



Weekly Review

15th June 2012



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What a busy week we have had in Class Hazel.

The children have come back from their half term break with lots of exciting visits and adventures to share and have shown once again how excited they get when they have a chance to write in their diaries and look back at their first reports in reception. They realise just how much they have grown up!

It's lovely to see everyone back and ready to take on the challenges of the last half term of this year.

Numeracy

This week the focus has been on number and practising both writing numbers in figures and in words. The children had many different challenges with some children successfully playing a word and figure snap game whilst others were challenged to write numbers into the thousands.

This led into extending their understanding of place value and partitioning numbers into their hundreds, tens and units. The children really enjoyed splitting the numbers and could all identify the value of the numbers. Using this strategy the children were able to find the total of two 2 or 3 digit numbers with great accuracy.

Parent challenge! Can you partition the number 67?

Ask your child to show you how. What is the biggest number your child can partition?

Paralympics



On Monday the children met a paralympian swimmer, Lauren Steadman. Lauren is a fantastic swimmer despite being born without her right hand and arm below the elbow joint. Lauren was inspirational and a very good example of the paralympian values of courage, determination, equality and inspiration. The children asked some very thoughtful questions at the end of her presentation in the hall.

To find out more about Lauren and her swimming achievements you could look at her website by following the link below.

<http://www.laurensteadman.co.uk>



Homework



In preparation for our Olympic topic lesson next week, we are setting a challenge for your homework this week!

In the London 2012 Olympics there will be lots of different sports held in lots of different venues. Can you think of at least 10 sports that you might see during the summer? You might be able to find out more than 10!

Notices

- **Visit to Petersfield Primary School** - 26th June
- **Music Assembly** - This is to let you know that the Key Stage 1 Choir will be performing in the music assembly on Friday 13th July 2012.
- **Key Stage 1 Projects Assembly** - Friday 6th July
There will be an extended homework project sent home next week in preparation for the Key Stage 1 projects assembly.

*Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Seymour and Mrs Daniels*