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NEWSLETTER

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Assembly Committee

'On Tuesday the Assembly Committee did a special assembly about 'journeys'. Sadly, Gurkirath was away, so Elizabeth had to step in to do his part. We interviewed three Year 6 pupils and they told us all about going to secondary school because the assembly focused on the 'journey after Calshot'. We also made some posters that said, 'When one door closes, another door opens.' Finally, Regan closed the assembly with a lovely prayer.'

- Neah and Elizabeth

Year 5 Woodlands

'On Wednesday 17th May, the whole of Year 5 went to Woodlands. After we had lunch we sat in the hall and got our stuff ready to go. After that, some of us helped to load the suitcases onto the bus and when we got to Woodlands we had a safety talk. We got put into our groups and I was in the third group. My group did archery and canoeing. It was great fun in canoeing because we got to jump in!!! My favourite evening activity was the night trail, it was exciting!' - Raiha (5B)

'On arrival we went to the dorms to unload our suitcases. That afternoon we did canoeing, it was 5 people per canoe, but it was difficult to steer and we kept knocking into the river bank, this was great fun. The next activity was archery, it was challenging to hit the centre, although I nearly managed to hit the bullseye! In the woods, we followed the guide and I had a torch that guided me along the way. I felt a little scared, although I had company. On the second day I did the high ropes, this was my favourite, it was really high from the ground and it involved climbing, balancing, agility and focus.

At night we had a campfire, popcorn and hot chocolate.' - Rajhaan (5P)

I went over to Woodlands on the Wednesday and Thursday evenings and it was extremely clear that the children were having a fantastic time! Many thanks to all the parents who allowed and financed their children to go on this amazing experience!

Fundraising Children

Last week Katie-May, Le'naye, Annie and Annaye organised a 'Guess the name of the Teddy' competition to raise money for Calshot Brownies. In total they raised £10 and organised the activity entirely by themselves. Well done girls, I am really proud of you!

Year 4 - Assembly

'On Thursday we did a fantastic play all about the Egyptians!!! In addition, I was a pharaoh. When the play started I was frozen like an ice cube!! A few minutes later it was my part, but somehow I managed to do it. Plus, at the end I celebrated like a madman!' - Haiden (4M)

'In the assembly I played the YAC leader and had to look after six children played by: Neah, Hansen, Kirath, Maysam, Khari and Macauly. We were on stage the whole time, so by the end I just wanted to sit down. The play was about six children who go back to Ancient Egypt guided by the Young Archaeologist Club Leader. It was great fun and my whole family came to see it, that was the best bit.' - Millie-May (4H)

A MASSIVE thank you to all the family members who came along to support our children, it means the world to them!

Year 1 - Wonderland

'Wonderland was great and I liked the caterpillar ride the best. I liked it because it went backwards and forwards. I liked the dinosaurs too, but the caterpillar ride was the best. I loved the trip.' - Evie-Mae (1H)

School Fund

This week £7.00 was collected in School Fund. May I take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have paid, some of whom have paid for the whole half term, as this means we can buy those 'extra' things for the children.

Family Fun Day

'The event is being held on Bank Holiday Monday (29th May) from 12 noon until 8:00pm and is free entry. It is being held at the Cap Centre (Windmill Lane, Smethwick B66 3LX) and there will be a range of activities, including face painting, DiscoDome, glitter tattoos, refreshments and much more. The day is a fundraising event for the Neuroblastoma Society.' - Miss Richards

Gemma's Giraffes

'Gemma's childminding service is based in Beeches Road and I have spaces available before and after school for both an immediate start and for school holidays. Prices include all snacks and meals. Please call me on 07816 88047 for further details. I am an Ofsted Registered Childminder and have my own children in Years 1 and 4.' - Gemma

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REMINDER: school is closed on Monday 5th June (Teacher Training) and Thursday 8th June (Voting Day)

