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Dear Parents and Carers

KS2 Author Visit – The Last Wild Trilogy
Friday 2 December 2016

We are delighted that Piers Torday, author of 'The Last Wild Trilogy' will be visiting the school to speak to the KS2 pupils.

He will be using an inventive and interactive presentation to tell the children three stories all connected with reading and writing. There will be laughs, quizzes, prizes, and a chance for questions at the end.

1. First, the story of how he started writing and how the children can too.
2. Next, the real life story and the state of the environment which inspired The Last Wild Trilogy, and a reading.
3. Finally, the story of a real life animal. He will talk about meeting some real wolves with take-home facts on these beautiful animals and the challenges they face in the world today.

We are asking parents to make a voluntary contribution of £2 towards the talk. Parents are not obliged to make a contribution but it is probable that, if insufficient monies are received, the visit would have to be cancelled. We would like all KS2 children to take part.

If a family is in receipt of specific benefits, the school is obliged by law to waive the charges. These include: Income Support; Income based Jobseeker's Allowance; Child Tax Credit (providing that you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income, assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs, that does not exceed £16,190 for the year 2010/11). If you wish to speak to Mrs Harrison in confidence about the entitlement to waive charges, please do not hesitate to contact the School Office to arrange an appointment.

The payment can be completed online using the school gateway: https://login.schoolgateway.com/0/auth/login.aspx. Alternatively, you can send your payment (cash or cheque) to the school office.

Yours sincerely,

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