



# Chisenhale Chatter

Chisenhale Primary School Bow



21/10/22

Hello,

On Monday this week have had the Young V&A do an assembly with visitors from the future! They tried to convince the children that I have a robot, but I was very glad that the children disagreed! Father Brian also came and spoke to us about harvest, in another fascinating assembly. Thank you for all your generous donations - these will be sent to Bow foodbank.

Some children this week took part in the borough cross-country competition at Victoria Park. All the children showed great skill and perseverance - well done! A special congratulations to Lois who won the Y6 girls race!

Thank you to everyone who voted in the parent governor elections. We will inform you of the outcome after the half term break.

You should have received an email yesterday with sign up links to our new clubs starting after half term - if you'd like a place please complete the form asap as some clubs are already almost full!

Unfortunately, I have been informed that over the half term break the school streets traffic rules and play spaces outside the school will be removed. This decision was taken by the mayor's office and I have been in dialogue with the local authority to ensure that the area around the school gates remains safe at the beginning and end of the school day. We currently have no plans to make any changes to our arrangements for drop offs and pick ups, but if that changes once I know exactly what the new measures outside the school will be, I will inform you as soon as possible.

Please see the attached document on Black History Month, giving you a flavour of what the children have been doing. We wish you a happy half-term and look forward to seeing everyone on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October - Halloween!

**Gemma Anidi, Headteacher**

These children will receive a praise postcard this week:

**Sprouts** - Finley and Poppy

**Broccoli** - Tate and Holly

**Curly Kale** - Alma and Aliur

**Beetroot** - Nusaibah and Arham

**Basil** - Eden and Finlay

**Thyme** - Angel and Charlotte

**Mint** - Onika and Luchia

**Lavender** - Sven and Minhaj

**Cherry** - Zaheerah and Harry

**Rowan** - Evie and Ahyan

**Willow** - Leon and Grace

**Oak** - Lois and Sinoi

## Half term events

**[Rich Mix Bookswap Aautmn 2022](#)** (*click for more information and to book online*) **Sun 23 October**

**10am - 1pm (anytime throughout the 3 hours)**

**[Big Draw 2022 – Colour Vision](#)** (*click for more information and to book online*) **Sun 30 October**

**11am - 3pm**

Creative workshops throughout the week:

<https://exhibitions.weebly.com/create-a-borough-2022.html>

Tate Modern

<https://www.tate.org.uk/visit/tate-modern/visit-tate-modern-family>

and <https://www.tate.org.uk/whats-on/tate-modern/uniqlo-tate-play/holiday-make-studio-painterly-relaxed-hours>

**School is closed for half term next week and reopens on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October - children can wear Halloween costumes**  
**Parents' evenings for Reception to Year 6 will be on the 15<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November – if you have booked a slot confirmation of your time will be sent after half-term**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November, 9am in the library, parent workshop with Roxy from the School Counselling Partnership**

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November, school photographer in for individual and siblings portrait style photos**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November, Children in Need day: wear spots, yellow or red and donate some coins if you can**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 9am in the library, Word Aware workshop for parents from EYFS upwards**

**PTA events – all subject to there being sufficient volunteers to plan and run events. If you would like to get involved please email [ptachisenhale@gmail.com](mailto:ptachisenhale@gmail.com) Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November, 9am in the library, PTA meeting and 5-6pm snack sale and fireworks, Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December from 3.20pm, Winter Fair.**

**Class assemblies – all on Fridays at 9am: 9<sup>th</sup> December, Willow; 16<sup>th</sup> December, Oak; 27<sup>th</sup> January, Cherry; 3<sup>rd</sup> February Rowan; 10<sup>th</sup> February, Mint; 17<sup>th</sup> March, Thyme; 24<sup>th</sup> March, Lavender; 31<sup>st</sup> March, Basil; 26<sup>th</sup> May, Sprouts; 9<sup>th</sup> June Broccoli; 16<sup>th</sup> June, Beetroot; 23<sup>rd</sup> June, Curly Kale.**