

Books for the Cheltenham Literature Festival



As many of you know the children can take or purchase a book to be signed on the day by the visiting author. Historically we have sourced books in advance for the festival that we could purchase at a lower cost than on the day. I am doing the same this year and have been in touch with Books For Bugs again. Unfortunately due to the choice of authors she has really struggled to source the books for the year groups apart from year 5 and 6. She has tried so hard and been to several suppliers in person for me but sadly has to order over 500 of each title! Anyway she has the books by Abi Elphinstone who is the author for year 5 and 6. She has the following:

Yr 5 and yr 6 Abi Elphinstone:

The dreamsnatcher, The nightspinner, The shadow keeper.

They are £2.50 each and Books for Bugs are offering 1 free book for school for every 5 purchased.

If you would like to order a book please comment on the Face Book post regarding this (in Friends of Pillowell FB page) BEFORE THE END OF DAY MONDAY 1ST OCTOBER with your child's name, year group and book title. *Remember this is only for year 5 and 6 pupils*.

I Won't be in school this week as the sickness bug has hit us hard. So think best if you take your £2.50 payment into the office and give to Lisa BEFORE THE END OF DAY MONDAY 1ST OCTOBER please so that I can take delivery of the books in time. If you are not on Face Book and would like to order a book please give Lisa your child's name, year group and choice of book when you pay her. She will be making a note of who has paid. Correct money would be helpful.

My plan is to label the book with your child's name and take into school before Friday 5th Oct, providing I have received your payment, so that Mr Forster can take to the festival. That way it's one less thing to remember to pack!

So the rest of us can source the book of your choice independently in advance of the festival if you so wish (via Amazon etc) or your child can purchase a book on the day if you provide the money. Please see the original letter from school regarding this and the authors selected for your child's year group.

Many thanks.

Becky Shield, Friends of Pillowell.