



# BARRHEAD HIGH SCHOOL

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Monday 31st August 2020



### Announcements

- Thank you to our senior helpers this week for supporting our S1 pupils and helping SLT to increase hygiene procedures around the school.
- All pupils with PE on their timetable should be prepared for going outdoors. Please bring a jacket and clothes to keep you warm. Thanks to everyone for the resilience and positivity they have shown in PE over the past couple of weeks, the attitude has been outstanding.
- Digital Update: There is a new section on the website for all things digital, including Show My Homework and Google Classroom. Please find any help sheets, resources and materials here: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/Barrhead/parents/internet-safety/>. There is also a Microsoft form on the website to allow you to log any concerns and issues. <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKeebBTcdzKdNiJFUyHrRuOtUM0k5NkpOODhUQjNMNFVMMU4yUkx5QUtFQS4u>
- We are hoping to start lunch time clubs for S1 pupils from Monday 7th September. Keep an eye on the plasma screens for an update on what clubs will be on offer.
- **New S3 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award.** Mr Boag (Maths) is looking to start a new S3 DofE Group as soon as possible. Any S3 students wishing to undertake a Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award over the next year should pass their name to Mr Boag. If you are not sure what the Duke of Edinburgh Award is about then speak to Mr Boag in school or watch these [DOFE videos](#).
- **S4 Duke of Edinburgh Award.** All S4 students should be updating their [DOFE accounts](#) with all the evidence they have collated over the last year. Students should also be aware that if they cannot complete a section (physical, skill or volunteering) due to a club or activity not currently running, then they are able to change their section. Please see the [DOFE website](#) for more information. If S4 students can get all three sections above complete - including assessor reports - they will qualify for a DOFE achievement award. Please note: All S4 DOFE expeditions will take place next year.
- **Cyber Security Online Challenge (S2 - S6 students Only).** Have you ever thought of a career in computing or cyber security? If not, do you fancy trying your hand at Cyber Discovery's CyberStart Assess Challenge. Discover your hidden talent with over 200 free challenges. If you wish to be part of this cyber challenge, see Mr Boag (Maths) as soon as possible. More information [here](#).
- We want to know about all your wonderful achievements! If you have achieved in something out with school, see Mrs Morrison so that we can recognise and celebrate all the achievements of our young people. We also have a student achievement form on the school website that can be completed by young people or parents/ carers. <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/Barrhead/achievement/>
- **'Mask up and move'.** We will all be wearing face coverings when we are moving about the school in corridors, queuing at the canteen and when visiting the toilets. Reminder that:
  - \* Mask/Face coverings should not be shared with others.
  - \* When storing a mask/ face covering, it should be placed in a sealed bag or container.
  - \* Avoid placing it on surfaces, to reduce the risk of infection.
  - \* Re-usable mask/ face coverings should be washed after each day of use in school at 60 degrees centigrade or in boiling soapy water.



### Right of the week

Your education should help you use and develop your talents and abilities.

Senior SQA Art work ★ Celebrating pupil work ★



S2 Art



S6 leadership team



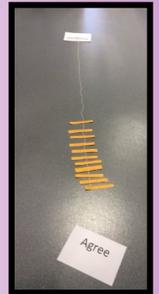
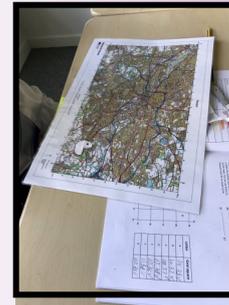
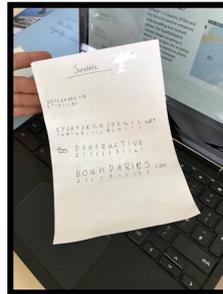
S6 Leadership team members making masks



PE with sports leaders



Geography



Links

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

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

School website: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/Barrhead/>

**Fun fact:** Imports of haggis to the US have been banned since the 70s.

**Positive Quote:** "Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard"



**This week's puzzle:**

**Last weeks answer:** recycling (NYCCEGIRL)

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