



INFLATA-NATION PART 1 - ARTICLE



**MEADOWCROFT
SCHOOL**

**THE GALLERY &
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*Ah yes, **Inflata Nation**. Meadowcroft's prior battles at this venue have been nothing short of glorious.*

The plentiful supply of purple ammunition (god bless ball pits) and rubber cover have always provided an unbeatable staging ground for unadulterated war (the safe kind of course). So on Thursday the 14th of February, the Gallery revisited their favourite Nation. This time however, we had the pleasure of allowing our youngest pupils to experience such a colourful theatre. That's right, primary got in on the action! Mrs O'Donnell noted how in spite of the lengthy journey, primary pupils were impeccably patient and well-behaved, setting the tone for the day to come.

Although Gallery pupils quickly engaged in plastic based fire-fights (again, god bless ball pits), primary pupils were drawn to the Nation's slide. Mitchell instantly saw fit to claim the slide as his own for a time, squealing down it again and again (10 times in a row that boy slid down it, no word of a lie). Scott, initially scared of its towering height, conquered his fears and had the widest grin for having done it!

*Keiron, our school's aspiring pantomath, obliterated the place's inflatable assault course in a speed that could only be described as '**Usain**' (hah, see what I did there?). Warren and Josh allied with one another to best teachers in battle, each mercilessly acquainting staff with the depths of the ball pit (again, and again, and again); Charlene too did as such, but made clear that alliances would simply slow her down...*

Unsurprisingly, many staff reported seeing their lives flash before them, followed by a white light of sorts (the legitimacy of these experiences is yet to be confirmed).