

# WHPS GO GLOBAL!

## INTERNATIONAL EVENING IS A SUCCESS

### Together WHPS Celebrate!

At West Hampstead Primary, we had an international evening show on the 23rd of May. Children performed an act no longer than 2 minutes. The motto was 'Together we celebrate'.

To also take part you could bring any type of food that is from your culture. Another thing was you could dress up in an outfit from your country's culture. Did you come? It was an excellent evening!

### Fantastic Food!

International evening may be known for its beautiful performances, but the food is another thing! We had food all the way from Palestine, all the way to Brazil! It was just great! My personal favourite was the Netherland pancake.



### Electric Performers

The most important thing about International Evening is, of course... THE PERFORMANCES. And this year, we had acts all the way from quiet poems and jokes, all the way to loud songs. Also this year, there were two extra performances, The rock band [it was their only first live act] They played the song 'Wild Thing', If you missed them, they had two more gigs this summer: the Summer Fair and a show for the parents.

### International Music



This year, there was also a competition for designing the cover, here are the 4 winners!

1. James from Thames class
  2. Kallisto from Mersey class
  3. Gabriella from Nile class
  4. Ben from Amazon class
- The winners each received a £10 Amazon gift card



### That's Entertainment!

The second extra act was also a great performance, it was... the staff performance!

This year's show started with sorrow, as Mr Drake went on the stage saying they didn't have enough time to practise, but it turns out it was all part of the script! All of the staff got involved in a song and dance number. The west end premiere, 'Where did you get that hat?' had happened!

**By Deniz and Maryam**

## Y2 WALK LIKE AN EGYPTIAN

### YEAR 2 DISCOVER ANCIENT EGYPT!

By Felix

On the 17th of May, Year two had to dress up for Ancient Egypt day. They dressed up as archaeologists because they have been learning about the Egyptians as their history topic.



### Did you like Egypt Day?

‘Yes, it was also a bit creepy when Howard Carter dug up Tutankaman’s mask, but it was also funny because Howard Carter had a big moustache’.

Abraham from Shannon class.

‘Yes, because history is my favourite subject and all day we did history.’ Nina age 6, Shannon.

‘We pretended we were on a trip to Egypt’  
Aloni ,7, Shannon.

‘Howard Carter dug up a tomb, inside was Tutankamun’ Aloni ,7, Shannon

### What did you do?

‘We dug up some artefacts, like pharaohs and pyramids.’  
Abraham age seven Shannon.

‘I had a really good time because we looked at hieroglyphs.’

Freya age seven Clyde

So if you are in year one or under be prepared to have your own Egypt day when you are in year two. When you do you will probably have as much fun as Freya and Abraham.

‘We went to Shannon class and pretended to be on a plane’

‘We pretended to be in an aeroplane and have snacks’

As you can see, Year Two LOVED Archaeologists day. They enjoyed getting ID cards, digging up artefacts and looking at hieroglyphs. So if you are in year 1 or under get ready to have some ancient fun!



## GENEROUS BOOKS GIVEN

### CHARITY DONATES FREE BOOKS TO WHPS CHILDREN

By Aara and Sara

Welcome to the second edition of the book report for the WHPS Kids Times. We are here to recommend the books of your dreams!

**Reading Rainbow Tip:** Think about WHEN the story takes place, WHERE it all happens, and how much TIME passes from start to finish. Describe the setting so your classmates feel like they are INSIDE the story.

**Reading Rainbow Tip:** Find an image online that resembles the setting of this story, then replace the image above.

**Reading Rainbow Tip:** Who is the main character? Do they have any friends or helpers? Is there someone who challenges the main character? Instead of just naming people, talk about what makes each person memorable.



**Who recommended this book?**

Harrison-Yr5,Ganges class.

**What is the name of the book?**

I recommended Kay's Anatomy.

**Why are you recommending it?**

Harrison recommended it because it was funny.

**What is the book about?**

"It talks about different body parts and how the body develops."

**Who recommended this book?**

Florence-Yr1 Severn class.

**What is the name of this book?**

Little Snow Rabbit.

**Why are you recommending it?**

She said" In the end they are all happy. It has a lot of pictures and little writing."

**What is the book about?**

"It's about a rabbit and a bear that build snowmen."

**Who recommended this book?**

Freya-Yr2 Clyde class.

**What is the name of this book?**

Diary of a Wimpy Kid- Melt Down.

**Why are you recommending it?**

"Because it's funny when they throw snowballs."

**What is the book about?**

"It's a snow day and Greg feels like he has so much work piled on top of him like snow but it gets too hot, so now he's having a melt down."

**Who recommended this book?**

Emily( Yr2)

**What is the name of the book?**

Little Red Riding Hood.

**Why are you recommending this book?**

"Because it's funny when the wolf gets knocked out."

**What is it about?**

"Little red Riding Hood is about a little girl with a red hood who tries to send cakes to her sick grandmother. Along the way she meets a wolf."

In May, some generous people from the Shaftesbury Capital named James and Avni donated £200+ to WHPS!!!! We were 1 out of 4 schools that got donated books!! Here are some of James and Avni's favourite books that they recommended to us:

The newspaper crew got to talk to James and Avni and see all of the books. We enjoyed seeing them. They said that they hope to spread the joy of reading to all children in Camden. They hope that every child in the school will enjoy at least some of the books that they have donated. Look out for these books in your book corners.



## EURO 24 EXCITEMENT!

### THE COUNTDOWN HAS STARTED!

**By Deniz**

Well, after a long wait of 4 years it's back! The tournament of joy but also sadness: Euro 2024. This year the tournament will be held in Germany!

The trophy is looking more beautiful than ever! This year the hosts Germany look dangerous, with talents like Jamal Musiala, they could terrorise any defence. But this year the favourites look like the incredible Portugal. Cristiano Ronaldo's last international tournament might end in heartbreak or victory, but they also looks like they are entering their prime years. England also look menacing. Harry Kane will be a standout this year. France are also a big powerhouse at this tournament.



#### What do you think?

Hamza, Year 4 - 'I think that Portugal will win and Mbappe will be the best'

George, Year 6, 'This year lots of teams are good, But France are the best'

Mr Drake, headteacher- 'England has the best squad, but they always fail me!' Ayaan, Year 5 - "PORTUGAL IS THE BEST!" Conclusion: Well, although the tournament might be exciting, remember, it's all about football joy!

### IS HOT WEATHER GOOD FOR LEARNING?

**By Luke**



Are you enjoying the hot weather? People were so excited for the hot weather because the temperature has turned and only three weeks ago it was miserable, rainy, wet, gloomy and we were all wearing coats!

Usually people like hot weather because it's time for grills. Some people don't like hot weather because they can't focus on their learning. Summer is usually for holidays, grills fun times and pool. Most people prefer to rest in the summer because its really hot and people usually like hot weather. Be sure to cool and feel happy.



Harrison Y5 said 'Hot weather is not good for learning and you become maybe very hot and not be able to focus on work, because it can make you distracted.'

Deniz Y5 says, 'Hot weather is good for learning because it motivates you to do your work so then you can get to a nice, sunny playtime/P.E Lesson.'

Rion says, 'Hot weather is bad for learning because you could be enjoying the nice, sunny weather outside.'

Sunny weather is good and healthy because it gives you vitamin D, also make sure you put some sunscreen on before you come to school! Wear your sunhats and glasses, I advise you to not wear jumpers and trousers so you don't boil and wear t-shirts and shorts. Be sure to stay hydrated with the boiling weather. In class drink wear light clothes and behave in a calm way. Over all people like how weather but usually people don't like hot weather for learning.