

SOUTHAMPTON READING

NEWSLETTER



EDITION 9

Michael Morpurgo



Thursday 4th
December,
1.30pm

Your class is invited to join an exciting live webinar featuring Michael Morpurgo, who will introduce his powerful novel Cobweb. Inspired by the true story of the French Drummer Boy of Waterloo, this moving adventure follows the journey of a young corgi and offers a poignant look at courage, compassion, and the harsh realities of war. You will also have the chance to ask questions at the end.

Click [here](#) to sign up.



Author Advent Calendar

This December, make reading part of your class's Christmas tradition with a virtual Advent Calendar designed to inspire a love of books and bring festive joy to your classroom!

Each day, your pupils will open a new "window" to discover a special video message from a well-loved author or illustrator. It's a perfect way to engage your pupils in reading for pleasure and add some seasonal sparkle to your lessons in the lead-up to Christmas. Click [here](#) to access the calendar.

Christmas Reads



The Boy who
Grew Dragons
A Christmas
Delivery
Andy Shepherd
Age 4+

Charlie and the
Christmas
Factory
Roald Dahl
Age 8+



Murder at
Christmas
Fleur Hitchcock
Age 9+

