

27th November 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Becket School will be holding its annual Book Week during the week beginning 4th December 2017.

On Monday 4th December our visitor is Paula Rawsthorne, the author of 'The Truth about Celia Frost' and 'Blood Tracks', who has worked with our Year Nine pupils on several occasions. She gives an inspirational presentation which has resulted in her books flying off the LRC shelves. All Year nine students will see her during their scheduled English lesson.

On Thursday 7th December the author Matt Dickinson will give performances for all Key Stage Three students. His books include the Mortal Chaos series. He will speak to the students about his writing including how this has been influenced by his life as a documentary maker and explorer. He has been on expeditions to Everest, K2 and Antarctica.

Both Paula and Matt will be signing copies of their books which will be on sale in the LRC. More information about Paula's books is attached.

On Friday 8th December all students are invited to dress as a book character and make a contribution of £1. All the money raised will go towards the Building Hope in Bunkpurugu project.

From Thursday 30th November until Tuesday 12th December we will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair in the LRC (library). Flyers will be given out to Key Stage Three students in advance. Students will be brought by their teachers to browse through the available books and then they will be able to make purchases during the lunch break and after school. In addition, these books will be available for purchase at The Becket School Christmas Market on Thursday 30th November from 5 to 8 pm.

I am sure that the week will be an interesting and enjoyable one and I thank you in advance for your support.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs M Webster

Leader of the Learning Resource Centre

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