteering and further education. Follow @BarrheadDYW, or if you don't have a twitter account you can still look it up to find lots of DYW information.
- The Saltire volunteering award has now gone online. This means that young people can now log their hours and apply for certificates at home. Volunteering hours can be back logged 2 years. Click on the link to find out more <https://saltireawards.scot/sign-in>
- Any pupil needing someone to chat with can contact our Social Justice Manager Raymond Weir. Raymond is a great listener and can provide practical support strategies to promote good mental health. You can contact Raymond by emailing WeirRA@barrhead.e-renfrew.sch.uk Please leave your name and contact number and Raymond will be in touch.



Right of the week:

Article 31: You have the right to play and rest.

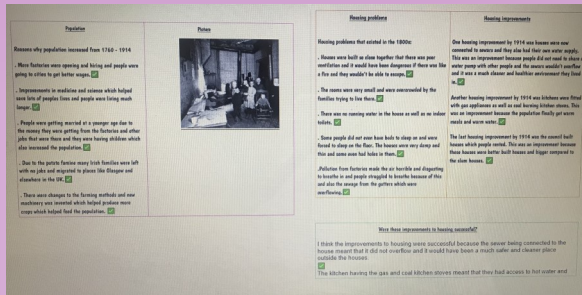


Barrhead High School
at the  of our community



Celebrating Pupil work

Art



History

Paul S3



Geography

Elle S1

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| <p>Name Anger Falls</p> <p>What is the name of the waterfall? Anger Falls</p> <p>Does the name have a meaning? "waterfall of the deepest place"</p> <p>Is it named after a person? Yes. The falls were named after James Anger, an American adventurer, who, in 1905, criss-crossed his plane.</p> <p>Do local people call it by another name? Sato Churuk Meru</p> | <p>Location</p> <p>Which country is this waterfall located in? Venezuela</p> <p>Can you copy and paste a flag into the box?</p> <p>Which continent is it part of? South America</p> <p>What is the name of the river that formed this waterfall? The Churuk River</p> | <p>Activities</p> <p>Can you guess what this waterfall gets its name from? It gets its name from the fact that it can only be reached by air.</p> <p>What can you do here? You can enjoy the beautiful views and the surrounding nature.</p> | <p>Size</p> <p>How wide is it? 100 feet</p> <p>How tall is it? 70 metres</p> |
| <p>Formation</p> <p>How are waterfalls formed? (a short explanation only)</p> <p>Waterfalls are created when the riverbed changes suddenly from hard rock to soft rock. Rapids are formed where a fast flowing river quickly cuts downwards through a bed of hard and soft rock.</p> <p>Waterfalls are formed by the hard rock standing above the water surface.</p> |   | <p>Facts</p> <p>Any interesting facts about this waterfall?</p> <p>During the rainy season, Anger Falls is 100 metres wide.</p> <p>Anger Falls is three times taller than the 100 ft high.</p> <p>Anger Falls is the widest waterfall in the world.</p> | |

Achievements

Congratulations to our pupils who will receive the East Renfrewshire Convener's award for outstanding achievement. Their achievements will be shared on social media on Monday afternoon.



- Emma Casey (S6) for representing Scotland in the U18 rugby team
- Tyler Vettraino (S4) for her volunteering in the community, particularly with the Includeme2 club in Barrhead.
- Our senior gymnastics coaches (S5) who have been absolutely amazing leading the club this year and inspiring younger pupils. Sarah Stapleton, Gillian Crown, Holly Young, Sophie Forsyth, Ryan Gray and Kenneth Boyd.



Fun fact: The average person walks the equivalent of five times around the world in their lifetime.

Positive Quote: "Be the change you want to see in the World" (Gandhi)

This week's puzzle: What is the only letter in the alphabet that doesn't appear in any U.S. state name?

Last week's puzzle answer: 44

Links

Twitter links: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/public/Barrhead/uploads/sites/71/2020/05/01155958/Twitter-list-2019.20.pdf>

Google classroom helpsheet: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/public/Barrhead/uploads/sites/71/2020/05/04000528/Google-Classroom-Pupil-Guide-1.pdf>

Uploading pupil work helpsheet: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/public/Barrhead/uploads/sites/71/2020/05/04000529/How-to-Upload-An-Image-of-Work.pdf>

S6 leaving video: https://youtu.be/Ha92_1RIDIO

