

# The Wayo Times

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Made by members of the JHS English club!

## Displays at the School Festival



Last year, for the school festival, we made displays by grades. But this year, we made displays by each subject. When we were making the displays, the first, second, and third graders worked together and helped each other.

When the displays were finished, we could see the development of Wayo students from the first to the third grade. And, the preparation of this year's displays was much quicker than last year's. The displays looked very nice. Everybody worked hard to create nice displays for the school festival.

## Survey

We asked the *Shuban* committee about which club was the most impressive club in the school festival. These are the results:

- 1 Dance Club
- 2 Drama Club
- 3 Brass Band



## English Speech Contest



On October 28<sup>th</sup>, there was an English speech contest in the gym of Wayo Junior High School. The first grade students did their speeches in pairs. They used many gestures. They were very cute. The second graders and the third graders were also really amazing. We were all impressed by their English speeches.

## Chorus Contest



On October 24<sup>th</sup>, Wayo Junior High School had a chorus contest. Each class had practiced hard for the contest. On that day, everybody was very nervous, but they did their best. The first graders sang "Forever" and "Important Things." The second graders sang "Gifts of a Summer Day" and "From Today to Tomorrow." The third graders sang "My Ballad" and "Up this River." It was a very wonderful contest.

## Party Before the School Festival



On the day before the school festival there was a special party in the gym. The Drama Club performed a very interesting play, which was about a girl who suddenly went to the world of "Alice in Wonderland." The Chorus Club sang songs beautifully. And the Dance Club showed several very wonderful dances. Also, some third grade students danced with their friends. It was a really enjoyable party. Everyone had a nice time.

# Special Christmas Edition The Wayo Times



## The 3rd Grade Students' School Trip



In November the third grade students went to Kyoto and Nara. We visited many beautiful places. For example, in Nara we saw Houryuji, Toudaiji, and Nara Park. In Nara Park, there were many deer. They were so cute!

When we went to Kyoto we saw Kinkakuji, Nijoujou, and Kiyomizudera. And we did zazen. It's a kind of Zen meditation. It was very relaxing. We learned that it is important for us to know the truth of things, which we can learn if we do zazen. It was a very valuable experience.

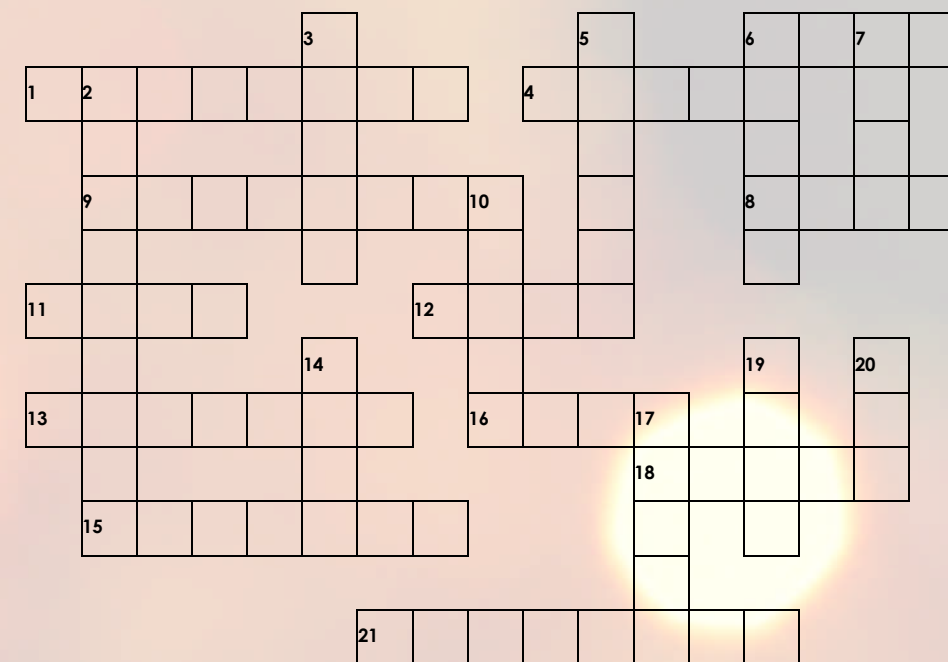
We all made lovely memories on our trip to Nara and Kyoto!

## What Do You Want For Christmas?

We asked some students and teachers, "What do you want for Christmas this year?" These are some of their answers:

- ✧ Money was the most popular; 10 students said they want money for Christmas.
- ✧ 2 students and Ms. Samantha said "DVDs."
- ✧ 1 student and Ms. Nikki said "a digital camera."
- ✧ 3 students said "a smart phone."
- ✧ 1 first grade student said "a younger sister."
- ✧ 1 student said "a gift card for the book store."
- ✧ 1 first grade student said "a dog."
- ✧ 1 second grade student said "some comics."

## Christmas Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

- 1 子供たち
- 4 ココア
- 6 セール
- 8 ツリー
- 9 プレゼント
- 11 歌う
- 12 ケーキ
- 13 お正月
- 15 雪だるま
- 16 雪
- 18 ひいらぎ
- 21 トナカイ

### DOWN

- 2 幸せ
- 3 緑
- 5 クッキー
- 6 サンタさん
- 7 愛
- 10 星
- 14 暖かい
- 17 白
- 19 ベル
- 20 喜び

## School Festival Word Puzzle

Find these words:

- CLUB
- HALLOWEEN
- FRIENDS
- ENJOY
- HAPPY
- FAMILY
- AUTUMN
- LOVE
- FUN
- JOIN
- CHORUS
- DRAMA
- SPEECH
- DANCE

H	A	P	P	Y	K	F	X	C
A	N	M	U	T	U	A	U	H
L	J	O	I	N	H	M	C	O
L	O	V	E	Y	C	I	D	R
O	D	A	N	C	E	L	E	U
W	R	I	J	N	E	Y	U	S
E	A	Z	O	J	P	R	W	B
E	M	A	Y	L	S	F	U	N
N	A	F	R	I	E	N	D	S

## Santa's Problem Christmas Comic

