

WEEKLY EVENTS

'Numeracy Day at Brigidine School,

On Wednesday eight girls, selected from Years 4, 5 and 6, attended a 'Numeracy Day' at Brigidine School in Windsor.

Dressed in numerically themed outfits, our girls joined girls and boys from nine other schools in the area for a day of maths competitions, problem solving and maths based games. The students worked in groups with children from other schools giving them the chance to make new friends and experience new ways of working.

Part of the day was hosted by the Happy Puzzle Company who have spent years developing puzzles and games to challenge and entertain children. Their products have been designed to encourage skills in thinking and teamwork and to develop confidence.

Much fun and interactive learning was had by everyone. Many thanks to parents who kindly organised transport to and from Brigidine.

Mrs J Guille-Marrett
Head of Mathematics



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‘Double, Double Toil and Trouble’

Last Friday Years 4, 5 and 6 visited the ‘Shakespeare 4 Kidz’ Theatre in Camberley to see a production of Macbeth. During the past few weeks all of the girls have been familiarising themselves with the storyline so needless to say the anticipation and chatter were high on the coach journey!

The Theatre was specifically established to bring the world of William Shakespeare to young people - making it relevant, understandable and above all enjoyable. Performing in top theatres and venues across the UK they have introduced thousands of children to his works with day-time performances making attendance even more accessible for school children.

The performance was full of gory murders, weird witches, ghosts and bloody battles in addition to song and dance. This is one of Coworth-Flexlands’ favourite theatre visits of the year. It is a delight to see the girls enjoying and embracing what is typically complex written work in an easy to digest format.

Some of the children commented -

”I enjoyed the play very much and I learned a lot about the MacBeth story.”
(Katie, Year 4)

“The lighting was extremely effective, especially whenever the three witches appeared, because there was a flash of lighting! I noticed that some actors played more than one part. I thoroughly enjoyed the play despite the fact that the ‘Scottish Play’ is one of Shakespeare’s more frightening tragedies”.
(Isabella, Year 5)

“Overall, I would say the play was really good and would give it a 5 star rating. Thank you to all the teachers and thank you for the ice-cream!”
(Charlotte, Year 6)

Thank you to all the staff who helped with the ‘toil’ of the trip and to the girls who were no ‘trouble’ at all.

Mrs H Kafena
Head of English

