## Author Scott Ostler, award-winning sports writer, visits St. Perpetua 12/5!

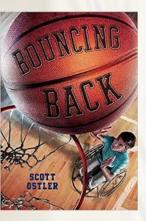
On Thursday, December 5th, your child has the opportunity to meet author Scott Ostler at a special assembly. He is a sports columnist for the San Francisco Chronicle and has been voted California Sportswriter of the Year 14 times. He will be introducing his new middle grade novel, *Bouncing Back*.

Booklist gave **Bouncing Back** a starred review, saying: "The multi-tiered plot moves quickly, the characters are engaging, and the wheelchair basketball is a unique premise, but the real draw in this debut novel from sportswriter Ostler are the vivid descriptions of basketball action. Of equal interest to boys and girls, this strikes just the right notes about teamwork, friendship, and acceptance."

Kirkus Reviews described it as: "A sports story that's as heartwarming as it is action-packed."

Orinda Books is delighted to be selling books for this special event. Mr. Ostler will sign and personalize pre-ordered books for students.

## Order Form Due: Thursday, December 5th



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