The Living Room Times

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High Meadow trip a success

High Meadow, Granby—Today's Martin Kellogg and John Wallace field trip to High Meadow in Granby was a fun, exciting treat for nearly everyone.

One of the people the trip was not a success for was Billy Gray, who was injured in the morning and couldn't go on the field trip. Instead, he went to a hospital.

Billy's injury was caused by unfortunate circumstances, starting with a fire drill and ending with a major cut and injury in his right arm.

When the fire alarm went off, Billy was in Room 202, Mr. Hawkins's room. He was one of the students who was asked to close the windows. When he tried to close a window that is generally stuck, he pushed too hard and his hand went through. He was taken down to the nurse's office, leaving the now bloodied room behind him. His parents were called and took him to the hospital.

The injury was a cruel coincidence for Billy, who broke his

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Wednesday on Letterman

Top Ten Bob Barker Pick Up Lines

- 10. "Come back to my place so I can give you a lovely parting gift"
- 9. "Baby, you're the next contestant in the game of love!"
- 8. "The next item up for bid is in my pants!"
- 7. "How'd you like a year's supply of Turtle Wax?"
- 6. "I've made thousands of women scream and jump up and down"
- 5. "Please have dinner with me. I'm a very lonely man"
- 4. "Maybe it'll be easier for you to guess the price of that waterbed if we test it out first"
- 3. "Don't worry I've been neutered"
- 2. "Have another sip of that 99-cent malt liquor, take off those \$30 shoes, and let's get it on!"
- 1. "Come on down!"

Letterman Tuesday, June 7, 1994

High Meadow field trip a successful and fun day

Billy will not be in class Friday or Monday. He may be able to return Tuesday.

Word spread fast about Billy's misfortune throughout the seventh grade. Within minutes, mentions of "Did you hear about Billy" or "It's too bad about Billy" were not at all uncommon.

Although the injury was the hot topic of conversation during the fire drill and right before the trip, once everyone got on the buses and on the road, the issue was quickly brushed aside, and everyone started thinking about more pleasant things... like basketball tournaments, volleyball games, tennis matches, swimming, and FOOD!!!!!

And there were plenty of those things at High Meadow. There was a sign welcoming everyone from Wallace and Kellogg to High Meadow, and many activities welcoming them as well.

Brendan, "The Living Room Times"'s official reporter on this story, did not bring along his tape recorder, so we don't have quotes or an exact schedule. We can tell you that the contests were great, the tournaments were exciting, and the food was plentiful and delicious.

Some of the organized activities were a Three-on-Three Basketball Tournament, a Volleyball Tournament, a Soccer Tournament, a Five-on-Five Basketball Tournament, a Softball Tournament, a Pie-Eating Contest, a Watermelon-Eating Contest, a Lip Syncing Contest, a Dance Contest, a Sack Race, a Tube Race in the swimming pool, and a Water Balloon Extravaganza.

Some of the less organized activities were a volleyball game which ended in a boys vs. girls game of trying to keep the volleyball away from the other team. Also going on were various dances, including the Achy-Breaky and the Electric Slide, swimming, and eating.

All in all, it was a very fun day for almost everyone, including teachers, who got a break from yelling at kids and telling them to be quiet!