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Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February

### Mrs Robinson

After 3I years working in the kitchens at Pegswood First and Primary School, Aileen retired yesterday. We would like to thank her for all her hard work over many, many years and would like to wish her a very happy, long and healthy retirement.

## **Visiting Author**

We are very excited to be welcoming Richard O'Neil, storyteller, author and playwright, to our school on **Wednesday the 28th of February**. Every child in school will benefit from his visit and we would love for you to come and join our assemblies throughout the day to celebrate what the children have done.

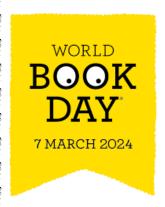
EYFS & KSI Assembly - 9:00 am in the main hall KS2 Assembly 2:45 pm in the main hall

To find out more about Richard and his work, visit his website:

https://richardthestoryteller.weebly.com/



## World Book Day



Today, we set the children a World Book Day Challenge. Every child has been given a wooden peg to turn into a Book Peg during half term. The peg can be decorated and dressed up in any way they choose to represent a book. It could be a character in a fiction book or an animal or historical character from a non-fiction

book. Perhaps it could be someone mentioned in a poem or graphic novel.

The Book Pegs will go on display in the school hall on World Book Day –

Thursday the 7th of March – and all parents and carers, from Nursery to Year 5, are invited to join special story sessions throughout the day.















Year 6 will also showcase their brilliant short film about reading, to each class.

# Timing for parents/carers

Nursery and Reception Story Session (in the main hall) – 9:00 am

Year IV Story Session (In class) – 9:00 am

Year IB Story Session (Small Hall) – 9:00 am

Year 2 Story Sessions (In class) – 2:30pm

Year 3 Story Session (in class) – 2:30 pm

Year 4 Story Session (in class) – 2:30 pm

Year 5 Story Session (in class) – 2:30 pm

We hope that you will be able to make both the assembly on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February and the story sessions on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March.

We hope you have a lovely half-term and also hope the weather stays as it is today! School reopens on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February.

The holiday dates for the remained of this year can be seen below.

HOLIDAY OR OCCASION OF CLOSURE	DATE ON WHICH SCHOOL CLOSES	DATE ON WHICH SCHOOL WILL REASSEMBLE
Spring Half Term	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
Easter	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
May Day	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
Summer Half Term	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024
Summer 2024	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	















