

Our superb 'Go Gold' Friday afternoon raised over £1300 and we have now been able to purchase our Super Sam memorial play train. We are so proud of the efforts put in by our pupils and everyone that helped. Thank you to all who came down to the playground after school to be involved in the event. It was a lovely afternoon for a very special cause, and we look forward to the train being enjoyed by our Nursery pupils in the near future.

## Digital Literacy Week

Our whole school focused "Digital Literacy Week" was a huge success!

The children enjoyed a range of activities including workshops using iMovies, computer programming (coding), internet safety, using robots for directional control in maths, Giglets (online resource) and many new apps. Some classes were also able to use their new Apple TVs in class to demonstrate examples. Thanks to the recent donations from our PTA all of our classes will soon benefit from having access to some new resources to further develop our use of ICT as a school.



**Ask me about.....Big Maths!**  
In particular our 'Learn it!' challenges.

## Dates for your diary.....

- 24th October** School resumes
- 27th October** PTA Halloween Disco
- 3rd November** Open afternoon 1:30—3:00pm & evening information sharing session (Homework/Maths/Reports) 6:00pm—7:00pm
- 17th November** 3:00—6:00pm Parent consultation evening
- 22nd November** 5—8pm Parent consultation evening
- 16th November** Rescheduled ALEC visit
- 26th November** Christmas Coffee Morning

## Staff news:

As you may have been aware, Ms Wells has been absent from Dunnottar School since March of this year. We can now confirm that Ms Wells will not be returning to Dunnottar school. The children will miss having Ms Wells in school, especially our rugby fans who enjoyed their lunchtime catch up sessions about the latest rugby results.

We are pleased to confirm that Gail Sangster will be joining the teaching staff next term. She will be covering classes 2 days a week to enable staff to have their non class contact time.

Sadly Mrs Edgar will not be back after the holidays teaching Kodaly as she will be visiting other schools next term. The children have really enjoyed their rockin' Friday music sessions and we hope to see Mrs Edgar in the not too distant future.

**Remember to keep up to date with school news, photos and events by joining our 322 followers on twitter:**

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