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Magic Comes to More House!



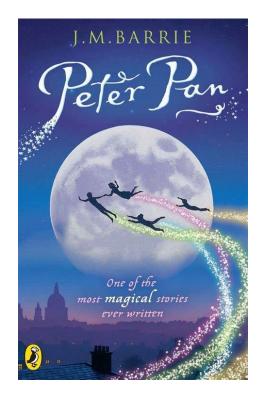
This February, More House School had the privilege of being swept away by the fantastical world of Peter Pan. Staff, students and parents watched, amazed by the talent presented on the stage by our Year Nine to Thirteen students. Rehearsals began in Michaelmas Term, with the play being shown to our brilliant audiences just before the February half-term, with the final performance on Valentine's Day. It was an unforgettable experience for everyone!

-- PETER PAN _-_-

Peter Pan, written by J.M. Barrie, is the timeless story of a boy who refuses to grow up. Living in Neverland, Peter shares adventures with the Lost Boys, and his loyal friend, Tink. He visits the home of the Darlings in London and invites Wendy and her brothers, John and Michael, on a thrilling journey filled with pirates, mermaids, and the terrifying but fascinating giant crocodile. It is a tale that focuses on childhood wonder, imagination and adventure.

Traditionally, the school has staged a senior school play each year, and the last three have been in the Lent term. The last two made their way to the Edinburgh Fringe! However, this year there are plans for a play for Year Seven and Eight for the summer, to give the younger students a chance to shine. The Senior School play continues to be a key part of the school's tradition, offering challenging roles for older students and creating a sense of teamwork and creativity that is valued within our school.

The beautiful props were mostly made my our very own Miss Batty, as well as being donated by other teachers. All the support that has been shown is very much appreciated and meant that the students could be part of something really positive and magical. Thank you to the audiences for watching and being a part of a very memorable performance, and thank you to the staff and students for the immense amount of work that was put in.



_-__ PETER PAN reviews _-_-

"The show was very fun and enjoyable. Everything was perfectly staged loved every moment of it. Loads of fun very good. "

'Such a joy to be so royally entertained by a group of boys who clearly relished the challenge of communicating this classic story with innovation, style and panache.'

'This was a hugely enjoyable evening with great teamwork amongst the cast and some truly laugh out loud moments. Well done to everyone involved.'

'The boys were outstanding, and made me think about how great More House is. I never see this side of life at school, as I only see students and staff in the queue at lunch!'

"What a wonderful evening! Every aspect, from the fantastic cast to the seamless technical crew, was exceptional. I was captivated by a story I know little about and especially enjoyed booing at a terrifying Hook! Special mention to Tink who, without a single word, kept us very entertained with his gliding and magic skills, what a star!"

"I enjoyed every minute of the performance, but particularly when the pirates first entered - took me quite by surprise!"





_-__ FEEL GOOD JUNIORS _-_-

BOOK DAY

6 MARCH 2025



WORLD BOOK DAY

The Juniors were able to dress up as characters from their favourite book on World Book Day.

It was very fun and there were some amazing outfits!

ANIMAL OF THE MONTH ROBIN

- Robins reach adult size in 2 weeks
- 2. Robins have 2900 individual feathers

SONG OF THE MONTH

Pure Imagination (From "Willy Wonka & The Chocolate Factory" Soundtrack)

If you want to view paradise simply look around and view it

Any thing you want to do it want to change the world there'nothing to it

-- JOKES_-_-

| Why do plants hate maths? |
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Because it always gives them square roots.

RIP boiling water. You will be mist.

Did you know Bruce Lee has a vegetarian brother? Brocco-lee

| What breed of dog do magicians own? | What do you call a cow without a map? |
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| Labra-cadabra-dors! | Udderly lost! |

A boy threw a lump of cheddar at me. I thought "That's not very mature".

Never trust an atom. They make up everything.

What do you call an alligator in a vest?

An investigator.

--_ ENTERTAINMENT-_-

WORDSEARCH

Find the 10 words in the grid below. Show/send to Miss Duffin to get 3 house points.

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Competition

RECREATE YOUR FAVOURITE DAY

By drawing, painting, playdough, or even using minecraft, recreate your favourite day from the Easter holidays.

Give your entry to Miss Duffin by the 30th April 2025. You can bring it into school after Easter or email it over the holidays.

Sweets and house points on offer for the winners.