

# MORLEY HOUSE NEWSLETTER

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## Year 6 Trip to IOW

Year 6 went to the Isle of Wight for a residential course from the 18-22 May. On our way to the IOW we visited the Historic Dockyard at Portsmouth and enjoyed the Trafalgar Experience and Nelson's Museum. When we got to PGL we were introduced to our Groupie, Steve and we were shown our cabins. We did lots of great activities, some were scary like catwalk but most of them were just great fun. We had a few dramas. None of us really wanted to go home but we were happy to see our families again and we will miss Steve and PGL very much. But overall this has got to be the greatest trip **EVER**. If you want to find out more, go to the School Website and read our Blog. [www.logs.uk.com](http://www.logs.uk.com)

(By Riti Patel & Annabel Squire-Sanders)



## Year 3 recently visited Brighton Museum and here are a couple of their reports :

*On 20<sup>th</sup> May Year 3 visited Brighton Museum. Mary showed us into a room where we had a power point display. The Mary showed us a fake mummy, (a boy). The Ben used his hand for a pretend knife and pulled something out. Then someone else pulled something out and so on. Then we dressed up, Hector was Anubis, Dan was Ma'at, Ben and Lewis were priests. William and Polly were deceased and all the others were mourners and Miss Dumbrell pulled out a brain from the fake dummy.*  
(By Ben Figg & Lewis Ward)

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*On 20<sup>th</sup> May Year 3 visited Brighton Museum. When we got off the bus we walked to the museum where there was a shop but we couldn't buy anything. Then we went into a room and a lady called Mary told us all about the River Nile. Next Ben cut up the side of a pretend body and picked out a stomach, lungs, liver and intestines, then put them into canopic jars.*  
(By Phoebe Rose Castle-Browning)

## Year 4 Theatre Trip

On Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> June Year 4 went to the theatre in Worthing to watch Horrible History's 'Second World War'. The first part was about a boy called Alf and a girl called Sally. Because the World War was happening they had to be evacuated but they didn't want to go. In part 2 we had to wear 3D glasses - then it was really life-like, aeroplanes were coming towards you, and bombs were crashing on you and that was the scary part.

(By India Cross & Beatrice Scott)



**MORLEY HOUSE**

**OPEN MORNING**

**TUESDAY, 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2009**

**9.30AM - 12.30PM**

**ISA LONDON SOUTH EAST  
ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS.  
TUESDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE 2009**

25 athletes set off from Morley House on Tuesday morning. We had to be in Bromley by 10.00am so the coach picked us up at 8.00am. It was a very sunny and hot day but luckily we found some shade and had lots of water to drink. The competition was very tough and there were some amazingly big and fast runners from other schools. 20 schools were competing. Every one ran, jumped and threw very well.

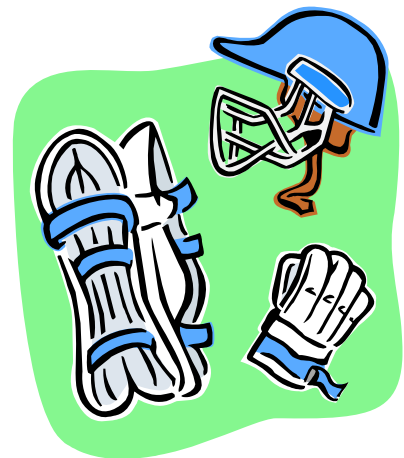
Henry Gilbert won the Year 6 boys cricket ball throw and Beri Pearce reached the final of the 80m sprint. Chris Mayhew came 4<sup>th</sup> in the high jump with a great leap of 1.45m.

We were all very tired after a great days sport. Thank you to Mr Crossland and Mr Virgo for taking us. Next stop; Area sports!

*(By Phoebe, Jaime, Tilly & Beri Year 6)*

**Year 5 and 6 boys cricket Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2009**

The Year 5 and 6 boy's cricket team went to Newlands School to play the return match against The Newlands Team. Newlands batted first and they had a good opening partnership who scored 50. However once we took their wickets the rest of the team collapsed and they finished on 90 all out. Henry Gilbert, Alfie Collison and Andrew Porter accounted for most of the wickets whilst Nick Chippington played a great game as Wicket keeper bravely hurling himself around to keep their run rate low. Our batsmen were cautious at first but warmed up quickly. Gabriel showed real signs of improvement, Henry Clarke really attacked each ball, Elliott Taylor batted with admirable coolness and Jake Newton approached the batting with his customary energy. Ed Kirk was positive in his approach whilst Charlie Giles and Harry Devonport swung at everything that moved. We managed 65 before all our wickets fell in the 20th over. All the players enjoyed the game, gave their all and can be proud of themselves. Some may even be converted from Football to Cricket!



**Tesco & Sainsbury Vouchers**

Tesco and Sainsbury's school vouchers will finish this week. If you wish to donate your vouchers to the school please do so as soon as possible. This will allow the staff enough time to count the vouchers and choose the best options to buy from the catalogues. A big thank you to everyone who has contributed to the collection of vouchers.