

Dear Parents,

This term, as part of the ReadingZone Festival (www.ReadingZone.com), our students will be able to experience an author event with author and DJ, **Christian O'Connell**.

Christian O'Connell's event will take place at The Priory School in Dorking on Wednesday 1st February when he will talk about his new book, **Radio Boy**. This will be an engaging event focused on creative writing. Christian will talk about how his background as a DJ (currently with Absolute Radio) helped inspire the novel and encourage children in their own creative writing and reading for pleasure.

Radio Boy follows 11 year old Spike who is desperate to become a DJ so when he becomes the first presenter ever to be sacked from hospital radio, Spike decides to carry on from a makeshift studio in the garden shed. He is helped by his best friends Artie and Holly, disguising his voice and going by the moniker Radio Boy. But his mischievous programme soon gets him into deep water... and a hunt is launched for the mysterious Radio Boy.

Prior to this event we are giving you the opportunity to order a copy of Radio Boy that can, on the day, be signed by the author and presented to your child. Books will be discounted and priced at £5 each (rrp £6.99).

If you would like to have a copy of the book, please complete and return this form by **Wednesday 18th January**. We will be able to take some late orders after this date.

We hope that this visit will inspire much enjoyable reading!

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM to your class teacher by Wednesday 18th January

- 1) I hereby give permission for (name)in (class) to purchase a copy of **Radio Boy** and I enclose cash / a cheque (payable to **ReadingZone Ltd**) for £5.

Signed:

Date:

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