

## UNIVERSAL STUDIOS FIELD TRIP

Excited squeals, wide smiles, and cotton candy covered hands were not in short supply on our field trip to Universal Studios this past Thursday! Our campers conquered intimidating rollercoasters, such as "Revenge of the Mummy", and experienced immersive rides, such as "Harry Potter and the Forbidden Journey".

Green group campers, consisting of incoming second and third graders, were especially brave, unanimously deciding on the fastest ride as their first ride by chanting, "Mummy! Mummy! Mummy!". Fans of the Harry Potter books and movies were able to try butterbeer as a slush or a soda, the perfect way to cool down on a warm day like Thursday. Despite the heat, the campers' energy did not deplete; skipping, jumping, and running around the park as if it was the beginning of the day. A few campers even opted to take the daunting stairs, in lieu of the escalators, from the Lower Lot to the Upper Lot. Clearly, the entertainment that Universal Studios provides serves as one of the most enticing forms of exercise.

The campers had so much fun boarding a variety of rides, enjoying different attractions, and spending time with their friends and counselors! Universal Studios is only the beginning to the many fun, engaging field trips West Valley Summer Camp has to offer.

