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At Kirkhill we are #PROUD of our school community. Everyone is encouraged to be creative, strive for excellence and be inspired to attain, achieve and be their best.

January 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are excited to welcome Glasgow author Lindsay Littleson, who many of our pupils will know as the author of 'The Titanic Detective Agency' (a titanic mystery with a Scottish twist!). Lindsay will visit Kirkhill next Tuesday, 17th January, to talk with our P4 and P5 pupils. The event will also be live-streamed to our P6 and P7 classes.

During the event, Lindsay will discuss her writing process, talk about her historical and contemporary Scottish-based fiction and introduce her new book, 'The Rewilders'. Lindsay was a primary teacher before becoming a published author, and enjoys visiting schools and inspiring pupils to read for enjoyment and write their own stories. Some of you may remember Lindsay from the author workshops she presented during our Literacy Curriculum evening in March 2020.

Lindsay's visit has been arranged with Waterstones Booksellers, Newton Mearns and her new book 'The Rewilders' will be available for purchase on the day. As always, there is no obligation to purchase the book, however, if your child would like a personalised, signed copy it will be on sale on the day. The books cost £7.99 each and if you would like to make a purchase, please pop the money into an envelope with your child's name and class marked clearly on the front. Change will be returned with the book, using the same envelope.

***Can we please ask that money only be brought to school on the day of the event:
Tuesday, 17th January 2023.***

Our pupils are always keen to hear about new books and come up with amazing questions to ask the authors. We believe this event will provide a super opportunity for our pupils to meet and be inspired by Lindsay and her work.

Yours sincerely,

Pam King

The wild is waiting...

Esme is annoyed and braced for boredom when she's sent to stay with her gran for the weekend, until she discovers a terrible mistake. Cora, the abandoned kitten Gran found on the Rothie Craig Estate, is in fact a wild lynx kit and she is growing fast!

Suddenly, Esme finds herself on a dangerous mission to rewild Cora, along with Callum Docherty for company, the school's 'bad boy', and Shug, the worst guard dog in the world.

The situation takes a terrifying turn when the children pitch their tents on a bleak Highland moor and hear wolves howling outside...

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