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# 校外獎項.殊榮



第十七屆香港盃外交知識競賽-銅獎: 3A 麥寶倩、3A 胡海祺、3A 王軼生、5A 許鈺宜



5A 張惠娜



學界無人機救援挑戰賽決賽 二等獎:4D 梅彥鏗、4D 彭朗軒 優異獎:4B 姜政睿、4D 劉炳林



荃灣及離島區校際乒乓球賽 女子丙組團體亞軍:

1A潘梓晴、1B 陳傲晴、 1C 曹美諭、2D 黃凱祺



全港中學生中華文化短片 創作比賽-傑出優異獎 3C 文依棋、3C 黄霨霖、 4B 羅曉昇、4B 梁淼兒、 4B 李河楠



尤德爵士紀念基金高中學生獎 獎學金:6C 陳嘉桑、6D 吳欣容





## Reflection by Byron Wallin

On April 11<sup>th</sup>, ten of our junior form students participated in the Animal Photopoetry Creative Challenge at Ocean Park Hong Kong, organized by the Education Bureau. This cross-curricular competition encouraged students to compose poems reflecting positive values like perseverance and benevolence, paired with animal photographs taken during the event. Our students showcased creativity, blending English poetry with their own carefully taken photos. After submitting their entries, they enjoyed Ocean Park's thrilling rides and the scenic cable car, making the day both educational and fun. The experience fostered artistic expression and camaraderie, leaving lasting memories.

-Byron Wallin

#### Awards

Yeung Yat Long, Isaac (1C) and Mak Ho Yeung, Angie (2A) both won Commendable Awards. Their work will be published in a dedicated photopoetry book, and they will be invited to attend an awards ceremony. We are incredibly proud of them both.

#### Reflection by Yeung Yat Long, Isaac (1C)

On the 11th of April, nine other students and I went to Ocean Park to participate in a competition. We had to take a photo of an animal and write a touching poem about the critter. I decided to write about the Asian Small-Clawed Otter, since my theme was perseverance and benevolence. I thought that the otter matched the theme quite well and started writing my poem. I wrote a (in my opinion) near flawless poem, but then, I found out that the otter exhibit was closed, and I couldn't take a picture of it! I was devastated, but then, Mr. Byron comforted me and told me alternative animals to write about. I ended up writing about the Yellow Seahorse. Although I couldn't write an amazing poem, I still had a very fun day there. I also learnt one thing from Mr. Byron, to always be prepared and expect the unexpected. Let's just say that I made a mental note and engraved it into my mind.

#### Reflection by Mak Ho Yeung, Angie (2A)

I'm extremely grateful that I got to be invited to be one of the participants representing my school in the poetry competition held at Ocean Park. I got to experience my first time in a theme park, and it was no less than exciting! I got to spend time with my fellow peers learning more about marine animals and marine conservation as the day went on. As well as writing a heartfelt poem that related to such cute and fascinating creatures. I would definitely go again if I can!

#### Reflection by Yeung Lok Ting, Natalie (1A)

Having the chance to go to Ocean Park and join this competition was so wonderful, I'm honoured to get chosen for this amazing opportunity. We managed to complete our photopoetry competition in the morning, and we had an amazing afternoon. My most unforgettable moment was Mr. Byron taking us on different theme park rides and at the end riding the cable car back down. Mr. Byron was scared of heights, but he conquered his fear, and everyone was proud of him. I had lots of fun, enjoying the competition along the way (especially hearing Mr. Byron scream.....).

### Reflection by Chu So Ying, Danae (2C)

I would never have thought that I can spend a school day at Ocean Park! Could this be real! The entire process from taking an inspirational picture to writing the poem, it was all like a dream. The animal I wrote about was the arctic fox, and did you know that this near extinct animal can be related to perseverance in so many ways? After this spectacular experience, I got to learn more about poetry and photography!

#### Reflection by Yip Ching Hang, Luke (1B)

It was a great day to at Ocean Park. I went there with handsome Mr. Byron and my classmates. I took part in a competition called Animal Photopoetry Creative Challenge. After the competition Mr. Byron, Amber, Isaac and I went to a ride called 'The Rapids', and we were tricked by Amber as she said that we wouldn't get wet but instead we got soaked by the ride! Mr. Byron, also known as 'Daddy Byron' looked like he had just had a shower! We were laughing at him and since we had eaten lunch at McDonalds before the ride, I almost threw up after the next ride called Rev Booster! It was a wonderful day at Ocean Park with Daddy Byron and my classmates!



