

Our great visit to Britain

24 girls of the 8th and 9th class of St. Agnes Gymnasium went on an exchange to Newcastle.

Mrs. Pfleiderer and Ms Kneher went with them.

Johanna and Inken (class 8) are going to tell you a bit about this experience.

We hope you will get some nice impressions of England.



Marisa Johanna Inken

Day 1. (Wednesday, 23rd September 2009)

At 9 o'clock we met the other girls at the counter of British Airways. We all were very excited, when we checked in and started the flight to London Heathrow. After we had a look on that big airport, we flew to Newcastle. There we said 'Good Bye' to our friends and went home with our exchange partners.

They showed us everything in and around our home for the next 7 days.

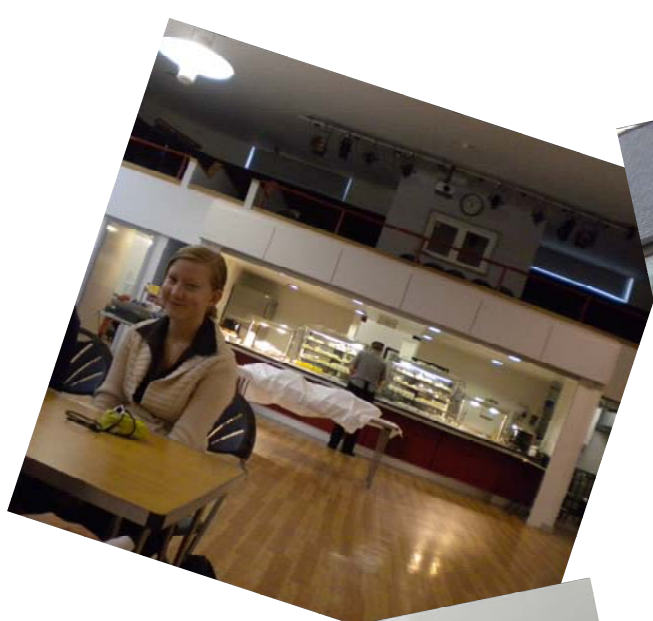
We had our first English tea and enjoyed the evening in our families.



Airport London Heathrow

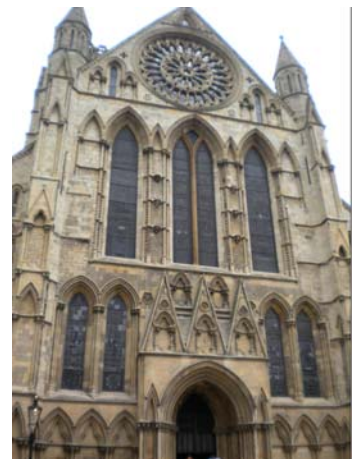
Day 2. (Thursday, 24 September 2009)

After a typical English breakfast we went to school by Metro. We met the others in the main hall at school. After a quiz we had an Art lesson. Then we all went to different lessons. We had lunch at school and went to town. In the Civic centre we met the mayor. There we got tea and cake and he showed us his house. After we had made a city rally we went back to the High School. Everybody did different things with their exchange partners in the evening.



Day 3. (Friday, 25 September 2009)

We visited the town of York without our exchange partners. But first we made a stop at the Angel of the North. It's a big high statue which has a form like an Angel. In York we had a guided tour and some time to go shopping by ourselves. In the evening we went home with our exchange partners.



Day 4. and 5. (Saturday and Sunday, 26 and 27 September 2009)

We all did different things like going shopping, going to the beach or making trips more far away.



The Lake- district

Day 6. (Monday, 28 September 2009)

On that day we went to Beamish, an open air museum, with our exchange students. It was very interesting to see how people lived a100 years ago.



Laura, Marisa, Johanna, Inken



Day 7. (Tuesday, 29 September 2009)

We went to the Junior School. There we had a guided tour and saw different lessons. After break we played with the students in their school garden. We went back to the Central High School and had 3 different lessons.



Day 8. (Wednesday, 30 September 2009)

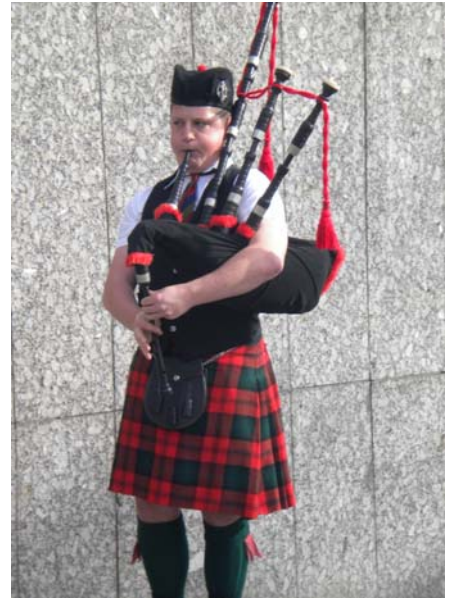
We listened to an assembly and made a party to say goodbye with a lot of quizzes and games. Then we had to say goodbye and went to Edinburgh by train. After we had arrived at our Youth Hostel we made a walk through the darkness.



Day 9. (Thursday, 1 October 2009)

We made sightseeing in Edinburgh, had lunch at 'Pizza Hut' and went shopping by our own. In the evening we went to the musical "Beauty and the Beast".





Day 10. (Friday, 2 October 2009)

After the delicious breakfast, we had time to pack our luggage. We spent the morning in a great museum, the 'Camera Obscura'. The time was running out, so we had to go to the airport.

**This was a time, we will never forget!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Thank you Mrs. Pfleiderer and Ms. Kneher for
everything!!!!!! :)**



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