



Beam County Primary School
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4th February 2026

AUTHOR VISIT & BOOK SIGNING – MELANIA GIOFRE

Dear Parents/Carers,

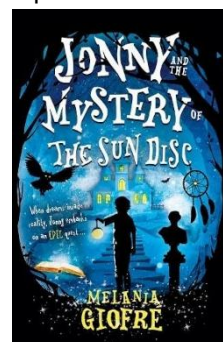
This letter is to inform you that Beam County Primary School will be taking part in a special author visit from Melania Giofre, coinciding with our World Book Day celebrations.

When - Tuesday 3rd March 2026

Who for – Year 3 to Year 6

Book signing - Yes

Pre-order books, Yes – pre-order a copy of Melania's book *Jonny and the Mystery of the Sun Disc* by paying £8.99 via ParentPay. Deadline for this is **Thursday 12th February**



Melania will sign any copies of her debut novel on the day. A bulk order of the novel will be placed on Friday 13th February based on the number of people who have ordered via Parentpay. All children who have ordered will receive their copy of the book before Melania's visit.

Melania's title '*Jonny and the Mystery of the Sun Disc*' has launched to critical acclaim. Recommended for children aged 8-11, Melania's novel is perfect for children in Key Stage Two to read independently or as a great bedtime listen along for those of a slightly younger age.

In the little Italian town of Ruffo, Jonny finds comfort in his vivid dreams, where he escapes the bullying of his peers and the worries of his parents. But, when elements from his dreams begin to appear in reality, Jonny realises something is terribly wrong.

One night, a Selenite, a magical creature from the Moon, visits Jonny in his dream, revealing that a looming doom threatens both the dream world and the waking world. Summoned to a dream library by Master Morpheus, the God of Dreams, Jonny learns of his destiny as a powerful dreamer tasked with retrieving a magical Sun Disc to prevent the impending disaster.

Guided by the God of Dreams, Jonny embarks on an epic quest through a fantastical realm filled with ghosts, witches, mythical creatures, and his own fears.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes,

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