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W.O.W Parent Forum on every Saturday term time from 12 - Ipm in KLS

W.O.W Enterprise and Work Club every third Friday from 10am—12 in Revolution

W.O.W Inter-Generational Coffee Morning Twice a month in local Lodges

WoW Karate Every Saturday term time in KLS 10am—12

NEXT MONTH:

Intergenerational Consultation

WoW Parent Forum in ASDA

WoW Enterprise Club

WoW Karate Championship

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Mrs. Primrose Galiffant from Haven Lodge (in the photo holding a pot of Primroses) enjoyed WoW trip to Thrive Garden in Battersea Park to see a special art exhibition in Art Hut. This exhibition, curated by Mel Barry of *Move* project, exhibited art created by our three generations, organised by Women of Wandsworth and is part of Wandsworth Arts Fringe Festival. Primrose told us that she particularly loves coming here to remember her husband, because she has spent her honey moon in Battersea Park with him.

We are particularly grateful to Thrive Garden management, who gave very fragrant pots of Jasmine to elderly and to WoW Mums, because they were so happy to see us there. A lovely day out for all!

WoW Mums enjoyed Battersea Circus Garden show in Shillington Park with our children and made a day out of it with a big picnic. We were amazed by international acts, dazzling acrobats, dance, physical theatre, evocative cabaret at this award winning contemporary circus, which is a part of Wandsworth Arts Fringe Festival. Lots of fun under the Big Top!

WoW picnic



WoW in Ebbor Gorge

WoW Mums went rock climbing in Ebbor Gorge, National Nature Reserve in Somerset.

This reserve is one of a number of woodlands that lie on the Mandip Hill and it has commandeering views over the Somerset Levels towards Glastonbury Tor.

This nature reserve has some amazing geological features, such as a number of small caves in which the remains of Ice Age mammals have been found, as well as evidence of later use in Stone and Bronze age.

We will definitely come back again next year.

Mayor Making Ceremony

WoW Mums were invited to Mayor Making Ceremony this month.

We would like to congratulate our new Mayor of Wandsworth, Worshipful Mayor Pierce McCausland and Deputy Mayor Cllr Jane Cooper.

We are particularly pleased with the Mayor's chosen charities for this year, which are those helping older people and people with disabilities.

Photo: Mayor with Senia Dedic



WoW Camping in Wookey Farm



This bank holiday WoW Mums went camping to a lovely Wookey Farm in Somerset. Apart from an experience of sleeping in tents, we had dinner under a canopy of stars, made fire to cook our pizzas, watched stars with telescope, paddled in river Axe and played with goats. Extraordinary half term for all children, Mums, Dads and grandmothers.

Photo: Three generations camping

Photo right: WoW Dads on the farm

WoW in Radio Debate



WoW Mum Clara Fernandes, in the photo, attended Wandsworth Radio's elections debate at Balham Exhibit to ask the party leaders a crucial question about Teacher's Assistants being paid £6000 per year less than in other boroughs.

Answer was unsatisfactory, as it was left to the schools to decide on that fee from their already reduced funds.

WoW Forum in BAC



Women of Wandsworth have been facilitating Parent Forums since 2007 to listen to parent's issues and ideas on how to help our children become good citizens and to support single mothers.

This month we had our outreach to Lavender Hill to bond with mothers in Battersea Art Centre. Next month we will be in ASDA cafe on 27th June at 10am.