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Children's Author Visit – As part of the English and History curricula and our continued aim for children to enjoy reading books, we are very lucky to be hosting a visit from award-winning children's author, Tom Palmer on Monday 3rd July. Tom has written many exciting stories about spies, ghosts, planes, rugby, football, running and history which are suitable for both girls and boys.

Some of Tom's books are available for sale with a special **99p discount.** Please have a browse through the list sent home last Monday via the school app and to help you choose, there are FREE first chapters of all his books to read here: www.tompalmer.co.uk/free-stuff/. Please pay on ParentPay and don't forget to put the book title in the 'additional notes' section.





Sports Day - Sports Day this year will be on Monday 10th July (weather permitting). Parents and carers are invited and times are as follows: Years 5 and 6 12:00 - 1:00pm, Years R, 1 and 2 1:00 - 2:00pm, Years 3 and 4 2:00 - 3:00pm. Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school so that they can practise.

Community Larder – Please continue to support our local food bank by bringing into school an item of food each week. The Community Larder is situated at the back of St Aidan's Church Hall on Station Road and provides food and support to individuals and families from Bamber Bridge, Clayton -le-Woods, Lostock Hall and Walton-le-Dale. It is open Monday – Friday 9:30am – 11:30am and is dependent upon food donations from local Christian communities and schools. Thank you for your continued donations.

