



# Chisenhale Chatter

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Children's rights are learned, understood and lived in this school.



**Chisenhale Primary School**

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27.9.2024

It's been a very busy week in school. We arrived on Monday morning to flooding, due to the heavy rain at the weekend. We had to close one of the staircases and some of our intervention rooms and get in cleaners to deep clean the carpets and furniture. Thankfully, most of the rooms are up and running again.

Y5 have been swimming in the Olympic pool every afternoon this week and will continue with their lessons next week. By all accounts they are really enjoying their lessons and we are having reports of some excellent progress.

This morning we had another great turn out for the Y3 & Y4 meet the teacher event. Next week the Reception meet the teachers event will take place in the library and the Y6 event will take place in the hall on the first floor. The Nursery meet the teacher event is scheduled for the following week.

This afternoon we had a visit from the artist, Jack Young, who led the summer school project that our pupils were involved with last year. He was launching the recently published book about the project. All pupils will be given a free copy of this book.

The weather is now definitely more autumnal so could you please make sure that your child brings a coat to school every day. We still try to go outside to play if it is raining, unless the rain is very heavy, and then we have indoor play.

**Mairead McCarthy. Actina Headteacher**

These children will receive a praise postcard this week:

**Kingfisher:** Astrud & Kayden

**Kestrel:** Bonnie & Musa

**Blackbird:** Robyn & Alex

**Buzzard:** Bronte & Ishaq

**Magpie:** James & Gabriel

**Merlin:** Tate & Jack

**Goldcrest:** Otto & Finn

**Goshawk:** Ayra & Lorenzo

**Sparrow:** Thomas & Manha

**Swift:** Aiyaz & Fatimah

**Chiffchaff:** Kyseon & Yaqub

**Crossbill:** Zayn & Ariana



We are collecting items for our Harvest assembly on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October, which will be donated to Bow Food Bank. Please bring in any tinned or dried non-perishable items that you can spare, such as rice, pasta, lentils, tea, coffee, tinned fruit and vegetables and toiletries. These items can be left at the office or brought into class.

Dates for your diary – see also the Key Dates sheet sent out previously

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October – PTA Annual General meeting – 9am in the library.** All welcome -please come along if you can, to find out more about the PTA and vote in new officers.

**Meet the teacher events in the library at 9am:**

4<sup>th</sup> October – Reception; 4<sup>th</sup> October – Year 6 (first floor hall); 11<sup>th</sup> October – Nursery

**Class assemblies all on Fridays at 9am in the top hall – parents welcome**

22<sup>nd</sup> November, Crossbill; 29<sup>th</sup> November, Chiffchaff; 31<sup>st</sup> January, Merlin; 7<sup>th</sup> February, Goldcrest; 28<sup>th</sup> February, Sparrow; 7<sup>th</sup> March, Swift; 14<sup>th</sup> March, Goshawk; 21<sup>st</sup> March, Magpie; 16<sup>th</sup> May, Kingfisher; 13<sup>th</sup> June, Buzzard; 4<sup>th</sup> July, Kestrel; 11<sup>th</sup> July, Blackbird.

**ESOL class - do you want to improve your spoken and written English?**

FREE English language (ESOL) class for parents. Every Monday (beginners) and Thursday (Improvers), 9-11.30am in the school house. To register for the class speak to Ruth or email [rcrossan.211@qfmail.org](mailto:rcrossan.211@qfmail.org) for more details.