



Kinerton High School & Sixth Form

Achieving Personal Best

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Dear Parents/Carers

Kinerton High School will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7th March.

Every year students in all year groups are encouraged to dress up in fancy dress. This year our chosen theme is Where's Wally. This costume would comprise of: Jeans, red or white top (ideally a striped top in true Where's Wally style) with optional hat and glasses! There will be a voluntary £1.00 charge and a donation will go to the World Book Day charity, Book Aid International. If students would prefer not to dress up as Where's Wally they will need to attend school in correct uniform.

We will be hosting Bali Rai, the award-winning author of **Dream On, Shivers, (Un)Arranged Marriage, Rani & Sukh** and many other books. Bali will be coming in to talk to KS3 & KS4 students about his work as an author and offer inspirational workshops to small groups of our students. There will be an opportunity for all students to meet the author, talk to him about his writing and buy books.

Year 7 will also take part in a Celebration of Reading event, when they will have the opportunity to get together and share their experiences and enjoyment of reading.

For students not directly involved with our guest author there will be other activities which include a Where's Wally Easter egg hunt around the school with Easter egg prizes; a book swap on the red carpet throughout the week. Left over books will be donated to charity. These are just some of the activities to celebrate a culture of reading within our school.

If you have any old books in good condition that you would like to donate to the book swap then please pass to the library from Monday 3rd March through to Thursday 7th March.

Finally, all students will be offered a WBD token which entitles them to either a £1.00 WBD book or £1.00 off any book worth £2.99 or more, at participating stores.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Harris

Miss L Hooper