

Kenmore Primary School Term 1 Newsletter

October 2021

To all our Lovely Families,
We have reached the end of another busy term and would like to thank you once again for your continued support. We have had an exciting term with lots of new learning experiences both indoors and outdoors. We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a safe and relaxing October break and we look forward to welcoming pupils back on Monday 25th October.



Highlights from P1-3 and Mr. Hobson

P1-P3 have had great fun learning about Farming and Food Miles. We worked out that a pizza has thousands of food miles and that to help protect the planet we should try to buy food from local producers. Better still... plant and grow your own like we did. Delicious soup and zero food miles. We really enjoyed our virtual farm visits and learned about goats, alpacas and what types of things we might find growing on a farm and what we can get from these things. In P.E. we have been learning about our pulse and what this can tell us about our bodies and how healthy our heart is. We have been learning about the things a good team captain and player might say to encourage others to play better. Our visit from the Scottish Chamber Orchestra was great fun. We learned a lot about how to write songs and make music for films. We really enjoyed Hamish and Stewart's song and it was great when Stewart and Emma from SCO performed it for us.

Highlights from P4-7, Miss Oliver and Miss Edwards

This term we have had lots of exciting new learning experiences. We have worked with a team of musicians from the Scottish Chamber Orchestra and with Claire Hewitt, our local storyteller. We created our own school song. We have been developing our athletics skills, including shot put, hurdles and javelin. In Forest school, we have been building fires and cooking campfire bread. We have also been clay modelling. We all worked together to prepare for our One Planet Picnic to raise awareness of food miles and to celebrate local produce. We baked apple muffins, made our own apple juice and jam and we made apple kebabs with melted chocolate. We have been creating poems about Autumn with Miss Edwards. We also took part in Climate Action Week, with schools from all over Scotland and have been working hard towards gaining our Eco Schools green flag. Next term, we are looking forward to using the new Charanga music resource.



Diary Dates for Next Term:

Term begins Monday 25th October

Crannog visit (Samhain Festival) Thursday 4th November

Inset Days Thursday 11th November and Friday 12th November

Dundee Rep Christmas Carol Tuesday 14th December

Campfire Carols Tuesday 21st December, 6 pm (more info to follow)

Term Ends Wednesday 22nd December at 12.00pm