

# CALSHOT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## NEWSLETTER

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### At Calshot Primary School we are always AIMING HIGH!

Welcome back! I hope everyone had a relaxing and pleasant half-term holiday, so we are all energised and ready for the final busy weeks of the Summer Term. I also want to congratulate Miss Smith or as she is now known Mrs Aldridge on her beautiful wedding. On behalf of Calshot School I want to wish her and Dean a wonderful life together full of love and happy memories.

#### Asda Collection

Asda have been fantastic in supporting our school over the years and have asked us if we can help them support several charities including 'Help the Homeless, Cradle Charity and Hospital Prem Unit', all of which are very worthy causes. They have asked if we can collect knitting wool, balls of wool or ends of wool that are surplus to requirements. If you have any wool the children can bring in I will collect it and store it in my office for Asda to collect. Thank you for your support.

#### Numbots Day

The children had a fantastic 'Numbots Day' where they dressed up as robots and had a go at using the online Maths Program called Numbots. The costumes the children wore were amazing, so many different designs, colours and sizes. Thank you to Miss C Harris for organising the day and setting all the KS1 and Reception children up on to the new online Maths Program. Children will be able to access Numbots in school and at home using their individual passcode which will be given out by class teachers.

'I decorated some numbers to stick on my clothes. I love Maths and we did lots of sums today.' - Tanveer (2H)

'I liked playing on Numbots on the laptop, it was exciting! We also had a challenge to make the tallest robot, mine was 21cm tall.' Vimaljot (1J)

'We dressed up as robots and went online to play Numbots. As we played we earned lots of coins, we enjoyed earning coins.' - Salima (2T)

'We had so much fun with all our Numbots activities. I made my costume with my dad and my sister, it has springs on it!' - Maheen (1B)

'My Grandma made me my fantastic robot costume. I love it!' - Joshua (2H)

'I liked dressing up as Bumblebee! I had fun on Numbots and I also liked designing my own robot.' - Annie (1J)

'All the children dressed up as robots. We used laptops and played Numbots and it was great! I got lots of points.' - Koby (2T)

'It was brilliant playing Numbots on the computer.' - Henry (1B)

### Roman Day in Year 3

On Friday before we broke up Year 3 took part in 'Roman Day' as part of their topic. They dressed up and celebrated by doing lots of activities in class to celebrate life as a Roman citizen. Thank you to Miss Bemand and Miss Corbett for arranging this special day for our children.

'It was fun, I enjoyed the Roman song and the art.' - Jaylen (3C)

'We coloured in Roman vases in wax crayon which were then painted black. We then drew some Roman mythical creatures to scratch out with a toothpick. We also went in the hall and sang a Roman song using sign language.' - Aaliyah (3B)

'We wore togas and did some amazing, spectacular drama. We also sang and signed to a fun Roman song.' - Ayaana (3C)

'Firstly we coloured our vases with crayon ready to scratch. Then we did some fantastic drama and some fun acting. Finally, we sang a Roman song in sign language.' - Zaaim (3B)

### Cadbury World

On the final day of half term Year 4 went to Cadbury World to discover how chocolate is made and where it comes from. They came back with huge smiles on their faces and huge chocolate bars in their bags. Thank you to Mrs Taylor for organising this fun and exciting trip.

'When we first got there and stepped off the bus all we could smell was chocolate. It was delicious! We got to try some chocolate of our own, mine had marshmallows in it, yummy!' - Shania (4A)

'Last week we went to Cadbury World and learnt all about how chocolate is made. We got to write our names in chocolate and go on a fun ride.' - Tyler (4B)

'We learnt about cocoa beans, how old chocolate is and how chocolate is made. We went into a room where the chairs vibrated and made chocolatey sounds. We made our names out of chocolate and went to a 4D movie, it was great!' - Robin (4A)

'First we went into a classroom to learn about how chocolate is made and the many different types of chocolate there are. We even watched chocolate being made and as it was melting we ate some. We went on a ride that showed chocolate through the ages and then we went to a scary 4D Cinema. Finally we had our packed lunch and went home. It was really fun and I would recommend it to everyone.' - Emma (4B)

## Snowdome

On Tuesday this week Reception went on a trip to Snowdome. The children told me how exciting and how strange it was to experience snow on such a hot day. Thank you to the all the Early Years team that went and made sure the day was so memorable for our children.

'I went down the hill on a ring, I crashed into Mrs Thompson!' - Ocean (RS)

'I liked throwing snowballs at everyone!' - Clay (RW)

'I had a snowball fight with Sophia and Mrs Thompson.' - Avi (RS)

'I threw a snowball at Mrs Peers! It was fun!' - Isla (RW)

'I threw snow at Mrs Aldridge, she threw some back too!' - Kingsley (RS)

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