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## 岡山学芸館清秀カップ 第一回 English Recitation Contest 開催のお知らせ

拝啓

時下ますますご清栄のこととお喜び申し上げます。平素は本校の教育活動に対し、ご理解とご協力を賜り、誠に有難うございます。清秀中学校は開校3年目を迎え、中学部3学年が揃い、生徒たちは活気あふれる学園生活を送っております。

さて、清秀中学校では、「国際理解を深める教育」を教育理念に掲げ、英語教育に力を入れております。ご地元の児童の皆さまに、英語の楽しさに触れていただこうと思い、「English Recitation Contest」を開催する運びとなりました。皆さまのご参加をお待ちしております。何卒、よろしくお願い致します。

敬具

記

- ◆ 主催：岡山学芸館清秀中学校・岡山学芸館高等学校
- ◆ 後援：ユナイテッド航空、山陽新聞社、山陽放送、岡山放送、テレビせとうち（予定）
- ◆ 日時：平成24年11月23日（金・祝）  
14時00分～17時00分
- ◆ 場所：岡山学芸館高等学校 国際ホール  
〒704-8502 岡山県岡山市東区西大寺上1丁目19-19  
※当日は駐車場を校内にご用意しております。
- ◆参加資格：小学5年生、小学6年生  
※半年以上の英語圏での海外生活体験のある方はハンディを設けます。
- ◆申込方法：別途申込書に必要事項をご記入の上、11月16日までに郵送、  
またはファックスにてお申し込み下さい。  
郵送の場合は、11月19日を必着とさせていただきます。

以上

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岡山学芸館 CUP 第1回 English Recitation Contest 参加申込用紙

記入日 2012年 月 日

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| 参 加 者                 |   |         | 性別・学年       |
| フリガナ                  |   |         | 男・女<br>( )年 |
| 名前                    | (姓)   | (名)     |             |
| ローマ字<br>(ブロック体)       | (Family)                                      | (First) |             |
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|                       | (携帯)  |         |             |
| 海外生活経験について            | 6ヶ月以上英語圏に滞在した経験が ( ある ・ ない )                  |         |             |
| 学 校 名                 |   |         |             |
| 塾 名<br>英語スクール名        | スクール名：<br><br>指導担当者名：<br><br>所在地：<br><br>TEL： |         |             |

※当日参加される児童の皆さんは、必ず引率の先生または保護者をご来校ください。

**This year's theme is;**

# **“We can be Heroes!”**

Please begin by introducing yourself and the location of your story.

(自己紹介と話が起きた場所を言ってからスピーチを始めて下さい。)

*Here is a sample but you can use an original variation if you like.*

(下記は自己紹介のサンプルですが、自分なりに変えてもかまいません。)

My name is 名前 and I am from 学校名 Elementary School and  
I am in the 学年 grade. The story I am going to tell you is a true story  
from 地名・国名 and it happened in 年 .

## **1. Stephanie Brodey & Samantha Quinn**

### **Victoria/ Canada, 2001**

Nine year old Stephanie Brodey and her friend Samantha Quinn were enjoying a calm afternoon outdoors. The girls were sitting on the grass near their apartment building and having a quiet picnic on an old blanket.

They looked up to see a four year old boy, Skylark Christou, who was hanging from a fourth floor window. He was about to fall! Without hesitating, Stephanie and Samantha pulled the blanket from under their picnic and ran to catch the child. Just as they got under him, he fell. He was turning over and over and he fell more than 15 meters! The two girls held their blanket open and wide. "We moved back and forth as he came down," Stephanie said, "I was really scared."

Skylar fell into the center of the blanket, bounced up, and then fell onto the ground. He was not seriously hurt, so he ran away without saying thank you to the girls. But the girls and the blanket had saved him.

Samantha's mother said that she was proud of the girls. Police congratulated two young Canadian girls for their quick thinking, the chief said, "They're wonderful!"

## **2. Julia Butterfly.**

### **California / USA, 2003**

Julia Butterfly spent two years living in a giant tree in California, about 60 meters above the ground. "I am trying to save this tree," she said.

Butterfly is a member of an environmental protection group. They are fighting a lumber company, which owns the forest. The company wants to cut down the 100 year old trees and sell the wood. Butterfly stays in the tree 24 hours a day. She can't even go to the toilet! If she leaves the tree the lumber company will be able to chop it down.

Only 3% of the world's redwood forests remain, and Butterfly says that she will stop the company from cutting down this tree. Butterfly puts up with terrible weather. Powerful storms often hit her tree house and it's very cold in winter. Friends bring her food that she pulls up with a rope. Her only convenience is a cell phone that she uses to talk to her family. Her family wants her to come back soon.

But Butterfly plans to stay in the tree as long as she can, but she says that she wishes she could enjoy a hot shower and use a regular toilet.

### **3. Aaron Hall.**

#### **Montana / USA, 1996**

One fine summer day Aaron Hall, who was 16-years-old, set out on a hike in the mountains of Montana with a group of young children.

Hall was walking in front of a boy named Dante Swallow when he heard Dante scream. A huge mountain lion had Dante by the neck and was dragging him away. There was no one else to help, so Aaron reacted instantly and began kicking and hitting the mountain lion. The mountain lion didn't give up, he was scratched and cut, but he fought as hard as he could. Eventually the mountain lion let go of Dante, and ran into the bushes.

Dante was very badly injured, he was bleeding badly from his neck, and Hall had to give him first aid. Then he jumped into a nearby car and drove him down the mountain and to a hospital. At the hospital Dante got stitches in his neck. It was a close call! The mountain lion's sharp teeth had just missed Dante's main artery. He would have died quickly if Aaron had not helped!

"I was really scared of that mountain lion," Aaron said afterwards, "I don't even remember fighting him." He is now a hero in his community.

#### **4. Captain Sigmund "Iceman" Peterson**

##### **Kuumiit / Greenland, 1998**

Captain Sigmund "Iceman" Peterson, is the captain of the trawler. He was watching his crew preparing some fish in shallow water. He is not a friendly man and he was scolding his crew, he shouted at them to work faster. His crew didn't like him but they worked hard because he was a scary boss. Then he suddenly saw a huge shark swimming towards his men.

He thought it was dangerous, so he called out to his crew, but they weren't listening to him because he is always angry. So he realized that he had to catch the shark to stop it from attacking them. He ran into the freezing shallow water and grabbed the 300kg shark by its tail. It was very heavy but he is a very big man so he dragged it to the beach. The shark was still fighting and it was dangerous, so he took out his big knife and killed it.

His crew said that he often does amazing things like this, he is not kind but he cares about his crew and his work so they don't mind working for him. They are very grateful to him even though he is not a kind man.