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NEWSLETTER

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

Year 6 Trip

Year 6 went on a trip to Cannock Chase Museum to research about World War II. The children found the visit educational and learnt a lot about life during 'The Blitz'. Thank you to the teachers that organised the trip, as the children really enjoyed themselves.

'We went to Cannock Chase War Museum and saw a house from the 1940s. The tour guide showed us a room where we tried on some gas masks and experienced an air raid, it was really scary.' - Safwan (6C)

'We went on a school trip to Cannock Museum. The museum was based on WW2 and was really interesting. I enjoyed it very much!' - Annabelle (6H)

'When we arrived, we found out about children who were evacuated. Some children had good experiences but many had bad. Then we experienced what it was like in an air raid.' - Aaliyah (6C)

'Cannock Chase was wonderful, as there is so much to do. We learnt about life as an evacuee and then an air raid siren went off and had to hide in our shelters. After dinner we dressed up and acted out war time roles, I really enjoyed it.' - Jenson (6H)

Art Week

The children enjoyed Art Week in school, this was an opportunity for the children to develop their creative skills, as they have learnt about different artists. The children have explored different painting styles and enjoyed having a go themselves. I have been impressed with our budding Van Gogh's. Much of the artwork is being used in the corridor displays, when you next come in to school have a look.

School Fayre

The school Summer Fayre is fast approaching and I wanted to let you know that the School PTA are organising and arranging the big summer event. School Fayre will take place on **Saturday 6th July between 12-3pm** and promises to be a great family day out. If you want to book a car boot or set up a stall please ring the main school office and speak to Mrs Webb.

On Friday 5th July, the children can wear non-school uniform and in return bring in either an unopened bottle or a chocolate bar to contribute to the school fayre prize fund. We request that Early Years and KS1 children bring in a chocolate bar and KS2 children bring in a bottle for the bottle stall.

Voting Day

As you may be aware the Government announced a general election for Thursday 4th July, we have been told by Birmingham electoral committee that Calshot School will be a polling station. This means that school will be closed on the 4th July. We are moving the Open Parents' Evening to Tuesday 2nd July 3.30-5.00pm. Sorry for the short notice.

Sun Hats and Sun Cream

A reminder that children can bring sun hats to wear outside and will need a water bottle in school. We ask parents to apply sun cream before school so the children are protected throughout the day whilst outside.

School Fund

We will continue selling ice-lollies during afternoon playtimes. Lollies cost 50 pence each and can be bought in the main reception foyer. All proceeds will go into School Fund.

This week £140.50 was collected in School Fund. This means we can buy those 'extra' things for the children.

Mr. M. Wingrove

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