

## **Heathfield Junior School**

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

22 September 2022

Bestselling children's author, Mel Taylor-Bessent, is visiting our school on 4<sup>th</sup> October to talk about her fantastically festive series, *The Christmas Carrolls* and *The Christmas Competition*.

Mel will be talking about the magic of writing, the importance of perseverance (it took her 15 years to become a published author!), and the power of spreading cheer through books and stories. In addition, she will be holding a Q&A with the students and signing copies of *The Christmas Carrolls* and the brand new *The Christmas Competition* – which students will be able to buy before it appears in bookshops!

Books will be available to order and buy on the day and Mel will sign and dedicate them to the students. If your child would like to purchase the book/s or if you would like to purchase any additional copies for Christmas gifts, please place your order via the slip below and return it before 29<sup>th</sup> September. The cost of the books is £7.99.

## **ABOUT THE CHRISTMAS CARROLLS:**

The Christmas Carrolls is a funny, festive book for ages 7–12 about the world's most Christmassy family. Complete with a hilarious main character (and a diva donkey who thinks he's a reindeer!), the book is about the magic of friendship, the power of spreading cheer, and what matters most at this very special time of year.

The Christmas Competition see's the Carrolls being entered into The Christmas Chronicle's Most Festive Family competition. But if you think the Carrolls are Christmas-obsessed, wait until you meet the Klauses! With a house on Candy Cane Lane, a 'Klausland' theme park in their back garden, a personal ski mountain and dancing penguins, will they discover there's more to life than perfect Christmas decorations and more presents than you can shake a candy cane at?

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I enclose £.....(£7.99 per book)

Signed ......parent/guardian



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