North Stainley C of E Primary School

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Dear Parents,

People's Book Prize Winner Visits School

The award-winning, bestselling children's author, Billy Bob Buttons, will be visiting this school on the afternoon of Thursday 1st February.

He is the author of sixteen very popular children's books including Felicity Brady and the Wizard's Bookshop, the bestselling Muffin Monster, Tiffany Sparrow Spook Slayer, The Cool Kids Book Prize winner, WIDE AWAKE, and the UK People's Book Prize winner and bestseller, I think I Murdered Miss. Last year, this book sold over 100,000 in the UK alone and won the 2014 UK People's Book Prize.

Every year, he meets with approx. 150,000 primary school children to deliver his popular literacy workshops. Throughout the afternoon, he will be delivering the workshops to Years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, focusing on Planning a Story, Adventure Writing and Characters. He will also read a story he has written to Class 1.

There will also be an opportunity for your child to meet Mr. Buttons and buy a signed and dedicated book. However, this is not the purpose of the afternoon; the purpose is to inspire children to write and read wonderful stories. If you would like a price list or to see a list of his books, please contact Mrs. Taylor in the office.

Mr. Buttons will be doing the book signing at the end of the school day. So, if parents wish to meet him and help their child pick a book, they can do so then.

Kind Regards

Mrs Elizabeth Watts
Head Teacher

"Your support for your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please tell us if there are any adjustments we need to make to help you support your child, for example: letters in large font; letters in different languages; wheelchair access; explaining things over the phone; a discussion with a school colleague of the same gender."