



BARRHEAD HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Monday 7th September 2020



Announcements

- Mrs Baxter in PE has been overwhelmed with the response for the Sports Council. There are a few still interested in applying so we will open it up until Thursday 10th September. Mrs Baxter will post jobs via Google classroom set up for Sports Council until the first meeting can be arranged.
- This year we will be offering 2 pupils a chance to become our Young Ambassadors. Mrs Baxter will work alongside the Young Ambassadors to support them to inspire our pupils to take part in sport and lead an active, healthy lifestyle. We are looking for 2 motivational leaders from 5th and 6th year who can inspire and lead in making a difference to the lives of our young people. If you are interested please give your name to Mrs Baxter in PE by Friday 11th September 2020.
- **Reminder:** Any S3 students wishing to undertake a Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award over the next year should pass their name to Mr Boag. Find out more information about the award here [DOFE videos](#). 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.
- **Reminder: Cyber Security Online Challenge (S2 - S6 students Only).** Cyber Discovery's CyberStart Assess Challenge involving over 200 free challenges. If you wish to be part of this cyber challenge (S2-S6 only, see Mr Boag (Maths) as soon as possible. More information [here](#).
- S1 lunchtime clubs start this week. All S1 pupils will meet at the Games hall at the start of lunch where they will be given a choice of clubs to attend. To see the full list of clubs available, click [here](#).
- As our young people are wearing face masks when moving around the school, lockers can now be used. It is crucial that pupils empty their lockers daily to continue with our hygiene procedures. If you lose your key there will be a £5 fee for a new key, new keys will be organised over the next few weeks if requested by the learner via the office. S1 learners will have an opportunity to secure a new locker. There will be a £5 fee which can be paid via Parent Pay or cash from the 7th to 18th September (no charge to pupils with free school meal entitlement). Locker keys will be issued on Monday 21st September only. We would ask for your patience to organise 150 new lockers.
- The first merit period of the year is now closed. The merit list will be checked by your Pupil Support teacher at the start of this week, and the merit list will be on display at the Library by the end of the week.
- Congratulations to all S1 & S2 pupils who have been awarded pupil of the month. Certificates have been sent out to pupils and parents/ carers to celebrate this achievement recognising your good work this month. See the names of the pupils awarded on the next page.
- Senior pupils should check the Career Pathway Opportunities folder in their year group Google Classroom carefully for a huge variety of fabulous virtual work experience opportunities. There are webinars and virtual placements in law, finance, accountancy, medicine, business, microbiology and many more.
- If any S6 pupil is considering studying medicine or music (at the Conservatoire), they must see their Pupil Support teacher as soon as possible as these courses must be submitted next week.



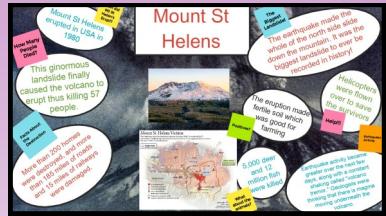
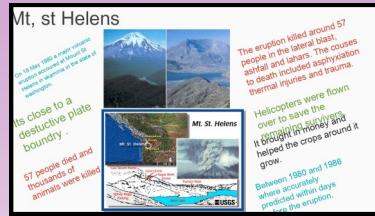
Right of the week

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



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Pupil of the month

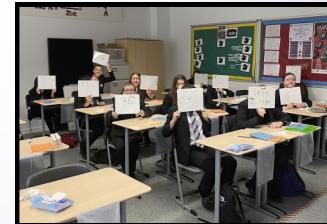
RE Lewis T Emily W Chloe F Danielle S Cara M Callum T	S1 PUPIL OF THE MONTH August	PE Adam F Callum T Inaya S Jack M Beth S Ava M
Geography Aydin S Cara M S Alisha S		History Nizamuddin S Reneska K Grace D
Design & Technology Lara P Jessica B Aeryn T Reneska K		English Jayden M Andrew W Connor P Ava M Connor G Caleb T
Science Lara P Giles S Laurie F S Aydin S Lucy R Reneska K Lewis T		BACS Lara P Laurie F S Liam W Danielle S
Art Maihla T Luiza P Liam R		Music Paul M Mylee P Nizamuddin S Olivia M
Maths Millie D Ben G Honor W Ruby M Adam M James H		HE Elise F Inaya S Sophie C Ben G
Geography Finlay PC Liam R		Maths Millie D Ben G Honor W Ruby M Adam M James H
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S3 lunchtime mini Olympics



S1 Maths

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Art Maihla T Luiza P Liam R		Maths Liam R Froster L Abbie N James G Soha S
Science Lucy M Soha S Stacey M Ryan J Abby D		Music Lauren J Matthew G
English Lauren M Lee H Aiden C Stacey M Kylie C		History Ailsa W Froster L
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Links

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

Digital help page: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/Barrhead/parents/internet-safety/>

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

Fun fact: Edinburgh was the first city in the world to have its own fire brigade.

Positive Quote: "However difficult life may seem, there is always something you can do and succeed at." (Stephen Hawking)

This week's puzzle: What 4-letter word can be written forward, backward or upside down, and can still be read from left to right?

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