

Year 5 Enjoy Musica Viva 2012

MusicaViva – Sounds Baroque

On Monday the 28th May, Year 5 and Year 6 went down to the hall to watch Sounds Baroque. It was a great experience. They told a story about Hercules and his girlfriend Hermoine. The instruments they played were the Viola da gamba and the Harpsichord. The story was about how Hercules became brave. It started with Hercules and Hermoine at their wedding and Hercules' friend Lyco was going to wed them, but he was late. Then suddenly Lyco grabbed Hermoine and took her away into his dungeon during a storm. Hercules was just about to give up when Apollo, god of the sun, appeared. They taught him a song to make him brave. Then he went in search of Hermoine, fought his servant, got the key and in the end Hermoine and him got married."

-Lachlan Toole (5J)

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"What I saw on Monday was spectacular! It was entertainment both funny and adventurous. The story was about Hercules and his princess Hermione. What happens is Lyco the man who was supposed to marry them stole Hermoine away from Hercules. He then searches everywhere for Hermoine. Birds push him into a cave. He then finds Lyco's castle. He would go in but he's too scared but Apollo comes and dances with Hercules and then he gets bravery. He goes in and finds Hermoine who has been turned into a bird. He says he will love Hermoine no matter what and Hermoine gets turned back into a human. They go back to the wedding and Apollo marries them. The instruments they used were the violad da gamba, the Pardessus de viole and the harpsichord. They also sang opera. They had soprano and tenor voices."

-Macklan Cook (5J)