

Choose the correct answer from A, B, C, or D.

1. What did Alex achieve at Maplewood High School?

- A) Broke the school's record for the longest continuous hula hooping.
- B) Broke the Guinness World Record for the longest continuous hula hooping.
- C) Broke the record for the most hula hoops spun simultaneously.
- D) Broke the record for the longest distance hula hooping.

2. Where did the event take place?

- A) Maplewood Elementary School
- B) Maplewood High School
- C) Maplewood Community Center
- D) Maplewood Park

3. What was the previous record for the longest continuous hula hooping?

- A) 74 hours and 54 minutes
- B) 76 hours and 54 minutes
- C) 72 hours and 54 minutes
- D) 74 hours and 34 minutes

4. How long did Alex hula hoop for to break the record?

- A) 75 hours and 30 minutes
- B) 76 hours and 30 minutes
- C) 76 hours and 45 minutes
- D) 76 hours

5. What was the atmosphere like at Maplewood High School during Alex's attempt?

- A) Tense

- B) Sad
- C) Exciting
- D) Quiet

6. Who commented on Alex's dedication and drive?

- A) Sarah Adams
- B) The Guinness World Record officials
- C) Ms. Thompson, Alex's homeroom teacher
- D) The school principal

7. How did Sarah Adams feel about Alex's achievement?

- A) She was disappointed.
- B) She was amazed.
- C) She was indifferent.
- D) She was confused.

8. What is the main message of the news report?

- A) Maplewood High School's gymnasium needs more space.
- B) Alex's accomplishment has inspired others.
- C) Hula hooping is a popular sport at Maplewood High School
- D) Guinness World Records are impossible to beat.

Local Student Breaks Guinness World Record for Longest Continuous Hula Hooping

By Sarah Thompson

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Excitement filled the air at Maplewood High School yesterday as student Alex Johnson shattered the Guinness World Record for the longest continuous hula hooping, captivating the attention of the entire school and beyond.

Maplewood High School's gymnasium was packed with students, teachers, and staff, all gathered to witness Alex's remarkable feat. The atmosphere was electric as Alex took to the centre of the gym, surrounded by a cheering crowd, ready to attempt the record-breaking hula hooping marathon.

The record, previously held by a contestant from the United States, stood at an impressive 74 hours and 54 minutes. Alex surpassed this mark with flying colours, hula hooping for an astonishing 76 hours straight, showcasing incredible endurance and determination.

The event was met with awe and admiration from students and teachers alike. Ms. Thompson, Alex's homeroom teacher, commented, "I've always known Alex to be dedicated and driven, but this accomplishment truly surpasses all expectations. It's an inspiration to us all."

Fellow student Sarah Adams shared, "I couldn't believe my eyes when Alex just kept going and going. It's such a unique talent, and we're all so proud to have witnessed this incredible moment."

Alex's achievement has put Maplewood High School in the spotlight and served as a testament to the power of perseverance and determination. As the school continues to celebrate this remarkable accomplishment, Alex's name will be etched in history as a Guinness World Record holder, showcasing the extraordinary talent and spirit of the students in our community.

Answer Key

1. B
2. B
3. A
4. C
5. C
6. C
7. B
8. B