



# North Beckton News



Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to all our parents who joined us for Parents' Evening this week; it was fantastic to see such a high turnout. If you didn't manage to make it, for whatever reason, please could you chat with your child's class teachers about making time to come in and see your children's books after the half-term. I do believe it is very important for the children to see us all working in partnership together.

On the Friday after the holidays, you are all invited to come and join us for our 'Time 4 Us' open afternoon from 2-3.30pm. There will be a chance to see your child's learning in class and then join us for a cup of tea and to learn more about this curriculum.

Have a lovely half term and I am looking forward to us catching up after the holiday.

Regards, Alison Helm: Head Teacher

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### Autumn Term Events:

**21st—25th October: Half Term Holiday**

**Monday 28th October: ALL CHILDREN BACK IN SCHOOL**

**Thursday 31st October: Mrs Akwa's Class— Trip to Museum of Transport.**

**Friday 1st November: Time 4 Us Parents' Afternoon; come and join us and find out about our PSHE curriculum**

**Wednesday 6th November: Year 2 Science Trip**

**Friday 15th November: Year 5 Junior Citizens Trip at Tate and Lyle**

**W.c 18th November: Work Week**

**Monday 25th November: Year 3 visit to the Globe Theatre**

**Friday 20th December School closes for Christmas holidays at 1.30pm**

**Tuesday 7th January: All children due back in school**

## Time 4 US Afternoon

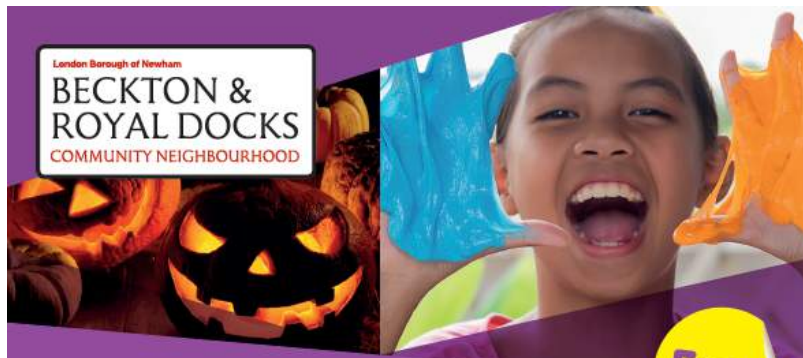
**COME AND JOIN US . . .**

**Friday 1st November 2-3.30pm**

**All parents are welcome to come and join their children in class and learn about our PSHE/Time 4 Us Curriculum**

## Volunteers Needed . . .

We are always on the look-out for volunteers to help with some of our work in school. If you have a few hours free, or perhaps you are currently undertaking a college course and need to do a placement in a school, please come and see Mr Mansuria in the school office. There is a form to fill out to let us know which days/times you are available and then Mrs Girzarde will call you back to talk over the process in a bit more detail. Thank you in advance for your support towards the work we are trying to achieve in our school.



# Beckton Globe Library Half-Term Activities

Monday 21 October – Saturday 26 October  
 Beckton Globe Library, 1 Kingsford Way E6

**Monday 21 October**

**Halloween themed Scavenger Hunt**  
 Age 5+. Starts 2pm promptly.  
**Vampire themed craft session**  
 Age 3+. Starts at 4.00pm promptly and lasts for 1 hour.

**Tuesday 22 October**

**Sing a long storytelling**  
 10.30am start and lasts for 1 hour. Run by volunteers for all the family.  
**Table tennis**  
 Get fit and have fun. For ages 5+. Starts at 2pm. Finishes at 3.00pm

**Wednesday 23 October**

**C-lingo nursery rhymes session**  
 In English, Mandarin and Cantonese for all ages and families. Starts 11.30am. Run by local volunteers.  
**Obstacle Course**  
 Get fit and have fun with your family and friends. For ages 5+. Starts at 4.00pm promptly and lasts for 40mins.

**Thursday 24 October**  
**Special Family Movie with a cartoon vampire theme**

Starts promptly at 3.00pm in the children's area. For all the family.

**Friday 25 October**

**Slime Making activity**  
 Age 4+. Starts at 2.00pm promptly and lasts for 40minutes.  
**Lego Club**  
 Age 3+. Starts at 4pm and lasts for 1 hour.

**Saturday 26 October**  
**Saturday Family Fun**

An interactive under 4 session with a Halloween theme starts 10.30am promptly and lasts for 2 hours.

**Trick or Treat!**

Halloween party for age 3 to 12 years old. Starts promptly at 3.30pm. Come in dressed up in your best Halloween costume for a fun family event.

Free

For more information please contact  
 Call Beckton Library on 020 373 6853



**Keeping up with the kids! Get prepared the teenage years are coming.**

*"Parenting! The only job you do that you don't get trained for"*

Led by parents for parents with children aged 9-12 this workshop will give you some tools for maintaining good relationships with your children as they head for the teenage years.

Together we will:

- Explore what its like to be a young person in Newham
- Develop our listening skills
- Understand boundaries



Children welcome craft and fun activities planned.

### when & where

**When:** Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October  
 09:45 – 12:30

**Where:** Beckton Community Centre  
 14 East Ham Manor Way  
 E6

### get in touch

For more information, and to book a please contact:  
 Suzannah Walker –  
[suzannah.walker@newham.gov.uk](mailto:suzannah.walker@newham.gov.uk)  
 or in person at Beckton Globe Library or North Woolwich Library.

As part of Newham's Citizen's assemblies programme Beckton and Royal Docks residents voted for a project to support parents and families as children grow from tweens to teens.



## Crocus Planting at Beckton District Park South (Saturday 26 October)

### Key Information for Volunteers

**What:** Help plant 10,000 crocuses for World Polio Day (plus 900 snowdrops)

**Date / Time:** Saturday 26 October 2019 (8.55 am for 9.00 am start)

**Where:** Meet at the [Will Thorne Pavillion](#)  
 Beckton District Park South, Stansfeld Road E6 5SP

**Note:** Dress for the weather and wear stout footwear

Bring garden gloves

Bring a trowel, garden fork and/or ladies spade if you have one (or garden tools can be provided on the day)

## Passing the Flame

Free Olympic and Paralympic Holiday School in the London Stadium

**Monday 21 till Friday 25 October 2019 10am – 3pm**

Activities include:

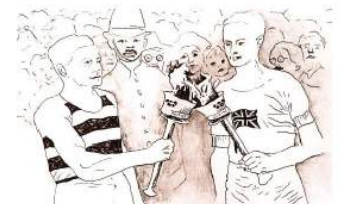
Visit to British Olympic Archives at UEL

Digitising GB athlete's objects and stories

Making TV reports in different Park stadia

Investigations into family sporting events

(For ages 9 – 16 please bring a packed lunch)



For more info and to book contact: [pia.tanneraho@newham.gov.uk](mailto:pia.tanneraho@newham.gov.uk) Tel. 020 8522 6128

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 London Marathon Community Track,  
 London Stadium, Queen Elizabeth  
 Olympic Park, London E202ST



We are looking for donations of reasonable quality unwanted toys, puzzles, games, lego, sewing/wool accessories and books (no soft toys) for the Breakfast and 6 O'clock Clubs. If you have any of these in good condition and would like to donate them, could you please bring them to the school office in the morning or afternoon. THANK YOU