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NEWSLETTER

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At Calshot Primary School we are always AIMING HIGH!

Bumped Head Notification

We are having a lot of bumped heads at playtime or dinner time. In future, there are two levels of notification depending on the severity of the bump. Whenever a child has a bump to the head, they will be seen by a qualified first aider and given a yellow wristband so that they can be easily identified and monitored. A first aider will only phone parents if the bump to the head requires a parent to come to the school. For minor head bumps a message will be sent to you via ParentMail. If you are concerned, you can phone the school for further information once you have received the notification online. Your child will also come home with a bump note at the end of the school day.

Whitemoor Lakes

This week the Year 5 pupils have been attending their residential trip to Whitemoor Lakes. I know how excited they have been and how much fun they have had whilst there. They have been taking part in a multitude of outdoor activities, which have been wonderful and the weather has been beautiful for them. The children have had a great time and been a credit to the school. I want to thank the teachers Miss Webb, Mrs Jones, Mrs Crowe, Mr Mitchell and Mrs Waring who stayed with them and made sure everything went smoothly.

Reception Ash End Farm Trip

On Monday, the children in Reception went on a local trip to Ash End Farm. They experienced seeing all the animals and having a picnic. I want to thank Mrs Buck and Mrs Sunn for arranging this very enjoyable trip. When the children came back into school they had smiles from ear to ear and were so excited to tell me what they had done.

'I liked going on the coach and then seeing and feeding the sheep.' – Charlie (RS)

'I liked stroking the baby chicks.' – Sohelia (RW)

'I loved the guinea pigs and feeding the baby goat.' – Cicely (RS)

'I liked the pigs.' – Ismail (RW)

Easter Preparations – Advance Notice

To celebrate Easter there will be a couple of special events taking place in school.

Children in KS2 (Years 3 to 6) are invited to exercise their creative skills and decorate a hard-boiled egg. Children are asked to bring their decorated eggs into school from **Tuesday 8th April**. All entries will be displayed in the main reception area and there will be a 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize for each year group, which will be decided **after school on Thursday 10th April** and announced in assembly on Friday morning (the day we break up for Easter).

Key Stage 1 and Reception will hold their annual Easter Assembly on **Thursday 10th April** at 2.45pm in the hall. The children will sing their Easter songs and parents are invited.

London Marathon 2025

I wanted to thank parents that have donated to my JustGiving page, it really means the world to me to have your support and kind words.

I am running the London Marathon on behalf of MacMillan Cancer Support, a charity very close to our hearts. Three years ago, my wife was diagnosed with cancer and I have watched her fight this awful disease, having chemotherapy and then radiotherapy, on top of the numerous surgeries. I have seen first-hand the support that MacMillan offers families going through terribly difficult times and that's why I chose MacMillan as the charity the school would be donating to this year.

As the Marathon is next month, I wanted to keep letting parents know, if they can, where they can sponsor me, all donations are gratefully received- thank you! You can follow the link via the QR code below or by going to https://www.justgiving.com/page/mike-wingrove-1721328048930?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=WA

Red Nose Day

We raised £109.33 for Red Nose Day, thank you!

School Fund

This week £36.30 was collected in School Fund this week! May I take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have paid.

Mr. M. Wingrove
(Head Teacher)