

Dear Host,

It is time for another meeting of The Harry Potter Reading Club! Download these four exciting new activities at **scholastic.com/hpreadingclub**.









October Activity 1: Invent Your Own Sport!

One of the reasons that young readers love the Harry Potter books is the excitement of reading about the magical sport of Quidditch. For this activity, members will attempt to invent a sport as unique as Quidditch! Have students read their ideas for a new sport aloud. For extra fun, select one or two to try and execute at your next meeting.

Prepare ahead:

- 1) Photocopy one worksheet per member.
- 2) Make sure you have plenty of pencils.

During the activity:

- 1) Discuss the topic and have members brainstorm some examples.
- 2) Allow members about ten minutes to craft their responses.
- 3) Ask each member to summarize the highlights of their game for the class.

October Activity 2: Make Your Own Cauldron Cakes

J. K. Rowling creates such a richly detailed world that readers can't help but long to get their hands on some of the delights she describes. In this activity, members get a chance to create their own Cauldron Cake recipes and illustrate the ingredients and final product!

Prepare ahead:

- 1) Photocopy one worksheet per member.
- 2) Make sure you have plenty of pencils and colored markers.

During the activity:

1) Have members create their own Cauldron Cake recipes and illustrations.

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