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演莎士比亞、看莎士比亞

本學年，「午間英語藝壇」節目主題是莎士比亞戲劇。中二、三級同學演出的劇目包括《Hamlet》（王子復仇記）、《Mid Summer Night’s Dream》（仲夏夜之夢）、《Romeo and Juliet》（羅密歐與茱麗葉）選段。

5月23日，本校師生50人遠赴中文大學邵逸夫堂觀看莎士比亞戲劇節表演（Shakespeare Festival Performance Finals）。此次中大莎劇節由兩岸三地著名大學學生演出莎劇選段，以莎士比亞原文演出，由於本校同學已在大學演出過部份選段，有助於欣賞與了解。這是一次不可多得的學習機會。請看同學寫的感想：

- I was so happy to have a chance to watch the “Shakespeare’s Festival Performance Finals” which was a competition among universities in Hong Kong, Macao and the Mainland. Their acting and proficiency in English were so impressive. Acting is not an easy task, let alone playing Shakespeare’s roles because the scripts were written in 16th Century English which is different from modern English. This is my first time to watch Shakespeare’s plays, I have gained a new insight into Shakespeare’s plays and would like to know more about his work in the future.

- That day, we watched four different plays performed by four different universities. Among them, I enjoyed “A Midsummer night’s Dream” the most. The reason might be that I had read the book and had played the <Dream> during lunchtime show before, so I could understand what they were talking and acting about.

- I’d like to thank Mr. Lee, our principal, and Mr. Knill for giving us such an unforgettable experience. I hope we will have more chances to watch the fantastic plays again!

- Many Hong Kong students think that they are always better than those from Mainland China. I think they are completely wrong. Through this competition, we can see that many Mainland Chinese students work very hard and they are successful. We should learn from them instead of being arrogant.

- I really admired the artists. Although they study in Mainland China, their English is better than many students in H.K.

- All the dramas were good. I liked watching them very much. I hope that we will have one more chance to watch dramas like that.

- Our group will play <Hamlet> soon. Sadly they did not have <Hamlet> on that day. Otherwise, we would be able to learn something from them, and it would help us to do our lunchtime show better.

You are invited to join SUMMER DEBATING COURSE

The EFS Debating project is organizing summer debating courses from 17th July, the courses are for both beginner and advanced levels. Should you have any inquiries, please feel free to contact Mr. NG.

免費報章

爲推廣閱讀，本校與兩間報館合作，每日備有《大公報》30份及《英文虎報 Student Standard》200份供同學免費取閱。取報地點：地下「可取之處」。
Rotary Club Charity Ball as Kwok Ching Ha (5B) Describes It

I can only use one word to describe the ball - it's "FABULOUS"

When we started work at about 7:30pm at the Grand Hyatt, most of the guests had already arrived. The women and the men were all dressed up to the nines. They looked so beautiful. In comparison, all of us, in our school uniforms, looked like helpers—that's what we were.

After the cocktail, we started to sell the raffle tickets. There were 28 tables in total, and the eight of us were told to be responsible for different tables. Each raffle ticket cost $100 and we sold a lot and raised nearly $50000. I had never seen such a large amount of money before. Yes, we also helped out with the auction. Some of the guests were really generous!

The main dishes and desserts were smashing. I love desserts! But I liked the performances most! We kept clapping our hands. It was really a real show show. Sigh...........how could we have forgotten to bring the camera. I really wanted to capture all the precious moments and keep them in my memory forever! Well, a lady, I forgot her name, said that she would send some pictures to our Principal, Mr. Lee, and ask him to pass them to us.

When we arrived back at Tsuen Wan, it was already ONE O'CLOCK in the morning! The others might think we were bad girls. What an unforgettable day it was!!
English week starts today!

We are having an “English Week” this week! A wide range of interesting games and activities has been prepared for all of you! You can get chops in playing games and redeem prizes!

Please come and enjoy! (* Compulsory for F.1 & 2 students)

Date: 30th, May (Tue); 1st, 2nd, June (Thu, Fri)
Time: 12.50 p.m.-1.30 p.m.
Venue: Covered Playground and Bauhinia Place
Activities: Board game Competition, Karaoke, English Speaking Corner, Riddle, Tongue Twister, Interpreter, What’s word, Under the Sea.